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SALES AT AUCTION.

AUCTION—TAYLORVILLE BUILDING LOTS FOR sale, situated on the Hackensack turnpike road, Fort Lee, New Jersey.—On Monday next, May 16, at 12 o'clock, on the premises, 100 building lots, together with a good frame house. Terms of sale—$20 cash on each lot, and the balance at $5 per month, when a deed will be given. Title guaranteed. The steamboat Frank leaves the foot of Spring street, at 10 A. M., returning at 3 P. M. Fare 12½ cents.
TAYLOR & JAMES, Auctioneers, 11 Chambers street.

AUCTION SALE—BY ORDER OF HENRY REINCKE, 149 Bowery.—This day at 10 o'clock, large furniture auction sale, consisting of new sofas, bureaus, marble tops, rocking chairs, mahogany sets of tables, marble top tables, washstands, clocks, lamps, office desks, looking glasses, crockery and glass ware, besides a lot of choice fancy goods. Catalogues ready. THOS. SPINK, Auctioneer.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, AUCTIONEER.—GREAT AND positive sale, without reserve, of 1,800 fine building lots and cottage sites, located at the beautiful village of Bergen Point, opposite New Brighton and Castleton, at the same distance from the Battery as Eightieth street, and only six miles from the city of New York. ALBERT H. NICOLAY will sell at auction on Tuesday, May 24, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, New York, 1,800 desirable building lots, belonging to R. Graves, Esq., situated at Bergen Point, opposite New Brighton and Castleton.

These lots are 25 feet front and rear, and 100 feet deep, and will be sold in sections of four lots each. They are located on high ground, fronting on the Kills, and on the plank road that runs from Jersey City to Bergen Point, and having a panoramic view of New York bay and harbor, Staten Island, Long Island, Greenwood Cemetery, Governor's Island, New Brighton, Sailors' Snug Harbor, Elizabethtown Point, Brooklyn, and the city of New York. Also having a fine view of all the steamships and sailing vessels coming in and going out of the bay of New York. Bergen Point is known for its quiet and beautiful scenery, and the river known as the Kills, running around the Point and the bay on either side, is noted for its abundance of oysters and fish of all kinds. Churches and schools in the immediate vicinity of the property, and the water is unsurpassed.

These lots are only six miles from the city, and are the same distance from the Battery as Eightieth street, New York, and are sheltered from the north and northeast. This section of the deep water shore has ever been known as the most healthy locality near New York. The streets are wide, and laid out with court yards of from five to ten feet in front. Steamboats run to and from Port Richmond and Bergen Point several times a day; also, omnibuses from Jersey City; fare 12½ cents. There is also a railroad in immediate contemplation, having its depot upon or near this property, which is to run from Jersey City to the Point, crossing the river to Staten Island, and running down the island, affording one of the most beautiful views and finest rides around New York, and open to the south and southwest breeze. These lots have, in this respect, a decided advantage over the north shore of Staten Island. The convenience of access from the city of New York, together with the healthy location and excellent neighborhood, all combine to make this an exceedingly desirable property, either for a gentleman's country residence or for the mechanic of taste, as well as a safe and profitable investment for capitalists, as the property in the vicinity is rising, and will continue to rise, and must rapidly increase in value.

Terms—Ten per cent and the auctioneer's fees, on the day of sale; thirty per cent on the 23d of June, when deeds, containing a nuisance clause, will be delivered; and the balance, sixty per cent, can remain on bond and mortgage from three to five years, at six per cent. A discount of five per cent will be made for cash. Title indisputable, and sale positive.

For lithographic book maps and further particulars, inquire of the auctioneer, 30 Wall street, New York.

AUCTION.—FURNITURE, CARPETS, &C.—BY M. A. BOUGHTY.—This (Saturday) morning, at half-past 10 o'clock, at 368 Eighth avenue all the furniture of a family, removed for convenience of sale, consisting of Brussels, three-ply and ingrain carpets, handsome sofas and sofa bedsteads, 25 black walnut and other bedsteads, sideboards, lounges, stoves, corner stands, divans, rockers, stair rods, hall lamps, marble top side and centre tables, dressing and plain bureaus, mahogany tea and dining tables, together with a general variety of furniture. No postponement on any account. T. ASTEN, Auctioneer.

AUCTION NOTICE.—LARGE SALE, THIS DAY, AT 10½ o'clock, in the sales rooms, No. 13 Spruce street. Will be sold, by virtue of a mortgage, a superior assortment of household furniture, carpets, sofas, sofa bed, house furnishing articles, groceries, the balance of segars, and various other articles. Also, at 11½ o'clock, under the same mortgage, will be sold a splendid seven octave rosewood pianoforte, by a celebrated maker. Cost $375, and in fine order.
THOS. BELL, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—IN PARTITION.—THE UNdersigned will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Thursday, the 19th day of May, 1853, at 10 o'clock A. M., fifty-five acres of land, known as Fanning's Point, being part of the Wiggins estate. This parcel surrounds the Long Island Railroad depot in the village of Greenport, and affords many eligible sites for hotels and private residences, as well as deep water and suitable lots for shipyards. It will be sold in lots and parcels of various sizes, suited to the wishes of purchasers. Streets have been laid out through it, by which access to every lot and parcel may be conveniently had. Terms made known on the day of sale.
NATHANIEL CORWIN, SIDNEY L. GRIFFIN, J. WICKHAM CASE, } Commissioners.
Dated Greenport, May 12, 1853.

