MARRIED:

In Brooklyn, on the 20th inst. by Rev. M. W. Jacobus, Mr. JOHN T. CORNING to Miss ELIZABETH H. daughter of Robert Atwater, Esq. of Brooklyn.

DIED:

In this City, yesterday morning, in the 32d year of her age, AUGUSTA M. wife of Edward D. Sprague.

The friends of her husband and family are invited to attend her funeral from the residence of her brother, A. G. Stevens, 59 Johnson-st. Brooklyn, this afternoon at 3½ o'clock. Carriages will be in waiting at the Fulton Ferry, in Brooklyn, at 3½ o'clock.

At his residence in Ulster Co. on the 13th inst. GREEN MILLER, M. D. brother of Silvanus Miller, Esq. of this City, in the 79th year of his age.

Dr. Miller was a native of East Hampton, Long Island, whence he removed in his boyhood, with his father's family, to Ulster County, upon the close of the Revolutionary War. He was an active medical practitioner for fifty years, and has filled various public situations, as representative of the County in the Legislature during several terms. He was highly esteemed for his professional skill, the kindness of his disposition, and the purity of his character.

On the 22d inst. of congestion of the lungs, MARY ALICE, aged 9 months, daughter of Owen G. and Caroline M. Hanks.

On Saturday, 20th inst. at his residence near Baltimore, in the 51st year of his age, GEORGE H. NEWMAN, Consul for Brazil, and long known as an active and useful merchant of Baltimore.

FIRE IN PENFIELD.—On Wednesday last, the 17th inst. at half-past 4 o'clock A. M. the dwelling house of Elder Thomas Parker, a Free Will Baptist Clergyman, in East Penfield, took fire and was consumed with all its contents, the family barely escaping with their lives. So sudden was the fire, and such progress had it made before discovery, that they were compelled to rush out of the house, some of them nearly suffocated, without any attempt to recover their wearing apparel. Seven persons, Elder Parker, his wife, son, and daughter, and three others, composed the family. Loss estimated at $1000 to $1500. Insured $600. [Roch. Amer.

COMMERCIAL AND MONEY MATTERS.

For Sales of Stocks, see Fourth Page.

TUESDAY, P. M.

The tendency of Stocks to-day was downward, but the changes were not important.

In Bills there is not much doing, and rates are without change. Sterling 3@4¼; Frances 5.46¼@5.45.

The market for Freights is very firm, and several vessels were taken for Ireland at 26½@27d. To Liverpool the Ohio obtained a full cargo at 28. and 27d. and it was reported that the Rainbow was offered a full cargo at 26d. in bulk. Some engagements were made at 26d. and 27d. was freely offered. A brig was taken for Sligo at 27d. and a vessel to arrive at 26d. for Ireland.—Cotton is entirely nominal. Heavy freight was taken at 40c. To Havre the Oneida filled up at $1 75 for Flour. To Hamburg some Flour was shipped at $2, and 50 cts. was asked for Grain to Antwerp.

Later accounts from Boston state that the steamer has $2,100,000 in specie.

The advices from the Continent in relation to money are that the rates had fallen off about 1 per cent. In Hamburg and Bremen the rate was 3@3½ per cent.

The second payment of interest on the State debt of Illinois was made to-day at the American Exchange Bank.

The Berkshire Woolen Co. at Great Barrington, Mass. have declared a dividend of 10 per cent. upon their capital stock, payable on the 10th of April next.

The receipts on the Madison and Indianapolis Railroad for Feb. 1847, were $7,050 40
Same month last year 5,897 26
Increase $1,153 14

or 20 per cent. The whole length of the Road from Madison to Indianapolis is 86 miles, of which 56 miles only are as yet completed. The remaining 30 miles will be finished and in operation in all the month of May next.

The business of the Georgia Railroad during the week ending March 13, 1847, was as follows:

Passengers	$2,547 67	Mail	769 46
Freight	6,051 92		
Total			$9,369 05

By reference to our Market report it will be seen that the transactions in Breadstuffs and Salted Meats to-day have been very large. Large operations in Corn were made, to arrive during the coming season of navigation at prices which will pay the producer a handsome profit. A larger portion of the gains on the next season's business will go into the pockets of the Western farmer than has usually been the case in high price times, and this is the best feature of the business.

The demand for Dry Goods during the present season has been so large that but few have found their way into the auction room, which is a certain indication that there is no surplus stock. The prices obtained have been remunerating, and the importing business thus far has paid well. The buyers from the South and West have appeared and are buying to fair extent. The payments in general have been satisfactory, and the high price which all produce bears this year will enable the country dealer to meet his engagements with promptness.

