ARRIVAL OF THE NIAGARA.

14 DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

BOSTON, February 11, 1849.

The steamer Niagara has arrived from Liverpool, whence she sailed on the 27th ult. She brings but little news of importance as the subjoined summary will show:

Accounts from the manufacturing districts are satisfactory and encouraging.—At Manchester, and the surrounding country, prices are entirely steady. An improved tone in commercial affairs is also observed in the state of the public securities, &c. &c.

FRANCE.—Every thing in France remains tranquil. The Government is making a short flight of it. During the first are two rounds, he struck some tremendous blows, but they did not come home. On the third round, he made a slight feint, and fetched Hyer a heavy blow on the left temple, which laid him flat. In an instant, Hyer rallied with a determination—striking Sullivan a severe blow, and knocking him on the ropes. He recovered before he fell, and as he came up, he got one between his two eyes, which shook his left peeper. This disconcerted him and he began to fall. Hyer perceiving this, kept him up to quick time, dealing heavy blows about his head. On the last round Sullivan came up slowly—evidently bewildered—Hyer planted his left on the face, which filled him entirely of his feet. He fell to the ground, striking his head severely—the blood ran from his mouth and nose, and he lay to all appearance in a state of insensibility, and completely blinded with blood. Hostilities were suspended, and in a few minutes the parties left in their boat. Sullivan had to be carried off by his friends. Hyer left for Frenchtown. He did not appear to be much hurt, though his face was covered with blood.

Hyer proceeded to Philadelphia, where he was arrested, on a requisition from the Governor of Maryland. On the receipt of the requisition, he appeared before Judge Parsons, with Mr. Hazlehurst as counsel, and stated that he was not a proper subject for extryland to answer at the authorities for the alleged violation of law. Hazlehurst stated that he was instructed by Hyer not to deny the truth connected in the prize fight—to admit that he was the person demanded in the requisition—that he was ready to meet any issue arising therefrom. He was also instructed to say that Hyer had been forced into the ring against his will—that he had been followed from city to city, and from place to place, by Sullivan, who had taken every possible measure to by insult him—that not satisfied with this, the latter had even insulted his old mother, and his family—that he had been dogged in this way until, as a matter of self-defence, he had been compelled to accept the challenge of his opponent and participate in the fight.

These statements, in connection with the manly bearing of Hyer in Court, had a favorable effect upon those present—so much so that Judge Parsons, feeling pleased him to be turrendered to the authorities of Maryland, remarked that although the prisoner had been guilty of violating the law, for which he would have to answer, yet his bearing had gone very far to change the opinion of the public in regard to the fight. He said