News of the Week

By Telegraph to the Free Press

Fire in Worcester

BOSTON, June 15.

A great fire occurred in Worcester, yesterday afternoon. It broke out in the west wing of Mr. T. Mansfield's manufacturing establishment, occupying three sides of a whole square. Many other manufacturing firms occupied the building, who lost all their property. The factory of Allen & Thurber, and the extensive machine shop of Thayer & Co., were also destroyed.

Washington Affairs.

WASHINGTON, June 14.

It is stated here that Senator Douglas has presented a press and the other material for a newspaper office, with which he is about to send a young man out from this city to establish a Pro-Slavery paper in Kansas.

New Hampshire Legislature.

CONCORD, June 14

The Joint assembly of New Hampshire balloted for State officers yesterday. John L. Hadley, Democrat, of Concord, was elected Secretary of State, by 15 majority. Walter Harmon, Democrat of Colebrd, was elected Treasurer.

For Public Printer—Wm. Butterfield, of the *Patriot*, had 157; S. McFarland, of the *Statesman*, 99; George G. Fogg, of the *Democrat*, 43; Barton & Hadley, of the *Reporter*, 11; scattering, 7; blank, 2. No choice.

New Hampshire Politics.

BOSTON, June 15th.

The democrats in State Convention of N. H., at Concord yesterday, renominated Mr. Baker as Candidate for Governor. They also passed resolutions fully endorsing the administration and the Kansas and Nebraska bill, and resolved that they adhere as firmly as ever to the Baltimore platform. Everything was carried with a rush in the Convention.

The Democrats have nominated Wells and Hibbard as their candidates for U. S. Senators

In the New Hampshire House to-day, a second motion to lay the Anti Nebraska resolutions on the table was rejected by 8 majority. The Senatorial question is not yet reached.

Washington Affairs.

The tariff question is soon to come before Congress. The committee on that subject will recommend the adoption of Guthrie's scheme, augmenting the free list and reducing the advalorem schedule.

Storm in Boston.

There was a severe thunder storm in this vicinity last night. About 25 houses were struck and some of them badly damaged, but no lives lost.

The Nebraska Bill in Indiana—Fugitive Slaves.

CINCINNATI, June 15.

A large and enthusiastic Anti-Nebraska Meeting was held at Madison, Indiana, yesterday, composed chiefly of Democrats. Resolutions were passed, repudiating the Democratic Platform manufactured at Indianapolis recently, on the ground that it pledged the Democracy to the extension of whiskey and Slavery.

Hon. John Pettit attempted to address the people of Lafayette on Monday, on the Nebraska bill. He met with a stormy reception. During his speech he was groaned and hissed at, and when the vote was taken on a series of resolutions offered, the confusion and excitement was so great that the question could not be decided. The people of Mr. Pettit's district exhibited unmistakable marks of disapprobation of his course on the Nebraska bill.

Twenty-three negroes from Grant County, Ky., made their escape on Tuesday night.—They came down the Licking river in disguise, crossed the Ohio below this city, and yesterday took passage on the underground Railroad for Canada.

Nine fugitive slaves from Boone County, Ky., were arrested in the suburbs of this city last night. The party consists of 1 man, 2 women and 3 children, and will be brought to-day before the United States Commissioner.

RICHMOND, June 15

The *Despatch* says Anthony Burns, the fugitive slave, is to be sent further South, to find a new home and a new master.

New Hampshire Legislature—The Administration in the Minority.

Two ballots were taken in the N. H. House yesterday afternoon, for U. S. Senator for the short term. First ballot the whole number of votes was 308. Necessary to a choice 155. J. S. Wells the democratic candidate had 147, and was therefore short of an election 8 votes. In the second ballot Wells had 148, lacking 7 of an election. The matter was then postponed to Wednesday next.

From Cuba.

Accounts from Havana to June 12th, state that the plan of enlisting black soldiers does not work well They are hard to discipline. Spanish soldiers are so scarce that Government was impressing the boatmen into the Queen's service. Yellow fever was prevailing among foreigners to a considerable extent.

The Cincinnati Fugitives.

CINCINNATI, June 16th.

The fugitive slave case has been continued until to-morrow. There is not much excitement on the subject. The slaves will probably be sent back.

Washington Affairs.

WASHINGTON, June 16th.