D. S. HOUGH, AUCTIONEER.—IMPORTANT SALE of household furniture this day, Saturday, at 10½ A. M., at No. 20 North and 223 old William streets, two doors from Chatham street, consisting of a good variety of second hand and new cabinet furniture, carpets, pier glasses, &c., such as sofas, bureaus, washstands, French bedsteads, parlor chairs, divans, rockers, card, centre, work, and dining tables, chiffoniers, wardrobes, clothes presses, pier glasses, china tea and toilet sets, cut glass and fancy goods, ornaments, &c. Also, several suits of rosewood, covered in brocatelle. Catalogues on morning of sale. Goods packed and shipped at reasonable charges.

F. COLTON, AUCTIONEER.—HOUSEHOLD FURNIture, &c.—This day, Saturday, May 14th, at 10½ o'clock, at No. 36 Beekman street, the entire furniture of a boarding house, and will comprise the furniture of about thirty rooms, consisting of carpets, oil cloths, beds, mattresses, bedsteads, stands, bureaus, glasses, stoves crockery, kitchen furniture, &c. Sale peremptory.

GREAT SALE OF IMPROVED BREEDS OF CATTLE.—We are requested to call the attention of buyers of fine cattle to the very choice dairy stock to be sold at auction, by JAMES M. MILLER, at the farm of James Bathgate, Fordham, Westchester county, on Tuesday, May 17, at 12 o'clock, numbering between fifty and sixty head, including a variety of ages, consisting of pure breed short horns, and crosses from them with the native and Amsterdam Dutch. Conveyances will be in readiness at Fordham, on the arrival of the half-past 10 o'clock train of cars from New York, to convey persons to the place of sale. Catalogues, describing each animal, may be had at the auctioneer's room, 81 Maiden lane or of the proprietor, on the premises.

HENRY H. LEEDS, AUCTIONEER.—HENRY H. Leeds & Co. will sell at auction on Saturday, May 14, at 11 o'clock, at the gallery, rear of sales room, No. 8 Wall street, a collection of valuable oil paintings, in costly frames. These pictures have but recently been imported from Europe, and never before exposed for sale. They comprise specimens of the best ancient and modern masters, in perfect equipment for the drawing room, and will be found worthy the notice of connoisseurs. Among the masters are pictures by Swanneveldt, Colcott and Baxter, of London, De Heem, "Dead Game," by Parker; cattle pieces, by the best English painters, together with a great variety of beautiful landscapes, &c. They will be ready for examination this morning with catalogues.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE—WILLIAM IRVING & CO., Auctioneers, will sell at auction on Saturday, May 14, at 10½ o'clock, at the sales rooms, No. 8 Pine street, household furniture in great assortment, removed for convenience of sale, consisting of royal Wilton and Brussels carpets, three-ply and ingrain do. Brussels and Venetian stair carpet, brocatelle window curtains, mahogany sofas in hair cloth, do. sofa bedsteads, mahogany hair seat chairs, arm chairs, hall chairs, mahogany extension dining table, bookcase and secretary, mahogany sideboards, French bedsteads, black walnut cottage bedsteads, maple cane seat chairs, rosewood and black walnut do., windlass bedsteads, hair mattresses, feather beds, bolsters and pillows, palliasses, shower bath mirrors, dining and tea tables, mahogany marble top washstand, mahogany cribs, china, crockery and glass ware, cutlery, comfortables, counterpanes and blankets.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AT AUCTION—J. L. VANDEWATER will sell this day at half past ten o'clock, at the salesroom 14 Wall street, a large variety of second hand furniture, removed for convenience of sale, consisting of every variety. Also several invoices of new furniture, to be sold without reserve.

J. MORIARTY WILL SELL THIS DAY, AT 10 o'clock, at 177 Chatham street, a large and general assortment of new and second hand furniture, removed for convenience of sale, consisting of sofas, bureaus, chairs and tables; a large number of carpets, mirrors, feather beds, hair mattresses, extension tables, pianoforte, crockery and glassware. All will be sold without reserve.

J. L. VANDEWATER, AUCTIONEER, WILL SELL on Saturday, May 14 at twelve o'clock, in front of the store, 14 Wall street, a handsome bay horse, Abdallah breed, six years old this spring, fifteen and a half hands high, kind in all harness or under the saddle, a fast traveller, and warranted sound.

