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Special Notices.

Dishonorable Conduct of the Harpers.—The undersigned is reluctantly compelled to make a public statement. Pursuing a legitimate business in a legitimate way, he has found himself suddenly crossed by a firm, well known to the community, in a manner which seems to require, and which the reader will, I believe, acknowledge fully justifies a public exposure. The firm I allude to is the Harpers. The case is this: Several years since Mr. Geo. P. Putnam re-published the periodical known as "Household Words," conducted by Charles Dickens. From his hands it passed into that of Messrs. Angel & Co., and from theirs into the hands of the undersigned, by whom it has been regularly issued down to the present time. It has not been a greatly remunerative venture, but the undersigned, in hope of founding a property in publishing which would ultimately make him a return for his outlay of time and means, kept on the issue. About six months since Mr. Dickens gave notice that he would publish in the "Household Words" a new work of fiction, under the title of "Hard Times." For the sheets of this work the undersigned made an arrangement which required the payment of a considerable sum, by which the American public should have the work at about the same time as the English.

This investment was not so productive as might have been expected in an increased sale of the periodical; and therefore the only hope of being rewarded for the expenditure on the "Hard Times" was to be looked for in its re-publication in book form. Having, under the terms of purchase, received the concluding chapters of the work in advance, the subscriber proceeded to issue an edition at the moderate cost of 25 cents per copy, which would have allowed a reasonable and remunerating margin of profit. To the surprise of the undersigned, directly upon his own issue, and, it is to be supposed, set up from his own purchased sheets in advance, another edition is hurried into the market at a price so low as to preclude the idea of any profit to the publisher. The publishers of this edition, so originated, and at such cost, are the Brothers Harper of New-York. The undersigned has, therefore, these allegations to make:

First: He was the regular and only re-publisher of "Household Words," to which the novel of "Hard Times" was contributed, by which he had a constructive priority in its publication.

Second: In receipt of the advance sheets, he had or could have duly announced its publication before any other publisher could have been in possession of a copy of the work.

Third: He had purchased these advance sheets.

These conditions, which are ordinarily in part or in whole respected by "the trade," were, in a body, unheeded by the Harpers; and although they never intimated to the undersigned an intention to republish "Hard Times," and made no provision for sheets in advance, they proceed to issue an edition at a cost which will not repay the outlay upon it, which, of course, compelled the undersigned to reduce his to a price which makes the whole undertaking a "dead loss." No notice on the part of the Harpers was ever given to the undersigned that they intended printing this work. The undersigned received orders for large numbers of the work from most of the respectable booksellers in different parts of the United States, at a price satisfactory to the trade, and allowing a fair profit to the publisher. Forty-eight hours after this advance edition was in the market the Harpers issued theirs, offering it to the trade, and sending it without orders, at a price less than half what booksellers were paying the undersigned, and at a positive loss to themselves.

Now what motive could have influenced the Harper Brothers in this course? The undersigned is a young man just commencing in the business, the son of one who was an early and has been a steady friend of the Harpers. He has never in any case thwarted their business, or sought in any way to work them an injury. Why, then, should they throw aside in this special instance all courtesy of trade and all the principles recognized among publishers, and claimed—on all occasions where they choose to insist—to be recognised in their own behoof? The work was mine by every consideration: by purchase, by priority, and even under the most stringent construction of "Harper" Law. That Law we know has been in former times severely administered. We make this public statement to ascertain how much further it will be acquiesced in—and whether, as soon as it becomes an "institution," it is to be applied to all young publishers—indiscriminately; if not, on what terms "peace" and the privilege of "earning a living" are to be purchased. The world has dealt kindly by them, and kindness should beget kindness. They have had a long course of prosperity, and when calamity came, in the recent fire, the expression of sympathy from many quarters—from some whence it could not have been looked for—it was supposed would soften their hearts, and inspire them with a generous emulation and reciprocity of feeling.

The undersigned has the satisfaction to know that the entire Book Trade, so far as he has had an opportunity of obtaining their opinions, utterly and entirely condemn the course of the Harpers.