It is stated in well informed circles to-day that the President has appointed Gen. Wm. O. Butler, of Ky., as Governor of Nebraska, and Gen. Wright, of Indiana, as Governor of Kansas.

In the House at Washington, to-day, Mr. Houston asked leave to introduce a bill reducing the duties on imports. Objected to.

Maine Law in Connecticut.

The Connecticut Legislature have passed a stringent prohibitory liquor law, in the House by a vote of 131 to 60 and in the Senate by a vote of 13 to 1.

BOSTON, June 17th.

A duel took place on the 3d inst. in Mississippi, between Gen J. R. Sanders, of Ala., and Judge Evans of Miss., five shots were exchanged and both were wounded, the latter dangerously.

Cholera still prevails in Boston. Three deaths occurred yesterday.

Horrible Tragedy.

BOSTON, June 19.

A terrible affair occurred at Black Stone, Mass., on Saturday evening. A dissipated man named Alexander Hewitt, who was jealous of his wife attacked her. She fled for protection to a neighbor. The husband pursued her, and when the neighbor locked his door the husband shot him through the head. He then shot two balls into the head of his wife, who was dying at last accounts, and finally killed himself with a dose of Strychnine. Hewitt was drunk.

The Cuban Filibusters.

A despatch from Washington says that an armed body of 2000 men is soon to start from Georgia for Cuba, and that other bands are organizing. Gen. Quitman announces that he is proceeding and shall take Cuba, whether the Government oppose or assist his design. The Government of Spain is industriously occupied in strengthing the defences of that Island.

The Nine Fugitives.

The nine fugitive slaves arrested at Cincinnati, were sent back to Kentucky without much excitement.

The Cholera.

Fifty four persons died of Cholera in New York last week. And in consequence of the dirty condition of the streets, it is feared it will soon become an epidemic

Ten persons died of Cholera last week in Boston, and one yesterday.

Washington Affairs.

WASHINGTON, June 20.

In the Senate yesterday Mr. SEWARD made a lengthy argument against the President's veto of the Indigent Insane Land bill.

In the House Mr. CAMPBELL of Ohio, made an explanation in reply to the speech of Mr. CHURCHWELL. Mr. STANTON of Ky. presented memorials contesting the election of Mike Walsh, on the ground of his being a subject of Queen Victoria, which were laid on the table. Mr. HILLYER of Georgia, introduced a bill fixing the time for the meeting of Congress on the first Monday in December, which was finally passed, and the House adjourned.

Know Nothing Riot.

An affray occurred at Pottsville, Pa., on the 17th, arising out of the Know Nothing excitement. Thomas Kean, an American was found dead in the streets, terribly cut and gashed about the body. John Dougherty, an Irishman, was also stabbed in the affair, and great excitement exists.

Thunder Storm.

BOSTON, June 20.

A severe thunder storm was experienced in the southern part of the State yesterday afternoon. A number of dwellings and 1 church, were struck at North Bridgewater. A young man of 22 years was struck and instantly killed.

New Hampshire.

The Whigs of New Hampshire are holding a great State Convention to-day at Concord. Judge Ira Perley is President. All the leading men of the Whig party in the State are present.

Dispatches from Washington state that Santa Anna now requires some amendments to the Gadsden Treaty before he adopts it.

All the Engineers of the Erie (N. Y.) R. R., are on a strike to-day.

The Democratic State Convention.

MONTPELIER, June 21.—11 A. M.

The Democratic State Convention is now in session. It is ascertained there is a decisive majority present against the Nebraska bill and the available candidates are sending word that they will not stand the fire if resolutions supporting that measure are passed. The excitement is considerable among them, and government office holders are doing their best to secure silence at least on the subject.

SECOND DISPATCH, 4.30 P. M.

Gov. Robinson and Lieut. Gov. Kidder both decline.

Hon. MERRITT CLARK, of Poultney, and WM. MATTOCKS, of Peacham, are chosen candidates in their stead. J. A. PAGE, of Montpelier, is candidate for State Treasurer.

The Resolutions compliment in strong terms the Administration, and profess much attachment thereto, reaffirming the doctrine of non-intervention as laid down in the Baltimore Platform, not however making wide differences of opinion among Democrats in relation to the policy of the Nebraska Bill, a test of party faith."

FROM EUROPE.

