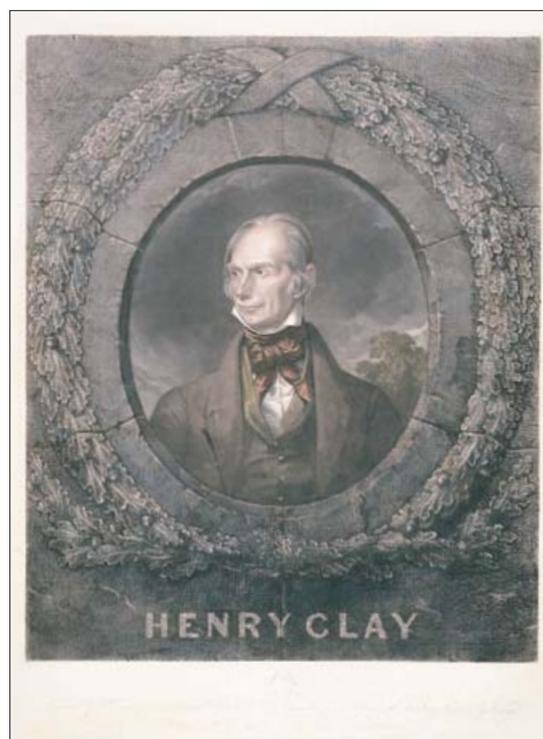




Known as the “Great Compromiser,” Henry Clay of Kentucky served in both the U.S. House of Representatives and the U.S. Senate. He was Speaker of the House, secretary of state, and a perennial Whig presidential candidate. During an illustrious political career that spanned almost half a century, Clay crafted three major legislative compromises in an attempt to resolve the sectional struggle threatening the Union.

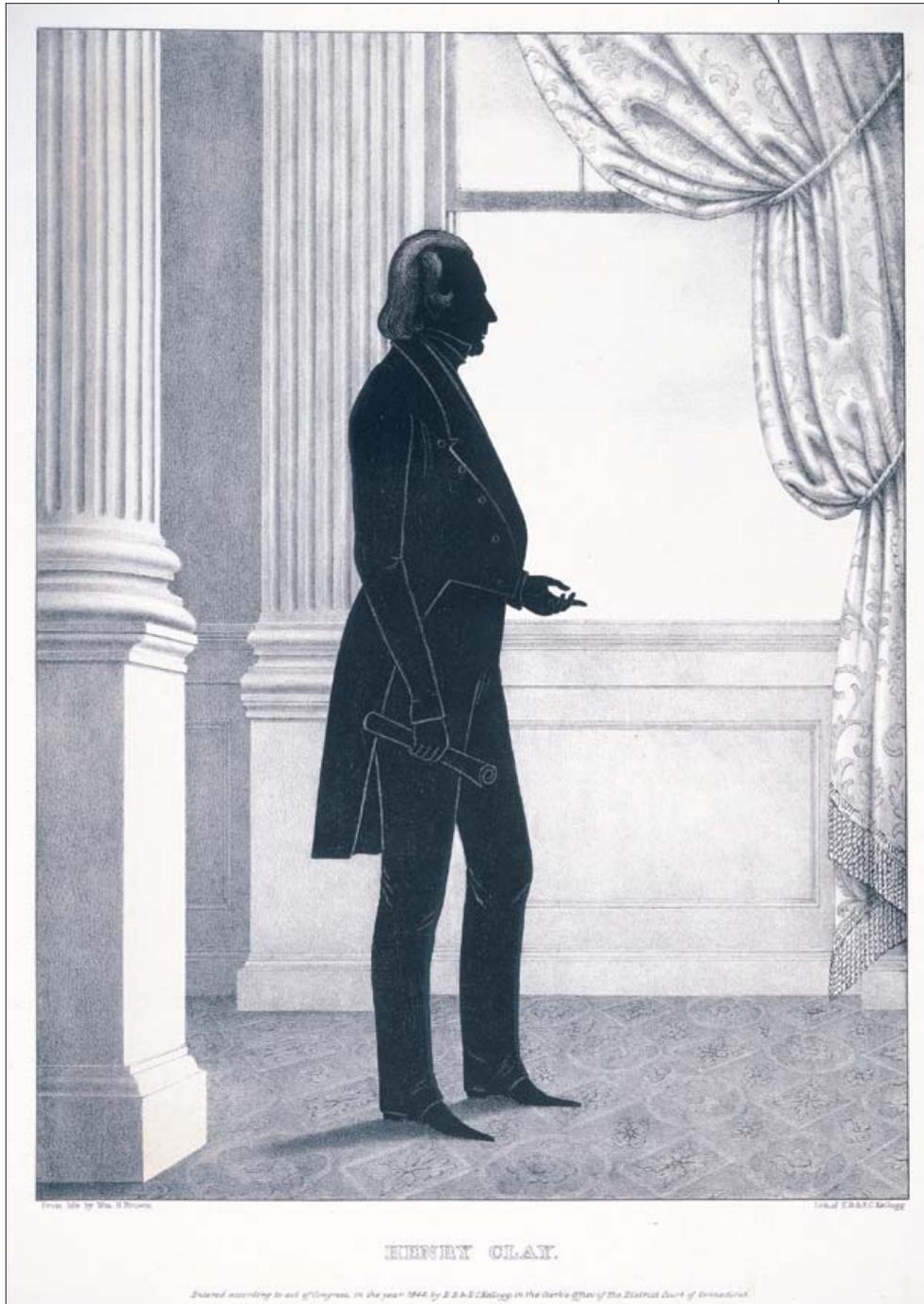
Despite the attribution to “T. Nagle” noted at the bottom of the engraving, this portrait is clearly based on a painting from life by artist John Neagle. That painting was commissioned in 1842 by the Philadelphia Whigs in anticipation of the 1844 presidential campaign. Neagle initially painted a bust portrait, then completed a full-length figure (a second version of the latter is in the U.S. Capitol). Clay complimented Neagle: “I think you have happily delineated the character, as well as the physical appearance, of your subject.”<sup>1</sup> William Warner’s engraving differs from the original painting by placing Clay in an oval porthole. This is no doubt a reference to Rembrandt Peale’s famous portrait of George Washington (see 38.00982.001, p. 159) and an attempt to associate the two great statesmen. 🌀

<sup>1</sup>Henry Clay, *Papers of Henry Clay*, vol. 9, edited by Robert Seager, et al. (Lexington: University of Kentucky Press, 1991), 822.



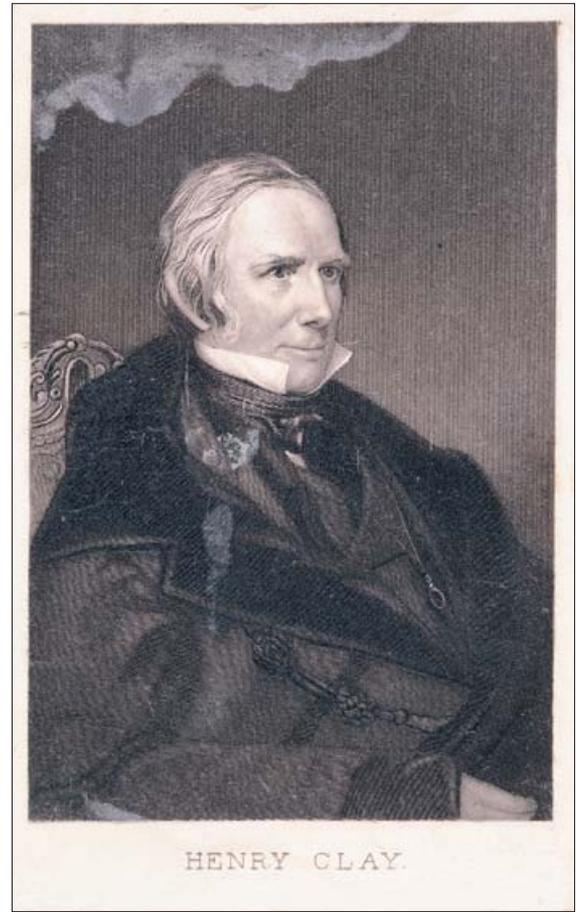
#### Henry Clay

William Warner, Jr. after John Neagle  
 William B. Lane, 04/02/1844  
 Mezzotint, hand-colored  
 22 x 17 <sup>11</sup>/<sub>16</sub> inches (57.2 x 44.9 cm)  
 Cat. no. 38.00956.001



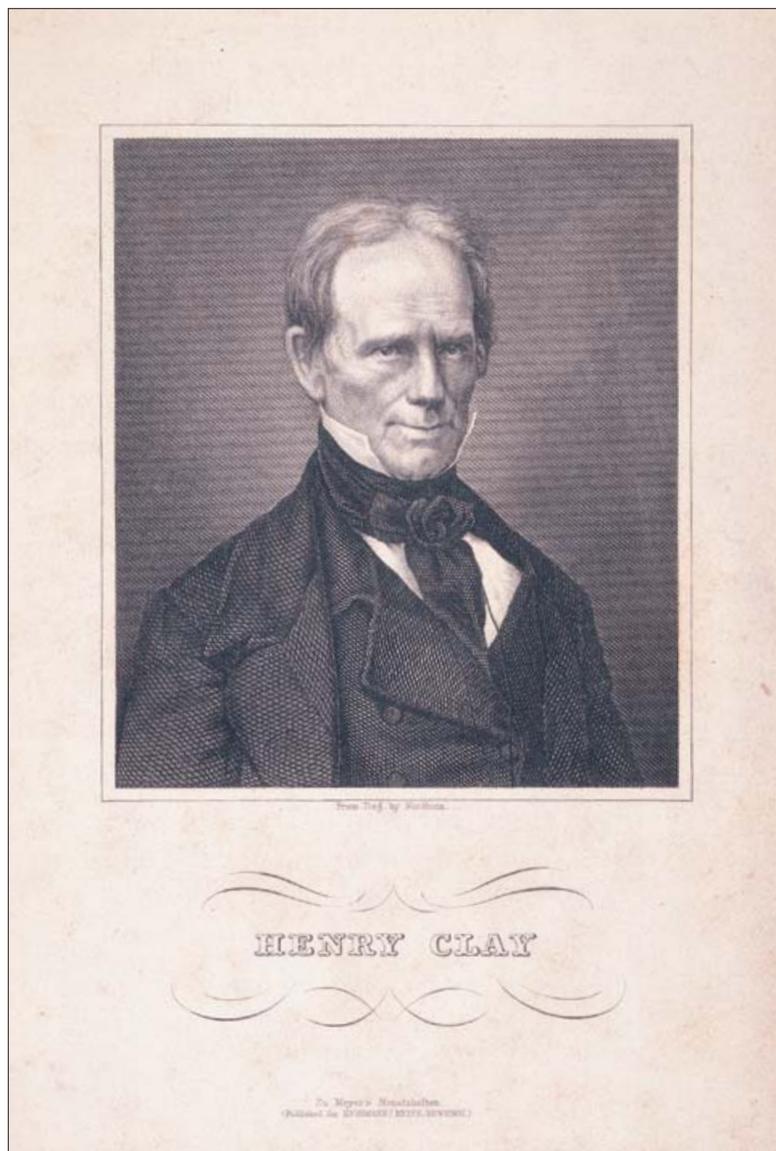
**Henry Clay.**

Edmund Burke Kellogg and Elijah Chapman Kellogg  
after William Henry Brown  
*Portrait Gallery of Distinguished American Citizens*, 1845  
Lithograph, colored  
14<sup>9</sup>/<sub>16</sub> x 9<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub> inches (37.0 x 25.1 cm)  
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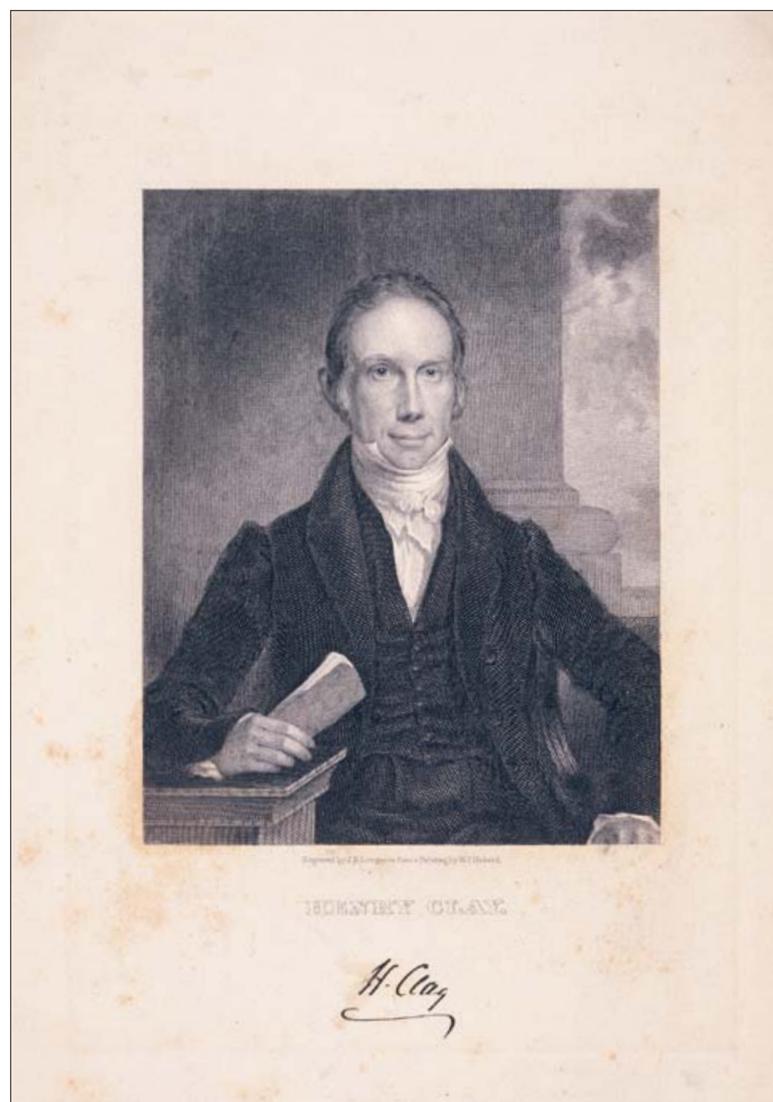
**Henry Clay.**