The supplies of foreign cloths and cassimeres are light, particularly blue and fancy colors, and prices are something higher than last fall. American cloths are also higher and not plenty. Staple goods of English and French fabrics are also in only moderate supply, and the demand this season will probably reduce the stocks of importers much below the usual average. Prints are in good demand, but lower than early in the season. Domestic goods are rather lower than in January, as the raw material has declined. The demand is fair and the stocks not large. Spinners are expecting a large inquiry from India. In relation to Silk, the Dry Goods Reporter says:

Raw silk is now imported in considerable quantities from Italy, Smyrna, China and Calcutta, to be manufactured into sewings. That from China and Italy is the best. The Bengal from Calcutta ranks the poorest. A large importing house in Boston gives particular attention to this matter. They make the Rose brand, which, in quality and beauty of appearance, nearly if not quite equals the finest Italian. The article is now sold extensively throughout the country.

The act passed by the late Legislature of Illinois for refunding the debt of that State, provides that the Governor shall receive the Internal Improvement bonds and other evidences of debt outstanding against the State, except the Macalister and Stebbins bonds and Canal bonds and scrip, and shall give in exchange other certificates of indebtedness, equal in amount with the amount surrendered. This stock is to be called "New Internal Improvement Stock of the State of Illinois."—For interest in arrear on the evidences of debt surrendered, certificates are to be issued of a denomination not less than $500, bearing 6 per cent. interest from January 1, 1847, and redeemable at the pleasure of the State after 1877. The new certificates are to be made payable in dollars and cents in the City of New-York—the interest to be paid semi-annually. No interest coupons are to be attached to the new certificates, but the rate and time of payment are to be set forth in the body of the certificate. Books of transfer will be kept in New-York and in Springfield, Illinois. Evidences of debt not surrendered within eighteen months after notice of the State's readiness to make the exchange, shall thereafter not be entitled to the benefits of any law which may be passed to pay interest on the State debt.

This measure has been adopted with a view to ascertain the actual amount and character of the debt, preparatory to a more united and vigorous exertion for its payment, and to enable the Convention, about to assemble to amend the State Constitution, to make some adequate constitutional provision for the payment of the principal when due, the accruing interest and interest in arrears.

At Boston the Money Market has been easier.—The transactions in dividend stocks have been to a fair extent, as there has been a steady demand for investment. The Railway Share market closed on Saturday at the following quotations:

		Offered.	Asked.
Lowell Railroad,	par $500	585	587½
Nashua do	do 100	130	130½
Concord do	do 50	68½	69
Fitchburg do	do 100	122½	123½
Worcester do	do 100	113½	116½
Western do	do 100	100½	101½
Maine do	do 100	109½	110½
Providence do	do 100	103½	104½
Eastern do	do 100	107½	108
Portland do	do 100	100½	101
Old Colony do	do 100	98½	99

A short branch Railroad, thirteen miles in length, is to be built immediately, to connect the Worcester and Nashua road with the Nashua and Lowell, at a point about three miles above Lowell City. This is calculated to draw of a portion of the business at present enjoyed by the Boston roads. This line, when finished, with the Essex road now building from Lowell to the new City of Lawrence, and connecting with the Maine road, will form one continuous inland route from Portland to Worcester, and its radiating branches.

The water was admitted into the Girard Canal on Saturday last, and the line is now open as far as Mt Carbon. Several coal boats have already proceeded up to Schuylkill Co. to load with coal for New-York.

The commerce of the Lakes is expanding with great rapidity. More than 100,000 tons will be added to the Lake marine during the present Spring and Summer.

AUCTION SALES OF VESSELS.

By L. M. Hoffman & Co.—Ship Navigator, $23,500.
By Gerard, Butts & Co.—Schr. S. H. Dillingham, $750.

SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

By Wm. H. Franklin & Son.—House and lot 112 Broadway, 37.6x149, $50,150.

BROOKLYN.—1 lot on State-st. between Hoyt and Smith sts. 25x100, $6,300; 1 lot on Atlantic-st. rear of above, 25x75, $2,900; 1 lot on Bond, near Bergen-st. 25x75, $400; 1 lot corner Wyckoff and Bond sts. 25x75, $290; 1 lot adjoining, same size, $175; 1 lot on S. W. corner Wyckoff and Bond sts. 25x75, $295; 1 lot on Bond-st. adjoining, same size, $180; 1 lot adjoining, same size, $175; 1 do do, $165; 2 do do, $175 each, $350.

