BY E. GILBERT & CO.

MONDAY MORNING, MAY 1, 1854.

An edition of the steamer Alta California will be o sale at the bookstores and at the office, this morning.

The speculations in the Atlantic papers on the supposed decrease in the produce of our gold mines have attracted general attention here, and so far as we know the opinions of those most conversant with the mines, there is but one opinion, and that is, that those speculations are not well founded. It is true that little or no rain fell during November and December, and the produce was unusually small for that season, but since the beginning of the year the in California in the end of April, and one of very great benefit to the gold and grain crop. If it be me that the produce has been less for the last four onths than during corresponding months in previous years, then the falling off would have been very great ad not the season been so propitious.

The manifested exports of gold have decreased, and there are many reasons why they should. The prices of all kinds of imported goods have been vonderfully low. Many considered to be paying articles are offered at a lower figure than ever be Many of the necessaries and luxuries of life, for which California depended upon distant countries in the beginning of 1853, are now procured within her own limits in abundance. For imported flour, barley, butter, potatoes and oats, we paid not less than \$8,000,000 last year, but this year we shall probably not pay more than one-third that sum to the merchant on the Atlantic. The people are rap- permanently attached to the Company of the American idly adopting more settled habits, becoming of course more provident, and producing largely all the necessaries of life. The mint is coining and running into bars about 1,200,000 per month, and this indi rectly prevents the exportation of a large sum.

The progress of the U. S. Land Commission deciding cases, has likewise had an effect to keep money in the country. The great uncertainty of land titles, one of the greatest curses of our State heretofore, is gradually disappearing. The immigrants from the unfruitful fields of Massachusetts or ing towns, with much success. the cold plains of Wisconsin are attracted by the sunny vallies of the southern coast, where they may sit in the shade of their "own vine, and olive and figtree;" and if they like not the simple life of the husbandman or the stock raiser, they turn their attention to land speculating in the districts about of population is reducing the price of labor, and with prize to be awarded by a committee of literary men. that reduction to a certain reasonable point must increase the stability of the population and their substantial prosperity as a State. Such are some of the influences which operate against the exportation of gold, and which, with the general belief of persons conversant with mining affairs, lead us to believe that the gold produce of the first four months of 1854 have not been less than that of the corresponding period in 1853, or any previous year since the

STRAWBERRIES AND FLOWERS .- The hills between Presidio and Fort Point are now covered with a growth of wild strawberries fully ripe. We have scarce The luxuriant growth of strawberries in the immediate vicinity of the Fort, exemplifies to a remarkable degree one of the peculiarities of our California soil. In many places covering a large extent of ground where they grow nickly, the soil seems nothing but barren sand, which a strawberry excursion, and all of them are successful in finding the objects of their search. Besides strawberries. the ground is now covered with a rich growth of our in its richest attire, and those who wish to see it under e most favorable circumstances should see it now, for the dry winds of summer will ere long parch it up.

STORM ON THE COAST .- There has been very heavy be a hence at noon on the north coast for a week past. The Columba, here at noon on Saturday, was met by the America only 50 miles up the coast at 6 yesterday morning. The Arspe left yesterday morning, at 6 o'clock, and returned in the evening, finding the wind and sea too boisterous to proceed on her course to Humboldt Bay. The Crescent can be an over returned. Four ships are too many for the business of the route between this place and Oregon, but two would probably be seell supported. We learn that it is not necessary to have the suiphurous acids are mixed for the purposes. The supported. We learn that it is not necessary to have the suiphurous acids are mixed for the purposes. The supported of this country. Alaw adapted to the requirements of other requirements of other course to Humboldt Bay. The Crescent can be not 18 days on a voyage to Coose Bay, and has not yet returned. Four ships are too many for the business of the route between this place and Oregon, but two would probably be seell supported. We learn that it can be constructed in the contemplation to place the propeller Peytona as a regular trader between this port and China.

Two Man Drowned—The steamer Arispe, Captain Pierce started for Humboldt Bay yesterday morning, and when off Fort Point the Captain discovered a host because of the route of the stage lights, but we should do injustice to the endott of this country. Alaw adapted to the requirements of other than the steam condense it to he endott a subtract that settles is the strongest, and it great in the steam to the evening, finding the wind and see a too boisterous to the endotted of this country. Alaw adapted to the requirements of other than the time propriety of attention, their unfeighed delights, and the states it has a to the endotted of this country. Alaw adapted to the requirements of other than the steam to the endotted to the requirements of other than the steam than the steam than the steam that the steam that settles is the strongest, and then it is desired to the cut that th

en off Fort Point the Captain discovered a boat bot e immediately went to their assistance, and succeed struck out for the shore, but were drowned in the breakers. The boat belonged to the ship Golden Fleece, and had been aded the men, and then proceeded to sea, but owing to heavy sea on the bar, and a northwest gale, she was

THE BARK WALTER CLASTON.—The schooner Novi Bend, which arrived yesterday from Mendocino, reports that the bark Walter Claxton had drifted on shore at the mouth of the Albion river, and was lying bottom up. She two of the men who were drowned were lashed to the arboard sail, under water. The body of Capt. Folger as picked up on the beach about half a mile below the wing day at Mendocino. The North Bend left in port the brig Mary A. Jones, commencing to load. Passed the schooner Taranto, going in, and saw bark Delegate in the

to be commenced this week. In consideration of this cattle market, and for the lying in asylum of maternal cows, to which use the Plaza has been appropriated o ate. Probably Washington Square will be selected by the cattle drivers and horse owners for this purpose.

in the employ of Mess.s. Earl & Co., while returning from the American Theatre, on Saturday night, fell into cistern at the corner of Sacramento and Sansome streets, and was nearly drowned. His cries, howeve brought some passers by to his relief, and he was hauled

SALE BY THEODORE PAYNE & Co.-Messrs. Theodore Payne & Co. will sell to-day at 12 o'clock a comfortable family carriage, hundred vara and water lots, two story and basement brick dwelling house on Pike street, build ing lots on Fourth and Clementina streets, building lots

on Prince street, and on Valparaiso street. STEAMER UNCLE SAM .- The hour of the departure of this favorite steamer has been changed from ten until three this afternoon. The Uncle Sam is quite filled up with pas-

May Queen, and dancing by the children and older people.

seemed very generally to go to church, or to attend to

their own business. The police made very few arrests ORNAMENTAL.-That dog-house arrangement on the

top of the City Hall, What is it? Among the contemplated improvements on the Plaza, we would recommend the removal of this unsightly object. ARRIVAL OF THE AMERICA AND PETTONA.—The steam

ship America and propeller Peytona arrived yesterday from Oregon. Both ships report the weather down trip as having been exceedingly heavy. SHEPPARD THE MURDERER.—The seutence of She

pard convicted of the murder of Henry C. Day, will be given by Judge Freelon to-morrow. THE MAILS.—The mails at the Post-Office will close at

1 o'clock this morning.