Unidentified after daguerreotype by Marcus A. Root  
Unidentified, ca. 1850  
Mezzotint, black and white  
3<sup>5</sup>/<sub>16</sub> x 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> inches (8.4 x 5.4 cm)  
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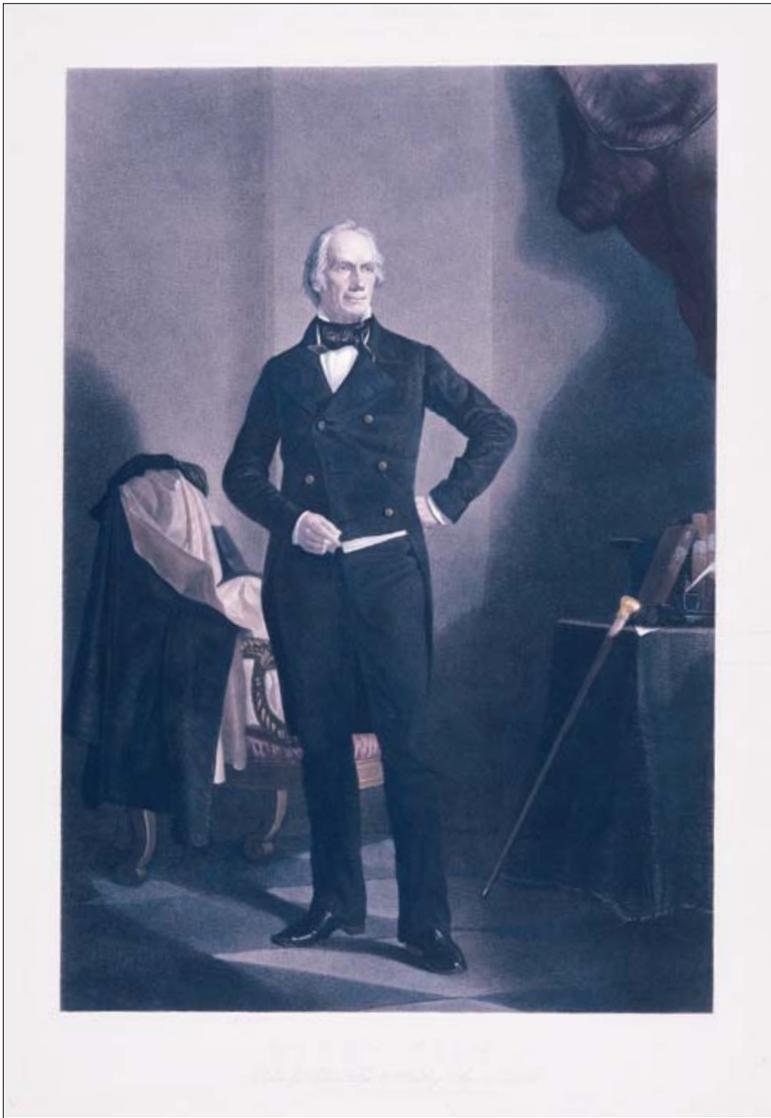
**Henry Clay**

Unidentified after daguerreotype by Nordheim  
 Herrmann J. Meyer, ca. 1850  
 Metal engraving, black and white  
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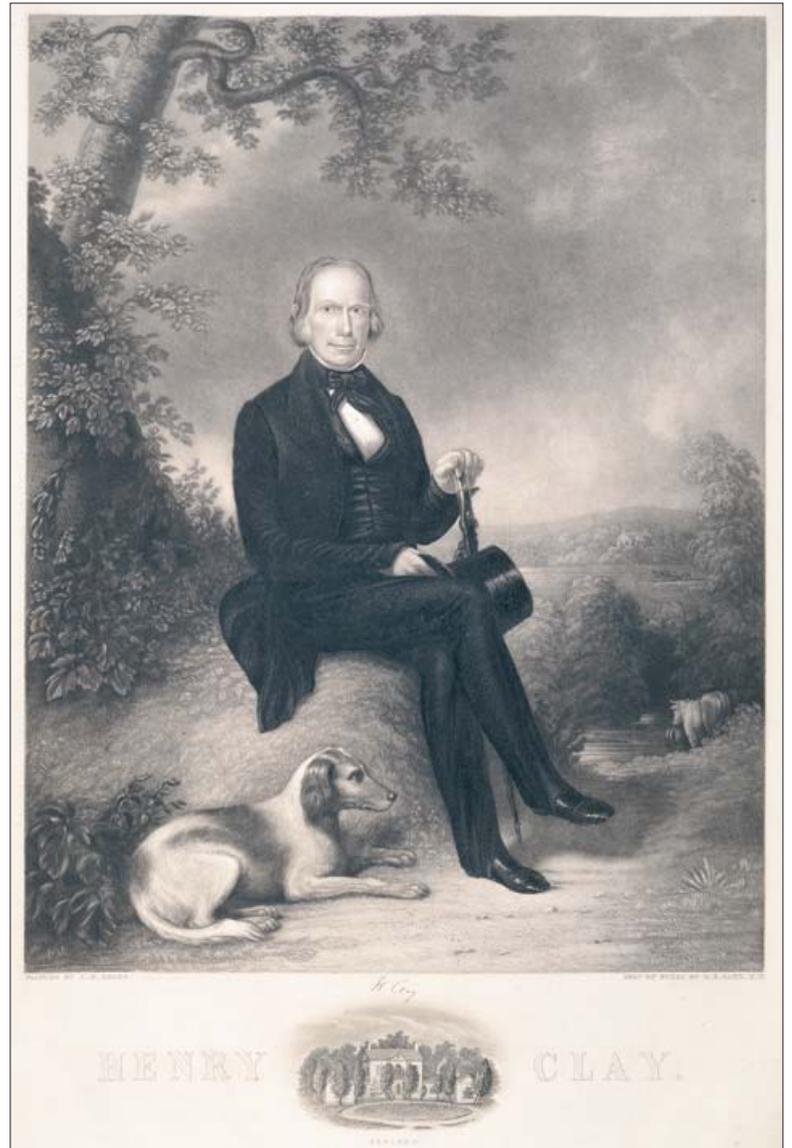
**Henry Clay.**

James B. Longacre after painting by William J. Hubard  
*Bancroft's*, ca. 1850  
 Copper engraving, black and white  
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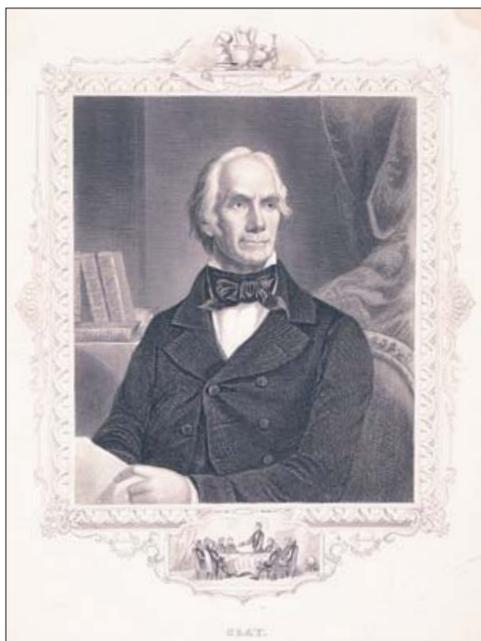
**Henry Clay.**

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William Pate, 1852  
Lithograph, colored  
27 ¼ x 17 inches (69.2 x 43.2 cm)  
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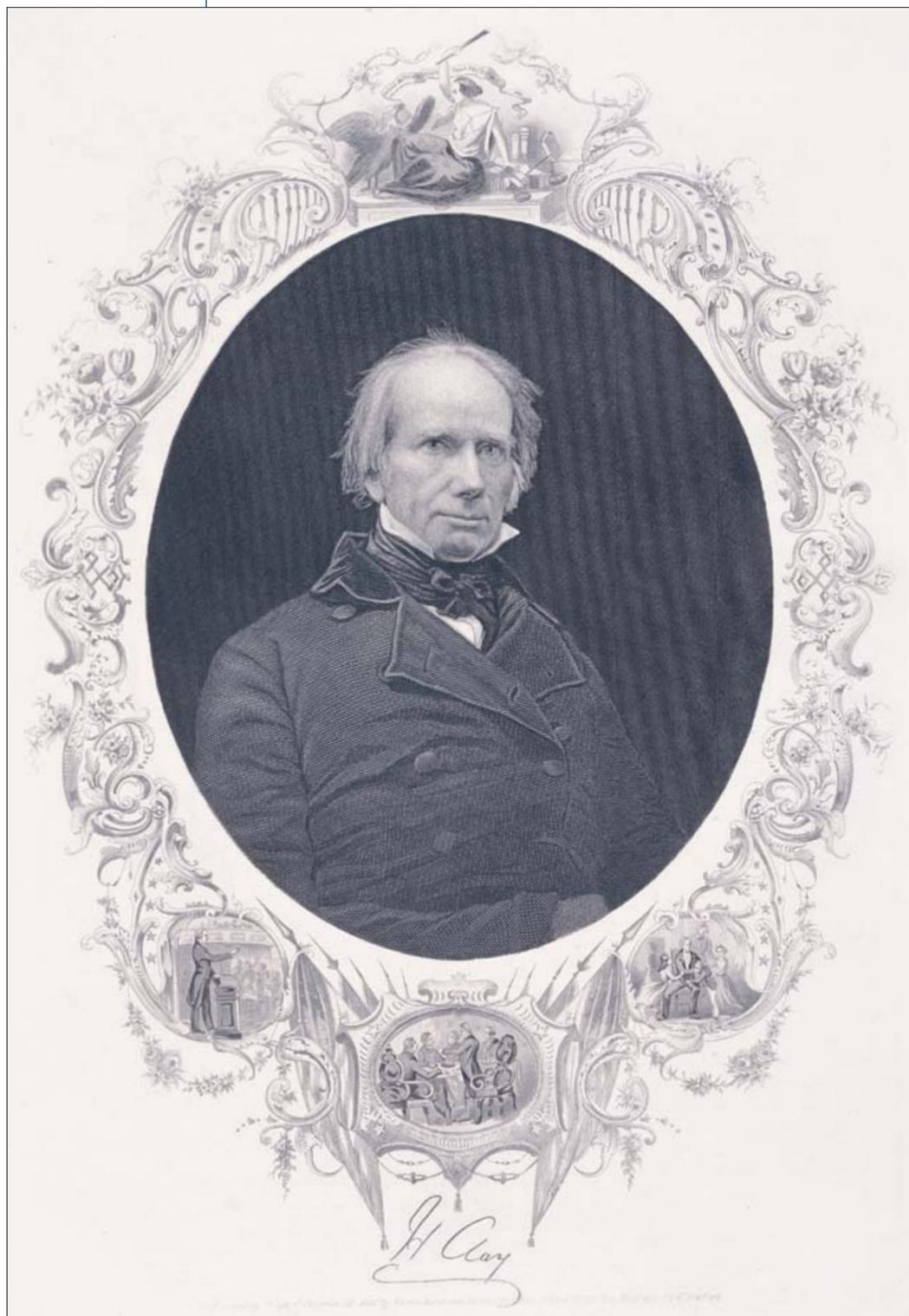
**Henry Clay.**

Henry S. Sadd after painting by John Wood Dodge  
Coats and Cosine, ca. 1860  
Mezzotint, black and white  
30 x 24 inches (76.2 x 61.0 cm)  
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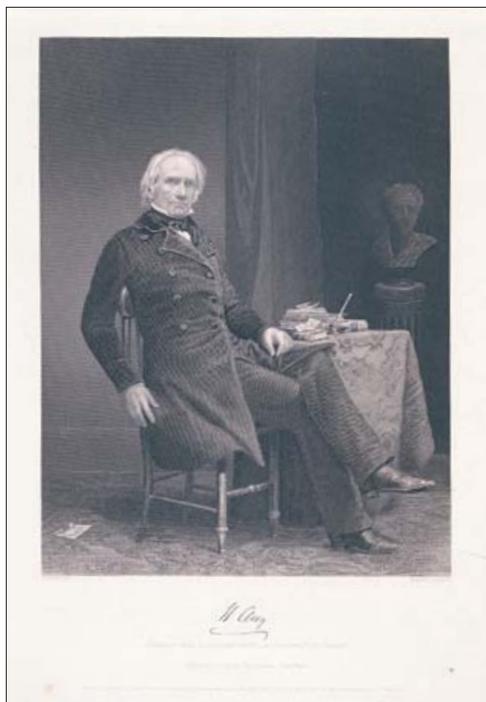
**[Henry] Clay.**

