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BROADWAY AND ANN STREET. JAMES GORDON BENNETT, PROPRIETOR. AMUSEMENTS THIS AFTERNOON AND EVENING. WALLACK'S THEATRE, Broadway and Thirteenth Street.—BROTHER SAM.

TRIPLE SHEET.

New York, Wednesday, Jan. 23, 1873.

THE NEWS OF YESTERDAY.

To-Day's Contents of the Herald.

SPANISH BLOODHOUNDS AND THE HERALD'S CUBAN COMMISSIONERS! AMERICA AND THE SPANISH POSITION!—LEADING EDITORIAL ARTICLE—SIXTH PAGE. A FEARFUL FRESHET AND ICE GORGE IN THE SUQUHANNA! THE TOWN OF PORT DEPOSIT SUBMERGED! TERRIBLE SCENES OF DESTRUCTION! HOUSES DESTROYED AND FAMILIES MADE DESTITUTE!—SEVENTH PAGE.

Spanish Bloodhounds and the Herald's Cuban Commissioners—America and the Spanish Position. When the first special Commissioner of the Herald to the Island of Cuba was in Havana the Herald uttered certain words of warning, telling those highest in authority to take their hands off it.

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so it is in earnest when it prescribes the penalty of death against the murderer. We can far better afford to have a dozen of the culprits now in the Tombs speedily hanged than to continue the sickening chronicle of frequent assassinations. Let the majesty of the law strike terror into the hearts of the reckless men who avenge their own quarrels by the use of deadly weapons.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE. Colonel Forney, of Philadelphia, is at the Astor House. Mayor D. J. Johnson, of Cohoes, is at the Metropolitan Hotel. Professor G. L. Andrews, of West Point, is at the Hoffman House.