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DOUBLE SHEET.

SALES BY AUCTION.

AUCTION NOTICE.—C. CASSIDY, AUCTIONEER.—By H. N. Bush.—This day, at 10½ o'clock, in the salesroom, 10 North William street, sale of new and second-hand Furniture, Bookcases, Desks, Counters, Marble Tops for Tables, Carpets, &c. Also, an invoice of Watches, Jewelry, Clothing, &c.

AUCTION NOTICE.—THOS. BELL, AUCTIONEER.—By W. L. Van Zandt.—Attention is requested to the sale of valuable Furniture, on Thursday, at 10½ o'clock, in the well furnished private hotel, No. 252 William street. The Bedroom Furniture is superior. Large quantity of German bed and table Linen; 200 ounces Silver, &c.

AUCTION SALE OF STANDARD ROSES AND Plants, from the nursery of D. Bell.—J. L. Vandewater, 14 Wall street, will sell, on Thursday, May 6, at eleven o'clock, a choice selection of Standards, the last of the season. Also, some new Vines, from the nursery of Mr. Lenoire.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, AUCTIONEER.—PEREMPtory sale, to close a trust, of sixteen new Buggies, Rockaways, and Coaches, made by Nichols & Co., of Bridgeport, Conn.—Adrian H. Muller will sell at auction, on Tuesday, May 11, at 11 o'clock, at Captain Nye's store, Nos. 24 and 25 Commercial wharf, Atlantic docks, Brooklyn—One no top Buggy, two panelled Buggies, one square Rockaway, one crooked Rockaway, no top; one hunting Buggy, one Buggy, two top Buggies, one Jenny Lind Buggy, one crooked top Buggy, two light four seat Rockaway Carriages, one five seat Rockaway Carriage, two six seat Rockaway Carriages. Terms cash, on delivery.

ANTHONY J. BLEECKER, AUCTIONEER WILL SELL at auction, on Tuesday, May 11th, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, the two story House and Lot, No. 148 West sixteenth st., between the seventh and eight avenues; Lot 20 feet front by 103 feet 3 inches deep on both sides. By order of A. THOMPSON, Referee.

BROOKLYN AUCTION NOTICE.—R. J. TODD WILL sell, by public auction, at store 131 Fulton street, (two doors from Sands), this day and to-morrow, the entire stock in trade of an extensive dealer, giving up business. The stock comprises a full assortment of Ladies Dress Goods, Shawls, Linens and Domestic Goods; also, Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Doeskins, rich cut Velvet and Satin Vestings, with the usual assortment generally kept in a retail store. The whole will be offered in lots to suit purchasers, and sold without reserve. Sale each day at 2 P.M., and 7 o'clock in the evening.

D. S. HOUGH, AUCTIONEER.—THURSDAY, MAY 6, at 10 A. M., at No. 54 Beekman street, a very large assortment of new and second-hand Furniture, Carpets, Oilcloths, &c., embracing every variety of goods necessary to housekeepers, and all to be sold without reserve. Catalogues this evening. Sale positive, rain or shine.

H. H. LEEDS, AUCTIONEER.—FINE PAINTINGS, on Wednesday, May 5, at 11 o'clock, at the Dusseldorf Gallery, in Broadway, between Spring and Prince streets. The valuable collection of original ancient Oil Paintings, belonging to John E. Baker, Esq., in whose possession they have been for the last twenty-eight years—among them will be found works of Van Dyke, Ferdinand, Bol, Rembrandt's best scholar, Berghem, Van Blomen, Heemskerk, Van Loo, Teniers, Wouvermans, Nesscher, De Witte, Everdingen, Craeback, Vertangen, Van Kessel, Horeman, Frank, and many others. This collection presents an opportunity to amateurs and others, to obtain valuable original paintings. The gallery will be thrown open for public inspection on Monday, May 3, until the day of sale.
HENRY H. LEEDS & CO., 8 Wall street.

HENRY T. LEEDS, AUCTIONEER, WILL SELL, TOmorrow, Thursday, at 10 o'clock, at house No. 66 Elm street, all the Furniture in the house, which consists of Sofas, Chairs, Rockers, Carpets, Tables, China, Glass, and Plated Ware. Also a general assortment of kitchen, dining room, and chamber Furniture. The trade, and those in want of furniture, are particularly invited to attend this sale. Catalogues on the morning of sale.

JOHN FISHBLATT, AUCTIONEER.—THE SUBSCRIber having commenced the business of Auctioneer, will be happy to receive orders for the sale of all kinds of property, real and personal. Liberal advances made on all kinds of merchandise, furniture, and all other personal property, at his store, No. 40 Pearl street. Particular attention paid to out-door sales; all kinds of agency and commission business attended to punctually; and storage of every kind furnished on reasonable terms.