By James Cole.—Anderson's Hotel at Hempstead, 140 x210, $5,175.

BROOKLYN.—House and lot 287 Adams-st. 25x100, $1,600; do do 289 do, same size, $1,550; do do 111 Concord-st. 20x137, $1,700; do do 99 Sands-st. 25x100, $2,380; do do 196 York-st. 20x75, $1,600; do do 19 Talman-st. 20 x47, $1,000; lot on DeKalb-avenue, near Cumberland-st. 25.6x92, $300; lot corner Flushing-avenue and Cumberland-st. 29.2x101.8, $275.

Markets—*Carefully reported for The Tribune.*

TUESDAY, March 23.

ASHES—The sales of Pots are 150 bbls at $4 87½, at which the market is firm. Pearls are 6 25, with sales 100 bbls.

COTTON—There has been nothing done in this article to day whereby to test the effect of the late news on the market. The only sale we heard of was a small lot of 120 bales New-Orleans on the dock at a decline of half a cent ⅌ ℔ from the prices of last Saturday.—Freight on Cotton for Liverpool is entirely nominal.

THE COTTON CROP.—We find in the Augusta Constitutionalist the following statement of the comparative receipts of Cotton, the present compared with last year:

EXCESS OF RECEIPTS OVER LAST SEASON, AT

Charleston	113,581 bales,	av'g 399 lbs.	40,889,160 lbs
Savannah	93,041 "	" 415 "	37,612,015 "
Total	206,622 bales.		78,501,175 lbs

DECREASE AT

N. Orleans	161,322 bales,	av'g 450 lbs.	71,594,900 lbs
Mobile	67,016 "	" 489 "	32,785,484 "
Florida	3,191 "	" 415 "	1,324,265 "
Virginia	1,121 "	" 360 "	403,200 "
N. Carolina	933 "	" 360 "	335,880 "
Total	233,612 bales.		107,433,729 lbs

The Constitutionalist says: "It will be seen that the only increase in receipts is at Charleston and Savannah, (206,622 bales) while the falling off at New-Orleans, Mobile, Florida, Virginia and North Carolina exhibits a deficiency of 273,612, making the decrease in this year's crop, compared with last, 26,990 bales. By the addition of the receipts at Texas, (last year's not being included in our tables,) the deficiency in bales is about 22,700.—By the table we subjoin, it will be seen, however, that while the deficiency in bales, as mentioned above, is only 22,700, if we take the weights of the increased and decreased receipts—averaging the latter at 450 lbs to the bale, and deducting the receipts of Texas, the deficiency in this year's crop is actually 91,300 bales, as compared with last year."

FLOUR AND MEAL—The market for parcels for immediate delivery, is not active, and prices are a little lower than yesterday. About 3000 bbls Michigan Oswego and Genesee changed hands at 7 06@7 25. To arrive there was an active inquiry, and prices for May delivery were rather better. We notice sales 12,000 bbls to arrive in May at 6 12½@6 25, a considerable portion for France, and 2000 bbls to arrive on the opening of the River at 7 12½. There was also a sale of 600 bbls fancy Ohio at 7 25, and 1000 do to arrive in May at 6 25. For Southern the demand is also better, and we note sales 2000 bbls Philadelphia at 6 50; 1000 do Fredericksburg at 6 50, and a parcel of Balt. at 6 62½. Meal continues in fair demand, and the sales reach 9000 to 10,000 bbls at $5. part to arrive. At the close some parcels could be had at 4 87½. There was also a sale of 1000 bbls Brooklyn Meal on private terms, and 1000 bbls Rye Flour at 4 75@4 87½. Brandywine Meal is held at 5 12½ in bbls, 22 50 in hhds.

GRAIN—The large demand for Corn continues, and the sales to-day are unprecedentedly large in our experience. The transactions are not less than 200,000 bushels. Of the sales there were 50,000 bushels Western to arrive in July and August at 75 cents; 60,000 do in May and June at 75@82½, and 3000 do middle of April at 92 cts. On the spot 3000 bushels White for distilling at 85 cts; 7000 or 8000 do mixed at 87½@90; 30,000 do Southern Yellow at 93@96, and 60,000 do Northern at 95@98 cts, mostly at 95 cents. A sale of 50,000 bushels is reported made on Saturday at 70 cents, deliverable any time before close of navigation. There has been some inquiry for Wheat, and 2000 bushels Pennsylvania sold at 130 cents, for milling; 135 was bid for red Jersey. A sale of 50,000 bushels Western Wheat, to arrive, came within 2 cents per bushels of consummation. There was an inquiry for Rye for the Continent, and 20,000 bushels were taken, to arrive, at 90 cents. Oats are a little better, with good demand. Sales Jersey at 42@43; River 44@46 cents. Beans and Peas are held a little higher. The latter, 1 25 to arrive.