ARRIVAL OF THE CANADA

BOSTON, June 21

The steamer Canada, with dates from Europe a week later, arrived at Halifax this morning. She brings advices to June 10th. The most important intelligence is that Marshal Arnaud had sent 70,000 Anglo-French troops to Silistria, which is surrounded on all sides by the Russians. These troops it is expected will reach Silistria about the 14th inst, and was doubted if the fortress could hold out until that time.

There are some deep political moves going on at Vienna, between the Emperor of Austria and the King of Prussia

A change has taken place in the English Ministry, Lord John Russell has been appointed President of the ——. The Duke of New Castle, Minister of War; and Sir George Gray, Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Breadstuffs were very dull.

New Hampshire Whig State Convention.

The New Hampshire Whig State Convention at Concord yesterday, nominated Hon. James Bell of Exeter, for Governor, by nearly a unanimous vote.

Great enthusiasm was manifested, and a series of resolutions, taking strong ground against the Nebraska bill, were passed, and inviting the co-operation of all friends of Freedom in resisting Slavery extension.

Horrible Catastrophe.

A cotton and woolen mill at Kensington, Pennsylvania, took fire yesterday afternoon. There were about 150 female operatives in the upper part of the mill whose retreat was cut off, the stairs being enveloped in flames.

A terrible scene ensued, many of the females leaped from the windows and were badly injured. Three persons, a man and two women lost their lives, and 15 others are missing.

Washington Affairs—A Duel is Prospect.

WASHINGTON, June 20.

In the House to-day, Mr. Churchwell charged Mr. Cullom with adding to the published reports of his speech statements not made in the House and which were false. Mr. Cullom leaped over the desk to Mr. Churchwell and shaking his fist in his face called him a liar and scoundrel, whereupon Mr. Churchwell drew a pistol and cocked it. friends interfered and the Sergeant at Arms coming up, order was restored. A duel will probably grow out of this affair.

Telegraphic Report of the Cambridge Cattle Market.

[Reported for the Weekly Free Press.]

Wednesday, June 21

At Market 281 cattle, about all beeves and no Stores consisting of Working Oxen, Cows and Calves, Yearlings, two and three years old

Market Beef.—Extra per cwt 8@. First quality 8,50. Second do 8, a 8,25. Third do 7,75. Ordinary 7,50.

Hides per cwt 8@. a 6,50.

Tallow 8, a 8¼.

Pelts 40 cts.

Calfskins 15 cents per lb.

Veal Calves 5,50, a 6, 7, 8.

Stores—Working Oxen 125, 135, 142,150 to 184. Cows Calves, 27, 31, 35, 6, 40 2, 5, 50, to 70. Three years old, 42, 7, 9, 50, 4, 7, 61, to 82.

Sheep and Lambs—2508 at Market. Extra, 5¼, 5¾, 6, 7, 8 to 12 By lot 8¾, 2¼, 2½, 3, to 4¾.

Swine—None.

REMARKS.—There is but little animation in the market to-day. The number of buyers is small, and each one taking but little. The stock is pretty well distributed. Beef buyers take hold but sparingly and will as long as the present high prices continue. The cattle are as a whole below the average quality.—Cattle trains all in early and the stock in good order.

BRIGHTON CATTLE MARKET

June 5, 1854.

At market 865 Beef Cattle, no stores, 57 pairs of Working Oxen, 120 Cows and Calves, 2600 Sheep, and Lambs, and 1400 Swine.

Prices—Beef Cattle—Extra $8; first quality $8 75, second do $8; third do $7, 75; ordinary $7 50.

Hides—$6,50 a 7,50. Tallow—$8 a 8,50. Pelts—75 a $1,25. Calf Skins 13c.

Veal Calves—$3, 3,50 1 calf.

Working Oxen—Sales at $90, 100, 110, 120, 35 a 140.

Cows and Calves—Sales at $20, 25, 27, 30, 35, 40, 45 a 50.

Sheep and Lambs—5½, 5,50, 6c7.

Swine—5 a 5½; retail 5½ a 6c. Spring Pigs, of which there were 600, 4 a 7; retail 6 a 7c.

REMARKS The market today is very dull, and there will be a further decline in prices.

Drivers will have it more their own way, unless there is a call for a small number of best cattle at market next week.

COMMERCIAL.

PRATT & WOOD'S Prices Current.

H. S. PRATT, } BOSTON. { H. P. WOOD

Commission Merchants

For the sale of

WOOL AND COUNTRY PRODUCE

BOSTON, June 10, 1854.