JACOB BOGART, AUCTIONEER.—THURSDAY, MAY 6th, at 10 o'clock, at No. 821 Broadway, corner of Twelfth street, mortgage sale of a Drug Store, consisting of Upright Fixtures, Shelving, four Counter Show Cases, Large Jars, Scales, Specie Jars, Tincture Bottles, Glass Salt Mouth Jars, three marble top Counters, together with all the Stock and Fixtures of a first class Drug Store.
RICHARD A. CHAMBERS, Attorney for Mortgagee.

JOHN L. VANDEWATER, AUCTIONEER.—TUESDAY and Wednesday, May 4 and 5.—At 11 o'clock, at the sales room, No. 14 Wall street.—Marble Statuary, Gas Fixtures, &c.—A large and splendid sale of marble and alabaster Statuary, Gas Fixtures, &c., to close the business of an importer and manufacturer—the whole forming one of the most attractive sales this season.
Marble and alabaster Statuary, Hebes Medicis and Etruscan Vases, rich Bohemian ware, Cut Glass and fancy goods, being the entire rich importation of Signor U. Giovannoni, just received from Leghorn, and to be sold without reserve.
Statuary—Marble and alabaster groups and figures, after Canova, of the Dancers, Venus, two Dancers, busts of the Italian poets, American statesmen, &c.
Urns, Vases and Vases of the most celebrated artists, in bass relievo, &c., viz.: Hebe, Etruscan, Grecian, and Medicis, from Pringesi, Adrianna, Pompeii, &c.
Verde di Prato, figures of the Dying Gladiator, Dogs, Elephants, &c.
Agate and bardiglio Paper Weights and Inkstands, models of the Eternal Lights and Negro's Bath Tub; Vestal Temple, Florentine Baskets, Candlesticks, Jewelry Stands, Mosaic Table Books and Vases, Watch Stands, Card Receivers, &c.
Also, bronze and gilt Clocks, Figures, &c.
Also, French China dining, tea, and tete-a-tete sets, rich Vases, toilet ware, &c.
Also, rich Bohemian and crystal cut Glass ware, viz.: Decanters, Bowls, Goblets, Colognes, Pokals, &c.
Catalogues will be ready, and the goods ready for examination, the day previous.

JOHN L. VANDEWATER, AUCTIONEER.—WEDNESday, May 5, at 10½ o'clock, at No. 94 Liberty street, Household Furniture.—The usual assortment of genteel furniture, mahogany hair seat Sofas, Chairs, Rockers, Divans, Lounges, mahogany and maple Bedsteads, Bureaus, Washstands, Toilet Sets, feather Beds, Mattresses, Palliasters, &c; also one splendid rosewood Piano, together with the usual assortment of basement and kitchen Furniture, with which the sale will commence.

J. L. VANDEWATER, AUCTIONEER.—SALE OF magnificent Household Furniture, the property of a gentleman about returning to Europe. J. L. V. & Co. will sell at auction, at No. 17 Fifth avenue, on Thursday morning, 6th inst., a rich and valuable assortment of Furniture, being of the most fashionable styles, all from the manufactory of Alexander Roux, and but little used, consisting in part of Parlor suits in Rosewood, richly carved Sofas, Tete-a-tetes, Arm Chairs, Sewing and other Chairs, in satin and brocatelle, &c.; styles Louis XIV and XV. Also splendid suits of Dining Room and Library Furniture, Etageres, Lounges, Couches, Armoires à Glaces Toilette and Night Tables, together with Rosewood and Mahogany Bedsteads, Beds, Bedding, &c., &c.; also a splendid assortment of Carpets, Tapestry, Wilton, Brussels, Ingrain, &c.; also one Rosewood Pianoforte, Chickering, maker; also a choice and beautiful collection of original Oil Paintings of high merit and very valuable, together with a general assortment of China, Glass and Kitchen Furniture with which the sale will commence. The furniture can now be examined with catalogue.

JOHN. L. VANDEWATER, AUCTIONEER—Splendid Household Furniture. John L. Vandewater & Co. will sell, on Friday, May 7th, at the residence of Isaac N. Phelps, Esq., No. 103 Ninth street, a rich and desirable assortment of Household Furniture all of the first class manufacture, consisting in part of rosewood, mahogany, and black walnut, Parlor Suites, in damask and satin Brocatelle styles, Louis XIV.; Royal, Wilton, Brussels, and ingrain Carpeting, rich Pier Glasses, Slabs, Brackets, and Mantel Ornaments; mahogany extension Dining Tables, Sofas, Chairs, Voltaires, Rockers, in hair cloth, Etageres, Encoignases, Bookcases, mahogany and maple Bedsteads, Beds and Bedding, rosewood and mahogany marble top Bureaus, Washstands, Toilet Stands; also a variety of Statuary and Alabaster Figures, Groups, Etrucan Vases, &c., together with a superb line of choice Paintings of merit. Also one seven-octave rosewood Pianoforte, together with a large and general assortment of Glass Ware, crystal-cut Decanters, Wines, &c. The sale will commence with the usual assortment of Kitchen Furniture, Catalogues will be ready to-morrow.