LARGE SALE OF PLANTS—J. L. VANDEWATER will sell on Monday, May 16, at half-past ten o'clock, at No. 315 Broadway. Large sale of 3,000 foreign plants, just received per steamer Humboldt, consisting in part of moss roses, hybrides, camelias, azalias, rhododendrons, hemerocalas, rhododendrons, orange trees, apple trees, summer pear trees, autumn do., winter do., peach trees, apricot do., plum do., cherry do., with many other plants too numerous to mention. The above sale is well worthy the attention of amateurs, connoisseurs, and the public generally.

L. A. MIERS, AUCTIONEER.—BY JOSEPH COMBY, No. 80 Greenwich street.—This Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock, will be sold a large assortment of staple and fancy groceries, consisting in part of New Orleans sugar, teas, imported segars, raisins, ground nutmegs, prunes, sardines, French basket ware, &c., &c. For particulars, see Courier & Enquirer. Also, a large lot of building materials. Sales every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, regardless of weather.

LARGE AND SPECIAL SALE OF FURNITURE.—J. L. VANDEWATER, will sell on Wednesday, May 18, at 10½ o'clock, at the large and spacious saleroom, of Joseph Cole, Esq., No. 64 East Broadway, and 71 Division street, consisting of the entire stock of the above well known manufacturer, sold in consequence of retirement from business, consisting in part of rosewood, mahogany and black walnut suits, covered in brocatelle, haircloth and plush; rosewood marble top pier, centre and sofa tables, sofas, chairs, lounges, stoves, wardrobes, bedsteads, bureaus, washstands, cabinets, spring seat chairs, extension tables. The whole of the above stock, has been manufactured expressly for private sale, and every lot can be fully relied upon in every particular, both as to style, finish and workmanship. Every lot to be sold without reserve to the highest bidder.

PLANTS AT AUCTION.—W. S. McILVAIN WILL sell, at the seed store, No. 7 John street, at 10½ o'clock this day, a very fine collection of moss, monthly, perpetual, and climbing roses, in bloom, double dahlias, verbenas, and carnations of the very best variety, tuberoses, gladiolus, gandorensis, honeysuckles, &c., but up in convenient lots, from J. N. Henderson, Jersey City. Catalogues.

R. W. WESTCOTT, AUCTIONEER.—HOUSEHOLD furniture, on Monday morning, at 10 o'clock, at 146 Greenwich avenue, embracing a large and desirable assortment of everything in the house furnishing line—20 tapestry, Brussels and ingrain room and stair carpets; oilcloths; mahogany and rosewood marble top tables and bureaus; mahogany dining and breakfast tables; 20 fine walnut and other bedsteads, superior hair mattresses, sofas, tete-a-tetes, mahogany and cottage chairs; sofa bedsteads, arm chairs and rockers, mahogany and gilt looking glasses, hat stands, piano stools, rich china ornaments, silverware, crockery, ivory cutlery, &c., with a large quantity of common furniture. No postponement.

TERENCE BOYLE, AUCTIONEER—FURNITURE.—This day, at store 185 Chatham street, the furniture of a private family, removed for convenience of sale, consisting of Brussels and ingrain carpets, dressing bureaus, sofas, wardrobes, mahogany chairs and tables, card tables, oilcloth, cane seat chairs, bedsteads, mattresses, feather beds, crockery, glassware, &c.

SALES AT AUCTION.

ROSES AT AUCTION.—S. L. VANDEWATER WILL sell on Monday, May 16, at 10½ o'clock, at the sales room, No. 14 Wall street, a fine collection of hardy, hybrid, perpetual and monthly roses, on their own roots, grown in pots, now in excellent condition for turning out in the garden or pleasure ground, from the establishment of Isaac Buchanan, Astoria, L. I. Purchasers may rely upon every plant being correctly named, and of the first quality. Those wishing to purchase roses will have a rare opportunity at this sale, as many of the plants are in bloom, thereby enabling them to use their own judgment in making their selections.

STEAMBOATS FOR SALE AT AUCTION.—THE CONditions of the new lease for the ferry at the foot of Catharine street requiring boats of a larger size to be employed on said ferry than those heretofore used, the steamboats Independence, Liberty and Olive Branch, have been appraised as provided in the former lease, and delivered to the corporation, and will be sold, together with their engines and furniture, at public auction, by James M. Miller & Co., on Monday, the 23d inst, at 12 o'clock, M., at the Merchants' Exchange, Wall street. The boats are lying at the foot of Bridge street, Brooklyn, where they may be seen at any time previous to the sale. The boats will be sold separately. Terms—Twenty-five per cent of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale; twenty-five per cent on the delivery of the boats; and the balance (fifty per cent) in six months from the day of sale, with security, to be approved by the Comptroller. Finance Department, Comptroller's office, New York, May 12, 1853.
A. C. FLAGG, Comptroller.