Musical and Dramatic Summary. FOR THE ATLANTIC STATES

Since the departure of the steamers of the 15th, both the Theatres of this city have been doing an excellent business. On the night of Saturday, April 15th, Laurs Keene closed an engagement of three nights at the Meropolitan, where she appeared as Constance, Pauline and Juliana. By the appreciative lovers of the drama she was very much admired. The ensuing week the Bateman children continued their performances, drawing crowded houses nightly. On Monday last, Miss Catharine Have made her appearance at the Metropolitan, in the Opera o Norma, supported by Herr Mengis as Pollion, Signor Leonardi as Oroveso, and Miss Julia Gould as Adalgisa A crowded house greeted the first appearance of Miss Hayes, and her many friends who on her previous visit ere were charmed with her exquisite ballad singing, ha lattered themselves that she would make a great sensa ion in the Opera The performance, so far as Miss Hayer was concerned, was a partial failure. For such a part as Norma she is illy adapted, and possesses neither the voice nor the physical power to carry through so heavy an Opera. Herr Mengis was also entirely out of place in singing the tenor part. Miss Julia Gould surprised the idience by her excellent rendering of the part of Adalgisa. The Opera was repeated on Wednesday night, but was thinly attended. On Friday night it was again to have been repeated, but owing to indisposition Miss Hayes could not appear.

On Tuesday evening, Mrs. Woodward took a farewell acter of Lady Macbeth. Mrs. Woodward leaves for the Atlantic States to-day.

The feature of the week has been the appearance of Madam Anna Bishop, at the Metropolitan Theatre, in the Opera of Norma. It was a great triumph, and stamps Anna Bishop as one of the greatest actists of the ag She was assisted by those who sang with Miss Haves with the exception of Herr Mengis. The part of Pollion was sung by Mr. J. B. Buetler.

At the American under the management of Mr. Thorn he Misses Kate and Susan Denin, have been performing their round of characters, and have drawn excellent houses. They closed their engagement on Saturday night and will appear this week in Sacramento, when after a trip through the interior of the State, they will become Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Kent are also attached to the Ameri can, which now has an excellent stock company.

Mr. Charles Burke has been playing an engagement of two weeks at the Sacramento Theatre.

Laura Keene played an engagement at Sacramento where she created a sensation and recieved a compliment ary benefit. She afterward played an engagement in tre in this city this evening Madam Anna Thillon has been making a tour in the in

terior, appearing in Nevada, Grass Valley and other min-

James E. Murdoch and Mrs. Sinclair have been playing a successful engagement in Marysville, and the Montplain ser troupe open there to morrow night.

Matilda Heron has been playing an engagement i Stockton and is now in this city, where she will play a few nights previous to her departure for the Atlantic States Mr. H. L. Bateman has offered a prize of \$1000 for the Puget Sound, San Diego and Guaymas, to which best three act local drams, containing two parts adapted to popular belief has given a bright future. The influx his children to be completed within one month, and the Mr. and Mrs. Stark are expected to arrive here shortly

We are expecting Julia Dean by the next steamer. It will be seen from the above Summary that Califor nia is at present tolerably well provided with theatrical and musical stars, and from present appearances we shall

have a super-abundance of them by next tall. Manufactory of Sulphuric and Nitric Acids. Messrs. Maher, Landis & Co., having obtained a cor tract from the government to supply the Branch Mint in this city with sulphuric and nitric acids, have erected a nanufactory for those acids on the old plank road, about portant articles of commerce, and it is a source of gratification that hereafter we may soon not only supply our own State with them, but furnish a large quantity for ex

portation, if there be a demand.

Sulphuric acid, or oil of vitriol, is made by the simple rocess of burning sulphur. The combustion of the sulphuric acid which steam bears to water. When sulphur is burned, the smoke needs only to be condensed to be sulphuric acid. The sulphur is set on fire on a large iron plate, eight feet square, and the fumes pass off into a chamber 30 feet wide by 100 long, thoroughly covered with heavy sheet lead. Oil of vitriol does not dissolve lead. When the chamber is full of sulphur fumes, a strong lead. When the chamber is full of sulphur fumes, a strong lead. When the chamber is full of sulphur fumes, a strong lead. When the chamber is full of sulphur fumes, a strong lead. When the chamber is full of sulphur fumes, a strong lead. When the chamber is full of sulphur fumes, a strong lead. When the chamber is full of sulphur fumes, a strong lead to give years on take the risk of paying or not by the decisions of the Courts. This would not have been the case had every person who sells at auction been compelled to give yood bona fide bonds in the sum of \$20,000 for the faithful performance of their duties.

That we want an auctioneer faw, and want it enforced, no doubt, is the opinion of every merchant in this city. The auction bears of the tongue in which he performs. Like the Contra Basso of the Orchestra, Signor Leonard and effect to the whole performance. His well accentiate the words of her recitative. It is not her fault that she should not know the Italian language, but she must be aware that it is as necessary for a Singer to acquire and practice at that she should not know the Italian language, but she must be aware that it is as necessary for a Singer to acquire and practice at the case had every person who sells at auction been compelled to give yood bona fide bonds in the sum of \$20,000 for the sum at the same action to be aware that it is as necessary for a Singer to acquire and practice at the decisions of the Courts. This would not know the Italian language, but she was the should not know the Italian language, but she was the should not know the Italian language, but she was the should not know the Italian lang beautiful California wild flowers. The country is decked sulphuric acid. The sulphur is set on fire on a large iron lead. When the chamber is full of sulphur fumes, a strong ge arrent of steam is thrown in by a steam engine, and th

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ture of saltpetre with sulphuric acid in large iron cylinders seven feet long, and two and a half through. The gas which arises is nitric acid gas, which passes off into a cool iron kettle where it settles, and is ready for use.

Saltpetre is a compound of nitric acid with potash or soda, but these have a stronger affinity for sulphuric acid than for nitric, so that when the three are put together the nitric acid and the alkali form a chemical union, and the nitric acid is left as though its company were not wanted. The saltpetre used here is principally nitrate of soda, from I quique in Chile, where there is a large mine of it. It costs here about five cents a pound, and the nitric acid is worth about twenty cents a pound. The material left in the cylinders after the nitric acid is driven off, is sulphate of soda, a coarse kind of glauber salt, which is sold in the market. The building of the manufactory is of wood, and has a brick chimney 60 feet high.

PLEASURE EXCURSION .- A large party collected yesterday ernoon to make a pleasure excursion on the schooner Theodore

H. Allen on her trial trip. The vessel is one of 148 register tonto try her speed, with the Fanny, Pilot Boat, the Kate L. Her sunched and nest crafts, but they could not sail with the The Fanny outstripped all her competitors. The Allen and the

to-day for the Atlantic States are Daniel D. Page, of the Banking House of Page, Bacon & Co, and Frank Page and family, John V. Plume, Esq., late of the firm of Burgoyne & Co., Col. J C. Frew. Flume, Esq., sate of the firm of Burgoyne & Co., col. J. C. Fre-mont, Mr. Josiah Conley, of Bragg, Conley & Co., and Wm. Sil-lem, Esq., of the old established firm of Goddefroy, Sillem & Co.

proved to be without foundation. The various companies turned out, as usual, with alacrity.