JACOB BOGART, AUCTIONEER.—THIS DAY, AT 10 o'clock, at No. 15 Spruce street—Large sale of Household Furniture, &c., consisting of mahogany Sofas, Tables, Chairs, Book Cases, Bedsteads, 20 Feather Beds, Mattresses, Bedding, Brussels and Ingrain Carpets, Show Cases, mahogany Rockers, Refrigerator, Oil Cloth, Lamps, Handsome Mirrors, 40 Engravings, marble top Beaufet, small Wagon, Wardrobe. Also by virtue of two executions, a lot of Drugs and Medicines, Glass Jars, Store Fixtures. Also a large lot of window and dusting Brushes, one Fly Wheel, and a variety of other articles. Girandoles, Clocks, kitchen Furniture, Sinks, Copper Boiler, &c.

JOHN KEESE, AUCTIONEER.—HOUSEHOLD FURNIture.—Lyman & Rawson will sell this (Wednesday) morning, May 5th, at 12 o'clock, at their sales room, 377 and 379 Broadway, corner of White street, a large assortment of household Furniture, consisting of Bookcases, Bureaus, Mirrors, Looking Glasses, Mattresses, Bedsteads, &c., &c. Sale positive and without reserve.

MILLEDOLER ESTATE AT HARLEM.—ANTHONY J. Bleecker will sell this day, at the Exchange, the residue of the Milledoler estate at Harlem, consisting of 224 lots on avenue A and First avenue, and 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, and 120th streets.

R. C. KEMP, AUCTIONEER.—LARGE AND PEremptory sale of Carpeting, at auction, in lots to suit purchasers, this day, at 10 o'clock, at sale room, No. 85 Nassau street, near Fulton street. R. C. Kemp will sell at auction, as above, without reserve, by catalogue, a very large and splendid assortment of rich English Carpetings, consisting in part of 500 pieces of the richest styles of velvet, tapestry, brussels, and ingrain Carpetings, floor Oil Cloth, &c., viz., English Royal Wilton and velvet tapestry Carpetings, of the very richest and most beautiful patterns, this season's importations; very rich Brussels, of very handsome and rich patterns, just landed; three ply, heavy superfine ingrain, and Venetian stair Carpetings. Also, a good assortment of heavy floor Oil Cloths, Rugs, door Mats, &c., all of which will be sold in lots to suit purchasers. Catalogues on the morning of sale.

R. C. KEMP, AUCTIONEER.—PIANO-FORTES AT Auction.—R. C. Kemp will sell at auction, this day, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock, at 85 Nassau street, near Fulton, Piano-fortes—fir superior 6½ and 7 octave Piano-fortes, from city makers of good reputation, and fully warranted. These Piano-fortes are particularly worthy the attention of buyers, and can be examined the day before the sale. Arrangements will be made to store, or to have them packed for shipping, at a reasonable charge.

R. W. WESTCOTT, AUCTIONEER.—MORTGAGE sale, this day, at 10 o'clock, of elegant household Furniture, of every description, at 140 Greenwich avenue, embracing a handsome variety of marble top and other Parlor, Chamber and Kitchen Furniture. Also, one Piano-forte. Sale peremptory, rain or shine. Goods to be removed same day from the premises.

W. S. McILVAIN & CO., AUCTIONEERS, WILL sell, this day, at 10½ o'clock, at the used store, No. 7 John street, a fine collection of Roses, Camellias, Paonies, Dahlias, Verbenas, Tuberoses, &c., &c. from J. S. P. Henderson, Jersey City. Catalogues on the morning of sale.

WM. WITTERS, AUCTIONEER, WILL SELL ON Thursday, at 10 o'clock, a large stock of Millinery Goods, consisting of Bonnets, Silks, Ribbons, Laces, Satins, Velvets, Flowers, Trimmings, and all other articles kept at such stores. Sale positive.

WM. W. SHIELEY, AUCTIONEER—MOVED TO NO. 82 John street, near Gold.—Crockery and Glass sale, Thursday, May 6th, at 10 o'clock, without reserve. A large and general assortment, in lots for retailers and grocers.

SALES BY AUCTION.

AUCTION NOTICE.—KITCHEN FURNITURE, &c., ON account of a former purchaser.—Thursday, May 6th, at 10½ o'clock, at 57 Dey street, corner of Greenwich street, Earthenware, Dinner and Desert Sets, China, Tea and Coffee do., Plates, Dishes, Tables, Chairs, Carpets, Carcel, Lamps, Candelabras, Kitchen articles, &c.
W. A. CARTER, Auctioneer.

AUCTION NOTICE.—THOMAS BELL AUCTIONEER—By W. L. Van Zandt. Large sale of Elegant and Valuable Furniture, this day, at 10½ o'clock, in the auction rooms, 13 Spruce street, comprising an uncommonly extensive variety of Housekeeping articles, rich Carpets, all kinds of Bedroom arrangements, &c. The sale will commence in the basement. On Friday, in the store, at 10½ o'clock, a large consignment from Boston, of gentlemen's fashionable Summer Clothing.