TO THEATRICAL MANAGERS, BUILDERS, GAS fitters, &c., &c.—On Friday, May 20, at 12 o'clock, on the premises, (unless previously disposed of at private sale,) will be sold by auction, all the fixtures, scenery, properties, &c., in the Astor place Opera House, among which, are all the gas fixtures; all the ornamental iron work panels of the boxes; all the lamps on the building; all the heavy iron railing which surrounds the house. Also, all the covered sofas with spring seats, 150 arm chairs and stools; 7 large mirrors 8 different size chandeliers. Also, the magnificent chandelier in the house, which is supposed to be the richest and most costly article of the kind in this country. N. B.—All the above will be sold at private sale, if applied for before the 15th of May. The sale will be positive, as the building is to be taken down. Persons wishing to purchase, can see the property, by applying to W. CORBYN, at Niblo's Garden, between 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., daily. For further particulars, apply to
WILSON G. HUNT, 80 William street.
EDMUND COFFIN, 30 Broad st., cor. of Exchange place.

WM. DUMONT, AUCTIONEER.—FORTY-EIGHT LOTS in the Ninth ward of the city of Brooklyn to be sold without reserve, to close a concern. Dumont & Hassel will sell at auction on Thursday, May 19, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, the following very desirable lots:—
7 lots on Monroe street, between Marcy and Bedford avenues.
10 lots on Gates avenue, between Marcy and Bedford avenues.
5 lots on Marcy avenue, corner of Quincy street.
11 lots on Gates avenue, corner of Thorp avenue.
8 lots on Quincy street, between Marcy and Nostrand avenues.
Maps of the above can be obtained of the auctioneers, at their office, No. 11 Wall street.

EDUCATIONAL.

BOOKKEEPING, ARITHMETIC, &C., THOROUGHLY taught, by W. J. RENVILLE, 289 Broadway. Each student is separately instructed, and rapidly advanced in his studies, while the knowledge imparted to him is peculiarly adapted to the practical requirements of business. Open day and evening. Terms reasonable.

PENMANSHIP.—THE SUBSCRIBER WILL RECEIVE new pupils for instruction in the art of penmanship, during the day and evening, at his rooms, 289 Broadway. For sale—Goldsmith's system of penmanship, price 25 cents per copy, or five copies for $1. Also, copy books for schools, price $1 per dozen.

P. J. ROGAS' INSTITUTION.—BOARDING AND day school for boys—Thirty-fifth street, third house east of Madison avenue.—In addition to the usual English branches, the French and Spanish languages are taught and daily practised. There being a large number of select pupils from Spanish countries, an excellent opportunity is afforded of speaking the Spanish daily. Circulars at Ree Lockwood & Son's, 417 Broadway, or at the Institute.

WANTED—FIFTEEN CHILDREN, AS BOARDING scholars, a short distance in the country, from five to ten years of age. Board, washing, with repairs done to their wearing apparel, tuition, and use of books, $2 per week, monthly, in advance. Madame teacher. Location at West Hoboken, healthy prospect, sublime and grand—cannot be surpassed. Satisfactory reference will be given that the children will receive every attention adapted to their comfort and enjoyment, also to improve the fleeting moments to qualify them for future usefulness in life. Address Post Office, West Hoboken, New Jersey.

LIQUORS.

10,000 DOZEN OF SCOTCH, EAST INDIA, BURton and Philadelphia ale; Barclay & Perkins' London, Guinness's, Robert Mander's, and extra Philadelphia XXX porter and brown stout; Club Schnapps, Schiedam Schnapps, and Old Tom gin, the best imported, for sale by W. H. UNDERHILL, 430 Broome street, corner of Crosby.

10,000 DOZEN OF CLARET WINES, FROM $1 50 per dozen, bottles returned. Brandies, wines, gin, rum, cordials, &c., in every grade. Heidsieck, Charles Heidsieck, &c. Champagne wines, choice Havana segars, &c., wholesale at twenty per cent below any other house, by W. H. UNDERHILL, 430 Broome street, corner Crosby.

BRANDY, WINES, SEGARS, &c., AT 389 FOURTH avenue, corner of Twenty-eighth street, branch of W. H. Underhill's establishment, 430 Broome street, under the superintendence of George B. Browne. The choicest assortment of ales porter, cordials, wines, &c., expressly suited to family use, at twenty per cent below any other house.

THE PUBLIC ARE CAUTIONED AGAINST PERSONS putting up mixed and poisonous gin in jugs, and selling it under the name of schnapps.
That name belonging exclusively to my gin, all others are counterfeit.
The genuine has my name on the jug and cork, and a facsimile of my signature on the label.
UDOLPHO WOLFE, 18 and 22 Beaver street.

MUSICAL.

A YOUNG LADY, LATELY ARRIVED FROM EUROPE, having some hours of the day disengaged, will take a few pupils to instruct in music; has no objections to give lessons in French. Terms moderate. Please address G. A. M., 145 West Thirteenth street.