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 Metal engraving, black and white  
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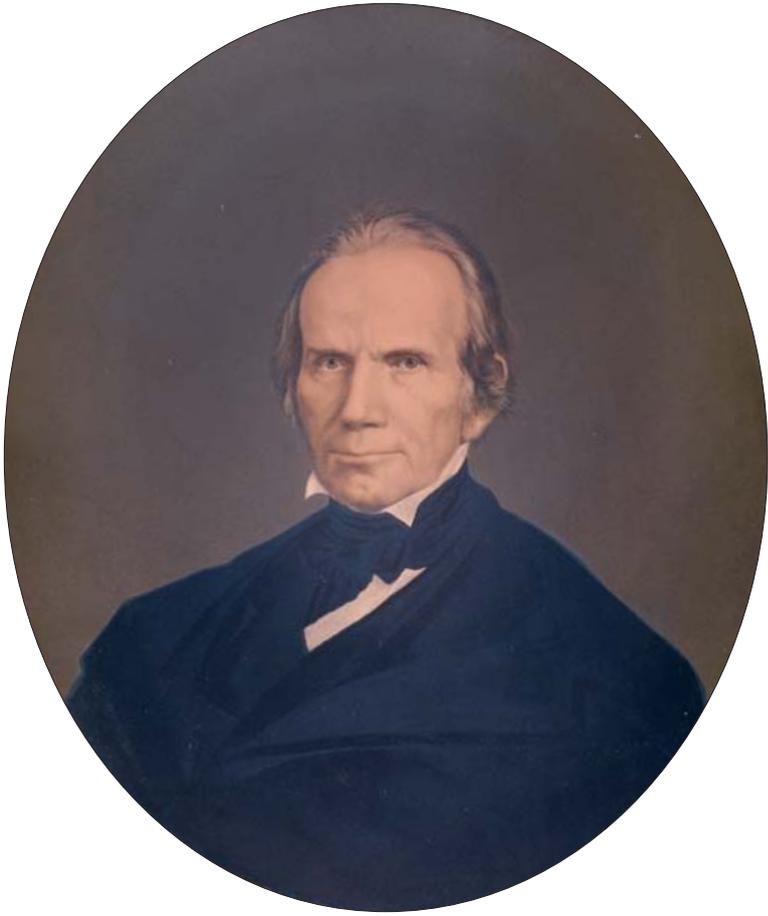
**H[enry] Clay**

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 Martin & Johnson, 1856  
 Steel engraving, black and white  
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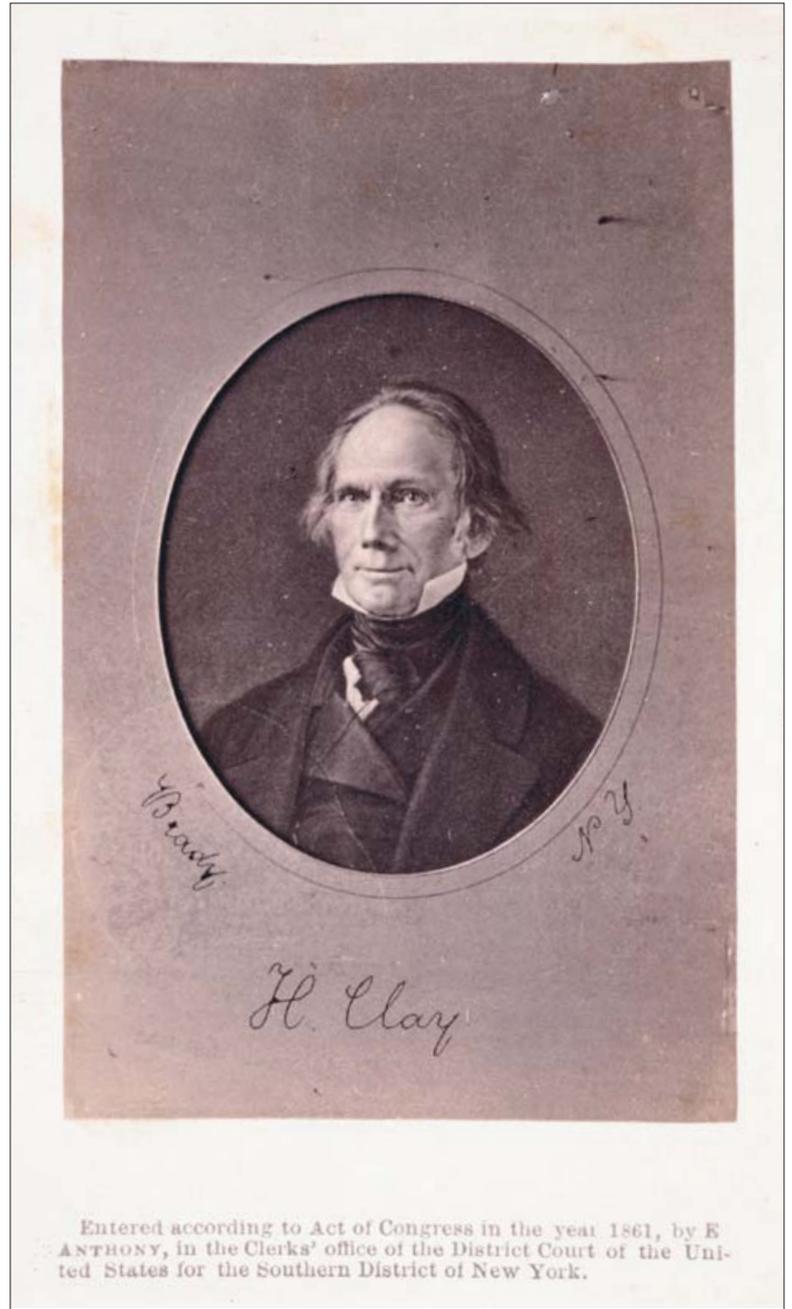
**H[enry] Clay**

Unidentified after painting by Alonzo Chappel  
 Johnson, Fry & Co., 1861  
 Metal engraving, black and white  
 8 7/8 x 5 1/2 inches (22.5 x 14.0 cm)  
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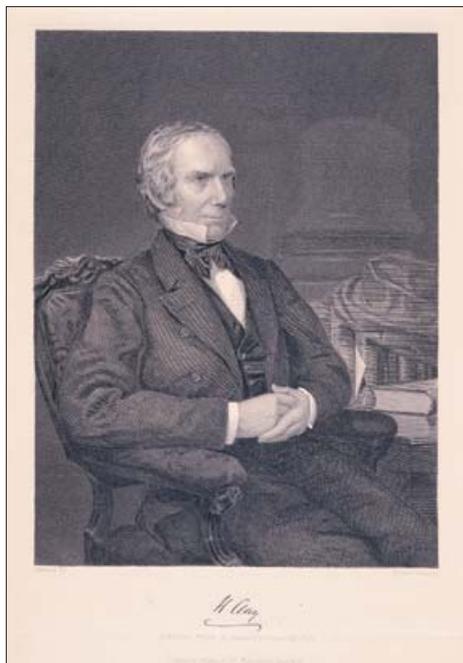
**[Henry Clay]**

Unidentified  
Middleton, Strobridge & Co., 1863  
Lithograph, colored  
17 x 14 inches (43.2 x 35.6 cm)  
Cat. no. 38.00223.001



**H[enry]. Clay**

Mathew B. Brady  
Edward Anthony, 1861  
Photograph, black and white  
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Cat. no. 38.00357.001



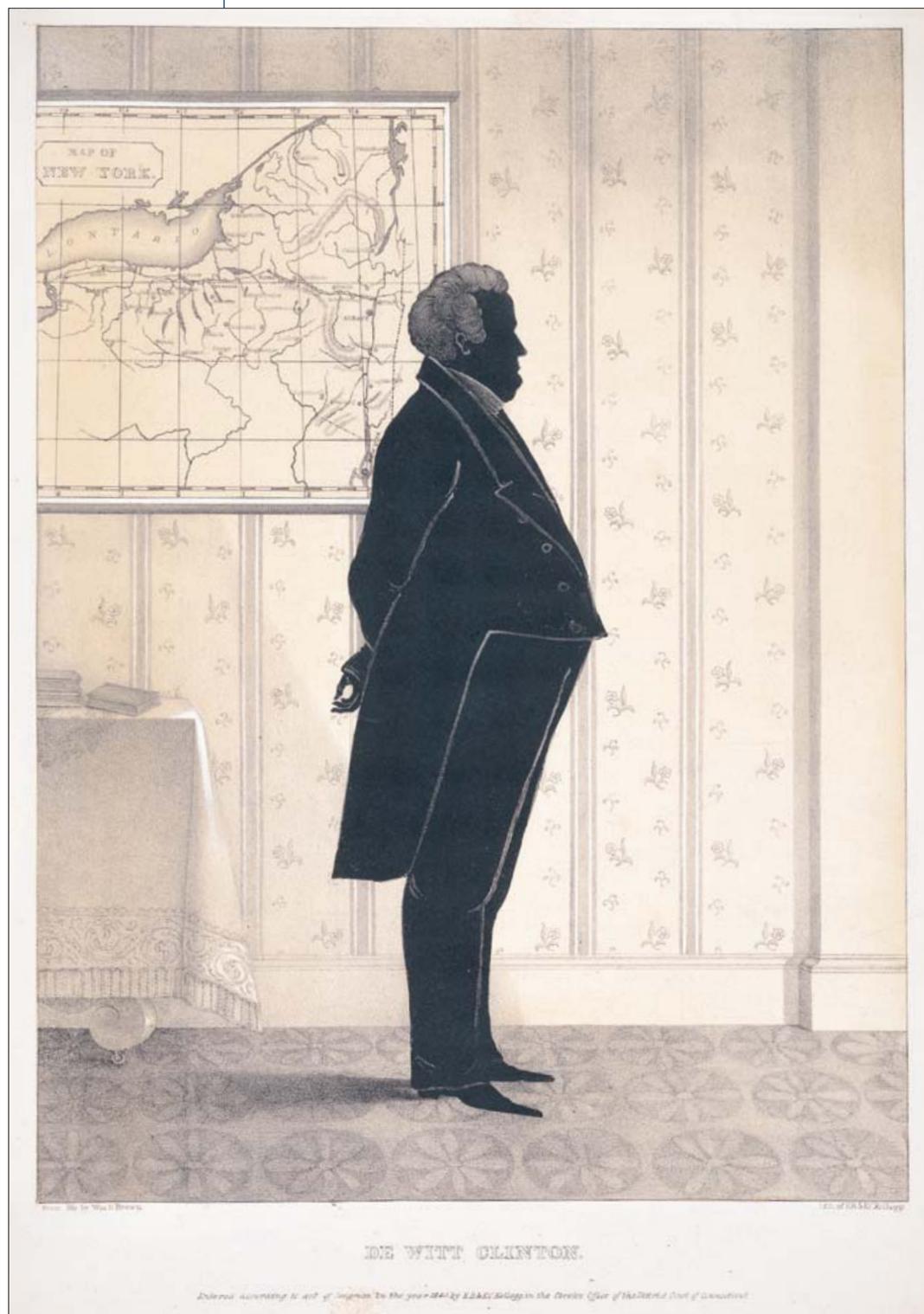
**H[enry] Clay**

Unidentified after painting by Alonzo Chappel after daguerreotype by Marcus A. Root Johnson, Wilson & Co., 1873  
 Steel engraving, black and white  
 9 1/8 x 5 9/16 inches (23.2 x 14.1 cm)  
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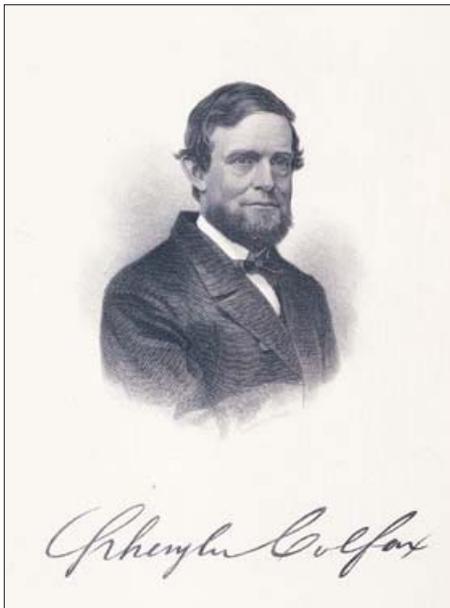
**De Witt Clinton**