WHISKY—There are but few bbls offering. The market is nominally 27½ cents. Drudge is held at 28 cts.

SEEDS—Clover is dull and new cannot be sold for more than 8 cents. Rough Flax is nominally $12 50.—Timothy is also dull.

GROCERIES—We notice sales to-day of 400 hhds New Orleans Sugars at 7½ cts. and a cargo of Trinidad Molasses, 280 hhds, at 31 cents, 4 mos. Coffee is quiet.

RICE—About 150 tierces Rice changed hands to day at $4 50 for good, and a small lot very prime at $5.

HONEY—Cuba is now held at 50 cts per gallon.

GUM COPAL—We notice a sale of 56,000 lbs on terms not made public.

NAVAL STORES—There have been sales of 430 bbls Spirits Turpentine at 41 cents, cash.

LEAD—Sales 1,500 pigs at $4 25, cash.

STEARINE—A sale of 50 tierces prime White has been made at 8¾ cents, cash.

TALLOW—The supplies are small and the market nominally 8¼@9 cents, cash.

PROVISIONS—For Pork there has been but a moderate demand, and the sales have been 400 or 500 bbls at previous rates, 912 25 and $14 25 for old. A sale of 300 bbls Prime Mess was made for England at $16. For Bacon and Hams the demand has been unprecedentedly large, and prices have further advanced. We notice sales 150,000 lbs Bacon "Leland's," and "McChain's," at 12 cents and thereabout; 125,000 do Hams at 9¼ cents in dry salt, and 9@10½ cents in pickle, and 20,000 lbs Short Middles at 12½ cents, and 10,000 do Hams at 12 cents, both "Cordukes," the whole being for the English market. Sales 100 bbls Mess Beef at $11 75, and 300 bbls "Simons's" Beef Hams at $16 30 per bbl. In Lard we notice sales 60,000 lbs in bbls at 9½ cents. Butter and Cheese are in small supply and held very firmly, Butter 12½@25 cents, and Cheese 7@8 cents, with some fine dairies 8½ cents.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

In steamship Southerner, from Charleston—Miss E Browning, Mrs Zelina, Mrs Deigner, Mrs Cutter, Abijah Webster and lady, N Wilcox and lady, Dr Thomas Wells, W Castelline, H Shotwell, C Leppitt, J Mallory, C N Dayton, F O'Neil, J G Elgin, S S Clark, F McGower, H Ballou, jr, G M Lapeona, S J Dwight, K B Elder, Mr Davis, John Moody, J Hall, R N Cady, W C Root, W C Gray, F L Rome, H C Kellogg, C G Dow, Thos Spear, C A Hunter, F McKenna, G B Butler, S Berg, J L Trask, F S Rossiter, and 56 in the steerage.

DOMESTIC IMPORTATIONS.

CHARLESTON—*Steamship Southerner*—75 cks rice, J Emerie—274 bales cotton, Drake Mills—35 do do, 17 bbls indigo, 2 tes indse, Spofford, Tileston & Co.

NEW-ORLEANS—*Schr J J Simpson*—561 bbls pork, 46 bbls lard, 288 kegs do, I & R Milbank—100 bbls molasses, J & S Taylor & Co and E A Russell of Middletown, Conn—54 bbls dried fruit, order.

NEW-ORLEANS—*Schr Harriet*—36 bbls pork, Work & Drake—31 bales hemp, McGregor & Morris—21 bags mdse, 500 kegs lard, 30 bbls peaches, G C Hall—6 tes potash, B H Field—100 bbls flour, L P Hill—150 do pork, 55 kegs butter, Hiram Lee—130 bales cotton, 50 bbls molasses, 17 bdls skins, 30 do moss, 27 cks beeswax, order.

MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF NEW-YORK.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.....THIS DAY.

THE SUN.	THE MOON.	FULL SEA.
Rises...5 39 | Sets...6 14	Morn... 1 37 | Morn... 1 53	

LATEST DATES.