ÆOLIAN PIANOS, AT 441 BROADWAY.—A LARGE assortment of pianos, from the celebrated house of Hallet, Davis & Co., Boston, also the well known instruments of A. W. Ladd & Co., with a full supply of new and second hand pianos of various makers, for sale at very low prices. Pianos to let.
LINCOLN & THOMPSON, 441 Broadway.

ÆOLIAN PIANOS, MELODEONS, GUITARS AND Music.—Horace Waters, 333 Broadway, corner of Anthony street, publisher of music and music books, dealer in musical instruments of all kinds, exclusive agent for the sale of T. Gilbert & Co.'s celebrated pianofortes, with and without the much admired Æolian, and for their boudoir and cottage pianos, for small rooms.
These instruments all have the metallic frame, and will stand any climate. T. Gilbert & Co. are also the owners of the Æolian patent right, and are prepared to furnish a more perfect instrument, and at a lower price, than any other house. These superb pianos have obtained a world-wide celebrity, and are particularly incomparable for their exquisite sweetness, fullness, and beauty, as well as for chastoness of design and splendor of workmanship. The admired Æolian attachment is rapidly growing in favor, and it is a matter of much difficulty to meet the daily increasing orders. It is a delightful accompaniment to the piano. Some new and magnificent pianos, of very elegant patterns and splendid instruments, have just been received.
An extensive assortment of second-hand pianos, from $25 to $150 is kept constantly on hand.
The undersigned is also the exclusive agent for Martin's unrivalled guitars, the reputation of which is world-wide; and Smith's superior melodeons, which are tuned to the even temperament, the Æolian pianos and organs.
New music, from the best artists, is issued. Dealers, teachers, and seminaries, supplied on the most liberal terms. Pianos to let. HORACE WATERS,
333 Broadway, corner of Anthony street.

EXAMINE AND TRY OUR $4 50 ACCORDEONS—compare them with those sold elsewhere at $6, and say which are best. Violins, flutes, banjos, guitars, &c., &c., very cheap, at A. TURNBULL'S book, stationery, and music store, 273 Hudson street.

GRAND PIANOS, OF THE CELEBRATED FACTORY of Jacob Erk, Zurich, Switzerland, also boudoir pianos, of a superior style, for sale by BOURRY DIVERNOIS & CO., sole importers, No. 79 Broadway. Warerooms, 156 Laurens street.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.—ONE OR TWO PUPILS will be instructed on the pianoforte, by a young lady who has had the advantages of the best musical teachers in Europe. Address S. W. C., Herald office. Terms, should they be instructed at her own residence, $2 per quarter, if required to go out $12.

PIANOFORTES, GOOD AND CHEAP.—THE SUBscribers have some 6½ and 7 octave pianofortes, of handsome exterior, very superior tone, and remarkable for durability and keeping in tune, which they will sell at a great bargain for cash. Fully warranted.
J. F. WARNER & CO., 411 Broadway.

EXTRA PAY.

EXTRA PAY.—SUCH U. S. NAVY OFFICERS, &C., AS served in the Pacific, (California and Mexico,) during the late war, can, (upon principles of honor,) immediately receive cash for the extra pay now or hereafter coming to them, on application to
EDWARD BISSELL, Agent,
and (late) Purser U. S. Navy, 20 South William st.

EXTRA PAY.—NOTICE.—THOSE OFFICERS, SEAmen or marines of the United States navy or the revenue service who served in the Pacific ocean, on the coast of California and Mexico, since May, 1846, and in the late Arctic expedition, as well as the legal representatives of deceased persons who performed such service, can obtain the extra pay granted them by Congress, by making early application to RUSSELL, Agent, 18 Wall street, room No. 7, third floor.

SAILORS WHO SERVED IN THE NAVY AT ANY time from 1846 to 1852, in the Pacific, are entitled to extra pay, and can obtain the same at 56 Wall street, basement. P. T. BETTS, Agent.

UNITED STATES SEAMEN'S EXTRA PAY OFFICE, 66 Wall street, front office, second floor.—Officers, seamen, and marines who served in any United States vessel on the Pacific Ocean from 13th May, 1846, to February, 1852, are entitled to double pay. The undersigned would caution seamen against persons who represent themselves as the agents of the government for the purpose of obtaining your discharges and powers of attorney, and deceiving you by giving you to understand that they can obtain your money immediately. The following vessels are now payable:—Southampton, Constitution, Savannah, Lexington. Congress will be, ready in a few days. The Portsmouth, Cyane Warren, Levant, Erie and Dale will be ready for payment in about three weeks. The exact amount of the pay due the crews of the several vessels entitled, and all other information, promptly furnished by applying as above.
F. KOWING, Agent.

U. S. NAVY EXTRA PAY OFFICE.—SAILORS, &C., who served in the U. S. Navy, in the Pacific, (California and Mexico,) since May, 1846, can obtain their extra pay—double pay—by calling on EDWARD BISSELL, Agent, and late purser U. S. Navy, 20 South William street.

FINE ARTS.