More Flour.-The clipper ship Archer, which arrived on Sa arday evening, brought about 4,000 barrels of flour.

MINT STATISTICS

Amount paid-out for coinage. \$508,757 00

" assayed bars. 500,000 00

" new gold coins. 50,000 00

Total amount deposited for coinage 600,000 00 INDIANS IN THE NORTH.—The party of sixted

who pursued some Indians with stolen stock from the and thieves to McCloud River, a distance of from 100 to on the Atlantic side, the passengers will most likely arrive in New York some two days before those by any other line.

Mrs. Parker's May Festival.—The May festival of Mrs. Parker's and other schools of this city will take place at Musical Hall this evening. The exercises will be highly interesting, consisting of singing, coronation of the

Indians in Shasta Valley, whom some of them pitched into and cleaned out.

We learn, from a gentleman who arrived in town on Thursday evening last, that four Indians were killed by some whites on Trinity River a few days since. It appears that they had stolen some stock of the whites—and were given up by the Iadians of Trinity River to which tribe they not belong. Served them right.

We are grieved to learn that a white man whose name we are not in possession of was killed at the same time, by the accidental discharge of a rifle. Men cannot be too careful in handling firearms.—Yreka Herald.

MURDER IN CALAVERAS.—On the 26th ult., a man named Henry McCurry, of Cleaveland, Ohio, residing near Campo Seco, left home, and not returning, his absence created alarm. On Friday search was made, which was continued till Sunday, when his doad body was found a short distance from his residence, mangled in the most horrible manner. The ground gave evidence of a fierce struggle between deceased and his murderer; and pieces of the stock of a rifle were scattered around. The deceased was shot, stabbed four places in the back, his hoot cut, his head pierced through and part of one ear cut off, and back of head beaten in with a blunt instrument. So horrible a spectacle as the body presented cannot be conceived. Justice Beatty immediately instituted an investigation into the circumstances, and sussicion attached to a person mamed John Silabee, against whom evidence of a circumstantial nature has been adduced sufficient to warrant his arrest.—Calaveras Chronicle.

FROM TAHITI. Three Weeks Later.

By the brig Rosaline, we have dates from Tahiti to th 3d March.

MARKET.—The Papeete Messager says:—During the last month the market of Papeete, though well furnished has scarcely been able to supply the wants of consumer whose number reached a large figure. The provision was carried off from the reached a large figure. were carried off from the moment of their entrance interest the hall; fruits, vegetables, fish, everything disappeared as soon as offered for sale; and such is even yet the cas as soon as one red for saie; and such is even yet the case though the departure of many vessels has much dimin ished the number of the floating population. One had dred and ten large boats, including yawls and whale boats have arrived in the harbor from different districts, lade with bananas, feis, taros, fish and oranges. The majore or bread fruit is abundant at this time. The oranges are ber of them will be exported this year to Cali and Australia. The potato crop promises to be a large

CHURCH.-The French Missionaries in Noukahiva, the most important isle of the Marquesas, laid the corner stone of their first Church on the 23d January. The Messager says that many of the people, including the King, Moana, have been converted to catholicism.

THE ISLE OF MEETIA .- A number of the French officers at Tahita paid a visit in the steamer Catinat, to the isle Meetia 60 miles east of Tahiti. This island is describ ed as being high, with abrupt sides, of volcanic formation, and covered with a more luxuriant vegetation than any benefit at the Metropolitan, appearing in her favorite chardother isle in the Pacific, and abounding in bananas, bread fruits, cocoa nuts, taws, sweet potatoes and other fruits peculiar to the Pacific isles. The island has a small popula-tion, but there is not a drop of fresh water to be had on the island. The milk of the cocoa nut is the only resource for culinary purposes.

LETTER FROM MONTEREY

The Weather.-Stock Raising.-Emigration. MONTEREY, April 26th, 1854.

We have lately been visited with a cold, stormy spell f weather, which has been very disagreeable; but that is over with now, and we are comforted with sunshine by day, and occasionally warm showers at night, which day, and occasionally warm showers at night, which seems to hurry up vegetation so fast that it contains but little nutriment. But the warm sun will soon give it strength. The flocks of cattle running at large on the valleys look well. This is certainly one of the beat grazing countries in the world, and perhaps no business that can be followed will pay better than raising stock, especially cattle and sheep. Our farmers are busily engaged with their crops, and are in great hopes of reaping a rich harvest next fall. The misfortune of low prices for last year's crops does not, nor indeed should not, abate their energies, but on the contrary, believing as we do that prices will soon advance, it should stimulate them to be prepared for soon advance, it should stimulate them to be prepared for the advance of prices. I have no doubt this country prethe advance of prices. I have no doubt this country presents as many inducements to emigrants, and especially those who wish to settle on farms, as any other portion of the world. For health and richness of soil there is none to excel—no climate can be more salubrious. Chances for getting land here are as good as in any country where land is of equal value.

A. H. C.

Auctioneers-The New Law

As an act in regard to the appointment of Auctioneers, and the defining of their duties, is now before the Legislature, and there appears to be reason to suppose that an unjust monopoly is about to be established in a popular branch of business, it may not be out of place for one concerned, to make a few remarks explaining the views of a few remarks explaining the views of a

revious law, but in the neglect of the officers of the law which destroys the musical significance of the intent of the previous law had The concluding prayer, to our mind the gam of the

perally considered injurious to regular trade, and a busi-is in which great frauds can easily be perpetrated.

Proposed Dinner to Col. Fremont.

Col. J. C. Fremont.—Dear Sir:—The Pioneer Society, being desirous of testifying their high regard and esteem for you as one of the first pioneers who opened the road to this flourishing State, beg leave to offer you a dinner, to be given at such time as may suit your convenience. Hoping that this may receive your favorable consideration, we are, very respectfully,

Your obedient servants,

J. R. SNYDER,

B. BLEMON,

D. S. JURKER,

SELIM FRANKLIN,

S. BEANNAN,

J. C. LOW.

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Gentlemen: I have this moment received your invitation on behalf of the Pioneer Society to dine with them at such time as will suit my convenience. I find difficulty in expressing my gratification at this mark of kindness towards me. It is a delightful termination of a long and hardships incident to the undertaking. A feast with them would, under the circumstances of the occasion, be peculiarly gratifying to me; but I must content myself for the present with the satisfaction of receiving, in your invitation, renewed proof of their favorable considerations of my public efforts to explore the country, and make known a region which has so saddenly and unexpectedly assumed a controlling influence in the affairs of men. This cherished object of my labors for so many years takes me to the East by the steamer of to morrow, in order that I may, at the earliest moment, lay before the public the results of my recent successful efforts to complete my previous surveys, and I regret, therefore, that it is out of my power to accept your generous hospitality.

Messrs Snyder, Lemon, Turner, Franklin, Voorhies, Branna and Lowe, Committee.

