

Washington News.

THIRTY-FIRST CONGRESS—1st Session. WASHINGTON, August 1, 1850. Senate. Mr. Douglas moved that the independent bill for the admission of California be taken up for the purpose of making it a special order, which was agreed to—Yeas 34, Nays 23.

They chose to refuse anything which did not come up to their demand, and upon them rested the responsibility. He acted as he believed to be his duty. It was he and his colleagues who represented the State of Maryland here, and nobody else.

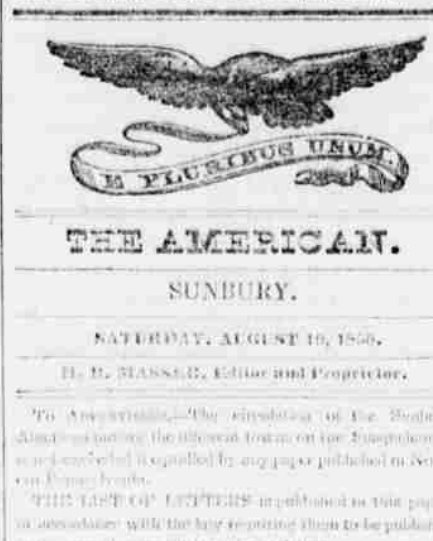
Mexico until that dispute be settled. He doubts the expediency of appointing Commissioners to run the line. All the facts are before Congress, and nothing new could be elicited by such Commissioners.

Henry Clay arrived at Philadelphia, on his way to New York and Newport, on Monday evening. He addressed his friends from the American Hotel.

THE PENNSYLVANIAN.—A. Boyd Hamilton, Esq., has withdrawn from this establishment, and the paper is now under the exclusive control of our old friend, Col. John W. Forney, who has associated with him in the business department, Wm. V. McKean, Esq.

Foreign News. ARRIVAL OF THE CAMBRIA. ONE WEEK LATER FROM EUROPE. Movements of the Ocean Steamer.

JENNY LINDEN is the heading to a very amusing parody on Campbell's famous ode on the battle of Hohenlinden, which we find in a Boston newspaper:



THE AMERICAN. SUNBURY. SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 1850. H. M. BASSING, Editor and Proprietor.

Democratic State Nominations. For United Commissioner: WILLIAM T. MORISON, Of Montgomery County.

EDITOR'S TABLE. Business Notices. THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE AND SHAMOKIN JOURNAL, is the life of a dead and apparently well conducted paper just started at Pittsburg, Luzerne county, by G. M. Richart and H. S. Phillips.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 6. A message was then received from the President of the United States in relation to the boundary difficulty between Texas and New Mexico.

What we have said in relation to Mr. Corwin is true. As a popular orator he has few if any superiors, but nevertheless, his speech on the Mexican war, which was as impolitic, as it was unjust, should, in our opinion have excluded him from a seat in the Cabinet.

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