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Arrival of His Body by the Steamer Si-lesia Vesterday—The Proposed Reception of the Remains by Prominent Citizens-Action of the Chamber of Commerce—The Funeral Escort.

The hody of Minister BURLINGAME arrived yesterday on board of the North German Silesia. The revenue cutter Uno, with Hon. ISAAC LIVER MORE, of Eoston, father-m-law of Mr. Burlin-GAME, on board, met the steamer coming the Bay nt. in the morning, and took off Mr. Edward Livermore Burlingame, the eldest son of the illustrious statesman, who accompanied his father's remains from Hamburg, leaving there on the 6th inst. The flags on the Mt BURLINGAME'S departure from the steamer were lowered at half-mast on young Mi. Burlingame's departure from the vessel. The corpse was embalmed at St. Petersburg a short time after Mr. Burlingame's death on the 23d of February. The body remained on board the Sdesta, at the feet of Third-street, Hoboken, last evening, preparatory to being taken charge of today by delegations from the Chamber of Commerce and Union League. It is the design of the relatives of Mr. Burlingame to have the funeral demonstration in this Union League, relatives of Mr. the funeral d the funcral demonstration in this City as quiet as possible, and for the purpose of conforming to their wishes, the gentlemen forming the escert have determined not to have any procession. They will meet at the Customhouse Barge Office, at the Battery, at 1 ceiock this afternoon, and will then proceed to the steamer Silesia to receive the remains. Sabsequently the coffin will be transferred to the cutter, after which it will be conveyed to the steamer Providence. It will be carried to Boston by the latter vessel, and will be under the charge of Gen. Chamierlan and Major Cappello, of Gov. Claffin's staff, on the way there. demonstration there.

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A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday for the purpose of making arrangements for the reception of Mr. BURLINGAME'S remains. The attendance was quite large. President WM. E. Dodge called the Chamber to order, and Mr. Moses H. Grinnella, Collector of the Port, briefly stated the object of the meeting. A Committee was subsequently appointed to escort the remains of the late Minister from the steamer Silesia to the Boston depot. Messes. Opdyke, Grinnell and Cowdin were appointed to make such arrangements as should be aupropriate to the occasion. The following are the names of the gentlemen comprising the escort: escort:

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William E. Dodge, John A. Dix, George Opdyke, A. A. Low, Moses H. Grinnell, Alex, T. Stewart, F. A. Conkling, M. O. Roberts, H. B. Claffin, Moses Taylor, Peter Cooper, Townsend Harris, Elliot C. Cowdin, John C. Green, S. B. Ruggles, E. D. Morgan, John E. Williams, C. H. Russell, S. B. Chittenden, George W. Lanc, Wm. H. Fogg, R. H. McCurdy, F. H. Delano, Wm. A. Booth, G. G. Howland, William G. Lambert, James M. Constable, Henry L. Pietson, S. D. Babcock, Stewart Brown, Jackson S. Schultz, Wilson G. Hunt, Cyrus W. Field, Samuel G. Ward, R. H. Berdell, Jonathan Sturgis, John J. Cisco, William H. Webb, William Butler Duncan, F. Westray, L. P. Morton, William F. Cary, Benj, G. Arnold, Allan McLane, Wm. A. Wheelock, George S. Coe, Wm. Orton, Wm. H. Osborn, Denning Duer, Wm. M. Vermilye.

At a meeting of the City Committee on the Burlingame obsequies, at Boston, yesterday, it was determined that the cities of Cambridge and Cheisea should unite with Boston in the demonstration, and that subcommittees from each city should proceed to New-York and accompany the remains to Boston.