EXPLORING TRIPUT THE SACKAMENTO.—Several of the directors of the California Steamboat Company have just returned from an exploring expedition up the Sacramento, which they made on the steamer Belle, Captain Gilmer. They reached the mouth of Clear Creek—325 miles from the incettors of the California Steamboat Company have just returned from an exploring expedition up the Sacramento, which they made on the steamer Belle, Captain Gilmer. They reached the mouth of Clear Creek—325 miles from this city—which is fifty miles higher than any steamboat the incettors of the California Steamboat Company have just returned from an exploring expedition up the Sacramento, which they made on the steamer Belle, Captain Gilmer. They reached the mouth of Clear Creek—325 miles from this city—which is fifty miles highe

Messrs Snyder, Lemon, Turner, Franklin, Voorhies, Brannan and Lowe, Committee. QUARTZ MINING IN CALAVERAS.—The business of

who pursued some Indians with stolen stock from the head of Shasta Valley some time since, returned this week. They report that they tracked an Indian runner from the head of the valley on the trail of the stolen stock and thieves to McCloud River, a distance of from 100 to 150 miles, where they found the Indians, and attacked them on the opposite side of the river. The difficulty in crossing the river, however, asved the Indians a severed drabing. They fled with the loss of perhaps a few men, and all their camp equipage, &c. Amangst their icters were found a pocket book in which was the name of "J. P. Beattis, Mansfield, Ohio"—supposed to be stolen from the owner, whom in all probability they had murdered. The Indian runner they tracked back to the camp of some Indians in Shasta Valley, whom some of them pitched into and cleaned out.

We learn, from a gentleman who arrived in town on Thursday evening last, that four Indians were killed by some whites on Trinity River a few days since. It appears that they had stolen some stock of the whites—and stately before the formulation of the county of the control of the river and in the market.

Statistics of Crime hefers the business of quartz mining is now carried on in this county to accomsiderable extent, and of late has been remunerative. We are redibly informed that there is not now a single quartz mill in Calaveras which does not pay a good interest upon the capital invested, and some of the million calver as which does not pay a good interest upon the neighborhool of Amadore Creek are producing prince by fortunes. For instance, the Rancheria mill has lately produced in eighteen days, \$2.75—the expense of running via the region of the ways at an expense of probably \$1000. These mills all use stamps and shaking tables with quicksilver. The Phomix mill, on the South Fork of the Mokelumne, one of the best mills in the county, has lately been running with an average profit equal to the above, but is now inoperative and in the market. The mining is now carried on the

Statistics of Crime before the Court of Sessions for the Menth of April.

INDICTED, 30.—Murder, 2—James Smith, Wm. B. Sheppard Grand Larceny, 16 - Fritz West, 6 indictments; Emanuel Ross, 2 indictments; Geo. Bowker; John Williams; John Meyers; Henry Wilson: Wm. Norris: Pascual Aquilon 2 indictments, Ching Ching; Elias Young, Wm Gallagher; Charles Moody; Wm. B. Stanley; Joseph Wheelock; John Moore; Patrick Coagrove. Burplary, 1—John Williams, 2 indictments.

Robbery, 3—Robert Bernard; John Brannan; Jas. McCreedy.

Assault with intent to commit bodily njury, 4—George Barthe; Folse Imprise. Mn. Parker; Hester H. Farley.

Benjamin Hall: M. Parker; Hester H. Farley.

Buckland.

Repring a Disorderly House, 1—James Barns.

PLEAD GUILTY, 2.—Grand Larceny, 2—Fritz West, 6 indict.

Mentis, Win Gallagher.

Tateo, 15.—Consided, 5.—John Myers; Wm. Morris, petty larceny, R. Kelly, assault with deadly weapon; Ah Thi, Wm. B. Sheppard, murder; Patrick Congrove.

Acquitted, 5.—John Williams; Geo. Bowker; James George, assault with a deadly weapon; John Shelley, assault and battery; Jury couldn't agree. 4.—Henry Wilson, grand larceny; Edward Carpenter, Louis LeClere and Heny Gray, for murder.

Discharged, 2.—Hamilton Bowie and Julius Levy, assault with a ceally weapon. DISCRARGED, 2.—Hamilton Bowle and Julius Levy, assention a ceasily weapon.

DECLARED INSANE, 1.—Heater H. Farley alias H. H. Stirling-Santances, 8.—John Myers, 1 year; Wm. Morris, 6 months; Ah Thi, \$159; R. Kelly, \$100; Henry Wilson, 1 year; Charles Moody, 4 years; George Sullivan, 1 year; Patrick Cosgrove, 3

Operations of the Mint The Prices Current and Shipping List of Saturday, gives lowing as the operations of the Mint in this city, up to the

ceived their instructions, and up they went for the start, Lady

which was taken as tast as it could be posted, and at that rate, in small amounts, till they got off, which was after the third attempt, when they both passed the score neck and neck for the First Heat—Lady Fernon cut out the work from the word, and pegged at the quarter pole, leading by two lengths in 35. She continued in this position, and going at a killing pace to the three-quarter pole, where Lady Mac drove her so hard that she was obliged to let her bindness cover down and was obliged to let her bindness cover down and was between was obliged to let har kindness come down, and up she went, when the jockey of Lady Mac shoved in his weapon, closed the gap and rounded the turn side by side. On they came, smid the Lady Mac watched the movements of her opponent. When Just inside the distance flag, up went Vernon again, and Mac by two

lengths came home a winner in 2.52.

Second Heat.—At the third attempt off they mizzled, Lady Mac dancing "there's a good time a coming," which opened a gap of three lengths to the quarter. Though Vernon was dancing, and as quick brought to work again, before Mac could collar her, the distance was not closed till they rounded the turn "homeward ound," when the jockey of Mac again called upon his pet, and gradually closed the gap, inch by inch, as Vernon passed the score Third Heat.—At the second faux pas away they toddled, Lady

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

being made, while the atten fance was good, and at the

igons, her backers being scared off at every turn by the

The day was beautiful, the winds high, which prevented better

core of winning ones, who posted their plunder upon Lady Fer-ton at big odds—40 to 60 and 50 to 25 all along on Vernon, while

Vernon the pole. After the first false start, up went the metalic

uzzas of the crowd, like twins. Steady in hand, the

y half a length a winner, in 2,34.

the tune of 2 to 1 that Lady Vernon would win the money,

METROPOLITAN THEATRE-Opera of Norma-Debut of Madan The suffrage of such an audience is therefore no ordinary testi-mony in favor of the evening's performance, and although the applause was hearty, and in some portions rapturous, it manifest-As an act in regard to the appointment of Auctioneers, and the defining of their duties, is now before the Legislature, and there appears to be reason to suppose that an unjust monopoly is about to be established in a popular branch of business, it may not be out of place for one concerned, to make a few remarks explaining the views of a few, or at least one, of the older Auctioneers of this city on the subject.