AUCTION SALE OF STANDARD ROSES.—NEWELL & Co. will sell, on Wednesday, May 5, at half-past ten o'clock, a splendid selection of standard Roses of the finest and newest varieties. Also, a new variety of white Grape, well suited for our climate.

WM. WITTERS, AUCTIONEER.—THIS DAY, AT 10 o'clock, at the Atlantic, 429 Hudson street, near Leroy street, the Fixtures of an oyster saloon, consisting of Floor Oil Cloth, Tables, Chairs, Casters, Cut Decanters, Counters, Oyster stands, &c.

J. MORIARTY, AUCTIONEER, WILL SELL, THIS day, at 11 o'clock, at 173 Chatham street, 40 Wheels, suited for dray, furniture, and other carts; also, Axeltrees, Springs, &c.; also, a large assortment of new and second hand Furniture, Carpets, Bureaus, Chairs, Tables, Sofas, and 30 Feather Beds; also, cattail Beds, Bedsteads, &c., &c.

WILL BE SOLD AT THE BAZAAR, NO. 31 CROSBY street, on Wednesday, the 12th inst., at 12 o'clock, a brown Mare, about 15 hands high, kind in harness and under the saddle; is a fast trotter. Must be sold to pay her bill of keep. May be seen until the day of sale at the stable, 33 East Thirteenth street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A. M. & R. DAVIES, 395 BROADWAY, HAVE JUST received from Paris a large and fashionable assortment of Paper Hangings, of the latest designs, worthy the attention of those about to purchase. Also Lace and Muslin Curtains, Window Cornices, Shades, Bands, &c.; twenty per cent less than any house in the city.

ACCIDENTS PREVENTED.—LIFE SAVED.—Highly Important Invention.—Galvanic Alloy Manufacturing Company, 406 Cherry street, New York, are prepared to apply to hatchway doors an improvement by which they can be opened and closed at each upward and downward movement of the rope for raising goods, or as often as desired, by a cheap and simple arrangement in connection with the windlass that raises and lowers the goods. It can be applied to old hatchways as well as new; all the hatchways can be opened or closed from any one floor of the building. Can be seen in practical operation as above.

HENRY CLAY'S FAREWELL ADDRESS.—THE CELEbrated engraving of the United States Senate chamber—a few choice impressions for sale, by
F. ANTHONY, 598 Broadway.

E. IVES, JR., TEACHER OF VOCAL AND INSTRUmental Music, has taken rooms at No. 308 Fourth street (second door from Greene), where he will be glad to see his friends and the public.

CALIFORNIA QUARTZ MINING STOCK.—THE SUBscriber offers for sale Twenty Shares, of $200 each, in the "Union Mountain Mining Company," located on Wolf Creek, near the city of Nevada. Machinery, of the most approved kind, for a crushing mill, has been sent out from New York nearly five months since. A pamphlet, containing general information about the Company, can be obtained at the office of RICHARD OAKLEY, 51 William street, where, also, a quantity of the ore (not mere specimens,) can be examined.

MRS. PREWSTER, FROM PHILADELPHIA, TENDERS her services to ladies and gentlemen of this city, in Astrology, Love, and Law Matters, interpreting Dreams, &c., by books and science constantly relied on by Napoleon, and will tell the name of the lady or gentleman they will marry; also, the names of the visitors. Residence, 59 Great Jones street, corner of the Bowery. Ladies fifty cents; gentlemen one dollar.

S. BISSELL & M. L. DODGE, DRESSMAKERS, HAVE removed from No. 12 Green street to No. 12 Greene street, five doors from Canal street, where they will receive orders as usual.

SILVER PLATED ON GERMAN SILVER TABLE Ware.—Table Forks, $6 to $8 per dozen; Spoons, $3 to $5 do.; ivory handle Knives, plated Castors, Baskets, Tea Sets, Pastors, &c.; also, Cornelius's Gas Fixtures, Chandeliers, Pendants, &c.; ormolu Vases, Bronze Candelabras, &c. A. MORGAN, 152 William street, between Fulton and Ann streets, opposite the church.

TIMOLAT'S SULPHUR BATHS, 547 PEARL STREET, established in 1829, by Louis J. Timolat, from Paris, for the cure of eruption of the skin, severe colds, mercurial affections, &c., &c. These are the only genuine Sulphur Baths in this city. We refer to Drs. Mott, Wallace, Buckley, Warren, and Kissam.

BOARD—A FRONT PARLOR, WITH BEDROOM and pantries attached, on the second floor of a private house, will be let to one or two gentlemen, either with or without full or partial board. Apply at 114 Franklin street.

HOUSE WANTED—PART OF A HOUSE WANTED, in the vicinity of Hudson, Vandam, and Spring streets, by a small genteel family. Apply at 50 Amity street.