This subject will be recurred to again, and the business conduct of the Messrs. Harpers, particularly the methods they have resorted to from time to time, to break down weaker and rival establishments, will be commented upon in *The Empire City*, a weekly paper published by the undersigned.

T. L. McELRATH,
Office of The City, No. 17 Spruce-st., New-York.

State Temperance Convention.—The undersigned, Committees appointed for the purpose by leading Temperance organizations of the State, hereby call a STATE TEMPERANCE CONVENTION to meet in the City of AUBURN, on WEDNESDAY, the 27TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER next, at 12 o'clock, M., to take into consideration the present exigencies of the Cause, and in view of its demands upon us as citizens wielding the right of suffrage, to decide upon the course which may render our suffrages the most effective in obtaining the legislation which we demand.

Each Assembly District will be represented by four Delegates duly chosen in such manner as the friends of prohibition in each District may decide.

It is hoped that those only will be selected as Delegates, who consider the enactment of a law prohibiting the Liquor Traffic, AS THE QUESTION OF PARAMOUNT IMPORTANCE IN OUR STATE LEGISLATION.

A MASS RATIFICATION MEETING will assemble at the same place the next day, THURSDAY, at 12 o'clock, M., which will be addressed by prominent Temperance Speakers from this and other States. It is hoped that both Conventions will be fully attended.

WM. RICHARDSON, Albany,
J. J. CHAMBERS, Westchester,
GEO. D. BEERS, Tompkins,
DAVID WRIGHT, Cayuga,
R. N. HAVENS, New-York,
Committee New-York State Temperance Society.
JOHN REID, Albany,
E. W. ROGERS, Essex,
H. S. ALLEN, Washington,
GEO. HALL, Kings,
JAMES MACKEAN, New-York,
Committee G. D. Eastern New-York S. of T.
CHAS. E. FORD, Genesee,
G. W. JERMAIN, Niagara,
DANIEL H. MARSH, Oswego,
BENJ. JOY, Tompkins,
W. BAILEY, Oneida,
Committee G. D. Western New-York S. of T.

Papers friendly to the Cause are requested to copy and call attention to the above.

Albany, July 26, 1854.

The Annual Cattle Show and Exhibition of the New-York State Agricultural Society will be held at Hamilton-square, in the City of New-York, the first week in October, in connection with the American Institute and the New-York Horticultural Society, at which premiums amounting to $8,000 are offered to exhibitors from this and the adjoining States.

The grounds will be open on TUESDAY, 3d of Oct., at 9 A. M., and close on FRIDAY EVENING, the 6th.

The Annual Address, by the Hon. JOHN P. HALE of New-Hampshire, will be delivered on the Show Grounds on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, the 6th.

Premium Lists and Regulations can be had of Janes, Beebe & Co., No. 536 Broadway, and at the Rooms of the American Institute, No. 351 Broadway.

Entries by persons intending to exhibit should be made at Janes, Beebe & Co.'s as early as practicable on and after the 15th Sept. The Treasurer, Mr. KIRTLAND, will be in attendance.

The Secretary, Mr. JOHNSON, will be at the Astor House on and after the 25th Sept., and every desired information will be furnished.

Exhibitors should have their articles on the ground the week previous to the Fair, except in the Horticultural Department, which can be brought in on MONDAY, 2d Oct.

The offices at Hamilton-square will be open the week previous to the Fair.

All applications in reference to the arrangement of articles on the grounds should be made to THOMAS BELL, Esq., who will be in attendance to give directions to exhibitors.

B. P. JOHNSON, Cor. Sec'y. WM. KELLY, Pres't.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.
WM. KELLY, President.
Hon. John A. King, Shephard Knapp, Lewis G. Morris,
John C. Jackson, Edward G. Faile, Isaac E. Haviland,
Lorillard Spencer, Thomas Bell, B. S. Kirtland.