It is to be regretted that instead of the tone of burlesque and ridicule in which some of the papers have indulged, total a more common sense business like view, based upon some knowledge of the wants of this class of merchants, could not have been taken. No legitimate Auction House doing business in this city, in his attempts to prevent the passage of this act, wishes to have his cause advocated in the manner in which some of the papers are disposed, that a more common of the papers are disposed, that a more common sense business like view, based upon some knowledge of the wants of this class of merchants, could not have been taken. No legitimate Auction House doing business in this city, in his attempts to prevent the passage of this act, wishes to have his cause advocated in the manner in which some of the papers are disposed, that a more common sense business, the could not have been taken. So legistate for the cocasion, and under the experienced guidance of the veteran Bochsa, perform beckes, and the veteran Bochsa, performence, and although the mapping the two weeks applause than though the prior to April 28.

To Honolitue—Schr Restless, April 22—50 bbls mess perk, 50 cases peaches, 20 cas mose, 10 cas more applausation, and under the evening's performance, and although the applause of subtined and populations, and although the desinders, and although the prior to April 28.

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Neither is it to be supposed that a clique of politicians, determined on nothing but their own aggrandizement, can give us an impartial or just law; therefore, the difficulty has been, not so much in any bad leatures of the previous law, but in the neglect of the officers of the law

with the trade of the regular merchant, and deprives the commissioned auctioneers of his commissions. This has created much dissatisfaction among the legitimate auctioneers, and has caused many of them, doing a regular ber dues, preferring to take the risk of paying or not by the decisions of the Courts. This would not have been be case had every person who sells at auction been completed to give good bons fide bonds in the sum of \$2.000 and \$2.00

mence an engagement at the American Theatre. Miss Keene has since her departure from here played two successful engagements in Sacramento and Stockton. She will be warmly welcomed on her reappearance here, by the admirers of a pure style of acting. We sincerely hope that the stock company will give Miss Keene a favorable opportunity to exhibit her powers as an actress, by being fully "up" in their parts. BACKUS MINSTRELS .- The Minstrels had another house, as usual, last evening.

MADAME TRILLON.—This lady arrived last night from the int

A.EGANT CAR.

E-1 Barouche;
1 Phaton;
1 Queen Carriage;
1 Two-soat half-top Carriage;
1 Bugey.

The were selected from the ware-rooms of one of the greatest of the complete, at very low rates.

TILDEN & LITTLE,

Emporium War-house

Cor. Beale and Market streets. m1-3

COSTA RICA COFFEE-For sale by
DE WITT & HARRISON
109 & 191 Sansome stre SEIDLITZ POWDERS—
5 gross, ex Flying Cloud,
For sale by
DE WITT & HARRISON,
149 & 191 Sansome stre

TWO of the above superior machines, made to order, an

DE WITT & HARRISON, 18; & 191 Fansome street 150 CASES BRANDY PEACHES-Half gallone or sale by
DE WITT & HARRISON,
189 & 19. Sansome street

400 HALF BOXES SOAP-DE WITT & HARRISON. 189 & 191 Sansome street BATHING SPONGE—Fine quality and extra large size

For sale by
B. B. THAYER & CO.,
street, betw REIGHTS REDUCED -From and after this date the rates of freight from San Francisco to Red Bluffs are re the rates of freight from San Francisco
the rates of freight from San Francisco
duced to \$35 per ton.
Office of the California Steam Navigation Co.
R. CHENERY, President.

REMOVAL-REDIOVAL -- WADSWORTH & ROCK-WELL have removed their Hardware. Cutlery and Tool WELL have removed their Hardware. Cutlery and Tool re to the corner of Battery and Marchant streets, where they i be pleased to sea litery and the customers and friends. They I continue to keep on hand the best assortment of goods in ir line in this country, embracing everything used by builders, chanics of all tinds, housekeeping furniture, &c., &c., all of ich will be sold at the lowest prices. Dissolution of Copartnership—The copartnership heretofore existing under the name of Clark, Church & Co. is this day disselved, neither party to use the name of the other for any purpose whatever.

1. 8. CHURCH.

JONAS G. CLARK

MARKETS

18 bbls 128 carboys acid, 12 bbls 9 frails almonds, 22 bbls alcohol, 4 cks 10 anvils, 3 anshors, 118 bbls 75 iff bbls 125 qr bbls 72 kgs dried apples, 126 bxs, 23 pkgs axes, 11 cs 50 axles, 88 bhds 26 cks 113 bxs bacon, 30 bbls 2371 bags beans, 6 bales 4800 gampy bags, Third Heat.—At the second faux pas away they toddled, Lady
Vernon, as usual, leading by two lengths to the quarter. The
jockey of Lady Mac watched cautiously her step, and gracefully
waited upon Vernon, watching for an oppertunity to go in. At
the half mile pole the distance was the same, but before reaching
the three-quarter pole Mac had closed the gap, and on they came
as they rounded the turn, like doughnuts on a shovel. The stride
of Lady Mac was awful as she outfooted Vernon, amid the deafening shouts of the crowd, in passing the julges' stand, a length
in advance, winning the beat in 2.34.

Fourth Heat.—At the word "go," both knocked the spots out of
time, Vernon winning her usual position to the quarter in 34. All
the way around to the three-quarter pole the distance was the
same, which, upon passing, was handsomely closed by Mac as
thome they came, amid intense excitement. A bad break by
Vernon inside the distance flag shut out his "fond hopes," while
Lody Mac came in, winning the heat and purse by a length
in 234.

been carried out and rigidly enforced, especially in reference to the section prohibiting any person from selling at auction without a license, this difficulty in collecting State dues would have been avoided. The trouble is this: For the last three years any person or persons have been allowed with impunity to sell goods at public sale, and continue to do so, so long as it was for their interest, without taking out a license, or giving a bond for the faithful perform the of their duties. A merchant, desirous of closing a project of the mentical riginficance of the initial passage to the section prohibiting any person from selling at auction and retires. He pays the State no duty, interferes with the trade of the regular merchant, and deprives the commissioned auctioneer of his commissions. This has created much dissatisfaction among the legitimate auction and exchange the voce di goula for voce di petto, and well seconds with the trade of the regular merchant, and deprives the second many person from selling at a continue to do so, so long as it was for their interest, with the trade of the regular merchant, desirous of closing a project of the faintle, one witnessing the opera for the first time, would have been sally puzzled to divine the crime of the Priestess.

We allude to these imperfections, not in a censorious spirit, but because they may be easily remedied hereafter, when Herr Beuler, acquiring more confidence, will venture to open his throat and exchange the voce di goula for voce di petto, and when cented the province of the province of the province of the province of the regular merchant, and deprives the Beuler, acquiring more confidence, will venture to open his throat and exchange the voce di goula for voce di petto, and when cented them the province of the pr

IMPORTATIONS

TAHITI-Per Rosaline-150,000 oranges, 2,000 limes. Rousse Manta Cruz-Per A Adams-15,600 ft lumber, master
Manta Cruz-Per North Rend-150 000 feet lumber ASTORIA-Per Susan Abigai!-127,000 ft lumber to W Abbo

CONSIGNEES

Per Peytona-Wells, Fargo & Co; Leland & McCombe; Hs per & Bro; J & T Ferruson; S S Slater; C G Titton; H C Meel Crosby & Dibblee, J W Wilson; C O Wardwell & Co; W F & C AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING. METROPOLITAN THEATRE —" Richard III;" "Spoiled Child "Black Eyed Susan," "A House out of Windows" AMERICAN THEATRE—" London Assurance," "Rough Diamond.