NATIONAL ACADEMY OF DESIGN—NOW OPEN at the Galleries, 663 Broadway, opposite Bond street, from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M., daily. The 29th annual exhibition, containing nearly 600 original works, in painting and sculpture (never before exhibited,) by living artists. Single admission 25 cents; season tickets 50 cents.

THE CAMBRIA'S MAILS.

ADDITIONAL FROM EUROPE AND ASIA.

The Critical Situation of China.

THE AUSTRALIAN NEWS,

&c. &c. &c.

The Cunard steamship Cambria arrived at Boston at five o'clock yesterday morning. She left Liverpool on Saturday, the 30th ult. The mails reached this city at five o'clock yesterday afternoon.

England.

It is understood that the christening of the infant Prince will take place towards the end of June, when he will receive the names of "Leopold George Duncan Albert." His Majesty the King of Hanover, the Prince of Hohenlohe-Langenburg, and the Princess of Prussia, are expected to arrive in England, to be present at the ceremony; at which, with her Royal Highness the Princess Mary of Cambridge, they will stand sponsors to the young Prince.

The religious ceremony of churching the Queen, was performed in the private chapel at Buckingham Palace, on the 28th or April, by the Hon. and Rev. Gerald Wellesley, her Majesty's domestic chaplain. His Royal Highness Prince Albert, and Lady Caroline Barrington were present.

The *London Daily News*, of April 29th, fully acknowledges, in a leading article, that England is second to America in her efforts for popular education.

The *Dublin Advocate*, discussing the financial scheme of Mr. Gladstone, thus refers to the new budget:—

"The consolidated annuities, the last fiscal remnant of the famine, are to be remitted. The fact that the expenditure in excess of local taxation for such a continuous calamity should be an imperial burden is at last admitted, but, as a counterbalance, the income tax is extended to Ireland. That such a proposal should prove highly obnoxious was to be expected, and it may be questioned whether this [illegible] at the precise moment, when Ireland is but recovering from difficulties and depression, to increase her fiscal burdens. A year or two hence, and we have little doubt that all classes in Ireland would be better in condition to pay an income tax, for the simple reasons of incomes being greater and more assured. We question, however, if the outcry raised against this portion of the budget be on the soundest principles, or the most dignified grounds. We have long foreseen that Ireland would soon be brought under the same system of taxation as England, and we have no doubt that her representatives can better assert her cause under such a system than the reverse. Abstractedly we do not object to the extension of a rightly proportioned income tax to Ireland. But here is a proposition to levy a new tax, which will require a new organization for collection—to try a new principle for seven years. All that is obnoxious in the tax, its supposed inquisitorial nature, its unequal pressure, are to be tried prematurely and temporarily in Ireland. This, we honestly confess, appears to us the grievance of the extension of the tax to Ireland—that it should be enforced with all its acknowledged imperfections and injustice, and without its only atoning element as the assured incipient of a system of direct taxation."

The court of Queen's Bench, Dublin, had granted a conditional order for a criminal information against the proprietors of the *Nation* newspaper, at the suit of the guardians of the Mitchelstown *Union*, for an article charging them with cruelty and inhumanity towards the paupers.

Ireland and the Exodus.

[From the London Morning Chronicle, April 29.]

The advance in the wages of mechanics, particularly in Dublin, has become very general; and field laborers, in the country districts, are receiving better wages than perhaps had ever been paid in Ireland, even during the war. We have learned that the difference, in the shape of augmented wages, paid by Mr. Dargan, the eminent contractor, amounts to £1,500 per week. That practical Irish patriot is engaged in railway and other works, upon a very extensive scale, in various parts of the country, and yesterday he had a large number of hands set at work upon the Dublin and Wicklow Railway, at a short distance from the town of Bray. Ten shillings per week is the lowest sum paid by Mr. Dargan to the ordinary class of laborers.

Although great progress has been made in getting down the cereal crops throughout the country generally, there are some remote districts in Connaught, especially the seacoast of Mayo, where not one-half the usual quantity of oats has yet been planted, and the farmers are exceedingly backward with the potato cultivation. The exodus continues with increased activity from Mayo, and apprehensions are expressed that serious evils must result from the scarcity of laborers two or three years hence. From the islands on the coast, the people are departing by wholesale, some for the manufacturing towns in England, but the far greater portion for America. From one of the largest of those islands, Innisturk, the inhabitants have removed, having been allowed by the landlord to take the produce of their crops, cattle, and household goods, although they had been heavily in arrear for rent. The inhabitants of another, Clare Island, are preparing to emigrate, and the parish priest, having lost his flock, is to remove to some other district.

France.

A telegraphic message appeared in the second edition of the London *Chronicle*, of April 29, to the effect that the *Moniteur* of that morning contained a decree for the levy of 80,000 recruits.

A report to the effect that the Empress had miscarried was little credited. It appears, however, that she had been rather seriously indisposed, and had to be bled more than once. M. Dubois, the Imperial accoucher, passed three nights at the Palace. Her Majesty was much better, and there was nothing in the state of her health to excite uneasiness.

