

## **Advertisement for Frederick Coombs, 26 July 1850**

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☞ A CARD.—FRED. COOMBS, Daguerrean has received invoices and bills of lading per Express of the costliest variety of Daguerrean Goods. Office at present corner of Sacramento and Montgomery street.

Sub-Marine Dresses expected. Owners for a fine trunk and chemicals wanted. jy26-4\*

**[End of text.]**

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#### **EDITOR'S NOTES:**

This is the earliest reference for Coombs in the San Francisco press located by the present editor.

See also the advertisement for Coombs in *Daily Alta California* (San Francisco) 1:245 (3 October 1850): n.p. (third page of issue).<sup>1</sup>

Additional information regarding Coombs is found in Peter E. Palmquist and Thomas R. Kailbourn, *Pioneer Photographers of the Far West: A Biographical Dictionary, 1840-1865* (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2000): 181–83.

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