ST NICHOLAS BUILDING ASSOCIATION.—SPECIAL Notice.—The first monthly meeting will be held on the 13th instant, and members are respectfully requested to bear it in mind, as the first monthly dues are payable on or before that day. Those desirous of becoming members are also requested to hand in their names before that date, in order to be proposed for the first bidding for the redemption of shares. The association is in a prosperous condition, and will be among the most profitable yet formed. Subscribe quickly, before the entrance fee is advanced. Present entrance fee, $1; monthly dues, $3.
WM. L. CONKLIN, President.
RORT. D. HART, Secretary.

OPENING OF THE FRENCH STRAW HAT DEPOT, No. 241 Broadway, (removed from No. 351,)—Extraordinary Cheap sale of Straw Goods, commencing to-morrow (Thursday), May 6. Upwards of $15,000 worth of Straw Goods, all of the most recherche character, being consignments from three of the most eminent importers in New York, which, owing to the extreme backwardness of the season, must be converted into immediate cash, however great the loss incurred—however great the sacrifice required to be made—that stern monitor, prompt cash, being required to meet claims on the various importations. Under such circumstances, an ordinary list of prices would be no guide to purchasers. Suffice it to say that the whole has been reduced to incredibly low prices. Notice—Hats in children's and Misses' forms; boys' Hats and Caps in all styles; trimmings, &c., &c. Ladies will find this an opportunity of purchasing elegant and attractive novelties in straw Hats of very rare occurrence; therefore, please to observe, it will be necessary to make an early call, to avoid disappointment. The French Straw Hat Depot, 241 Broadway, (removed from 351.) W. ATTKINS.

WHOLESALE BUYERS, FAMILIES, AND THE PUBlic generally, are invited to call at the celebrated store so favorably known for containing the most extensive and choicest stock of Wines, Brandies, &c., in every variety, at twenty per cent less than at any other store.
WM. H. UNDERHILL, 420 Broome st., corner Crosby.

BOARDING AND LODGINGS.

BOARDING AT 347 BROADWAY.—FRONT PARLOR and bedroom on Broadway, furnished or unfurnished, suitable for a gentleman and lady, with full or partial board. Also, a large double room, on second floor, front; together with several single rooms, for single gentlemen, with or without full board. Baths connected with house for free use of boarders. References required and given.

BOARD WANTED—FOR A YOUNG LADY, IN THE upper part of the city. A private family preferred. Address R. C. R., Herald office.

TWO GENTLEMEN CAN BE ACCOMODATED WITH Board, in a private family, in Grand street, near Broadway. Inquire at 289 Bowery.

FOR SALE AND TO LET.

FOR SALE—A FIRST-RATE MANUFACTURING BUsiness, in one of the most flourishing towns of Connecticut, connected directly with New York by railway. Said Business, Machinery, &c., will be sold at a reasonable price, the owner wishing to retire. Inquire of V. B. PALMER, Newspaper Agent, Tribune Buildings.

FOR SALE CHEAP, AS THE OWNER IS GOING TO California.—A Crockery Store in one of the best business stands in the city. Must be sold this week. Apply at 115 Avenue B, near Seventh street.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A VERY STYLISH BROWN Horse, about 15½ hands high, good traveller, and splendid under the saddle. Also, a new road Wagon and Harness. The above will be sold separate or together, very cheap, as the owner leaves soon for California. Can be seen at Sherwood's stables, 86 Walker street.

FOR SALE—THREE WELL MATCHED DOUBLE teams of Horses—one pair black, one pair bay, and one pair sorrel; also, two single horses—warranted kind and gentle, and good stylish drivers. Inquire at the Brooklyn Bazaar, Liberty street, Brooklyn. Also, two top Wagons.

FOR SALE—A SORREL PONY, ABOUT FOURTEEN hands high; is a complete saddle horse for a lady; can trot in about 3:20 in harness; is very kind and gentle, and will be warranted sound. Also, two second hand Wagons, one very light trotting Wagon. Inquire at Barr's Stables, 58 Franklin street.

APARTMENTS TO LET, AT 338 PEARL STREET, ON the second and third, and fourth floors, with Croton water in the house. Inquire on the premises.

STORE TO LET—VERY SUITABLE FOR A DRUGGIST or a Furnishing Store. It is well lighted and adapted to any business. Rent moderate. Possession immediately. Apply at 202 William street, corner of Frankfort.

A LADY, HAVING MORE ROOMS THAN SHE REquires, and occupying a very fine furnished house in Twenty-first street, wishes to let to a single gentleman, a Parlor and Bedroom, with all the modern improvements. A live agent, to W. W. B., Herald office, will meet with immediate attention.

TO LET—A HOUSE, CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE and Twenty-sixth street, Brooklyn. Also a large house, pleasantly situated, with a large garden around it, suitable for a private or boarding house. Inquire of William Hatfield, near Greenwood Cemetery.