ASHES—Pots, per 100 lbs.	a 5 75
Pearls	a 6 25
APPLES—Dried, per lb.	6 a 6¼
BEESWAX—Yellow	29 a 30
BUTTER—Very choice, per lb., new	a 21
New York and Vermont Dairy	19 a 20
Summer Dairy and Store	14 a 18
CHEESE—Prime, per lb., new	8 a 10
Common and Fair	5 a 7
EGGS—Per dozen	a 15
FLOUR—Genesee, fancy, per bl.	10 00 a 10 25
do extra	11 50 a 12 00
do common brands	9 50 a 9 62
Ohio, common	a 9 50
do fancy	10 00 a 10 25
do extra	10 75 a 11 50
Michigan, common	a 9 50
do fancy	10 00 a 10 25
Canada, in bond, com. & fancy	8 87 a 9 00
Rye Flour	5 75 a 6 00
Buck Wheat Flour, per lb.	3¼ a 4
GRAIN—Corn, Northern, per bushel	84 a 85
Southern, yellow	90 a 93
Southern, white	85 a 85
Western Mixed	83 a 90
Wheat, Western	1 90 a 2 10
Rye, per 56 lbs.	1 30 a 1 35
Oats, Northern, per 32 lbs.	48 a 52
White Beans, per bushel, 60 lbs.	1 60 a 1 75
Peas, Canada	1 37½ a 1 50
HOPS—Pertb., 1st sort, 1853	a 35
PROVISIONS—Beef, Western Mess,	
Extra, 4 mos.	15 50 a 16 00
Western good	14 00 a 15 00
Western Common	12 00 a 13 00
Eastern Mess	12 00 a 14 00
Pork, extra clear 4 mos.	a 18 00
Clear	17 00 a 17 50
Mess, best	a 15 50
Mess, other brands	a 15 00
Prime	13 00 a 14 00
Lard, keg, per lb.	11 a 11½
Lard, bbl., per lb.	10 a 10½
Hams, Boston smoked	9½ a 10
Western do	9½ a 10
Dressed Hogs	a
POTATOES—Peachblows, per bu.	90 a 95
Whites	75 a 80
POULTRY—per lb.	12 a 13
STARCH—Potato, per lb.	5½ a 6
SEEDS—Clover, Northern, per lb	9 a 11
Western and Southern	8 a 8½
Timothy per bu.	2 75 a 3 12½
Red Top, bag	a 5 50
Flaxseed	a 1 60
WOOL—Domestic Saxony Fleece, 6m.	50 a 58
Full blood Merino	50 a 56
¾ do do	41 a 50
½ do do	42 a 45
Western mixed	40 a 42
Pulled Extra	49 a 50
Do Superfine	45 a 48
Do No. 1	40 a 42

ASHES—There has been a decided decline since our last Circular, the late price having ruled higher than could be sustained. Pots are dull at $5 75, except in small lots. Pearls $6 25, and in fair demand.

BEANS—Are in steady but moderate demand.—The more common quality dull at the lowest quoted rates. Canada Peas $1 37½ a $1 50.

BUTTER—Not much change the past week, and stock is small, and the present demand good with sales for the better grades of New York State and Vermont Dairy 20 to 21c, some choice extra inds 22c, light color and store packed 14 to 18c, as to quality.

CHEESE—The arrivals are increasing, and all grades except the best are dull with sales ranging from 5 to 6c.

FLOUR—The arrivals of Flour have been so comparatively small, for the season that holders have been enabled to obtain an important advance the past week, say from 37½ a 62½c, per bbl, and the present current rates are higher than at any time this year. Prices of Flour are likely for the present to rule comparatively higher on this side than in the English market. The late unfavorable news has had no effect.

GRAIN—There is very little change to notice in Corn since our last report. The receipts have been light but the demand is moderate Sales of Southern Yellow at 92 a 93c; white at 84 a 86c per bu; and Western mixed at 85 a 90c per bu, as to quality. Oats are quite unsettled and since our last have been sold at very high figures. The sales have been at 68, 70 a 72c per bu for Northern. In Rye small sales at $1 30 a $1 35 per bu.