John Rogers  
 Unidentified, ca. 1870  
 Metal engraving, black and white  
 8 x 5 3/8 inches (20.3 x 13.7 cm)  
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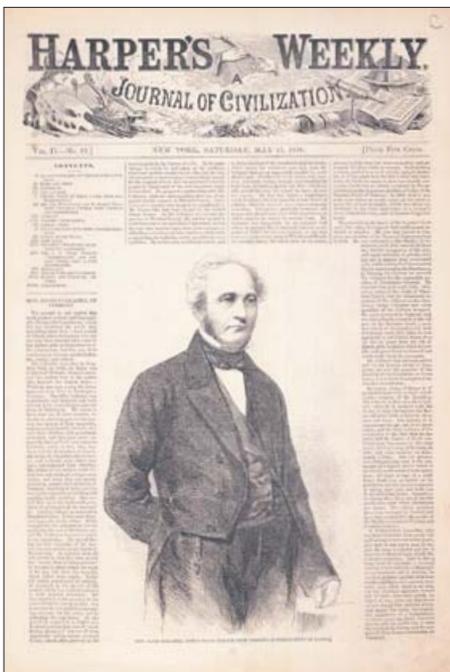
**De Witt Clinton.**

Edmund Burke Kellogg and Elijah Chapman Kellogg after William Henry Brown  
*Portrait Gallery of Distinguished American Citizens*, 1845  
 Lithograph, colored  
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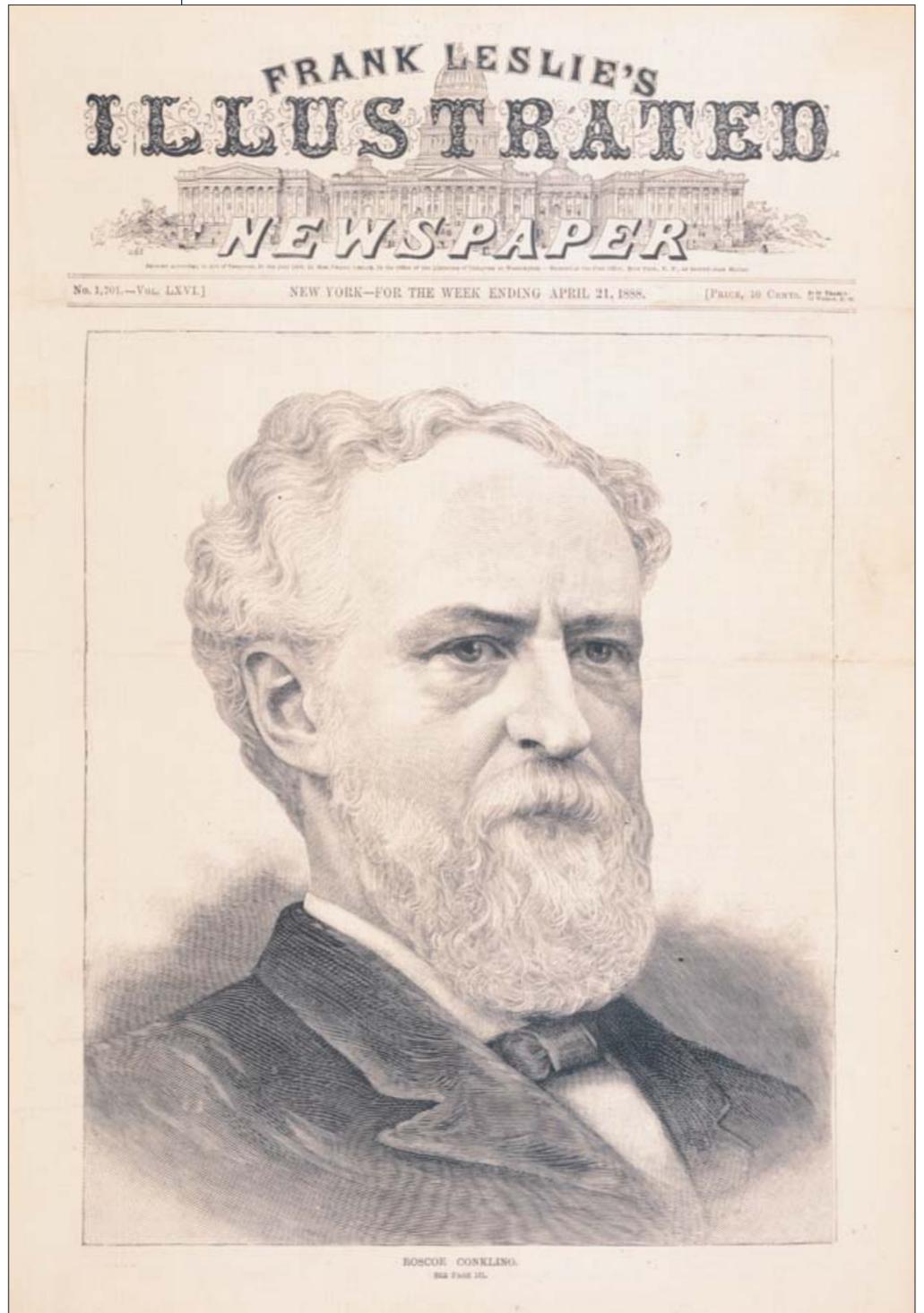
**Schuyler Colfax**

Hezekiah W. Smith  
*Men of Our Times*, 1868  
 Steel engraving, black and white  
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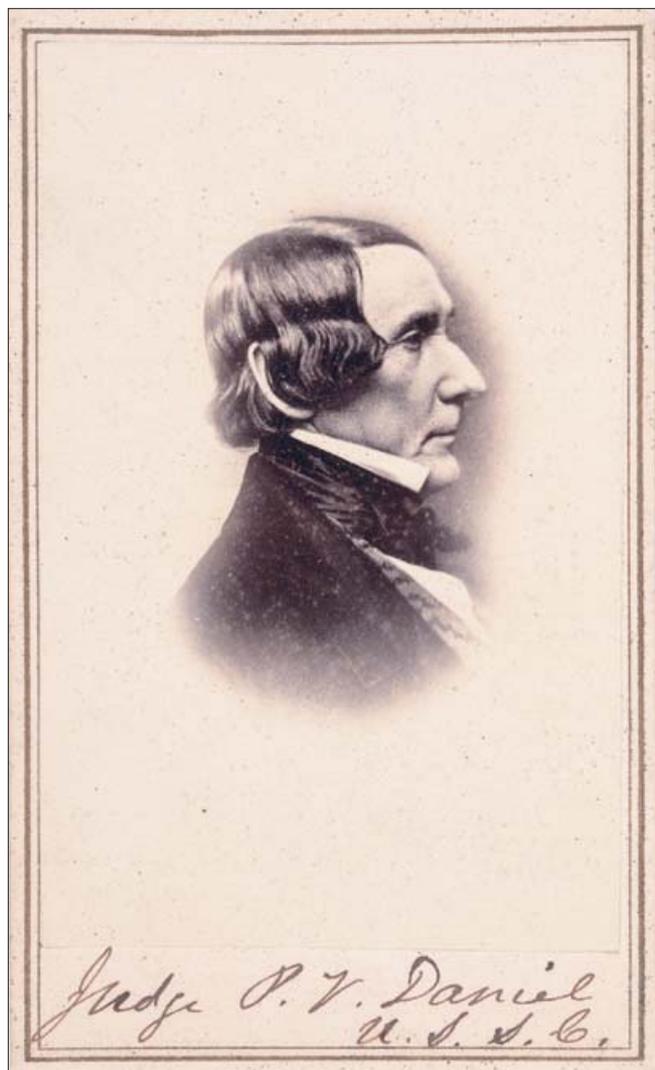
**Hon. Jacob Collamer, United States Senator from Vermont.**

Unidentified after photograph by  
 Mathew B. Brady  
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 Wood engraving, black and white  
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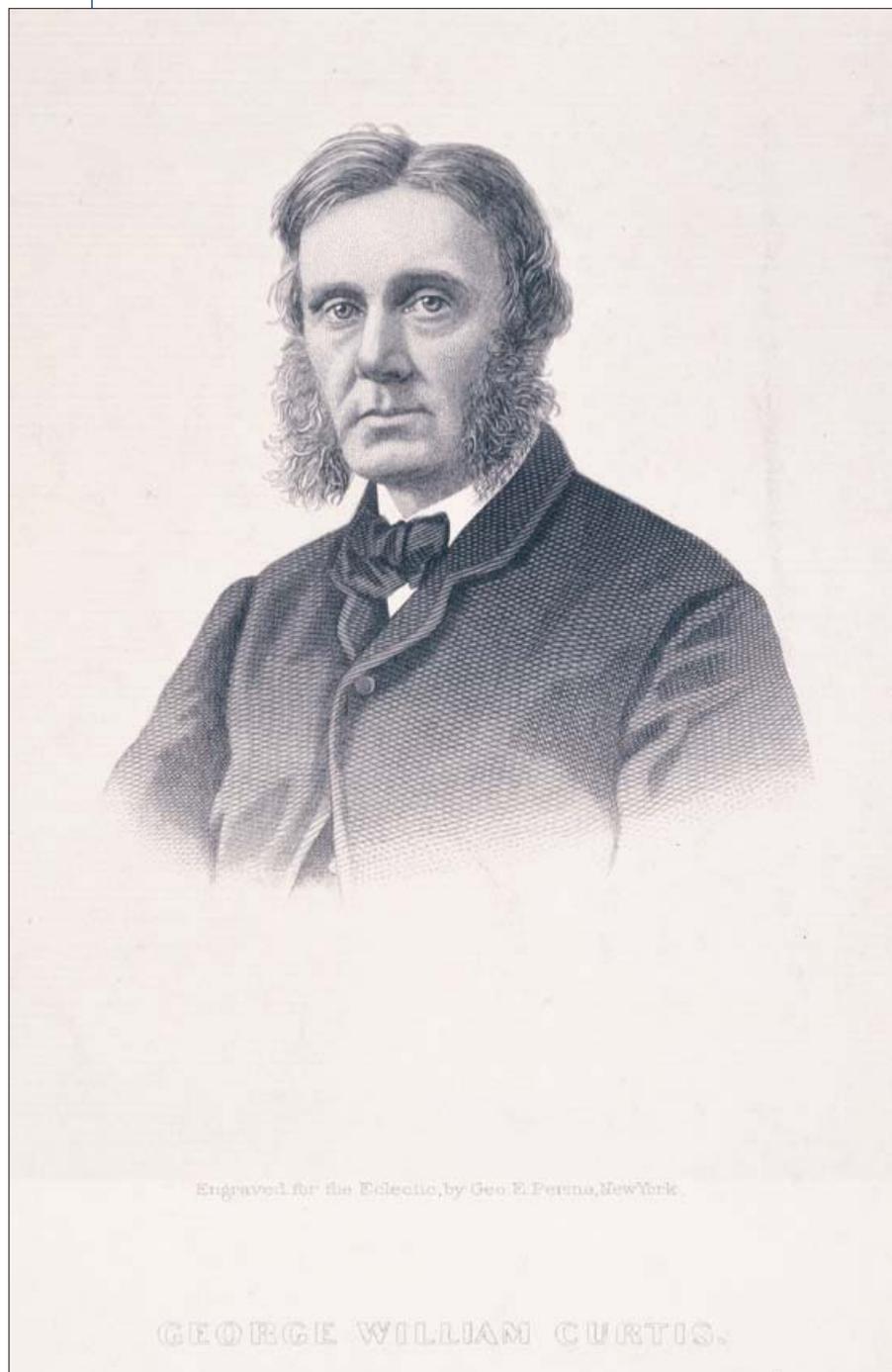
**Roscoe Conkling.**

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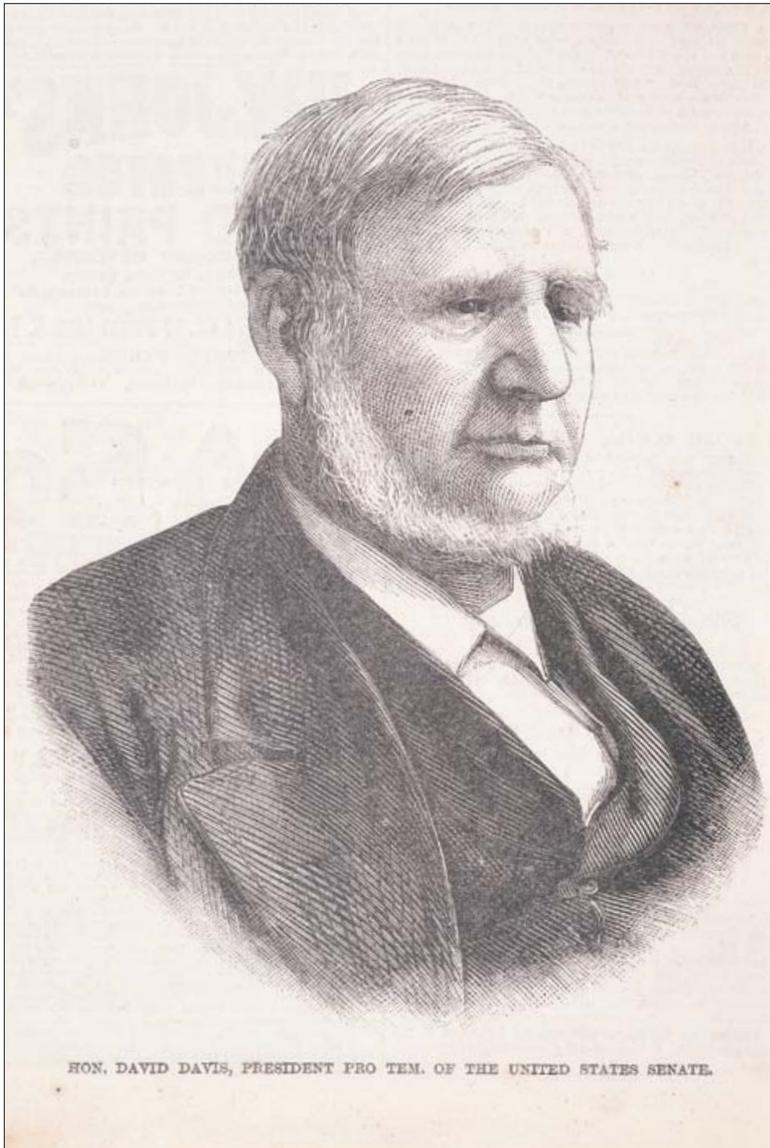
**Judge [Peter]. V. Daniel**