FINE ARTS.

TO ARTISTS AND MEN OF TASTE IN PARTICUAR, and the public in general.—I have removed my stock of engravings and books from 102 Nassau street, (known as the Old Curiosity Shop,) to No. 13 Ann street; the engravings consisting of Studies, Old Private Mezzotints, Scraps, Landscapes, &c., very cheap. JOHN P. NEAGLE.

EXPRESS AGENCIES.

BERFORD & CO'S CALIFORNIA EXPRESS TRUNKS for small parcels, will be kept open till one o'clock, P. M. this day. Also our mail bags will be closed at two o'clock P. M. and despatched via San Juan, per steamer Northern Light. BERFORD & CO, No. 7 Astor House.

BERFORD & CO'S EXTRA CALIFORNIA PACKAGE and Parcel Express, will pass the Empire City, Monday, May 5th, in charge of our messenger. All freight must be sent in early, in water-proof condition, and not to exceed 125 lbs in weight. No charge for custom house or consular fees. Freight secured by us.
BERFORD & CO., No. 7 Astor House, Vesey street.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THE ILLNESS OF MR. CLAY.

DEATH OF A MEMBER OF CONGRESS.

No Business Transacted in Either House.

Terrific Storm in the West.

TOWN NEARLY DESTROYED, AND SEVERAL PERSONS KILLED.

MOVEMENTS OF THE POLITICIANS.

INTERESTING FROM MEXICO.

SEMINOLE INDIANS SURRENDERING, &c., &c., &c.

From Washington City.

MR. CLAY—SECRETARY OF NEW MEXICO—PRESIDENT FILLMORE AND THE UTAH OFFICERS—CHEVALIER HULSEMANN, ETC.

WASHINGTON, May 4, 1852.

Mr. Clay's condition is pronounced hopeless. He is sinking very fast, and it was feared last night that he would not survive until morning. He is apparently no worse this evening. Though very weak, he is perfectly conscious of his condition, and seems fully prepared to meet death. President Fillmore visited him on Sunday, and the interview was of a most solemn and touching character. A gloom seemed to hang upon every countenance as they beheld the approaching demise of the great statesman and patriot.

B. D. Harris, late Secretary of the Territory of Utah, has been appointed Secretary of New Mexico, in place of M. S. Allen, resigned. Mr. H. resigned the Utah Secretaryship some days since. This seems to indicate that the President sustains the Utah officers in withdrawing from the territory.

To-day's *Intelligencer* states that Mr. Hulsemann, the Austrian Charge d'Affaires, left Washington yesterday on his return to Vienna. It is understood that previously to his departure he addressed an official note to the Secretary of State, and communicated copies of it to the members of the diplomatic corps; but of the purport of this note we are uninformed.

THIRTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 4, 1852.

REQUISITES OF NAVAL OFFICERS.

The CHAIR laid before the Senate a report from the Secretary of the Navy, in reply to a resolution of the Senate, calling for information with respect to alleged illegal allowances to Naval officers.

Mr. HALE said this report was in reply to a resolution introduced by him. He had read the answer of the Secretary of the Navy, and was happy to say there was no foundation in the charge that the abuse existed.

FRENCH SPOLIATIONS, ETC.

Mr. SUMNER presented the resolutions of the Legislature of Massachusetts, in favor of the payment of the French Spoliation claims, and also in favor of a ship canal around the Falls of St. Mary's.

DEATH OF HON. CHARLES ANDREWS.

A message was received from the House, announcing the death of the Hon. Charles Andrews, of Maine, with resolutions. They were taken up, and Mr. Hamlin, of Maine, spoke most feelingly of the virtues and qualities of the deceased, and moved the usual resolutions of condolence and respect.

Mr. BRADBURY, of Maine, said a few words in seconding the resolutions, which were then adopted, and the Senate adjourned.

House of Representatives.

WASHINGTON, May 4, 1852.

DEMISE OF MR. ANDREWS—TESTIMONIAL OF RESPECT, ETC.

Mr. McDONALD, of Maine, announced the death of his colleague, Charles Andrews, and passed a high eulogy on the talents, and private and public character of the deceased. He concluded by offering several resolutions expressive of the deep regret of the House at the event, that the usual badge of mourning be worn for thirty days, and that a copy of the resolutions be furnished to the family of the deceased. As a further mark of respect, the House adjourned.

Mr. Andrews died in Paris, Me., on the 30th ult., aged thirty-eight years and two months. He occupied the seat which was formerly represented by Rufus K. Goodenow, the only whig from Maine in the last Congress.

Interesting from Boston.

ARRIVAL OF MR. WEBSTER—CLERK ARRESTED FOR SLANDER, ETC.

BOSTON, May 4, 1852.

The Hon. Daniel Webster arrived here at 5 o'clock, and was received at the depot by a large number of his political and personal friends. His reception was enthusiastic. Mr. Webster shook hands with many, and briefly thanked the assemblage for the warmth of the greeting extended him. He remains in this city to-night, as the guest of J. W. Paige, Esq., and to-morrow goes to Marshfield.