PROVISIONS—Pork has been in quite moderate demand without change in prices. Sales of prime at $13 a $14; mess at $15 a 15 50; and clear and extra clear at $17 a $18 per bbl 1 mos. Beef is selling at $15 a $16 for good and extra brands Western mess, 1 mos. Lard is firm and in steady but moderate demand. Sales in bbls at 10 a 10½c, and in kegs at 11 a 11½c per lb, cash at 4 mos. Smoked Hams are in fair demand at 9½ a 10c per lb, 4 mos.

POTATOES—The past few days prices have declined, Carters worth 1 00; Peach Blows 90 a 95c and White 75 a 80c.

SEEDS—Grass Seeds in rather limited demand as the season is advancing, with sales at quotations.

WOOL—Fine grades of Ocean and pulled Wool continue in fair demand but other kinds are quite dull, and very little inquired for.

John Price's Estate.

STATE OF VERMONT, } The Probate Court
DISTRICT OF CHITTENDEN, ss. } for the District aforesaid:—to all persons interested in the Estate of John Price, late of Burlington, in said District, deceased, GREETING:

WHEREAS Maria Price, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of said deceased, proposes to render an account of her administration of said Estate, and present her account against the same for examination and allowance by said court, and the said Court, having assigned, for that purpose, the 22d day of July, A. D. 1854, at the office of the Probate Court in Burlington, in said District, and ordered that you be notified by publishing the time and place assigned as aforesaid, three weeks successively in the Burlington Free Press, a newspaper printed at said Burlington, the last of which publications to be previous to the day fixed for hearing.

Therefore, you are hereby notified to appear before said Court at the time and place aforesaid, and show cause, if any you have, why the said account should not be allowed.

Given under my hand at Burlington, in said District, this 17th day of June, A. D., 1854.

W. H. FRENCH, *Judge.*

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Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE GIVEN MY Son, *WILLIAM*, his time during the remainder of his minority, and that I shall pay no debts of his contracting, nor claim any of his earnings, from this date.

HIS
JAMES X HAMILTON,
MARK.

S. H. PARKHURST, *Witness.*
Colchester, June 17, 1854. w52w3*

STRAYED

FROM THE SUBSCRIBER, THE FOLLOWING described Cattle, viz: 4 two year old Steers, 1 brindle, and 1 dark red, 1 pale red, and 1 brockle-faced; and two 2 years old heifers, 1 brockle-faced and 1 pale red. Also, 5 yearlings, 1 brindle, 2 red steers, and 2 red heifers. Whoever will return said cattle to the Subscriber, or notify him where they may be found, will be liberally rewarded.

JULIUS HAPGOOD.

Jericho, June 6, 1854. w52w6*

Fourth of July Celebration.

THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF ESSEX, VT., propose to celebrate the next Anniversary of our Independence, at

ESSEX CENTRE,

on the Fourth day of July next.

Speeches are expected from

REV. JOHN WHEELER, J. S. ADAMS, Esq.
L. E. CHITTENDEN, Esq.

To be followed by a Public Dinner at

EMORY'S HOTEL.

The Procession will move from the Public House at 10 o'clock, A. M. The Citizens of the neighboring towns are cordially invited to attend.

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Revolving Hammer Pistol.

SIMPLE IN ITS CONSTRUCTION, EASY AND sure to hit and go, rapid in discharge, very powerful and durable in action, no liability to accidental discharge, and highly esteemed by Army and Navy as superior to every other revolver; made by the Robbins & Lawrence Co. Windsor, Vt., 5,50 by

ERINMAID, BROTHER & CO.,
Church St., Burlington, Vt.

Also, other Pistols Guns, Rifles, and a general stock of Hunting and Fishing Tackle, sold by

ERINMAID, BROTHER & CO.,
Church St., Burlington, Vt.

A LARGE SAFE

Suitable for Town Clerk's Records, for sale cheap by

d4wtf ERINMAID, BROTHER & CO.

REMITTANCES

TO

ENGLAND, IRELAND & SCOTLAND

Bills of Exchange drawn upon

George Peabody & Co.,

For any sum from one pound upwards, payable in London, Liverpool, or Dublin. For sale at the rate of Five Dollars the pound sterling, by

CHARLES P. HARTT, *Cashier.*
Commercial Bank,
Burlington, Vt., March 8, 1854. d1wtf

Take Care of Your Dogs!