Mathew B. Brady  
 Edward and Henry T. Anthony, ca. 1865  
 Photograph, black and white  
 3 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>16</sub> x 2 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>16</sub> inches (8.1 x 5.6 cm)  
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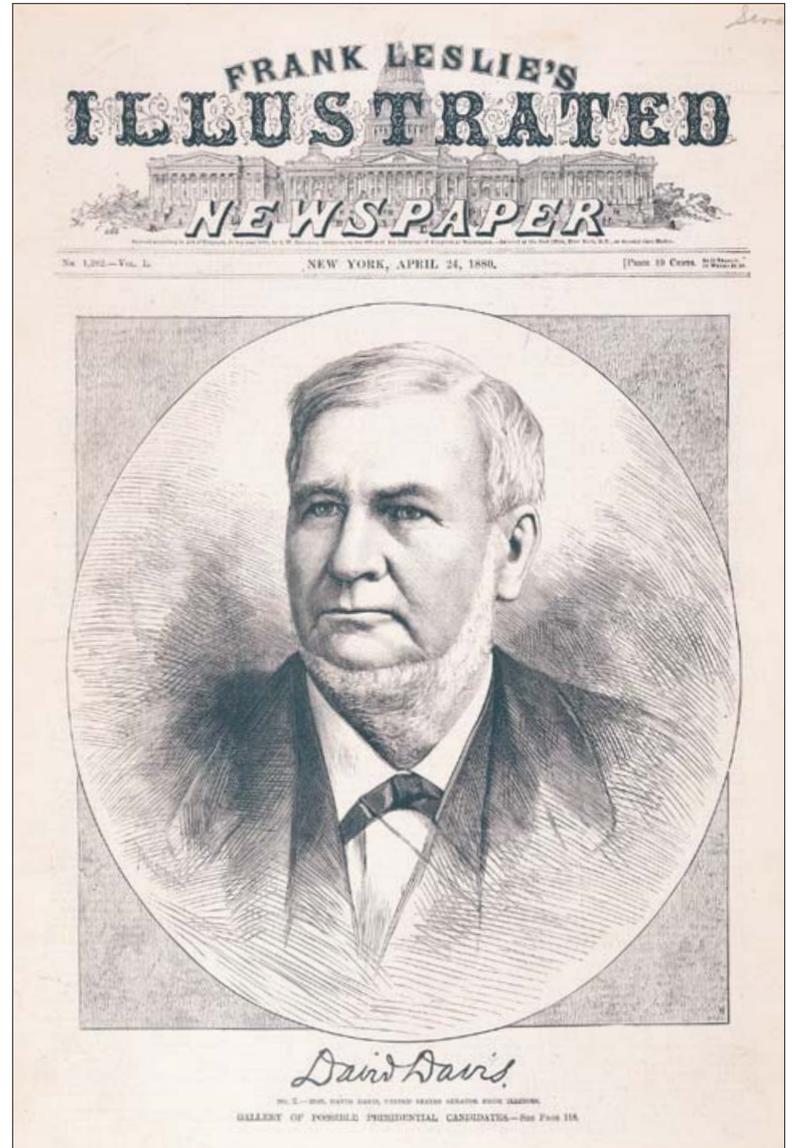
**George William Curtis.**

George E. Perine  
*Eclectic*, 1870  
 Metal engraving, black and white  
 7 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> x 4 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub> inches (18.1 x 11.7 cm)  
 Cat. no. 38.00484.001



**Hon. David Davis, President Pro Tem. of the United States Senate.**

Unidentified  
*Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper*, 10/29/1881  
Wood engraving, black and white  
6 x 4 ¼ inches (15.2 x 12.1 cm)  
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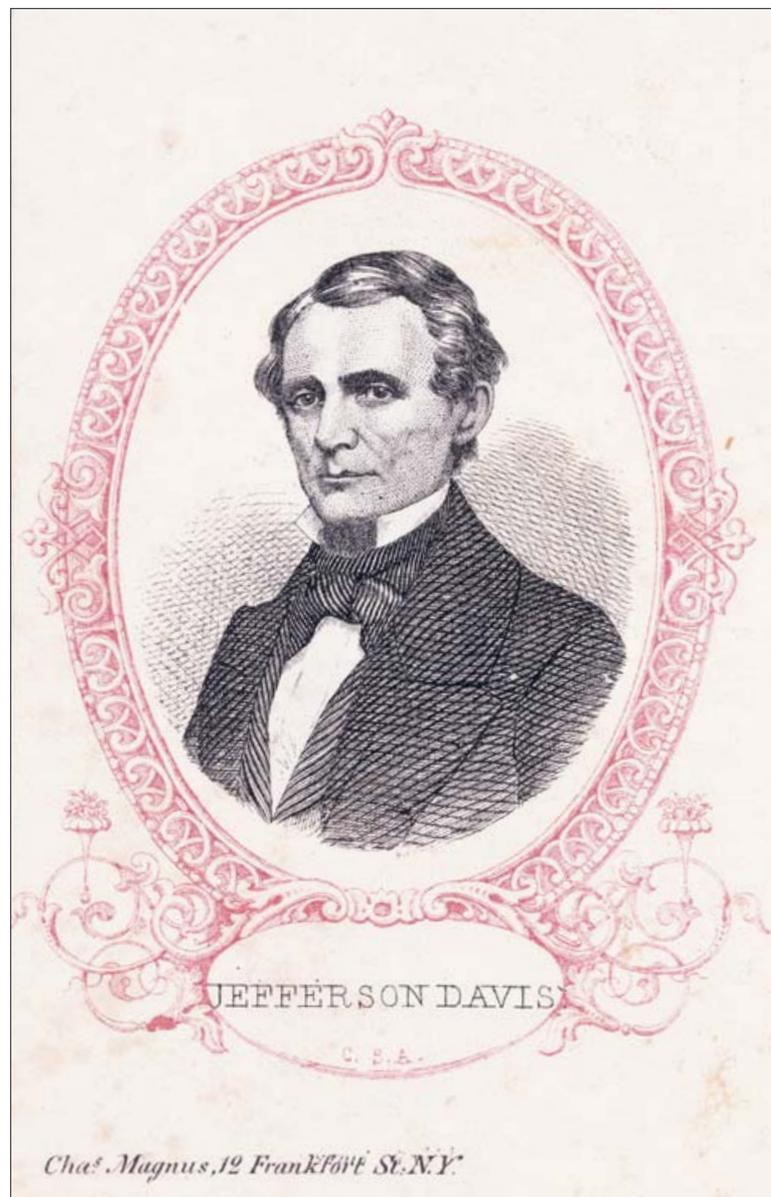
**Gallery of Possible Presidential Candidates. No. 2.—  
Hon. David Davis, United States Senator from Illinois.**

Unidentified after Thure de Thulstrup  
*Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper*, 04/24/1880  
Wood engraving, black and white  
11 ¼ x 9 inches (28.6 x 22.9 cm)  
Cat. no. 38.00862.001



**[Daniel S. Dickinson]**

Mathew B. Brady  
 Unidentified, ca. 1860  
 Photograph, black and white  
 3 ¼ x 2 ½ inches (8.3 x 5.2 cm)  
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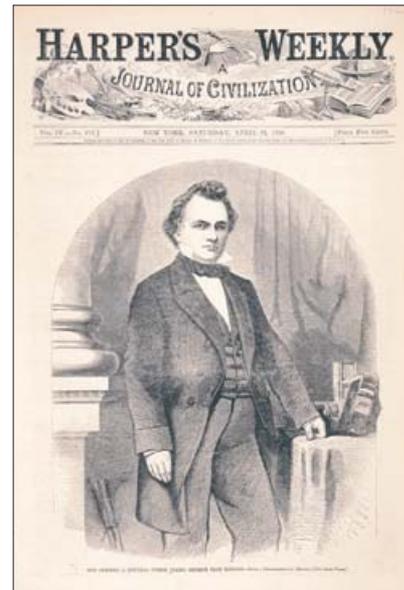
**Jefferson Davis**

Unidentified  
 Charles Magnus, ca. 1861  
 Wood engraving, black and white  
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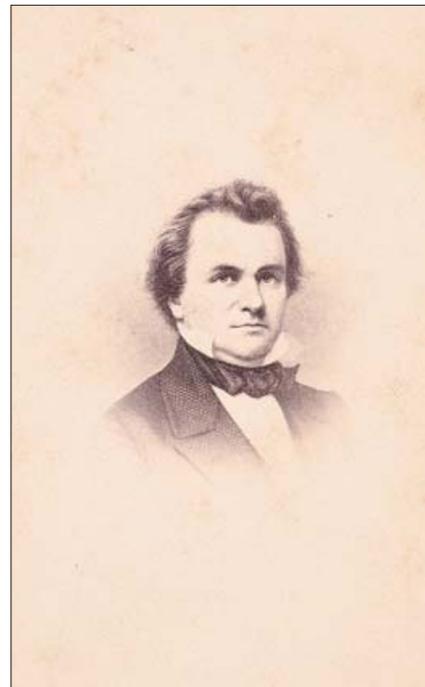
**[Stephen A. Douglas]**

Unidentified  
Middleton, Strobridge & Co., 1864  
Lithograph, colored  
17 x 14 inches (43.2 x 35.6 cm)  
Cat. no. 38.00224.001



**Hon. Stephen A. Douglas, United States Senator from Illinois.**

Unidentified after photograph  
by Mathew B. Brady  
*Harper's Weekly*, 04/21/1860  
Wood engraving, black and white  
11 x 8 <sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub> inches (27.9 x 21.9 cm)  
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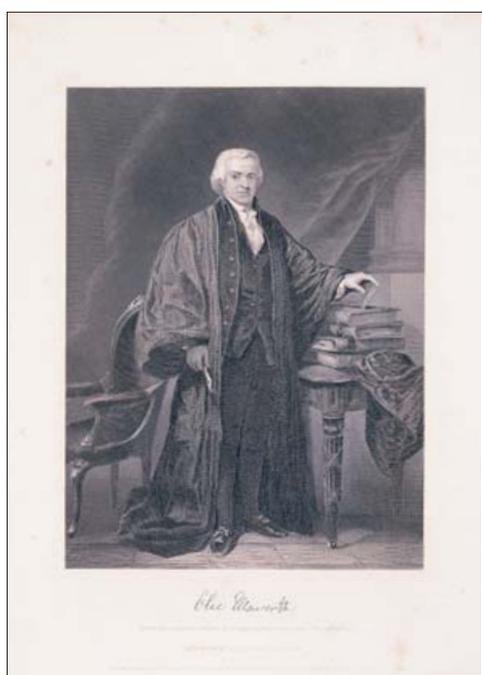
**[Stephen A. Douglas]**