Mr. Seymour, the discharged clerk in the Vermont Central Railroad Company, who promised the public such astounding disclosures, was arrested in Northfield, to-day, on complaint of Mr. Lincoln, clerk of the Corporation, for slander, and committed to Montpelier jail, for want of $10,000 bail.

MOVEMENTS OF KOSSUTH.

BOSTON, May 4, 1852.

Last night, Kossuth visited the Freemason Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, at Masonic Hall, on their invitation. He was received with great pomp and ceremony, and welcomed by Rev. Mr. Randall, Grand Master of the Lodge. Kossuth replied in a speech of half an hour's length, which, for eloquence, feeling, and beauty, is pronounced as surpassing anything he has yet delivered in our city. After addresses, music was had, and Kossuth was introduced to the members. He was only made a freemason in Cincinnati.

Kossuth devoted this morning to writing private letters, and in the afternoon at one o'clock, proceeded to Cambridge University to witness the examination of the students in elocution. He also visited Mount Auburn. He was accompanied by the Governor of the State, and some members of the Committee of the Legislature. He dined this afternoon with Prof. Longfellow, in the memorable house known as Washington's head quarters. This evening he attended a levee at Dr. Lowell's. To-morrow he goes to Lowell.

On Thursday, Kossuth goes to Salem, and on Friday to Plymouth. Saturday evening next he will address the Germans, in Faneuil Hall.

His evenings here, from four till seven P. M., he devotes to receiving visits and deputations.

A great many flunkeys pay him homage, and his free-soil organ complains very much about some hard-fisted people hurting Kossuth's hand, by shaking it as if it was iron, like his will. It is as bad, he says, as fighting with the Austrians. The same journal, not satisfied with the amount of money Kossuth has got, calls for another speech in Faneuil Hall, and another sale of Hungarian bonds for admission. A far better idea than this, would be to issue five dollar bonds, exclusively for ladies, to permit them to kiss his hand, which would have a soothing effect upon the bruises it received from their rough husbands and fathers; while, at the same time, it would bring a tremendous amount of cash. If it is a great honor to kiss the Pope's toe, it must be a greater one to kiss the palm of Kossuth, who is greater than Pio Nono, and threatens soon to drive him, together with Nicholas of Russia, the Emperor of Austria, and Louis Napoleon, out of this world to the next, by a very short cut.

The Dutch Man-of-War at Norfolk, &c.

NORFOLK, May 3, 1852.

A large number of citizens visited the Dutch frigate yesterday and to-day. The captain paid his respects to the Mayor to-day; and Captain Breese, from the Navy Yard, visited the ship, and was received with the usual salutes. Colonel Myers, the Belgian Consul, gives her officers a grand ball this evening, which will be a splendid affair. The Prince of Orange will sail for New York next Saturday.

The schooner Susan and Mary, from St Croix, fourteen days, bound to New York, put in to-day, for wood and water, and with loss of fore gaff.

Items from New Orleans.

SERIOUS RIOT—MEXICAN TARIFF, ETC.

NEW ORLEANS, May 1, 1852.

A serious riot occurred at New Orleans to-day, between a party of steamboat men, and a number, it is feared, will die from the effects of their injuries.

Advices from Mexico to the 19th ult. state that much excitement still prevailed with regard to the tariff. The foreign Minister had addressed another letter to the government, demanding the establishment of the tariff ordered up by General Arista.

The accounts received from all parts of Mexico are of a very warlike nature.

Ole Bull in Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, May 4, 1852.

Ole Bull, assisted by the Germania Society, gave a concert here last night, which was crowded to excess, and at least a thousand persons were unable to gain admittance. He will shortly visit New York, Boston, and Philadelphia.

Terrible Storm in the West.

ONE TOWN NEARLY DEMOLISHED—GREAT DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY—LOSS OF SEVERAL LIVES, ETC.

CINCINNATI, May 4, 1852.

The Western papers contain accounts of great destruction of property by the storm of last Friday.

The town of Leavenworth, Indiana, was nearly destroyed. Forty houses were blown down, some of them substantial brick buildings, with thirteen inch walls. Two or three persons were killed, and a number badly injured.

In various other places, houses, fences, and orchards of valuable fruit trees were destroyed.

Political Affairs.

WHIG CONVENTION IN COLUMBIA COUNTY, N. Y.

HUDSON, May 4, 1852.

The whig convention to-day appointed E. P. Cowles delegate to the Baltimore convention, and adjourned without passing any resolutions.

FILLMORE DELEGATES FROM ERIE COUNTY.

BUFFALO, May 4, 1852.

Six towns in Erie county elected eighteen Fillmore delegates to the convention.

CHARTER ELECTION AT ROME, N. Y.

ROME, May 4, 1852.