MANY OF THE CITIZENS OF OUR TOWN, and with proper cause, have become alarmed for the public safety against MAD DOGS. Other communities have recently been afflicted with this terrible scourge, and the lives of valuable citizens have been lost in consequence. We had indulged the hope that we should escape, but we are credibly informed that a mad dog passed somewhere near the Falls yesterday, and was finally killed, but not until he had bitten several other dogs. In accordance then with our duty as conservators of the public health and security, we direct that every person throughout the town who is the owner or keeper of a dog, shall place upon him such proper restraint as shall effectually secure the public against the consequences of his becoming mad, and continue such restraint for a time sufficient to eradicate the disease. And we request all persons keeping dogs, to keep close watch over them, and to kill them at once if they have been bitten by a RABID DOG, or if at any time they manifest any symptoms of the Dog Mania.

T. E. WALES,
M. E. CHURCH,
H. WHITNEY, } Selectmen.

June 20, 1854. d6t3wtt.

Fisk's Metallic Burial Cases.

ON VARIOUS SIZES, CONSTANTLY ON HAND and for sale by

JON R. FOREST,

UNDERTAKER,

Corner of College and White Streets,

In the basement of the Merrill Building, opposite

W. H. Root & Co.'s Furniture Store.

READY-MADE COFFINS.

Of various style and material; Black Walnut, Imitation of Black Walnut, and Cloth Covered; Also, Caskets: A neat and approved article for south.

Hearses & Pall Cloths always in Readiness.

In my absence, any orders left at Wm. H. Root & Co.'s Furniture Store will be promptly executed.

Burlington Vt., June 20 1854. d2w4w1mos.

LOTS OF

NEW GOODS

NOW OPENING

AT

LYMAN'S.

FOR PARTICULARS CALL AND EXAMINE.

June 20. d4wtf

New Spring Goods.

AT

F. K. NICHOLS.

150 CHURCH STREET.

WE ARE NOW OPENING OUR SPRING Goods. It is true we have not bought all the goods in New York and Boston, but it is true we have bought not a small portion of them as you will be likely to be convinced by giving us a call. We have nearly everything in the way of

DRESS GOODS,

Silks, Satins, Poplins, Tissues, Barages, Linens, Lawns, Muslins, Delaines, Crape, Challeys, Ginghams, French, English and American Prints. Also, Mourning Goods of every kind, Shawls of every kind both long and square, some as high as $50, from that down. Mantillas and Capes, a good variety of

WHITE GOODS,

And Embroideries, Gloves and Hosiery. In this branch we shall give particular attention, and not be beat. LINEN GOODS of all kinds.

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS,

of every kind, our stock of Cloths, Doeskins, Satinets, Vestings, &c., is complete.

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

In this department we have endeavored to supply ourselves with everything the market affords. Our stock of Carpeting, is now complete having a stock of near $10,000 of every grade and kind that can be found in New York and Boston. Window Shades and Fixtures, Curtains, Damask of every Color and Width, 10-4 Cotton and Linen Sheeting, Pillow Case, Cotton and Linen, Paper Hangings. WEST INDIA GOODS AND GROCERIES, all of which will be sold at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES. Wholesale and Retail. Call and see.

April 19, 1854. d4wtf

GREAT ATTRACTION!

DRY GOODS, DRY GOODS,

AT

LYMAN'S.

1854 Spring and Summer Arrangement. **1854**

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 1st, DRY Goods will leave this Depot every four minutes during the day, from 5 o'clock A. M. until 9 o'clock P. M., Sundays excepted. Purchasers will find a larger, better selected, and cheaper lot of goods of every description than ever before offered. In the line of

DRESS GOODS,

our assortment is complete, viz:

Challi Bareges,	Plain & figured Bareges,
Berege De Laines,	Plain & plaid Poplins,
Mous. De Laines,	De Beges,

Ginghams, Muslins, Prints, &c., &c., &c.

In the

SILK DEPARTMENT,

we offer greater inducements than ever. First, in black Silks, oil boiled, warranted not to crack—a better silk cannot be produced for the same money—as hundreds in this vicinity can give evidence; and as to Plain and Fancy Silks, we are not to be beat either as regards *price, quality* or *style*.

We do not wish to speak in the praise of our Goods, but we will say, that if Dry Goods purchasers will give us a call, all goods will be freely shown and they can then judge for themselves.

Burlington, April 29, 1854. d4wtf

EMBROIDERIES.