REMOVAL. YOUNG'S
CHEAP CLOAK, MANTILLA,
RIBBONS AND
BONNET RSTABLISHMENT.
No. 179 Clny street.

Check leave to inform the public that he had

No. 129 Clay street.

T. YOUNG begs leave to inform the public that he has moved to the spacious store 179 Clay street, a few doors for Kearny, where he intends keeping a still larger stock of go in the above line; and from his facilities for purchasing for market is enabled to sell cheap, at Wholesale or Retail. ml 50.000 LBS. CLEAR AND EX. CLEAR

D. Bacon, in cases;
20,000 lbs Butcher Brothers English cured Bacon;
20,000 lbs sugar cured hams;
10,000 lbs leaf lafd;
100 doz roast prike;
500 bxs adamantine candles;
500 bxs adamantine candles; 0.000 lbs leaf lard:
0,000 lbs butter in f kns & kitts;
500 bys adamantine candles;
259 bbis Haxell flour;
800 bys Malaga raisins;
250 kegs E B syrup;
0,000 lbs Sandwich Island sugar; 0,000 los Sandwich Island suga 0,000 los Rio coffee; 300 cs ground coffee; 400 cts green and black teas; 500 cs oysters and lobsters; 100 cs fr p-aches & pie fruits 100 cs assorted candies; 500 bags Chili beans; 100 boxes saleratus;

25 obse cider vinegar;
25 cases lemon syrup;
25 kegs do do;
50 cases ess peppermint;
200 b xes C. O. soap;
500 boxes brown soap;
11 0 10 gall kegs pickles;
370 cases pickles;
110 kegs split peas;
110 cases soap;
150 doz mustard;
100 ca cobacco, ses'd brands;
500 ca ground pepper, alspic
cassis, &c. 10 glass;
100 cases Stoughton bitters; J. H. COGHILL & CO., No. 137 Front stre CLOTHING! CLOTHING!!

CLOTHING: CLOTHING:

JENNINGS & BREWSTER, Granite Store No. 72
Battery street, would call the attention of Country Buyers to their large assortment of Clothing, now receiving per clipper "flying Cloud," consisting in par. of
200 doz favcy Cassimere Panta—new styles;
250 do do Satinet do do;
660 do assorted Cottonade Linen Diril and Duck Pants;
350 do Denim Overa ls and Frocks;
1600 do Linen, Check, Hickory and Calico Shirts;
350 do superior Gray Flaunel Shirts
500 do do country hnit Wool Socks.
Also—16 cases fancy Prints—small figures and new styles,
Also—30 cases super black, brown and pearl felt Cassimere Hats.

Also—30 cases super fine light calf Boots—"Meeker, Kirtland & Co.'s" manufacture.

& Co.'s" manufacture.

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TIO THE PUBLIC.—The undersigned, Author of LAND

TITLES IN SAN FRANCISCO, has opened an office in
Bolton, Barron & Co.'s Suildings, No 98 Merchant street, for the
Examination of Land Titles, Conveyancing, and the Purchase and
Sale of Real Estate.

The undersigned, in furtherance of the interests and security

The undersigned, in furtherance of the interests and security of the Capitalists of San Francisco, as connected with the validity of Titles to Real Estate in California, and being fully aware of the vital importance of offering only unquestionable titles for the investment of money, and being also desirous of facilitating Loins upon Real Estate and other priperty, has much satisfactor in announcing that he has this day formed a COPARTNERSHIP, under the siyle and title of F. MARRIOTT & CO., with ALFRED WHELLER, Eq., the Author of "Land Titles in San Francisco". Capaticilists may rely with confidence on the operations of the firm, as the titles to all property which may claim their investigation will be personally examed by, and receive the certificate of, Mr. Wheeler.

539.7 F. MARRIOTT. DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP-The Co partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm of BURR, MATTOON & CO., was by mutual consent dissolved on the 20th instant. Either partner will use the name of the firm in liquidation.

San Francisco, April 23, 1854.

E. W. BURR, JOHN MATTOON, N. K. MASTEN. NOTICE OF COPARTNERSHIP—The undersigned have this day formed a constitueiship for the process. have this day formed a copartnership for the purpose of missa ting a Jobbing Grocery and Provision business, under the mof MATTOON, MASTEN & CO., and will continue at the I stand of Burr, Mattoon & Co., 54 and 56 Front street.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP—The Compartnership heretofore existing between FREDERICE MARKIOTT and R. S. CLYDE, under the name or firm of MARRIOTT & CO, has the day been dissolved by mutual consent.

San Francisco, 30th April, 48t.

a30-7 REMOVAL-R S CLYDE, having dissolved partnership with F. MARRIOTT, has removed to Merchants' Exchange. Sacramento street, between Monteowner. R. S. CLYDE.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP—The Copartnership existing under the name of GAIME, GUILLE. GO, has been dissolved by mutual consent since the first day of January, 1854.

Messrs. HTE. GAIME & CO, have removed to Montgomery street, Battelle's Building, 2d story, above the Alta California COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—The undersigned have ing formed a Copartnership, commencing from ander the firm of GEO O. WHITNEY & CO., for ance of the Furniture Business, at the Store corner and Liedesdorff streets.

San Francisco, April 28, 1854. 9000 LBS MEXICAN BEANSm28-14 · SIXTEEN BBLS. S. I. SYRUP;

DEPARTURE OF RIVER AND HARBOR BOATS FROM VALLEJO STREET WHARF-4 P. N

New World, Hutchins-Mond. Wed. Friday For Sacramento—New World, itsiching—Mond. Wed. Fidaly
Antelope, D. Van Pelt,
Benator, Seymour—Luce Thurs. Saturday,
W. G. Hunt, Poole, every Sunday, at 0 A.M.
For Stockton—Cornelia, Concklit—Mond. Wed. Friday.
H. T. Clay, Barroll,
American Eagle, Polk, Tues Thurs. Saturday.
For Marysville—J. Bragdon, Seeley, Mondays and Thursdays.
Ellen Hensley, Chadwick Wed, and Satur.
For Alviso, Santa Clara and San Jose—Gualalupe, S. Card, on
Fusadys, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 10 A. M.
For Corte Madera, Marin City, and State Prison Landing—Meda—10 A. M., daily, (Sundays excepted.) Washington st. Wharf. TF A Card.—Desirous to testify my appreciation of the am good feeling and most complimentary notice my little daughter have received from the gentlemen connected with the press i prize of \$1000 for the best Drama, in the name of my children, a characters suitable for them; the scene to be laid in California and the incidents to be strictly local, to be completed within a month from this date, and submitted for approval to a committee of interary gentlemen, who shell award the prize.

