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—Dresses, without sleeves, are the style in Paris.

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—"Flame color" is the fashionable tint, on Broadway, for gloves.

—The Ex-Prime Minister of Madagascar's name is Rainyvon inahitriniony.

—It is stated, as a singular fact, that the smaller ladies' bonnets grow, the more they cost.

—A missionary girl, in Rhode Island, collected seven dollars and fifty cents by selling her kisses at twenty-five cents each. Cheap.

—The idea has been seized upon by a foreign photographic house to have handkerchiefs marked with photographs of the owner. The process, it is said, "will wash."

—The music of an opera, written by a brother and sister, M. and M'lle Perry, whose ages are respectively eleven and seventeen, has been sung at the Salle Beethoven, at Paris.

—A new art, namely, how to divine the character of a person from his feet, has been launched on the bosom of the waters of novelty, in England. The "professor" must be careful not to put *his* foot in it.

—A merchant at San Francisco, having the misfortune to lose his wife, invited his clerks to attend her funeral. He is said afterward to have charged each of them for the day as lost time, and made them pay for the carriages.

—Among the new fashions in New York, at present, is this, that no lady goes to the grave with a husband, child, or friend. Women are compelled to sit solitary in the house, while the gentlemen attend the burial. Many lament the heartless custom, but fashion is inexorable.

—A useful innovation has been introduced in the omnibuses of Paris. When the 'bus is full the conductor uncovers the word "*Complet*," and a similar sign appears in front of the driver's box, so that pedestrians wishing to ride are informed that they must wait for the next conveyance.

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CHICAGO, May 16th, 1865.

Maysville, Iowa, E. C. Clock,	$ 40.00
Sugar Grove, Ill., per J. E. Smith,	100.00
Minooka Aid Society, Ill., per Mrs. L. Smith,	6.85
Soldiers' Aid Society, Wethersfield, Ill., per Emma Baldwin,	219.60
From Canton, Ill., Proceeds of supper, $32.33; Dr. J. Johnson, $5.00; Jas. Bugler, $5.00; John Stevenson, 50 cts.,	42.83
Colored Ladies of Chicago, per Mrs. Mary Jones and Mrs. A. Platt,	30.00
Soldiers' Aid Society, Barrington Centre, per Mrs. J. Seymour, Secretary,	20.00
Citizens of Boscobel, Wis., per Mrs. R. D. Lap,	46.56
Unadilla, Mich., per L. Hopkins,	12.00
New Rutland, Ill., per M. M. Penfield,	162.00
Portsmouth City, Nebraska, per Mrs. B. Spurlock,	200.00
FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE DEPARTMENT.	
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Cottage Hill,	4.00
Citizens of Millstadt, Ill., per G. Oresenborn,	13.50
Soldiers' Aid Society, St. Johns Township, Harrison County, Iowa, per Mrs. Mary Michael, Magnolia, Ill.,	64.00

LIST OF PACKAGES

Received at the Rooms of the Sanitary Commission, on account of the Sanitary Fair.

FOR TWO WEEKS ENDING MAY 13TH.