LADIES! YOU WILL FIND AT LYMAN'S a larger assortment of goods in this line than usual, consisting of

Cambric Collars,	Cambric Sleeves,
Muslin do	Muslin do
Lace do	Lace do
Honiton do	Thread do

Under bdkts., Muslin and Cambric Bands, Edgings and Insertings, Dimity Bands, Embroidered Skirts, illusion, bobinet and black Silk Laces, Embroidered Hdkfs., Veils, Stamped Collars, Working Cotton, etc., etc.

WHITE GOODS.

Jac. and Sars. Cambrics,	Bishop's Lawn,
Swiss mull Muslins,	Plaid Cambrics
Book do	Figured do
Sacarilla do	White Dimity,
White & colored Tartans,	Curtain Muslins.

Linens.

10-4 Linen Sheetings,	Linen Napkins,
9-8 Pillow case Linen,	do Table Covers,
10-4 Table Damasks,	do colored do.

Huckaback, Crash, Scotch and Russia Diaper, Napkins, etc., etc.

HOSIERY AND GLOVES.

Ladies and Gents. Lisle Gloves,	
do do	Silk and Lisle Gloves,
do do	Colored and White Silk do.
Misses Gloves	
White and Colored Kid do.	
do do	Cotton Hose,
Merino	do,
Cashmere	do,
Gents', Silk, Colored and White do.,	
Boys'	do.

Burlington, April 29, 1854. d4wtf

Spring & Summer Styles!

J. EDMONDS,

(Successor to I. W. BARNUM)

Next Door to Lyman's, College Street,

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Citizens of Burlington and vicinity, that he has received a large supply of Fashionable Hats and Caps for men and boys, suitable for the present Summer Trade. A good assortment of Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, Traveling Bags, School Satchels, Umbrellas, Canes, Gloves, Mittens, Boys' Belts, &c. Those wishing any of the above named goods, will please call and examine.

☞ Hats and Caps made to order. Repairing done with neatness and dispatch.

W. M. C. DREW

will remain as formerly.

J. EDMONDS

June 11, 1854. d4wtf

CHEAP CORNER

IS THE BEST PLACE TO FIND A NICE SUMMER HAT,—one that is just right, and any kind you please. N. ALLEN & CO.

May 23. d4wtf

Bleached Cottons.

THE CHEAPEST LOT OF THESE GOODS EVER offered in this city, a very nice quality at seven a yard. Call and look at them at LYMAN'S

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REVERE HOUSE,

Brattleboro, Vermont.

THE SUBSCRIBER TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY to inform his friends and the public, that he has leased that new and commodious Hotel, the "REVERE HOUSE," in the Village of Brattleboro, Vt., and said House is now open for the reception of company.

This House is very conveniently located in the centre of the Village, on the corner of MAIN and ELliot Streets, *within a few steps of the Western and Eastern WATER-CURE ESTABLISHMENTS*, and but a short distance from the Rail-Road Depot, where a Carriage will always be in attendance on the arrival of the Boston Express, to convey to the Hotel. The House has been thoroughly repaired this Spring and is well and neatly furnished.

By a constant and personal attention to the wants of my guests, by a well furnished table, cleanly and well ventilated rooms, and an orderly, quiet house, I intend to render this House a southern New England Hotel, and hope to receive from my friends and others travelling on pleasure or business, a share of their patronage. J. J. GRAND-GIRARD.

Brattleboro, April 17, 1854.

N. B.—Good Stabling for Horses. ☞ Horses, Carriages and Saddles always furnished on application at the office. d4wtf

Law Notice.

STATE OF VERMONT, } Chittenden County
CHITTENDEN COUNTY, ss. } Court, May Term, A. D., 1854.

JOSEPH UPHAM v. CHESTER S. KASSON.

WHEREAS Joseph Upham, of Brooklyn, Kings County, and State of New York, at this Term of said Court, Commenced his suit against Chester S. Kasson, of San Francisco, in the State of California, declaring in a plea of assumpsit for money had and received by the Defendant,—for money lent,—for money paid,—for work and labor,—for materials furnished in and about said work,—and for goods, wares and merchandise, sold to Defendant, and demanding to damages, *Two Thousand Dollars*. And whereas it is made to appear to the Court here, that said Kasson resides without this State, and has not had personal notice of the pendency of said suit.—Therefore it is ordered by the Court that said cause be continued to the next Term thereof; and that the said Kasson be notified of the pendency thereof, by publishing this notice, containing the substance of said declaration, in the *Weekly Free Press*, a Newspaper published at Burlington, in said County, three weeks successively, the last publication to be at least twenty days before the next Term of said Court.