London	March 3	Havre	March 2
Liverpool	March 4	New-Orleans	March 15

☞ *SEE MARINE JOURNAL FOURTH PAGE.*

CLEARED.

Bark Bartell, Benny, Waterford, A Bell & Son.
Brigs Republic, Littleford, Mobile, E D Hurlbut & Co; Centurion, Faulkner, Rotterdam, Foster & Burnett; Moselle, Eustis, Havana; Benj Bigelow, Lee, Tampico, W L McCrory & Co.
Schrs Equity, Eaton, Hartford, South Carolinian, Powers, Newbern; Victor, Crowell, Boston; Leprelette, Sleeper, Tampa Bay, E D Hurlbut & Co.
Sloops Cornelia, Bumpus, Washington, McKee, Hand & Co; Dispatch, Hotchkiss, N Haven; Henry C Mead, Smith, Charleston; E B Caldwell, Turney, Hartford.
Barges Star, Longhead, Philadel; Dolphin, Lamb, do.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Southerner, Berry, 65 hours from Charleston, mdse, to Spofford, Tileston & Co.
Brig Lucy Sharp, McFee, 42 ds fm Limerick, ballast, to Richardson & Watson.
Br brig Eliza Gillis, Sullivan, 11 ds fm St Andrews, NB, ballast, to Smith & Boynton.
Br brig Maria, Omelia, 50 ds fm Limerick, in ballast, to order.
Schr May Flower, Foster, 25 ds fm Franklin, La, 110 hhds sugar, 164 tcs molasses, 8 bbls do, to Peck & Van Bergen.
Schr Rio, Obeer, 18 ds fm Mayaguez, PR, 160 hhds sugar, to P Harmony, Nephews & Co.
Schr Harriet, Merriman, 21 ds fm N Orleans, provisions, &c, to master.
Schr Mary, (of Bristol, Me.) Yates, 15 ds fm Matanzas, 217 cks molasses, to Goodhue & Co. Sailed in co with Jane, Yates, for N York. Left brig Arnon, Hatch, for N York March 10; schr Caroline Clark, Oram, for Philadel March 15.
Schr J A Simpson, (of East Machias, Me.) Anderson, 20 ds fm N Orleans, pork, &c, to master. March 9, off the Tortugas, spoke bark Baring Brothers, from Boston for Brazos, with troops, 12 ds out.
Schr Hornet, Strout, 8 ds fm Charleston, 90,000 feet lumber, to Badger & Peck. March 17, off Hatteras, spoke schr Cyrus, fm Wilmington, NC, for Newburyport.
Schr Alaric, Purnell, 3 ds fm Wilmington, NC, naval stores, to Brown & De Rosset.
Schr G W Davis, Murch, 5 ds fm Wilmington, NC, naval stores, to E S Powell.
Schr Champion, Russell, fm Nantucket, oil, &c, to Cartwright & Harrison.
BELOW—2 brigs unknown. Wind SE.

MEMORANDA.

The ships Montauk, for Canton, and Burgundy, for Havre, have anchored at the SW Spit, wind-bound.
The schr Telula, Dunbar, from Havana, with a cargo of molasses, for this port, is reported to have gone ashore near Long Branch, NJ, in the late NE gale.

NEW WAREHOUSE FOR
PRINTS ONLY.
Spring Styles,
1847.
LEE, JUDSON & LEE, 86 CEDAR-ST.
Offer for sale by the piece or package,
☞ 500 CASES PRINTED CALICOES—Comprising all the desirable new styles, a large proportion of which having been contracted for before the late rise in the market, will be sold at less than manufacturers' present prices.
Printed lists of prices are put into the hands of buyers.
N. B.—B. F. LEE, late senior partner in the original firm of Lee and Brewster, (from which he retired in 1845,) has joined the firm of Lee & Judson, and solicits the patronage of his old friends. The business is conducted under the firm of LEE, JUDSON & LEE.
February 5, 1847. 3m* tf's

Ward Meetings.

☞ **Second Ward.**—At a large and enthusiastic meeting of the Democratic Whigs of the Second Ward, held at Headquarters, 105 Fulton-st. on Tuesday evening, March 23 JAMES KELLY, Esq. was called to the chair, and JAMES H. WELSH and JAMES M. SHARP were appointed Secretaries.

On motion, the following gentlemen were elected as a Committee to nominate Charter Officers:

Majority Convention.
JAMES KELLY, CALEB S. WOODHULL,
SOLOMON KING.
Ward Nominating Committee.
James H. Welsh, Chester Lamb, Daniel P. Smith,
Robert Latta, Galvin Case.