Mrs. L. Phelps, New York, 1 package,	
Clarion, Ill., 2 packages,	
New York, 1 package for book department,	
Clarinda, Iowa, 1 box hospital stores,	$78 00
Oskaloosa, " 1 " " "	82 00
Kossuth, " 1 " " "	90 80
Monroe, Wis., 1 package lace collars,	
Nashville, Tenn., 2 battle flags,	
Cincinnati, Ohio, 1 box for H. H. Scoville,	
Dunkirk, N. Y. 1 box for book department,	
New York, 1 box, Mrs. A. H. Hoge,	
Philadelphia, Pa., 1 box for musical dep'tm't,	
New York, 1 box for gas fitters department,	
Strawberry Point, Ia., 1 box hospital stores,	36 50
Chatfield, Minn. 1 bbl. hospital stores,	3 00
Providence, R. I. 1 packge for spiritual dept,	
Magnolia, Ill., 1 package for Chas. L. Noble,	
St. Louis, Mo., 1 box for trophy department,	
New York, 1 box for Charles L. Noble,	
Boston, Mass., 1 box for Rev. Robt. Collyer,	
Galesburg, Ill., 2 boxes hospital stores	143 70
Dover, Iowa, 5 packages hospital stores,	15 00
De Kalb, Ill., 5 barrels hospital stores,	12 50
Iowa Falls, Iowa, 1 box " "	75 14
Cedar Rapids, Ia, 5 packages hospital stores,	85 00
Mt. Vernon, Iowa, 2 " " "	55 15
Earlville, Ill., 1 box hospital stores,	38 50
Lynn, Mass., 1 box for boot and shoe dept.,	
Boston, " 1 box,	
New York, 1 box for book department,	
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New York, 1 box for Rev. Robt. Collyer,	
Boston, Mass., 1 box for book department,	
J. A. Stoddard & Co., Chicago, 18 copies Nurse and Spy,	
Liberty, Ind., 1 box for Mrs. D. P. Livermore.	
New York City, 2 packages for Book dep't.	
McGregor, Iowa, 1 pkge Hospital Stores, $20.00.	
Richmond, Va., 1 pkge for Trophy dep't.	
Boston, Mass., 3 pkges for Rev. Robt. Collyer.	
Cincinnati, Ohio, 20 pkges for Corn Starch dep't.	
Freeburg, Ill., 1 pkge Hospital Stores, $12.50.	
Grand Rapids, Mich., 1 pkge for Mrs. W. W. Patton.	
Philadelphia, Pa., 1 pkge for Musical dep't.	
New York City, 3 pkges for Mrs. A. H. Hoge.	
Tarrytown, N. Y., 1 pkge for T. B. Bryan.	
New York City, 5 frames Fire Works,	
" " " 1 pkge for Book dep't.	
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Cincinnati, Ohio, 1 pkge for Trophy dep't.	
Plymouth, Conn., 1 Carriage.	
" " 1 set of Wheels.	
" " 1 pr Shafts.	
Elgin, Ill., 1 Antelope.	
Billed from Toledo, Ohio, 1 Spring Bed.	
Boston, Mass., 1 box for Unitarian dep't.	
Hilton Head, S. C., 1 pkge for Trophy dep't.	
New York City, 3 pkges for W. M. Bassett.	
Troy, N. Y., 1 pkge for Rev. Robt. Collyer.	
Washington, D. C., 2 pkges for Mrs. A. H. Hoge.	
Philadelphia, Pa., 1 pkge for Boot and Shoe dep't.	
" " 1 " " Book dep't.	
New York City, 1 " " " "	
Elgin, Ill., 3 pkges Hospital Stores,	$ 7.50
Northern Iowa San. Fair, 83 pkges Hospital Stores, - - -	166.00
Marietta, Iowa, 3 pkges Hospital Stores,	22.00
Odell, Ill., 1 pkge " "	25.00
Taylorsville, Iowa, 1 " " "	57.50
Tabor, Iowa, 1 " " "	161.00
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Sioux City, Iowa, 1 box for Hardware dep't.	
New York City, 1 box for Book dep't.	
Boston, Mass., 2 pkges for " "	
Toledo, Ohio, 2 pkges for Prof. Wilber.	
Pekin, Ill., 1 box for A. G. Wasner.	
Boston, Mass., 1 pkge for Rev. Robt. Collyer.	
New York City, 1 pkge for John R. Walsh.	
Fort Dodge, Iowa, 1 box Public School dep't.	
Newport, N. Y., 1 box for Mrs. J. M. Underwood.	
Per U. S. Express Co., 1 box for Dr. G. D. Beebe.	
Unknown, 1 box for Friends of Progress.	
" 1 box Hosp'l Stores, (Baptist dep't,)	$5.00
Boston, Mass., 3 boxes for Rev. T. R. Hibbard,	
Troy, N. Y., 1 box for Boot and Shoe dep't.	
Grand Rapids, Mich., 1 box for Friends of Progress.	
Boston, Mass., 1 box for Book dep't.	
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Kewanee, Ill., 1 box for Mrs. Geo. Barber.	
Barrington, Ill., 1 pkge for Mrs. D. P. Livermore.	
Cincinnati, Ohio., 1 pkge for Baptist dep't.	
New York City, 1 pkge for Book dep't.	
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Washington, Iowa, 1 box " "	92.50
Mechanicsville, Iowa, 1 box " "	32.50
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Oak Township, Iowa, 1 pkge " "	39.75

DONATIONS FOR THE FAIR FROM COLORADO TERRITORY.

Mrs. C. N. Halden, chairman of the Baptist department of the Northwestern Sanitary Fair, has received notice from the Rev. Almond Barrelle, pastor of the 1st Baptist Church of Central City, Colorado, that the following donations have been contributed and shipped for Chicago.

Native Copper from No. 11 Gregory Lode, contributed by Geo. F. Randolph, Esq. Valued at $100.00.

Visible gold from the Bates lode, valued at	30.00
" " " " " "	20.00
" " " " " "	15.00

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Foot & Simmons lode, Gregory district, by Hon. E. K. Baxter.

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Burroughs lode, Nevada district, by Mr. France.

New Foundland lode, Nevada district, by Charles Jell, Esq.

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Gregory lode, in Gregory district, by U. S. Gold Mining Co.

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Burroughs lode, Nevada district, from J. F. Phillips.

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Fisk lode, Gregory district, from Mrs. Tomlinson.

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Gregory lode in Gregory district, favor of Mrs. Tomlinson.

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