The Drama to be performed previous to our departure, and to be published by a house in this city with a portrait of the children and a sketch of their life.

San Fernal. Mercantile Library Adociation.-The Co

The Committee on Lectures have the pleasure to announce a course of Seven Lectures, to be delivered during the months of May, June and July, by the following gentlemen:

David S. Turner, President, Ira P. Rankin, Rev. Sylvester Woodbridge, John A. Wills, J. H. Purkett, Dr. B. B. Coit.

The introductor will be delivered by David S. Turner, President of the Association, on Tuesday evening, May 9, 1854. The time and place where, and the subjects chosen by the lecturers, will be given in a future notice.

In behalf of the Lecture Committee, In behalf of the Lecture Committee, Chairman. For Napa City—Marion—10 A. M.—Pacific Wharf—Mondays Vednesdays and Fridays.

For Monterey—Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday, at 8 A. M. For San Jose—Daily at 8 A. M., from the Stage Office, Plaza. For Redwoods—Daily at 9 A. M., from the Stage Office, Plaza.

PASSENGERS.

PANAMA - Per steamer Uncle Sam - C Wood, lady and child;
Mrs M S Woodward, L C Wood, H Coleman, B E Townsend,
J H Flint, J M Flemming, W F Bowne, J B Enural, J Levi, &
Kunker, W Londerback, Mrs J A Foster, D J Morrison, Mrs A
Wright and infant, Mrs Fotser's child, E Vsil, B Malfull, C B
Hancock, T B Lsncaster, E S Chipman, Mrs A Ludlam, Mrs F)
mad d servant, J D Courtright, Mrs Luclam's child and servant, B
C Bogstrdus and boy, J H Tracy, J Buckens, J W McCorunack
W Blakely, E Phelps, C Greenough, G Downey, Miss Dow
ney, Mrs Lyon and 2 children, S B Gilman, J Towle
Cart Freeman, Capt Carwell, J C Baldvin, Mrs E A Callins,
Collman, D E Cameron, W Harrington, H Wade, F Wood, H Me
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Shipping Intelligence. PORT SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 1, 1854.

leilvering them to the Collector for the Merchants' Exchange.

Masters of vessels and consignees will be liberally supplied rith files of the Alta, at all times, by applying at our office, or Montgomery street, near Clay.

SWEENY & BAUGH, Merchants' Exchange, Reporters.

April 30—Steamer Peytons, Sampson, 24 days from Oregon; 1 with passengers to R H Payson. Steamship America, Howland, 24 days from Portland; with passengers to R J Vanderwater. Brem brig Rossline, Wapper, 50 days from Tahiti; with fruit to Roussett, Auger & Oo. Rous Yerk Bern bright Result Let 23 hours from Mandaire with fruit or Roussett, Auger & Oo. 3 days from Humboldt Bay; with FF Clipper Ship Game Cock, from New York.

Memoranda.

night in a thick fog. Left et 102 arrived at Trinidad at 24 P M: left at 3 morning 30th, at 6 A M, passed steamer Colur his beand up: blowing a heavy gate from NW. Arrived in the Columbia River April 23th brigs J B Lunt. Heleyon and Walcott from San Francisco. Left April 23th brigs Detroit, Kingsbury, and S R Jackson, schr Tennessee; 26th, brigs Detroit, Kingsbury, and S R Jackson, schr Tennessee; 26th, brigs Detroit, Kingsbury, and S R Jackson, schr Tennessee; 26th, brigs Detroit, Kingsbury, and S R Jackson, schr Tennessee; 26th, brig Grecian and bark Arch Gracia; 27th, bk H Thompson and brig Agate bound for this port. Left at Trinidad April 23th, schr Anno. Arrived at San Francisco at 12th M. Per Peytona—Crossed the Columbia River Bar at 74 A M, 27th; reacked Port Orford at 9 A M, 23th; left at 1 P M, blowing heavy from SF; passed Cape Menducino at 24 A M; 27th, arrived at this port at 2 A M, the 30th. Left at Portland bark Naumkeag, brigs J W Hadna and J B Lunt and steamer America.

Per Rosaline—Left in port Fr sloop-of-war Moselle, on the station; also 3 French war a seamers, two of which has recently arrived from New Caledonia. Whale ship Silas Richarda, of N B, was compelled to put into Tahti in distress. I sking very bidly. Whale ship Maverley had filled up with the casgo of the ship Congress, and sailed for New Bedford; schr fimma Packer had sailed for Humine to loud. The Rosaline had good winds until sighting the Sandwich Islands, since which time have encountered strong SW and NW winds. The chief part of the whaling feet at Tabit in had sailed for the season. Capt Wapper reprint a naving had a very distinct view of the comet on April 3d, lat 20 N, lon 156 W.

Per A Adsins—Was compelled to leave Santa Cruz and run for his port with only a small portion of her cargo, awing to the leavy SE and NW gales. Per Wm Penn—Sailed in company with brig J S Cabot for this Steamer Arispe, Pierce, and ships Polynesia and Bobins, outward bound, have suchored off the Presidio.

Per Susan Abigs!—Experienced strong SE gales for 3 days after leaving port, since which time have had heavy NW gaies; sailed in company with bark Chas Devan: brig Kingsburg was coming down the river.

Arrived at Tahiti, Murch 3d.—Richmond, Cockburn, from a cruise, .900 bbls; 24,4 Rodman, Allyn, from Oahu, 4-0 bbls; Feb 23th, Christopher Mitchell, Slovum, from a cruise, 600 bbls; 27th, Geo Washington, Edwards, for a cruise; 22d, Hyaaspe, Snow, 220 bbls; Vernon, Little.

In port, March 4h—Ships Strabo, Cutter, recruiting; Hero, McCleare, do; Siaas Riehards, Welcox.
Sailed from do 22d—J H Waterman, Hall, on a cruise; 17th, Sea, Soule, do.

NEW ORLEANS WAREHOUSE. THOROUGHLY FIRE-PROOF. California street, 4th door above Davis street, STORAGE AT REDUCED RATES Apply to

JNO. P. BERING, Storekeeper U. S. Bonded Warehouse, corner California and Davis streets. STORAGE-560 TONS OF STORAGE will be taken upon faverable terms, on good store ships, and every fa given in the receipt and delivery.

For terms, apply to WADSWORTH & MAESEGAES,

N. B.—Anv orders for store ship A ciope, left at 137 Front street, will meet with attention. JOHN T. WRIGHT. FOR MALE-THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE, bei about to remove from their present location, will dispose of the Furniture and Fixtures of the Hall now occupied by then it the corner of Dupont and Jackson streets, consisting of Capet, Settees, Desks, Chairs, Stands, Wardrobes, Chandelier Lamps, Oil Tank, &c., &c. Apply to

corner of Clay and Dupont stree Me CORMICK'S IMPROVED REAPERSanning Mills—large size.
For sale by
JAMES M. TAYLOR,

Main street wharf, near storeship Golconda. GLASS BEADS_ Just received a fine assortment of large and small Glass leads, of different colors, principally blue.

For sale by

MARKWALD, CASPARI & CO.,

Jackson street.