On motion, the Delegations were empowered to fill vacancies.

On motion, the proceedings were ordered to be published.
JAMES KELLY, Chairman.
JAMES H. WELSH, } Secretaries.
JAMES M. SHARP, } m24

☞ **Third Ward.**—At an Election of the Democratic Whig voters of the Third Ward, pursuant to an order of the Whig General Committee, at the usual Headquarters, 201 Washington-st. for the purpose of selecting Delegates for the Mayoralty and Alms House Conventions, and also for a Committee to nominate Charter Officers, for the support of Whigs at the coming election, the following ticket was elected by a large majority:

For Mayoralty and Alms-House Commissioner.
LEVI FOLSOM, JAMES E. WOOD,
FRANCIS B. HALL.
Charter.
Wm. L. Shardlow, J. P. Chamberlain, Elbart H. Mackey,
Alex. C. Lawrence, Charles M. Hoopie, Wm. S. Maynard,
William Squire, George Wetzell, John Lown,
John Bell, David Graham, Wm. S. Canfield,
John Morgan, Henry Luscomb, Geo. T. Stanley
George W. Penton, A. S Doane, Thos. McKnight,
William Rank, Wm. H. Williams, P. A. Mesler, Jr.

With power to fill vacancies.

Whereas, The long experience and services of our worthy Alderman, EGBERT BENSON, Esq. in the municipal affairs of our City Government, render him an eminently fit candidate for the suffrages of the Whigs of this City for the office of Mayor—therefore,

Resolved, That we, the Whig Committee of the Third Ward, recommend to our brother Whigs of this City for the office of Mayor the name of EGBERT BENSON as a fit and popular candidate.

Resolved, That should the nomination fall on him we pledge ourselves to leave no honorable means untried to roll up a good round majority and one that the Third Ward shall not be ashamed of.

Resolved, That we believe his great popularity will ensure his election if nominated.

Resolved, That without any disparagement to any Whig or Whigs we believe a greater number of votes could be polled for him than any other candidate.

Resolved, That while he is our first choice and trust that he will be the first choice of the Democratic Nominating Convention for Mayor, we will still support with ardor and enthusiasm any other Whig that may receive such nomination.

ROBT. L. HATHEWAY, Chairman.
ALEX. C. LAWRENCE, } Secretaries.
THOMAS OUTWATER, } m24 1t

☞ **The Fifth Ward on Guard.**—At a tremendous gathering of the Democratic Whig Electors of the Old Fifth, held at the Marion House, pursuant to a call of the Democratic Whig General Committee, on Thursday evening, March 23, AMBROSE L. JORDAN, Esq. was called to the Chair, RODERICK N. MORRISON and JAMES GULICK were appointed Vice-Chairmen, ANDREW W. LEGGAT and JAMES A. RICH, Secretaries.

The call of the meeting having been read, the following gentlemen were, by ballot, duly elected Delegates to the Convention to nominate a Mayor and Alms-House Commissioner, to be supported by the Whigs of New-York at the ensuing Charter Election:

AMBROSE L. JORDAN, WILLIAM ADAMS,
GEORGE J. CORNELL.

And the following a Committee to nominate Charter Officers for the Ward:

William A. Darling, William Savage, Andrew W. Leggat, William C. Scott, Richard Laurance.

On motion, the Committee were empowered to fill vacancies. On motion, adjourned.

AMBROSE L. JORDAN, Chairman.
RODERICK N. MORRISON, } Vice-Chairmen.
JAMES GULICK, }
ANDREW W. LEGGAT, } Secretaries.
JAMES A. RICH, }

☞ Commercial Advertiser please copy.

☞ **Fifteenth Ward.**—In pursuance of a call of the General Committee the Democratic Whig Electors of the Fifteenth Ward, assembled at Constitution Hall, on Tuesday evening, 23d inst. to chose Delegates to the Mayoralty Convention, and a Ward Committee to nominate Charter Officers, when WM. H. BELL, Esq. was chosen Chairman, and WM. G. STERLING, Esq. and HENRY A. KERR, Esq. Secretaries. After a call of the meeting being read, and a few appropriate remarks from the Chairman, on motion of Mr. Ward, James Phalen and Joseph W. Allen, Esqrs. acting as Tellers, the meeting proceeded to ballot for Delegates to the Mayoralty Convention, and for a Ward Committee, when the following named persons were declared duly elected:

Delegates to the Mayoralty Convention.
HENRY E. DAVIES, O. E. HOSMER.
A. A. ROGERS.
For Ward Nominating Committee.
Sylvester Ward, Chester Driggs, John P. Howe,
Sam. M. Beckley, Edw. L. Beadle, Samuel Reynolds,
Henry A. Kerr, A. C. Kingsland, William Earle,
Linus W. Stevens, Wm. G. Sterling, John Odell.