Unidentified  
A. Winch, ca. 1865  
Steel engraving, black and white  
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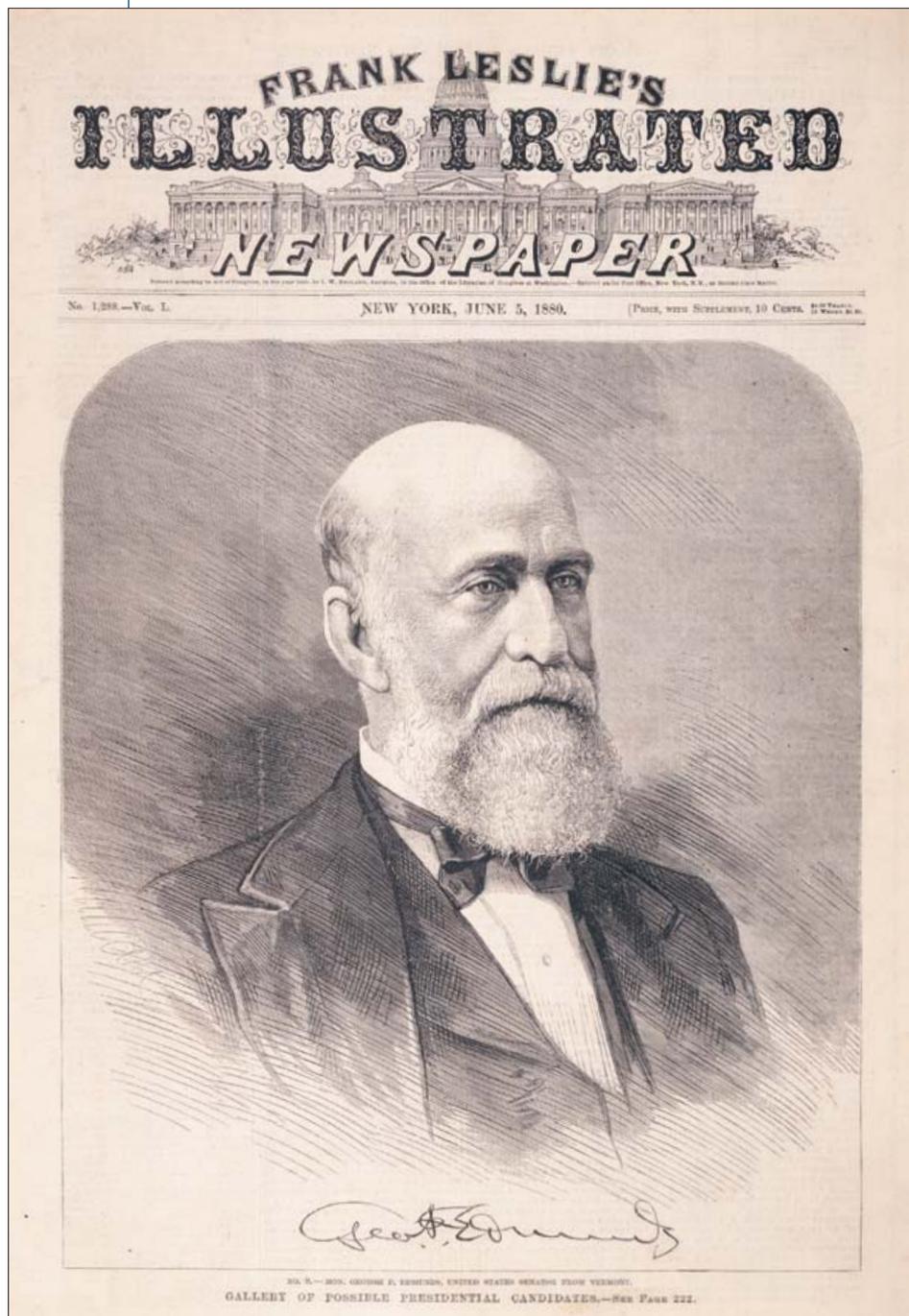
**S[tephen]. A. Douglas**

John C. McRae  
*Abbott's Civil War*, ca. 1875  
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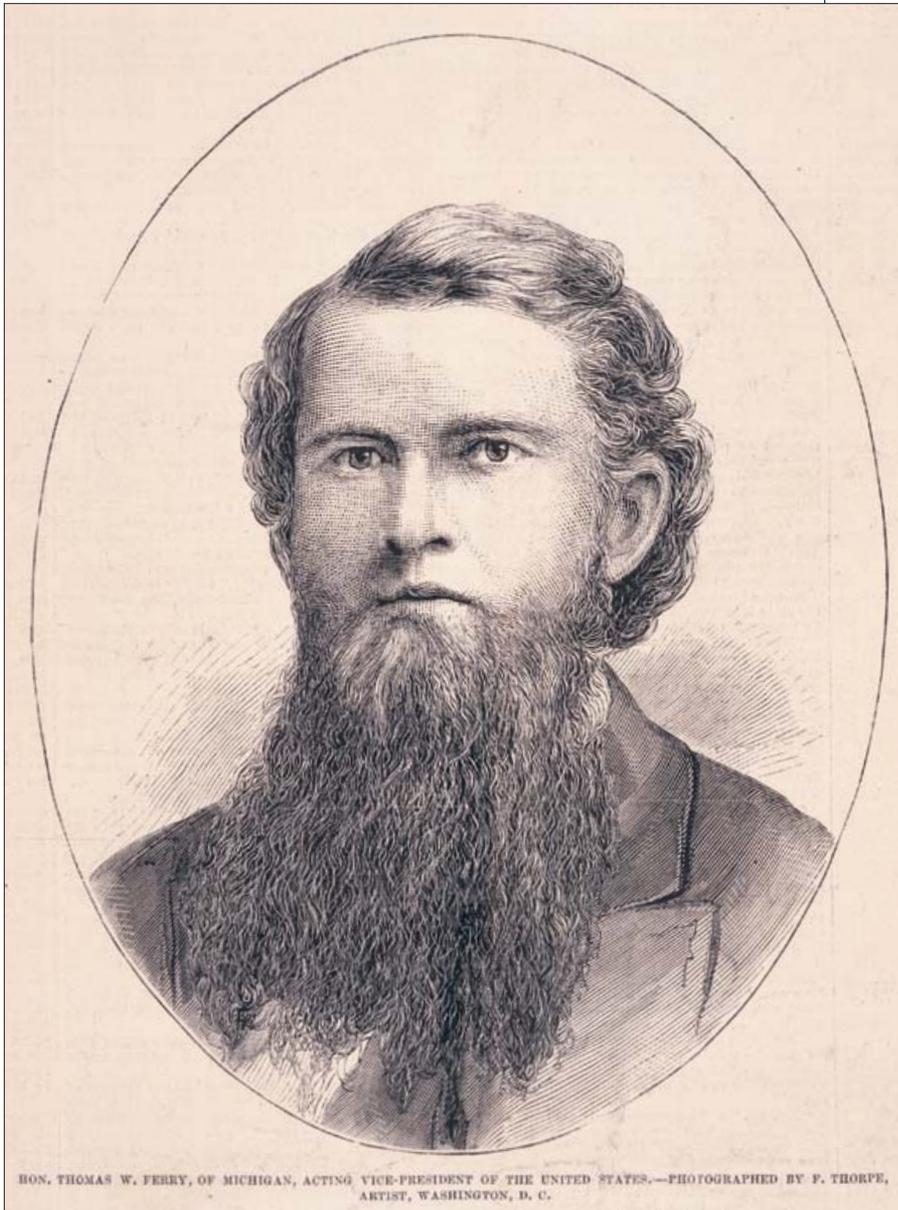
**Olie [Oliver] Ellsworth**

Unidentified after painting by Alonzo Chappel  
 Johnson, Fry & Co., 1863  
 Metal engraving, black and white  
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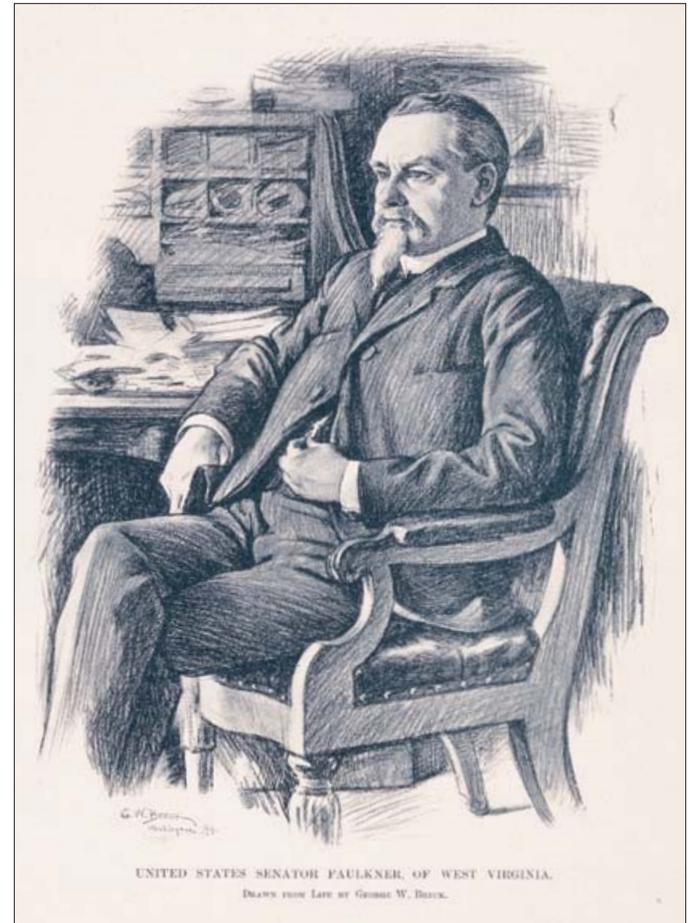
**Gallery of Possible Presidential Candidates. No. 8.—  
 Hon. George F. Edmunds, United States Senator from Vermont.**

Unidentified  
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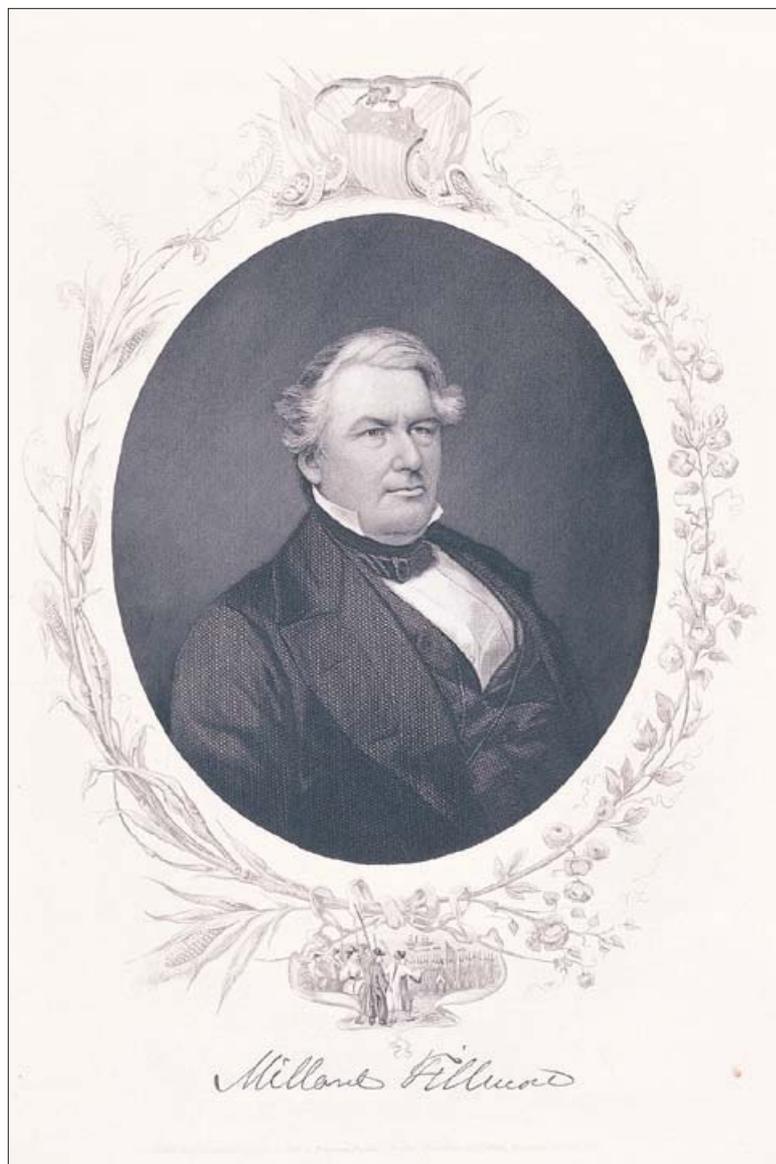
**Hon. Thomas W. Ferry, of Michigan,  
Acting Vice-President of the United States.**

Unidentified after photograph by Freeman Thorpe  
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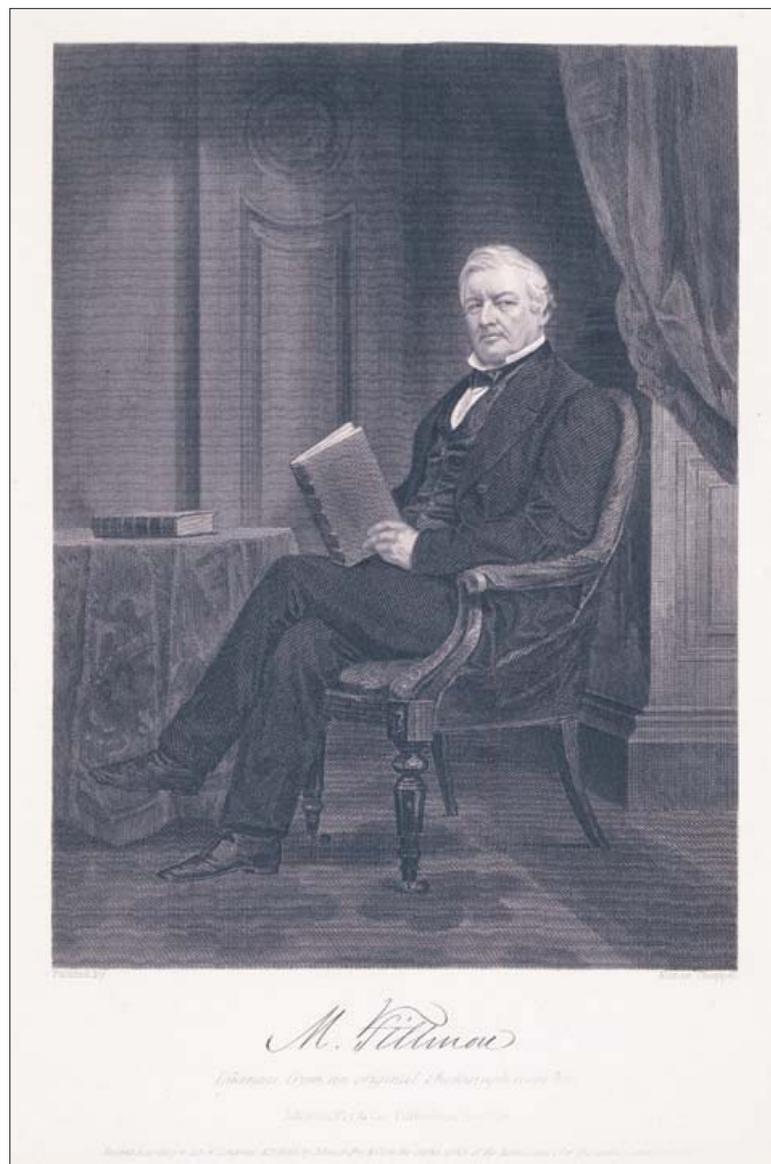
**United States Senator Faulkner, of West Virginia.**