WHALE BOAT.—Left in the possession of the subscriber, about a month since, a whale boat, to satisfy a
debt. If not reclaimed within a week, the boat will be sold.
Ws. Sharroad,
425-7* Heather House, Broadway. RENCH CANDLES— 5000 packages, 5's and 6's, of superior quality.

For rale by

MARKWALD, CASPARI & CO.,

Jackson street,

a28-14 Also-A small lot of WAX MATCHES. DILES AND TIMBER
For sale the cargo ex brig "Fawn." Commercial Row, Clay street wharf

FOR SALE, OR A PARTNER WANTED,—The f custom.

Any gentlemen acquainted with the business, and willing to levote his time to it, with \$3000, will find it to his interest to cal a 158 Montgomery Block for further particulars, as the present where has to leave the city. A MARINA CIGARITAES— Gandas and entrefins of this super MARKWALD, CASPARI 4 CO., Juckion street

Sansome Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3 -The By order.

WM. T. HOFFMAN, Secret The Regular Monthly Meeting of Knicker

By order, James P. Casey, Foreman

Crescent Engine No. 10—Attention !—Your regular Monthly Meeting will be held at the Engine House, in Ohic arect, on Monday avening nex?, May 1st, 1854, at 74 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

CHAS. T. ROACH, Secretar ...

Benera Notices.

JAMES J. KNOWLTON, Secretary

IF The Commissioners of the Funded Debt of the City of San Francisco give notice that the interest on Francisco City Stock, becoming due on the lat proximo, paid at the Banking House of Messrs. Tallant & Wilde sentation of coupon No. 6.

Suffando.

His expenses will be repaid to him, and he should be here by
the Eth or 14th of May at the latest. Those of our compatriots
who may know his piece of residence, are requested to inform
him of this notice.

im of this notice.

17 1. 0.10. F.—The Second Annual Session of the R. W. Grant Lodge of L. O. O. F. of the State of Calif rnia will assemble at Secramento city, on Monday, M. y 3. at 10 o'clock, A. M. Shborthnate Lodges and Past Grands of the Order will please the notice.

T. Rodges Johnson, Grand Secretary.

The German General Benevolent Society here with expresses its heartfelt thanks to all those who enabled the said Society to invest \$4500 on secount of a Hospital Fund.

29 Aus Schnetzes, President pro. tem.

42 E. V. Joice, Connsellor at Law and Notary Public, 106 Guano Charters.—The undersigned are authorized to tharier vessels to load guano at the Islands of Chincha for ports to the United Kingdom of Great Britain, Ireland, and on the

San Francisco, Oct. 14, 1853.

menta, &c., to be used in that State.
WILLIAM BARRER
Office of Janes, Doyle & Barber, Attorneys, &c.
y Block, corner of Montgomery and Washington sta
opposite Br roome & Co

Consignee Notices.

Consignees of the following Merchandise, per Diamond G — 100 boxes soap, 400 do starch, 4 cases soap; shipped by Wim. Colgate & Co. to Myers & Co.

D B. Talbot — 8 mill stones, 1 bb. cement; Diamond T — 28 pcs. rastings; J. Talbot — 4 boxes mdse; shipped by John Talbot, to John Ta bot. castings: J. Talbot.—4 boxes mdse.; shipped by John Talbot. to John Ta. bot.

John Ta. bot.

Diam and J. B. C., Monterey.—2 cases dry goods, I bale do; shipped by Trave, I keep to John C. Egbert.

W. J. Eghert.—3 wheels, 2 setts running gear, 1 box harness, shipped by John C. Egbert, to W. J. Egbert.

Diamond G.—100 boxes m stard, 100 do pepper, 50 do gingert shipped by Cark.

Wilden C. Egbert, to W. J. Egbert.

Diamond G.—100 boxes m stard, 100 do pepper, 50 do gingert shipped by Clark. Wilson & Co., to order.

J. B. & Co.—13 boxes m dee; C. & W.—1 casks mdse; shipped by E. A. Stern, to J. Blumurs & Co.

Trangle B. & Co.—63 boxes mdse; Shipped by E. A. Stern, to J. Blumurs & Co.

Trangle B. & Co.—13 boxes mdse; shipped by E. A. Stern, to J. Blumurs & Co.

Bev. H. B. Sheldon, care Rev. Wm. Taylor.—2 trunks, 1 box; shipped by Thos. Carlton Treasurer, to Rev. Wm. Taylor.

Circ A. and L.—2 boxes mdse; shipped by Adler & Newhouse, to Kohn, Block & Co.

M. M. and triangle 72.—3 boxes mdse; shipped by M. Mendheim, to order.

S. R.—6 cases mdse; shipped by S. Ranked & S. Ranke

S. GRIFFITHS MORGAN, Corner Fine and Front street

commence discharging on Monday, and the undersigned, pay North Point.

Consigness are requested to call on the undersigned, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.

All merchandise remaining on the wharf after 5 P. M., will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners thereof

S. GRIFFITTS MORGAN.

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Corner Pins and Front atreets.

IF The elipper ship Flying Cloud. J. P. Creesy, mas ter, will commence discharging Satur lay morning, the 22d inst. at Broadway wharf. Consignees are reducested to call on the undersigned, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. All merchandise remaining on the wharf after 5 o'clock P. M. will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners thereof.

S. GRIFFIETS MORGAN.

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COBB, BACKUS & CO.

Will sell at the store of Mr. Thomas Caden, No. 159 Montgo TUESDAY, May 2d, at 10 o'clock, TUESDAY, May 2d, at 10 o'clock,

THE ENTIRE STOCK OF FINE CLOTHING and gents' furnishing goods, consating in part of extra made and thir med fine frock dress and business coats, over sacks and over coats gents' dressing gowers, also, a great variety of custom-made black cassimere, doe-skin, and fancy cassimere pantaloons; also, summer coats and pants.

ALSO,

Brown riding hoskins, kid and silk gloves.

INTERNATIONAL HOTEL JACKSON STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

THE UNDERSIGNED take pleasure in announcing to Leared for a term of years the above five story brick fire-proof Hutel, furnished it in the most substantial, chaste and eigenst style, and it is now open for the inspection and paironage of the public.

HAVANA CIGARS:

Cast Iron Fronts for Buildings. COLUMNS, CAPS AND SILLS, MADE TO ORDER

OR NALE-R SALE—
1000 boxes Liverpool Soap;
300 coils Manila Rope;
25 baics Packing Rope;
4 baics Sail Twine;
2 do white Liue:
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3 lack, green, red and blue Paints, in oil, with an assortment of dry colors.
40 M Manila Cigers, vool;
Turkey red and lancy Prints;
An assortment of Prints, Muslims, Lawrs and Jaconets,
1 areat variety of styles, in dresses and pieces;
Plate Glass, assorted sizes, for show window;
Port Wints
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Regatts Shirts;
Baize and Serge Shirts:
Blue, scarlet and white Blankets;

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Cotton Hosiery;
A small invoice of English Account Books;
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