On motion, the Chairman appointed Sylvester Ward, John P. Howe and Chester Driggs, Esqrs. a Committee on Resolutions for the meeting, who reported the following Resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the continued and alarming increase in the rate per cent. in the taxes on the amount of taxable property in the City of New-York unanswerably proves that there is great wastefulness and oppression in the administration of the City Government; that the increasing extravagance in the expenditure of the public money greatly outstrips the increase of taxable property in our city, and threatens irretrievable ruin and evil unless checked before it attains such headway as to become uncontrollable.

Resolved, That no partizan considerations shall interfere with our determination to correct this evil; and that all tax payers ought to unite and proceed with deliberate determination to bring about a thorough and permanent reform.

Resolved, That we pledge ourselves to use all honorable means to produce such a reform in the affairs of our City Government as will lessen the burthens now enforced upon us—affecting equally the poor and the rich.

WM. H. BELL, Chairman.
WM. G. STERLING, } Secretaries.
HENRY A. KERR, } m24 1t

☞ **Sixth Ward.**—At a meeting of the Democratic Whig Electors of this Ward, pursuant to a call of the General Committee, to choose three Delegates to a Mayoralty Convention and Nominating Committee to nominate suitable officers for Charter Officers, the following gentlemen were unanimously elected:

Mayoralty Convention.
OWEN W. BRENNAN, JAMES B. TAYLOR,
THEOPHILUS BATES.
Ward Nominating Committee.
Moses B. Taylor, Daniel A. Webster, N. W. Hoyt,
John Hooper, B. R. Cowen, Abram Fowlon, Jr.
Benj. R. Forbes, H. W. Childs, Malanchton Palmer,
Geo. Kelsey, R. H. Hinsdale, Wm. H. Sparks,
Wm. Rowe, T. C. Acton, John Nicol,
John Johnson,

Resolved, That the Nominating Committee meet a week from next Thursday, April 1, at 8 o'clock, P. M. at Harmony Hall.
OWEN W. BRENNAN, Chairman.
THEOPHILUS BATES, } Secretaries.
JOHN HOOPER, } m24 1t

General Notices.

☞ **Grand Festival of 1847, in commemoration of the birthday of Henry Clay.**—A Meeting of the Committee of Arrangements will be held at Tammany Hall, this evening, at 7½ o'clock.

All who take an interest in the celebration are desired to be punctual in their attendance.

By order of the Executive Committee.
R. C. WETMORE, Chairman.
JOHN T. DODGE, Secretary. m24 1t

☞ **Missionary Meeting.**—The Annual Meeting of the New-York and Brooklyn Foreign Missionary Society will be held this evening, 24th inst. in the Central Presbyterian Church in Broome-st. at half past 7. Addresses may be expected from Rev. Dr. Adams of this city, Rev. Dr. Cox and Rev. R. S. Storrs, Jr. of Brooklyn. m24 1t*

☞ **Aid to Scotland.**—The Committee of Arrangements of the Concert held at the Tabernacle on the 18th inst. for aid to the Highlanders of Scotland, will hold a meeting to-morrow evening, Thursday, 25th inst. at half-past 7 o'clock, at the house of Mr. Cauldwell, 169 Bayard-st. All holding tickets are requested to call and settle up their accounts, as this is intended for the last meeting previous to remitting the funds to their destination. Punctual attendance is solicited. By order of
D. ROBERTSON, President.
JAMES MCPHERSON, Secretary. m24 2t1s*

☞ **Another Grand Temperance** Demonstration will be held in Broadway Tabernacle on Wednesday evening, March 24, at half-past 7 o'clock, to rejoice at the triumph of Temperance in the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, sustaining the constitutionality of the Excise Law, and also to further the extension of sound sense to this city. Addresses by Hr. E. Dodge, Esq.; J. M. Vail, Esq.; Rev. C. H. Read and Rev. Dr. Lansing. Singing by the Apollo Vocalists, J. M. Brown, Wm. E. Macdonough and others. W. E. Dodge, Esq. will preside. Ladies and gentlemen are invited to come early and fill the house. Admission Free. By order of the General Temperance Council.
J. W. OLIVER, } Committee
A. C. FLANAGAN, } of
D. LEAL, } Arrangements
m22 3t*

