

*Steamboat Explosion.*—The Steamer United States, when the boiler exploded had but 30 passengers instead of 60 as the New York letters at first stated. Mr Ephraim Wooster, said to belong to Derby, Connecticut, jumped overboard, and was taken up alive but died soon after. Mr Hiram Clark, merchant of New Haven, and a boy belonging to the boat are missing. Mr C. jumped overboard. Five men belonging to the boat were badly scalded, of whom, three black men, have since died. Capt. Beecher was slightly scalded in his feet. None of the passengers who remained on board, were seriously injured.