

## THE CHINESE EMBASSY.

### Arrival in this City of Hon. ANSON BURLINGAME and other Representatives of the Chinese Government.

Among the passengers by the Pacific Mail Steamship *Arizona*, from San Francisco, which arrived at this port yesterday, were Hon. ANSON BURLINGAME and other representatives of the Chinese Government in this country and in Europe. In order to spare Mr. BURLINGAME the annoyance of meeting with a promiscuous crowd at the steamer's pier, Mr. WAREMAN, Surveyor of the Port, accompanied by Hon. ISAAC LIVERMORE, Mr. EDWARD M. LIVERMORE, and Capt. J. M. DOLLIVER, proceeded down the harbor in a tugboat at 4:15, in the morning, for the purpose of intercepting the steamer on her passage up the bay. The steamer arrived at Quarantine at about 10 A. M. and received on board Mr. WAREMAN and others of his party. After an interview of half an hour, Mr. BURLINGAME, his wife and daughter stepped aboard the tug-boat, and, together with the original party, were conveyed to Pier No. 19, North River, where carriages were waiting to take them to the Westminster Hotel. The steamer having on board the other members of the embassy steamed up the river to her pier, No. 43 North River, arriving there at about noon. Thence the Company took carriages and were conveyed to the Westminster. A large number of people were gathered on the pier, both inside and outside of the gate, yet no demonstration took place other than that which a sense of curiosity at seeing a group of Chinese in native costume would excite. The Embassy travel with an immense amount of baggage, and judging from the number of trunks and boxes that followed them to the hotel, one would think that the steamer had been heavily laden without additional freight. The embassy is composed of Hon. ANSON BURLINGAME, accredited Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Chinese Government to the Treaty Powers; CHIH TAJEN and SUN TAJEN, Chinese Ministers; J. McLEAVY BROWN, First Secretary of Legation; Monsieur E. DE CHAMPS, Second Secretary of Legation. With the above, are six student interpreters, two of whom have studied and speak English with considerable facility, two have studied French and two Russian; two writers, a native doctor and about fifteen servants. Their Excellencies CHIH TAJEN and SUN TAJEN are High Ministers of the second rank, attached to the Mission to learn and qualify themselves in the modes of diplomatic intercourse, and to assist Mr. BURLINGAME in his communications with the Chinese Government.

Upon arriving at the hotel Mr. BURLINGAME was at once waited upon by a number of friends and distinguished citizens, who paid their respects and conversed briefly on the general topics of the day. The Chinese natives sauntered through the corridors and parlors, evidently well-pleased with their temporary headquarters, and viewed with apparent unconcern the crowd of men and boys that had collected at the entrance for the purpose of getting a good look at Chinese officials.

Mr. BURLINGAME desires it to be understood that the mission in which he is engaged will not be used by him in any partial or limited sense. He wishes it to be conducted in the interests of the whole country, without reference to any particular section or political party. By sending forth this mission China expresses her desire and intention to come into the brotherhood of nations. It means commerce, peace and a unification in its own interest of the whole human race. Early in the day Mr. BURLINGAME dispatched a message to Secretary SEWARD notifying him of his arrival. He expects to leave for Washington to-day or to-morrow, and at a proper time to place before the Government authorities all the details connected with the objects of the mission.