☞ **Shakspeare Division No. 37 S. of T.**—The members of this Division are hereby notified to attend at their room (Atlantic Hall) corner of Catherine and Henry sts. on Wednesday evening, March 24, at 8 o'clock, for the transaction of business of the utmost importance to every member. A full attendance is earnestly requested. By order,
FRANS. HAGADORN, W. P.
A. D. PERRY, R. S. m22 3t1s*

☞ **American Institute Lectures.**—THOMAS W. HARVEY, Esq. will deliver the last Lecture of the course on Wednesday evening, 24th of March, at the Lyceum Building, 561 Broadway, at 7½ o'clock. Subject—The Progress of Improvements in Machinery with the bearings and important use of cam motions to the same. Admission to members and their families free—others 25 cents each. m23 2t*

☞ **Free Lecture on South America.**—Mr. WILLIAMSON will repeat his second Lecture on South America, and the Manners and Customs of the People, &c. for the benefit of the Mechanics and Laboring Men of this City at the American Hall, corner Grand-st. and Broadway, this evening, at ½ past 7. m24 1t

☞ **Irish Emigrant Society**—Notice is hereby given that the annual election for officers of the Irish Emigrant Society of New-York, for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Society, 22 Spruce-st. on the 5th day of April next, between the hours of 12 M. and 3 P. M. of that day for the purpose of choosing a President, three Vice Presidents, a Treasurer, two Secretaries and four members of the Executive Committee.

By order, GREGORY DILLON, President.
FLORENCE MCCARTHY, } Secretaries.
MICH'L J. O'CONNOR, } m16 20ds

☞ **Popular Five Dollar Double-Entry Bookkeeping**, at WINTERTON'S, 281 Broadway.—Evening Class No. 2, will commence on Wednesday evening, 24th of March. All who would commence with this class, will please apply on or before that day. The same course of instruction as advertised for and successfully followed by class No. 1, will be pursued in this class. Those who wish to learn book-keeping, will observe that the price of admission to these classes is only one-third the usual charge. Those who cannot attend in the evening, may join the afternoon class. m18 4ds ThSM&W

☞ **To the Citizens of New-York.**—Robert Glenn, Steward of the Almshouse, near Frankford, testifies to the efficacy of Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry, in curing Valentine Chapman of one of the most aggravated cases of diseased lungs which has ever been placed upon the record, after every other remedy had failed, and his physician had given him up as incurable.

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General Notices.

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UNION MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

☞ **Notice** is hereby given that the book for subscriptions to the Capital Stock of this institution, of 100,000 dollars, as required by the charter, is this day opened at No. 52 Wall-st., for the business of Marine, Transportation, and Navigation Risks, and also for Fire Risks—the profits to be divided among the stockholders and the insured. A book will also be opened for the applications of insurance, and both continued open till Monday morning next, the 29th March, 1847, to which time the trustees have adjourned to complete their organization, &c.

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m23 6ts LAMBERT SUYDAM, President.

NEW-YORK FIRE DEPARTMENT.

☞ **Election Notice.**—At a meeting of the Engineers and Foremen of the New-York Fire Department, convened at Firemen's Hall, on Tuesday evening, March 2, 1847, the following rules and regulations were adopted, for conducting the special election for two Assistant Engineers vice Charles Forrester and Nicholas F. Wilson, resigned.

Resolved, That the Foremen of the various companies in the Fire Department be requested to call their respective companies together between the 8th and 23d inclusive, of March, 1847. And that at such meeting the members shall designate by ballot the Assistant Engineer they wish to be nominated for the vacancies in the Board of Engineers occasioned by the resignation of Messrs. Forrester and Wilson.

Resolved, That a committee of three shall be appointed from this body, to act as Inspectors of Election.

Resolved, That the Inspectors shall reject the returns of each and every company not entitled to vote according to law or in conformity with the rules and regulations adopted by this body.

Resolved, That it shall be the duty of the Foreman of each company to transmit to one or either of the Inspectors so appointed, a certificate signed by himself and the Secretary of the company, showing the number of votes and the names of the persons for whom such votes were given at the meeting held for such purpose.

Resolved, That the Inspectors shall reject the returns or certificates of any company whose meeting shall have been held after 12 o'clock midnight, of the 23d of March next.

Resolved, That the Inspectors shall meet at Firemen's Hall on Wednesday, the 24th day of