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ARRIVALS FROM NEW YORK.—We had yesterday three arrivals from the North. The Hiddekoine, the Creole and the Roanoke, came in safely in the morning, furnishing us with the papers from the North, New York dates to the 30th. We have received by these steamers our mail which has been overdue for some days. To each of the officers of these steamers, the Hiddekoine, the Creole and the Roanoke, we tender our thanks for favors of late papers.

DEATH OF EX-PRESIDENT MARTIN VAN BUREN.—The New York papers bring to the intelligence of the death of Martin Van Buren. We regret to announce prepared for this, as at last advices Mr. Van Buren was reported quite ill. He died on the 24th of July, at his residence of Lindenwold, Kinderhook, New York, in the 80th year of his age.

The life of Martin Van Buren belongs to history, and we leave to the future historian the task of treating the character of a statesman so distinguished in the senate of the United as Martin Van Buren.

ADVANCE IN SUGARS.—It will be seen from the mercantile report to-day that, quite a considerable and sudden advance in the price of sugars took place in our market yesterday. A quantity of the article was wanted, and in anticipation of a yet further rise in prices.

The propeller Sumter, Capt. Clapp, sailed last, evening for New York, with a large freight, and complement of passengers, and the U. S. mails. The following is a list of her passengers:

Mr Hughes, lady, child and servant, H A Bruce, F F Hernandez, J Dunning, H Lord, J O Eaton, Mrs Eaton and child, Miss Hutchinson, E Mallard, lady & 2 children, E Frost—24 in the steerage.

The steamship Texas (Capt. Colquhoun) left Galveston on Monday, leaves her wharf this morning at 10 o'clock, for New York, with the following passengers:

Mrs John Mullen and lady, Mr. White and lady, E C Miller, C F Miller, Mrs Miller and child, Mrs Shelton, Mrs Hall and child, E A Hall, Mrs Kennedy, J F Paterson, T H Shelton, Mrs Shelton and child, Mrs Hall, Mrs Hall and child, Mrs