Unidentified after George W. Breck  
*Harper's Weekly*, 11/03/1894  
Halftone, black and white  
8⅜ x 6 inches (21.3 x 15.2 cm)  
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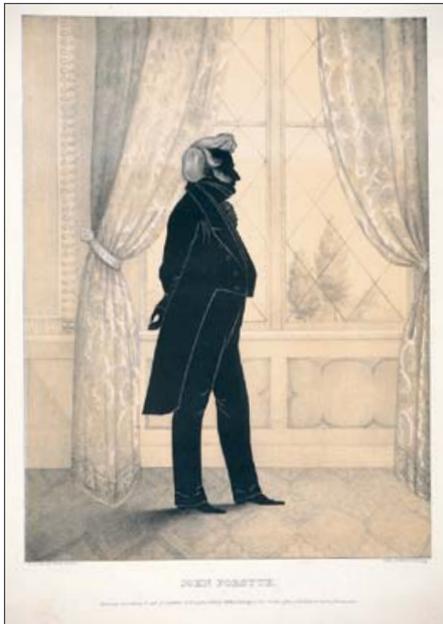
**Millard Fillmore**

Unidentified  
 Johnson, Fry & Co., 1859  
 Metal engraving, black and white  
 9½ x 6¾ inches (24.1 x 17.1 cm)  
 Cat. no. 38.00486.002



**M[illard]. Fillmore**

Unidentified after Alonzo Chappel after photograph  
 Johnson, Fry & Co., 1862  
 Metal engraving, black and white  
 9¼ x 5½ inches (23.0 x 14.0 cm)  
 Cat. no. 38.00485.001



**John Forsyth.**

Edmund Burke Kellogg and Elijah Chapman  
Kellogg after William Henry Brown  
*Portrait Gallery of Distinguished American  
Citizens*, 1845

Lithograph, colored  
14 1/2 x 9 15/16 inches (36.8 x 25.2 cm)  
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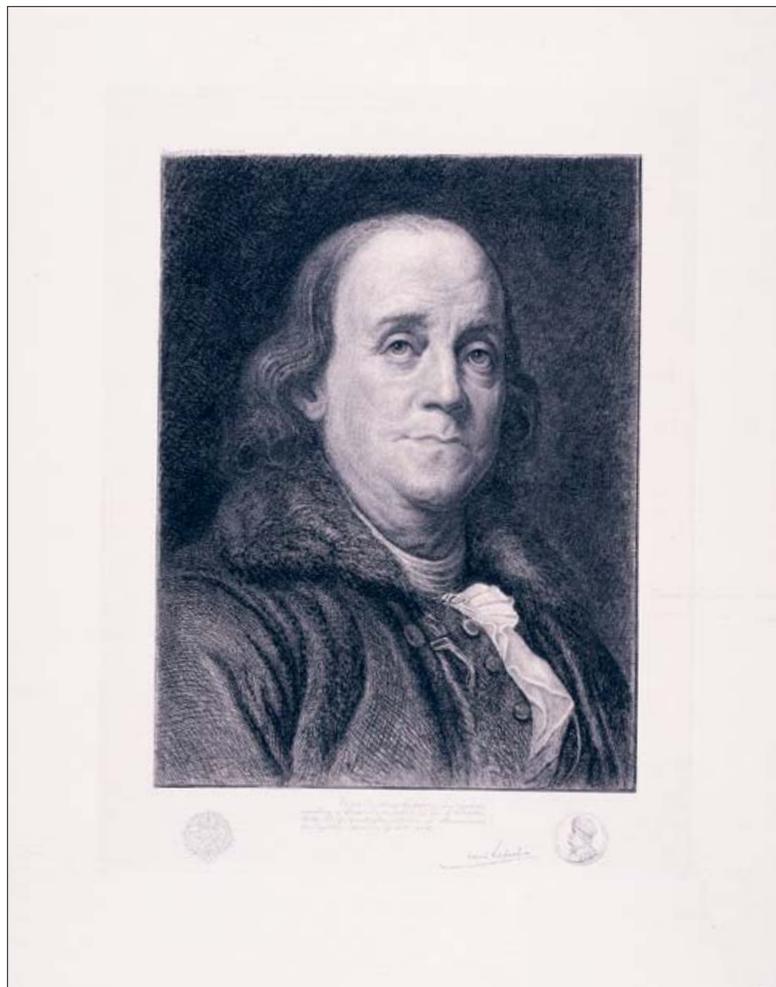
**The Late Chief Justice [Melville W.] Fuller**

Unidentified  
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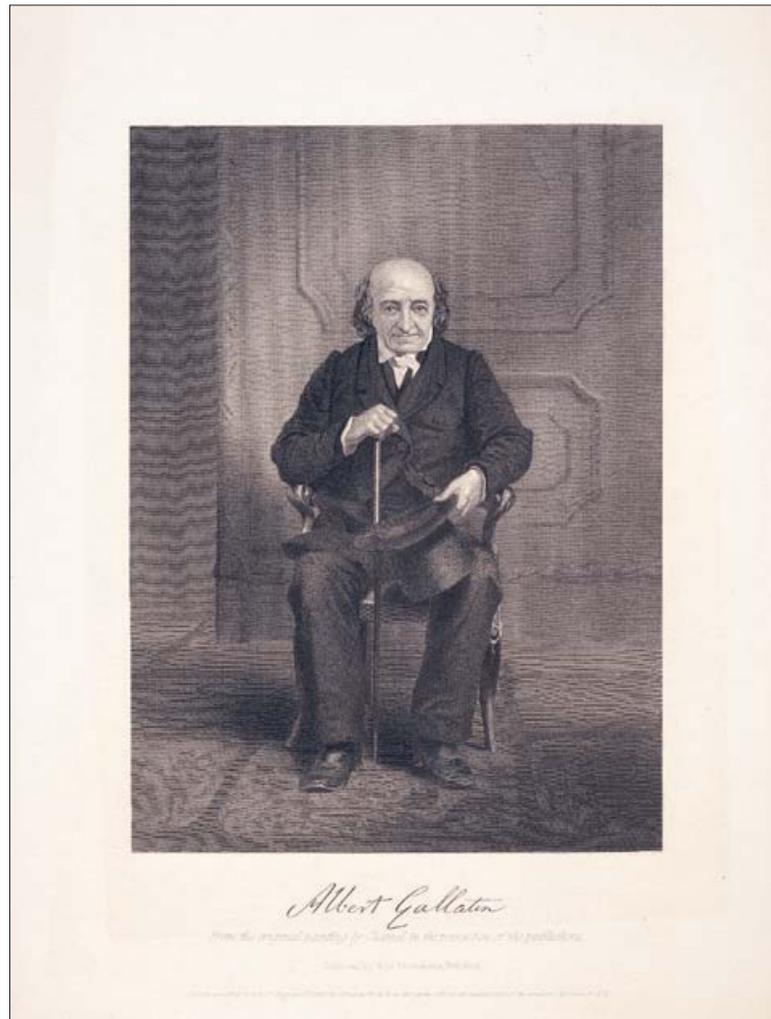
**Judge [Stephen J.] Field**

Mathew B. Brady  
Edward and Henry T. Anthony, ca. 1865  
Photograph, black and white  
3 3/16 x 2 1/8 inches (8.1 x 5.4 cm)  
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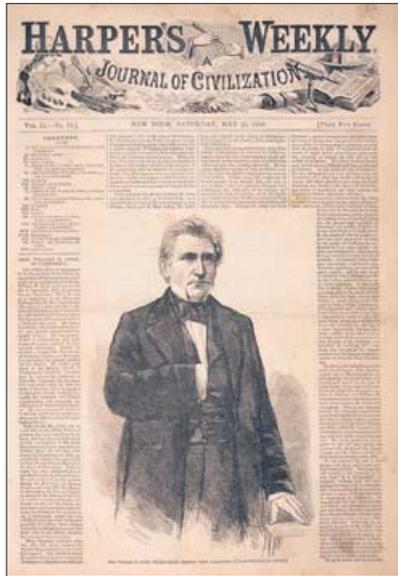
**[Benjamin Franklin]**

Henri Lefort after Joseph S. Duplessis  
 Grolier Club, 1898  
 Etching, black and white  
 18 ¾ x 12 ¼ inches (47.6 x 31.1 cm)  
 Cat. no. 38.00057.001



**Albert Gallatin**

Unidentified after painting by Alonzo Chappel  
 Johnson, Fry & Co., 1862  
 Metal engraving, black and white  
 9 ½ x 5 ½ inches (23.2 x 14.0 cm)  
 Cat. no. 38.00488.001



**Hon. William M. Gwin, United States Senator from California.**

Unidentified after photograph by Mathew B. Brady  
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Wood engraving, black and white  
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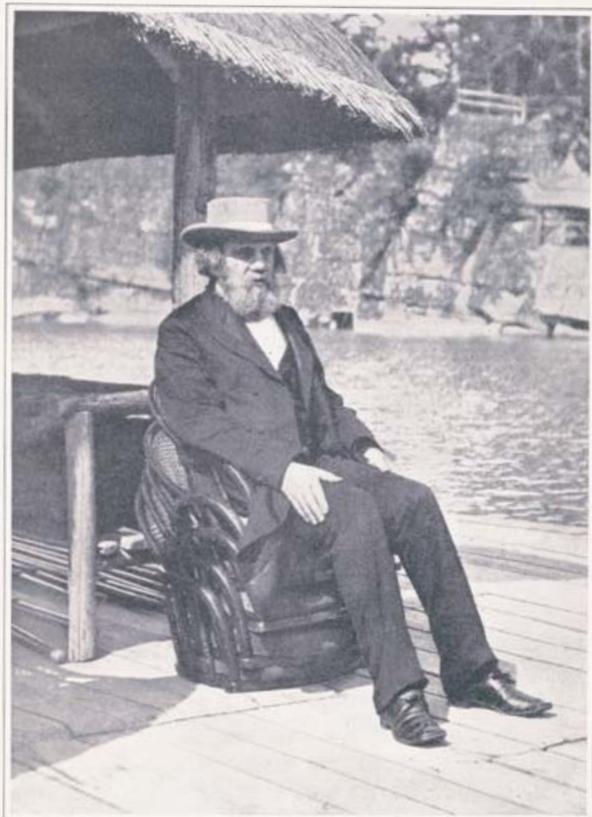
**Judge [Robert C.] Grier**

Mathew B. Brady  
Edward and Henry T. Anthony, ca. 1865  
Photograph, black and white  
3 3/16 x 2 3/16 inches (8.1 x 5.6 cm)  
Cat. no. 38.00721.001



**Felix Grundy.**

Edmund Burke Kellogg and Elijah Chapman Kellogg  
after William Henry Brown  
*Portrait Gallery of Distinguished American Citizens*, 1845  
Lithograph, colored  
14 1/2 x 9 1/16 inches (36.8 x 24.6 cm)  
Cat. no. 38.00070.001



EDWARD EVERETT HALE, NEW CHAPLAIN OF THE SENATE

*Dr. Edward Everett Hale, the serene Puritan scholar and writer, has been chosen Chaplain of the Senate by senator William H. Williams, who died last week. The new chaplain assumed his office on January 1. Dr. Hale is in his eightieth year, and has been pastor of the South Congregational Church in Boston for almost half a century. He is best known as the author of "The Man Without a Fault," one of the most widely distributed of modern books. In addition to his activity in editorial and literary work, Dr. Hale has been prominent in such enterprises as the "Chamberlain" series and "Lord of the Manor" club.*

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**Edward Everett Hale, New Chaplain of the Senate**

Unidentified  
 Unidentified, 1904  
 Halftone, black and white  
 10 x 7 inches (25.4 x 17.8 cm)  
 Cat. no. 38.00973.001