The whigs, assisted by a portion of the democrats, carried the charter election here, to-day, by about fifty majority over the regular democrats.

DEMOCRATIC FEELING IN VIRGINIA.

RICHMOND, VA., May 4, 1852.

The democrats of the Fifth district of Virginia, have elected delegates to the National Convention. No instructions were given, but all except two are in favor of Buchanan. These two favor Douglas.

THE RESIGNATION OF SENATOR RHETT.

BALTIMORE, May 4, 1852.

The Charleston *Mercury* says that Mr. Rhett's resignation causes it no regret, for as a representative to Washington, he is now of no account to South Carolina.

From Albany.

FIRE—M. MAILLEFORT'S OPERATIONS IN THE HUDSON RIVER—THE ICE ON LAKE ERIE.

ALBANY, May 4, 1852.

The dye house, bathing house, and infirmary of Dr. Dean, on Norton street, was destroyed by fire this morning—loss $4,000; insured for $2,300 in the Empire State Mutual Co. The buildings were owned by Dr. Dean and Mr. V. P. Douw. Messrs. Joseph Davis, and McClure & Co. were also losers, but not to any great extent, the fire being confined to their outer buildings. They were not insured.

Mons. Maillefert and Capt. Rassloff are here, and tomorrow go down the river, with one of the Assistant State Engineers, designated by Mr. McAlpine for the purpose of inspecting the condition of the channel, &c., and then submitting their proposals, under the State law for the removal of the obstructions.

A Buffalo letter, dated yesterday, says the ice is still on the lake, extending above Dunkirk, rendering the harbors still unnavigable for lake craft.

The *Atlas*, of this morning, contains the official notice of the Secretary of State, and Comptroller, designating that print as the State newspaper.

The first of a large lot of Western corn, received via Oswego, arrived here to-day, and goes down the river to-night.

From Buffalo.

LAKE NAVIGATION—LOAN TO THE BRANTFORD RAILROAD.

BUFFALO, May 4, 1852.

There is still considerable ice in the Lake, although the weather is hot, and sail vessels are delayed from entering the harbor. Steamers leave regularly. Trade is dull. The election is progressing to-day, to decide whether the city shall raise money to invest in the Brantford, Canada West, Railroad, and the vote is going almost unanimously in favor of the loan.

From Havana and Key West.

SEMINOLES SURRENDERING, ETC.

CHARLESTON, May 3, 1852.

The steamship Isabel has arrived here, having left Havana on the morning of the 30th, and Key West on the same evening. Her Havana news is anticipated by the Empire City.

She reports Key West perfectly healthy, and no disasters worth mentioning.

The schooner Emma, arrived at Key West on the 24th from Tampa, reports that seventeen Indians had come into the rendezvous at Tampa, and given themselves up, and it is supposed the whole tribe will emigrate.

The Printers' Convention.

MOVEMENT FOR A NATIONAL PRINTING OFFICE, ETC.

CINCINNATI, May 4, 1852.

A resolution relative to the apprentice system was discussed most of the day, and finally adopted.

A resolution relative to a national printing office was discussed, and referred to a committee, consisting of Messrs. Randall, Bosworth and Montgomery.

The Maine Law in Virginia, &c.

BALTIMORE, May 4, 1852.

A committee of the Virginia House of Delegates, to whom the subject had been referred, have reported against the Maine Liquor law.

We have no mail beyond Richmond to-night.

Death from a Shot by a Police Officer.

PHILADELPHIA, May 4, 1852.

James Gillespie, who was shot by Police officer Walton, of Southwark, during a fracas between the Moyamensing and Schiffler Hose Companies, about ten days since, died at the hospital to-day.

The Southern Steamers.

NEW ORLEANS, May 2, 1852.

The steamship William Penn arrived here to-day, from New York.

CHARLESTON, May 1, 1852.

The steamship Southerner, Captain Foster, arrived here this morning, from New York.

CHARLESTON, May 4, 1852.

The steamship Marion, Captain Berry, arrived at the bar at 12 o'clock last night.

Markets.

NEW ORLEANS, May 1—M.

Cotton continues firm at the previous advance; 4,000 bales have been sold at 7½c. a 8c., for low to strict middling. Rice is firm at 4c. a 4¼c. Pork—3,000 bbls. mess have changed hands at $17 25 a $17 50.

NEW ORLEANS, May 2, 1852.

Cotton closed firm on Saturday night, at 8¾c. for good middling. Our stock amounts to 149,000 bales. Sugar is firm at 4½c. a 4¾c., for fair. Prime molasses sells at 28c. Rio coffee—2,600 bags sold yesterday at 9¾c. Sterling exchange is at 8½c. Freights have declined; cotton is taken for Liverpool at ⅝d.

CHARLESTON, May 3, 1852.

The sales of cotton to-day amounted to 2,200 bales. The market is firm at full prices, and tends upward.

ALBANY, May 4, 1852.

Flour is steady; sales 1,100 bbls. Wheat—62,00