GEORGE F. EDMUNDS, }
Attorney for Plaintiff. }

J. S. ADAMS, Clerk.

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Abner Squier's Estate.

STATE OF VERMONT, } To all persons con-
DISTRICT OF CHITTENDEN, ss. } cerned in the Estate of Abner Squier late of Charlotte in said District deceased. GREETING:

At a Probate Court holden at Burlington, within and for the District of Chittenden, on the 15th day of June A. D. 1854, an Instrument, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Abner Squier, late of Charlotte, in said District, deceased, was presented to the Court aforesaid, for Probate by James Squier, the Executor therein named; and it is ordered by said Court that the 1st day of July A. D. 1854, at the office of the Probate Court in said Burlington, be assigned for proving said Instrument; and that notice thereof be given to all persons concerned, by publishing this order three weeks successively in the Burlington Free Press, a newspaper printed at said Burlington, previous to the time appointed.

Therefore, you are hereby notified to appear before said Court, at the time and place aforesaid, and contest the probate of said will, if you have cause.

Given under my hand at Burlington in said District, this 15th day of June A. D. 1854.

w51w3 W. H. FRENCH, Judge.

Henry Leavenworth's Estate

WE THE SUBSCRIBERS, HAVING BEEN APPOINTED by the Honorable the Probate Court for the District of Chittenden, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons, against the Estate of Henry Leavenworth, late of Burlington, in said District, deceased, represented insolvent, and also all claims and demands exhibited in offset thereto; and six months from this day of the date hereof, being allowed by said Court for that purpose, we do therefore hereby give notice, that we will attend to the business of our appointment, at the office of Wm. M. Miller, in Burlington, in said District, on the 24 Tuesdays of July and December next, at 10 o'clock A. M., on each of said days.

Dated this 12th day of June, A. D., 1854.

HENRY P. HICKOK,
DAN. LYON,
WILLIAM M. MILLER, } Commissioners.

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Leonard Bixby's Estate.

WE THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVING BEEN APPOINTED by the Honorable the Probate Court for the District of Chittenden, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons, against the estate of Leonard Bixby, late of Essex, in said District, deceased, represented insolvent, and also all claims and demands exhibited in offset thereto; and six months from the day of the date hereof, being allowed by said Court for that purpose, we do therefore hereby give notice, that we will attend to the business of our appointment, at the dwelling of Sally Bixby, in Essex, in said District, on the 11th days of July and October next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on each of said days.

Dated this 23d day of May, A. D., 1854.

L. N. WILLIAMS, }
GEO. WHITNEY, } Commissioners.

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John Howard's Estate.

WE THE SUBSCRIBERS, HAVING BEEN appointed by the Honorable the Probate Court for the District of Chittenden, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons, against the estate of John Howard, late of Burlington, in said District, deceased, represented insolvent, and also all claims and demands exhibited in offset thereto; and six months from the day of the date hereof, being allowed by said Court for that purpose, we do therefore hereby give notice, that we will attend to the business of our appointment, at the office of T. E. Wales, in Burlington, in said District, on the 24 Mondays of July and August next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on each of said days.

Dated this 13th day of April, A. D., 1854.

T. E. WALES,
HENRY WHITNEY, } Commissioners.

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Margaret Martin's Estate.

WE THE SUBSCRIBERS, HAVING BEEN APPOINTED by the Honorable the Probate Court for the District of Chittenden, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons, against the estate of Margaret Martin, late of Burlington, in said District, deceased, represented insolvent, and also all claims and demands exhibited in offset thereto; and six months from the day of the date hereof, being allowed by said Court for that purpose, we do therefore hereby give notice, that we will attend to the business of our appointment, at the office of T. E. Wales, in Burlington, in said District, on the second Mondays of July and August next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on each of said days.

Dated this 12th day of June, A. D., 1854.

T. E. WALES,
HENRY WHITNEY, } Commissioners.

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Apply to F. WILLSON, Esq., or to

WM. M. MILLER.

Burlington, March 17, 1854. d&wtf

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Burlington, April 21. d&wtf

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May 26. d4wtf

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