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NEW STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

We presume the commercial community will be gratified to learn that a steamship line of a monthly trading character between this city and Liverpool, by the ports of Galveston, Texas, has been decided on. The enterprise originated in Texas, and is backed by capitalists of that State. The first steamer will leave Galveston for Liverpool on the 15th of May next, and the others will follow at regular intervals. The steamers will be of a class unsurpassed for speed and accommodations for passengers, and will be commanded by experienced officers. The rates of freight and passage will be as low as by any other line. The establishment of this line will be a great convenience to the people of Texas, and will, we trust, receive their liberal support. We hope to see it followed by other lines, and that the day is not far distant when the commerce of the Gulf will be carried in vessels owned by our own citizens.

THE CRISIS.

—Political Excitement in Washington—Partisan Bitterness Foretold—Speculations as to the Future—Probable Action of Congress—Impeachment Talked of—Probable Removal of Secretary Stanton—Rumored Resignation of Secretary Seward—Probable Appointment of Gen. Grant as Secretary of State—Rumored Appointment of Gen. Sherman as Secretary of War—Probable Appointment of Gen. Meade as Secretary of the Navy—Rumored Appointment of Gen. Hancock as Secretary of the Interior—Probable Appointment of Gen. Thomas as Attorney General—Rumored Appointment of Gen. Sheridan as Minister to France—Rumored Appointment of Gen. Banks as Minister to Mexico—Rumored Appointment of Gen. Rosecrans as Minister to Austria—Rumored Appointment of Gen. Dix as Minister to Spain.

Washington is in a state of political excitement. Rumors of the most startling character are flying about in every direction, and the air is filled with speculations as to the future. Everybody is talking politics, and the political pot is boiling over. The Democrats are jubilant, and the Republicans are correspondingly depressed. The Democrats are confident that the Presidential election will result in the success of their party, and the Republicans are equally confident that it will result in the success of their party. Both parties are preparing for the struggle, and the battle promises to be a fierce one. The Democrats have the advantage of position, and they are making the most of it. They are pressing their advantage to the utmost, and are determined to keep it. The Republicans are fighting desperately, and are determined to regain their lost ground. Both parties are confident of success, and both are making the most extraordinary efforts to secure it. The Democrats are fighting for the Presidency, and the Republicans are fighting for the control of Congress. The Democrats are fighting for the Presidency, because they believe that the election of a Democratic President will result in the restoration of the Union, and the Republicans are fighting for the control of Congress, because they believe that the control of Congress will enable them to prevent the restoration of the Union. The Democrats are fighting for the Presidency, because they believe that the election of a Democratic President will result in the restoration of the Union, and the Republicans are fighting for the control of Congress, because they believe that the control of Congress will enable them to prevent the restoration of the Union. It is no secret that the Union is the issue upon which their respective battles are to be fought. The Democrats are fighting for the Union, while the Republicans are fighting against the Union. The Democrats are fighting for the Union, because they believe that the Union is worth fighting for, and the Republicans are fighting against the Union, because they believe that the Union is not worth fighting for