Prince Napoleon Bonaparte was going to Algeria, but not in an official capacity. He intended to visit the three provinces, on what is called a *tour d'exploration*, and in the end perhaps he may obtain the title of Viceroy, but this was very doubtful. It was said that before his return to Paris he would visit Corsica.

Gen. Blanco, Inspector General of the Port of Valparaiso, had been appointed Charge d'Affairs in France of the republic of Chili.

Switzerland.

The latest advices from Friburg state that Col. Perrier had not given any information as to who were his accomplices. He pretended in his defence, that he had no intention of shedding blood. The cure of Torny and Louis Week had been arrested. The director of the college, and all the pupils were made prisoners by the insurgents, and Carrart proposed that they should all be put to death, as they had imbibed bad principles; but he was killed at the moment he was leaving the church of the Jesuits. The civic guard fought very well; they were placed in a very difficult position, having had, in order to reach the college, to ascend two flights of steps, and to pass through a narrow street. The carabineers soon dislodged the peasants, who were stationed at the windows. A number took refuge in the church, where they were fired on with grape. The government had made many arrests. The state of siege had been raised. The town was tranquil, and the market numerously attended. Among the prisoners taken, were several curés, two former mayors, and a high bailiff. A flag was captured, having on it the effigy of the Blessed Virgin.

Germany.

The Germanic Diet, in one of its recent sittings, adopted the following resolution, on the proposition of Austria: "The proposition made by the government of Grand Ducal Hesse, in the seventh sitting of this year, is referred to the political committee, which is charged to examine what measures it may be right for the Diet to adopt for its protection in case, contrary to all expectation, the means employed by the British government shall not prevent the political refugees from making an abusive use of the rights of asylum to the injury of the Confederation, with which Great Britain maintains relations of alliance and friendship."

Austria.

The *Lloyd*, (Vienna paper,) of Friday, April 22, publishes, under the head of intelligence from Berne, the substance of the last note addressed by the Austrian government to the Federal Council of Switzerland at Berne. It is to the following effect:—

That the Austrian government recognizes the fact that much has been done to meet its wishes, and praises the good intentions of the Federal Commissioner, but regrets that the note of the Federal Council does not contain sufficiently distinct assurances for the future. It feels itself compelled therefore to make the following demands:—

1. That Switzerland shall immediately expel the eleven refugees still holding appointments as teachers and professors in Tessin.

2. That for the future it is to be recognized as an understood thing that no refugees whatever are to be allowed to dwell in either the Grisons or in Tessin—any exception to this rule requiring the consent of Austria.

3. That all refugees whose expulsion Austria may require for diplomatic reasons of her own, are to be forthwith expelled from the territories of the Confederation.

4. That in the canton of Tessin, police regulations are to be drawn up on the subject of strangers, with the concurrence of the Austrian government, and under its joint direction (*unter dessen mitwirkung.*)

When all these demands have been fully complied with, and not till then, the Austrian ministry will take measures into consideration for diminishing the rigor of the blockade, but the complete re-establishment of the good understanding between the two countries can only take place when satisfactory explanations have been given on the subject of the Capucins and the Seminaries of Pollegio and Ancona."

If this is really the text of the note, it certainly cannot be found fault with on the ground of want of explicitness.

A delegate from the Pope had passed through Vienna on his way to the Court of St. Petersburg, between which and Rome active negociations have for some time been going on, on the subject of the appointment of five bishops for Poland.

Prussia.

The bill for placing all productions of the foreign (non-Prussian) press under the summary suppressive control of the Minister of the Interior, was thrown out April 23d, by a majority of eight.

The declaration of the Prussian government, made at the eleventh meeting of the Bund, on the 12th of April, on the question of the Hessian motion with regard to the political refugees in England, is as follows:—

"How natural soever his Majesty's government finds any expression of resentment at those crimes to which the motion of the Hessian deputy refers, it has not failed to remark the absence of any proof of connection which alone could justify his Majesty's government in assenting to a motion which is founded solely on the presumption that the English government, considering the recklessness of these criminal attempts, would not of itself be ready and willing to do everything in its power to prevent any recurrence of similar outrages. His Majesty's government is convinced that the English ministry is resolved to assist to the utmost of its powers in the punishment of past, and in the prevention of future outrages; and is of opinion that, according to the present state of political feeling in England, the realization of this view would only be impeded by any demonstration which might make the government appear to be influenced by foreign powers. Should the English cabinet not justify the confidence which his Majesty's government places in it so perfectly as is expected, his Majesty's government would still not look upon the moment for entering upon the thorough consideration of a motion like the one before us as arrived till after a preliminary understanding with that government whose territories had been the scene of the outrages that form the basis of the motion, and which alone, in the results of the investigations instituted on the subject, is capable of affording the starting points for any official steps that might be taken with reference to the government of her Britannic Majesty?"