GEN'L. JOSEPH R. HAWLEY.  
 United States Senator,

**Gen'l. Joseph R. Hawley. United States Senator**

Unidentified  
 Unidentified, ca. 1880  
 Photograph, black and white  
 4 5/8 x 2 13/16 inches (11.7 x 7.1 cm)  
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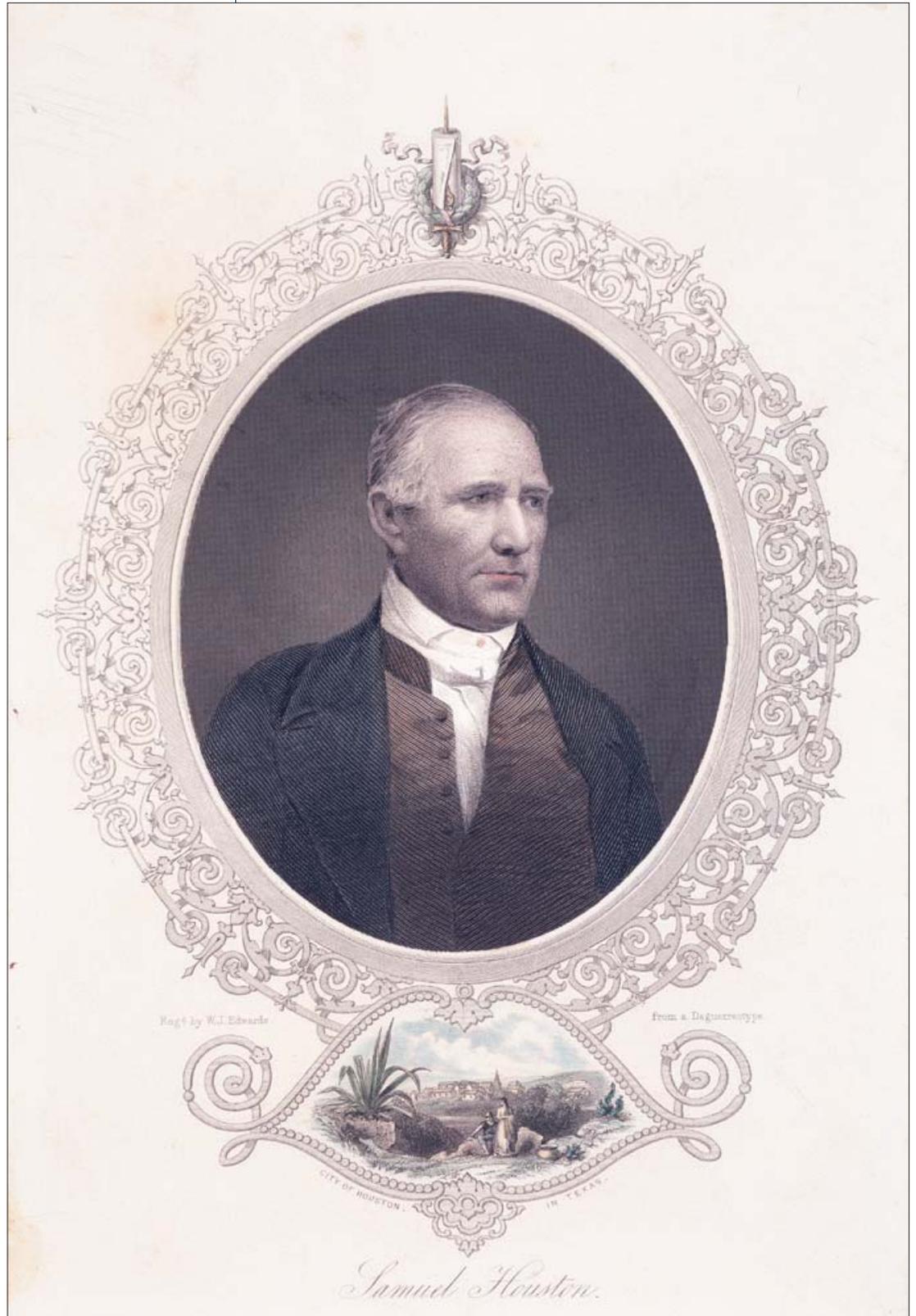
**Hon. John P. Hale, United States Senator from New Hampshire.**

Unidentified after S. W. after photograph by Mathew B. Brady  
*Harper's Weekly*, 04/24/1858  
 Wood engraving, black and white  
 9 3/4 x 6 1/8 inches (24.8 x 15.6 cm)  
 Cat. no. 38.00825.001



**William Henry Harrison.**

Edmund Burke Kellogg and Elijah Chapman Kellogg  
 after William Henry Brown  
*Portrait Gallery of Distinguished American Citizens*, 1845  
 Lithograph, colored  
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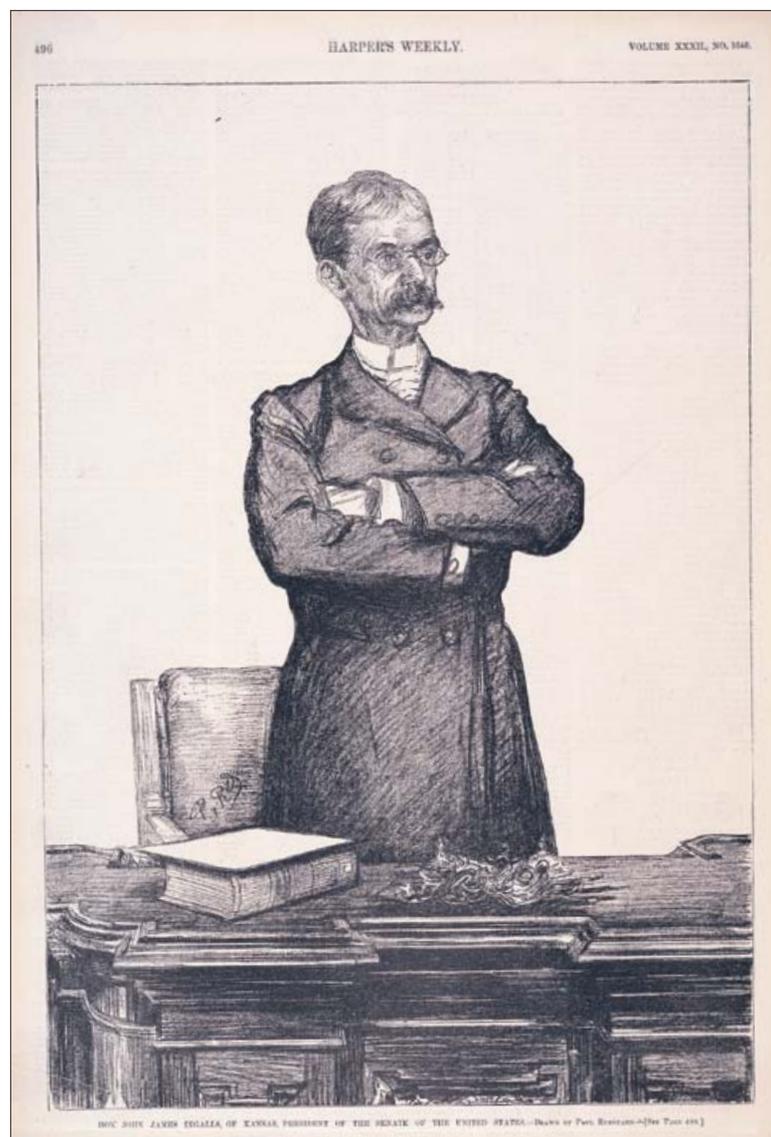
**Samuel Houston**

W.J. Edwards after daguerreotype  
 Unidentified, 1856  
 Steel engraving, hand-colored  
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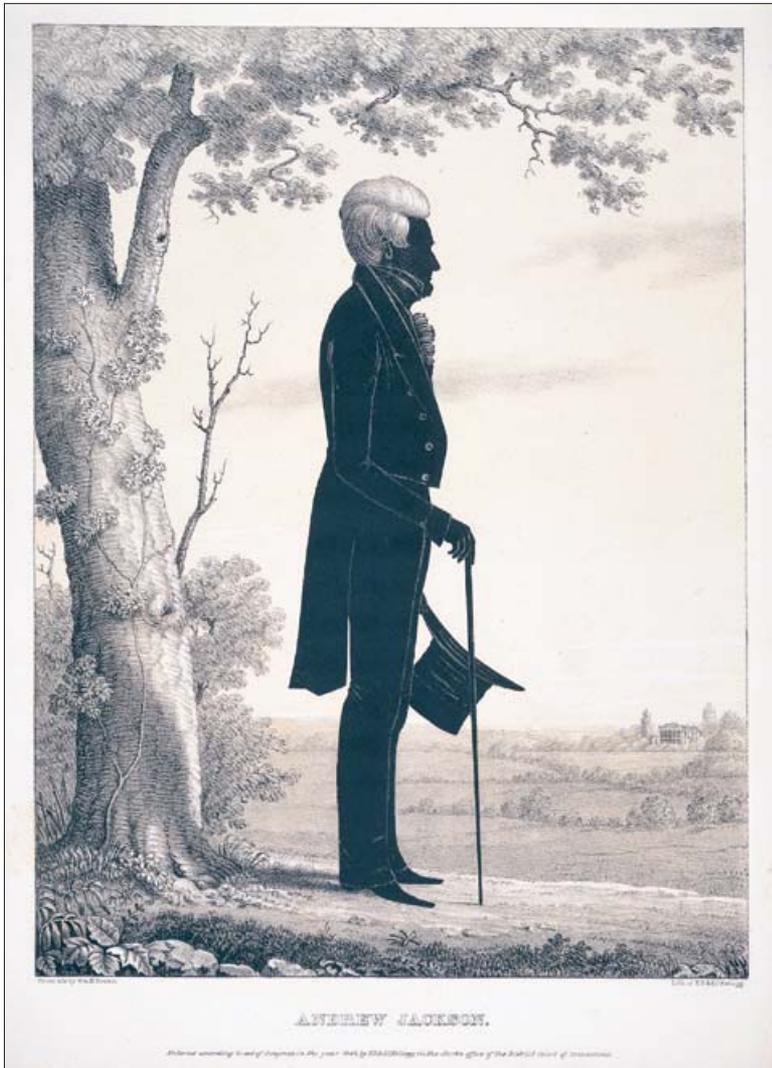
**Hon. Robert M. T. Hunter, United States Senator from Virginia.**

Unidentified after A. F. after photograph by Mathew B. Brady  
*Harper's Weekly*, 03/10/1860  
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 9 1/16 x 5 7/8 inches (23.0 x 14.9 cm)  
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**Hon. John James Ingalls, of Kansas,  
 President of the Senate of the United States.**

Unidentified after Paul Renouard  
*Harper's Weekly*, 07/07/1888  
 Lithograph, black and white  
 14 x 9 5/16 inches (35.6 x 23.7 cm)  
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**Andrew Jackson.**

Edmund Burke Kellogg and Elijah Chapman Kellogg  
after William Henry Brown  
*Portrait Gallery of Distinguished American Citizens*, 1845  
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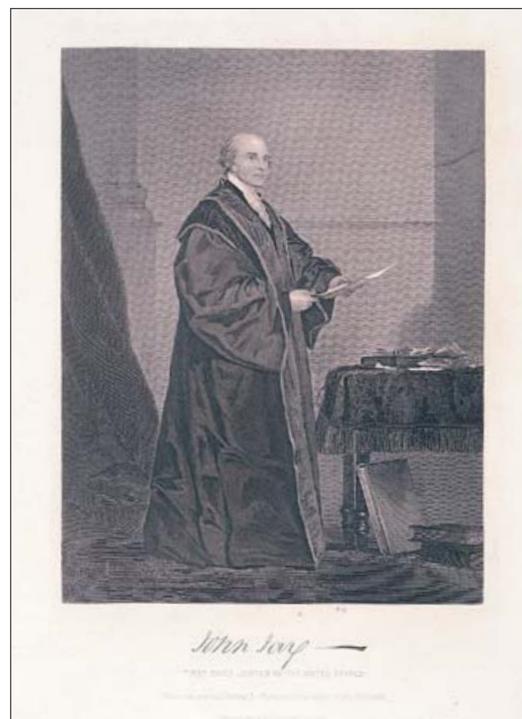
**[Andrew Jackson]**

Unidentified  
Middleton, Strobridge & Co., 1864  
Lithograph, colored  
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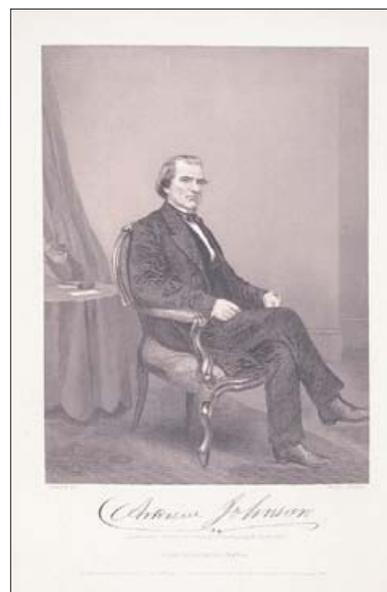
**Richard Mentor Johnson.**

Edmund Burke Kellogg and Elijah Chapman Kellogg  
after William Henry Brown  
*Portrait Gallery of Distinguished American Citizens*, 1845  
Lithograph, black and white  
14 3/4 x 9 13/16 inches (37.5 x 24.9 cm)  
Cat. no. 38.00072.001



**John Jay—First Chief Justice of the United States.**

Unidentified after Alonzo Chappel  
Johnson, Fry & Co., 1862  
Metal engraving, black and white  
9 x 5 3/8 inches (22.9 x 13.7 cm)  
Cat. no. 38.00800.001



**Andrew Johnson**

Unidentified after Alonzo Chappel  
after photograph  
Johnson, Fry & Co., 1864  
Metal engraving, black and white  
9 3/16 x 5 1/2 inches (23.3 x 14.0 cm)  
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