The *Kreuz Zeitung*, of 27th of April, states that the Attorney General, Norner, and Lieutenant of Police, Goldheim, who had returned from their trip to London, in the Kossuth matter, had acquired proofs that the house in Rotherhithe where the shells and rockets were seized, was, it fact, rented by Kossuth through the intermediation of a second party, and that the ammunition was made by Hale to Kossuth's order; that on the occasion of the above seizure, 300 hand-grenades were also taken possession of by the police, which had been made to the order of a tradesman in Rostock. This latter port seems to have been chosen as the emporium of the revolutionary material.

India.

The latest advices from Bombay state that the young Maharajah Duleep Sing was formally admitted into the Christian Church by baptism, on the 8th of March, at Futtygur, by the Rev. W. Jay, the chaplain of that station. The young prince is now sixteen years of age.

The Nizam's dominions were in the same state of anarchy.

Australia.

[From the London Times, April 29.]

By the Vimeira, Capt. Neatby, which has arrived in the Channel after a rapid passage of 82 days, we have advices from Sydney to the 2d of February. The Vimeira has a large freight of produce, and gold dust of the value of £180,000.

Our correspondent says:—

I did not address you by the Sarah Sands, feeling very doubtful, from the intelligence received of the progress of the Australian, whether the old sailing vessels round Cape Horn would not prove a more rapid means of communication than steamers via the Cape of Good Hope. It appears now quite certain that we shall have no postal steam communication until the Panama line is established. The Melbourne Royal Mail steamer has not yet arrived. Beyond the intelligence conveyed in the public journals, our colony affords but little subject for comment since I last wrote. The yield of gold continues unaltered; several new fields have been discovered, and I glean from private intelligence that one of them on the confines of the territory of New South Wales, is likely to prove a second Mount Alexander. In consequence of the limited shipments from Europe to Adelaide, and the vessels to Melbourne being chiefly filled with passengers, both Victoria and South Australia are drawing large supplies from this colony; 23 cargoes from European and Eastern ports have changed hands, and gone into consumption since the beginning of the year, without any material alteration in prices. The whole of the clip has been got in, but great delay is experienced in bringing it to market. High prices are ruling for both wool and tallow.

"An improvement in the rate of exchange (the banks now selling at 4 per cent, and buying at 5½ per cent, discount) has caused a corresponding advance in the price of gold dust, which is now selling at from 73s. 9d. to 74s. 4d. for Victoria, New South Wales being 2s. per oz. lower.

Freights are unaltered, but are certainly more easily obtainable. Money continues exceedingly plentiful, and it is quite certain that a decline in the rate of masons' wages of twenty five per cent would cause the immediate commencement of the construction of several hundred houses and shops. It must be borne in mind that the city of Sydney stands upon a sandstone formation, of which material almost all the new buildings are built. A great deal of taste and elegance is being displayed in the buildings in course of erection. I enclose you a statistical report of arrivals, imports, &c."

The following extracts are from various gold circulars:—

"Our western mines continue prosperous, without much of novelty worthy of remark. The parent field at Ophir has about two hundred diggers actively engaged upon it, and their average returns are given as about half an ounce per day each. In the north, Hanging Rock numbers about fifty miners, and Rocky River nearly ninety, with fair success at both places. The Braidwood mines have eight hundred men at work on them, of whom five hundred are found at Bell's Paddock and the new diggings at Moreing's Flat. Our most important intelligence, however, is from the far south, or border diggings. The Ovens fields now count their thousands, and though it is rumored that Spring Creek is becoming exhausted, we hear of new discoveries in the district between Yass and Albury, which would lead us to suppose it an immense mine of gold. The places more particularly mentioned, are on the Black Range Mountains, four or five miles from Albury and Adelong Creek, near Gundagai. Other localities are noticed as gold producing; but in the present early stage of the discovery, we forbear further remark. One thing may be added, viz: that our government is fully alive to the importance of this news, and is about to establish a strong police force in the neighborhood of Albury.

Satisfactory accounts of the progress of our first private escort have been received from day to day, and we doubt not that they have reached the Ovens ere this. Their return to Sydney may be expected in about a fortnight; and we cannot help congratulating the colony on the increased facilities of communication with the interior and the sister colony of Victoria, which will spring out of their success.

The escorts have brought in, during the week, from Goulburn, 732 oz.; from Braidwood, 663 oz.; from Araluen, 324 oz.; from Bell's Creek, 33 oz.; from Mudgee, 260 oz.; from Avisford, 281 oz.; from Sofala, 1,796 oz.; and from Tambaroora, 235 oz.; and the mails from Wellington, 25 oz.; from Queanbeyan, 24 oz.; from Port Macquarie, 80 oz.; from Albury, 48 oz.; from Gundagai, 25 oz.; and from Bathurst, 11 oz.; making a total of 4,587 oz.; value, about £16,000.

The arrival of the Waratah on