Annual Meeting of the American Missionary Association.—The Annual Meeting of the AMERICAN MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION will be held on the 27th and 28th of September, at Meriden, Conn., commencing on WEDNESDAY, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the Congregational Church, West-Meriden. The report of the Treasurer, and an abstract of the report of the Foreign and Home Missions of the Association, will be presented by the Treasurer and the Secretaries, and be followed by other business. In the evening the annual sermon will be preached by the Rev. Silas McKeen of Bradford, Vt. On THURSDAY there will be business, discussions and addresses, with religious services in the afternoon, closing with addresses in the evening. Missionaries from abroad and from the home field are to be present. The Local Committee at Meriden will be at the depôt to extend to the attendants upon the meeting the hearty hospitalities of the people of Meriden.

N. B.—Two amendments to the Constitution have been submitted to be acted upon at the next annual meeting, viz: To strike from the third article the words "at any one time," and to add the following clause: "Provided, That children and youth who have not professed their faith in Christ may be constituted life members, without the privilege of voting."

S. S. JOCELYN, Chairman Com. of Arrangements.

Theological Discussion.—Question: DO THE HOLY SCRIPTURES TEACH THE DOCTRINE OF ENDLESS MISERY? Affirmative, the Rev. ISAAC WESCOTT, Pastor of Eighth-st. Baptist Church. Negative, the Rev. T. J. SAWYER, D. D., Pastor of the Orchard-st. Universalist Church. The discussion will commence in the Broadway Tabernacle TUESDAY EVENING, the 26th inst., at 7½ o'clock, and continue eight evenings. To pay expenses tickets for the eight evenings $1, one evening 25 cents. For sale at W. HALL & SON'S, No. 239 Broadway; ROE LOCKWOOD'S, No. 411 Broadway; AMBASSADOR OFFICE, No. 548 Broadway; RAYNER'S, No. 76 Bowery, SLOTE & JANES, No. 96 Fulton-st., and at the door on the evenings of the discussion.

For Kansas.—A train for Kansas will leave this city via Albany, Oct. 3, 1854. Emigrants wishing to start on that date will call at the office of the N. Y. Kansas League without delay and procure their tickets. GEO. WALTER,
Master of Emigration, N. Y. Kansas League, 110 Broadway.

Iron Molders Society.—The members are hereby notified to attend the next regular Meeting on SATURDAY EVENING, Sept. 30, at 8 o'clock. Punctual attendance is requested, as the Charter lately obtained for this Society will be read and other important business will come before the meeting. By order of the President.

Thomas Hope & Co.,
No. 182 Chambers-st.
Sole Agents for the
STILL and SPARKLING WINES
and Catawba Brandy,
prepared by
CORNEAU and SON.
Cincinnati.

Brevoort House Restaurant, Fifth-av., corner of Eighth-st.—This establishment, conducted exclusively on the European plan, has a Restaurant attached for the accommodation of Ladies and Gentlemen not residing in the Hotel. Dinners and Suppers will be served at all times on short notice, either in private rooms or in the Restaurant.

The Union Homestead Association will hold a Public Meeting on TUESDAY EVENING, Sept. 26, at No. 195 Bowery. E. W. KETCHAM, President.

Card to the Ladies.—No. 443 PEARL-ST.—CORSETS, CORSETS, CORSETS—Importer of French and English Wove Corsets.—Mrs. STONE begs to call the attention of the ladies to her assortment of French and English WOVE CORSETS of every style and color, which she has just received from the first makers in London and Paris, and offers wholesale and retail at prices which defy competition. An early inspection is solicited before purchasing elsewhere. No. 443 Pearl-st., between Rose and William.

I. O. O. F.—Perseverance Lodge, No. 17.—The members of this Lodge are hereby notified, in consequence of the destruction of our Lodge-Room by fire at No. 195 Broadway, that our meetings for the present will be held in the Doric Room, Odd Fellows' Hall. A punctual attendance of every member is requested on WEDNESDAY EVENING next at 8 o'clock, as business of importance will be brought before the Lodge for action. ADOLPHUS RAWNEY, N. G.
CHAS. A. HARVEY, Sec.

Mutual Lodge, No. 57 I. O. of O. F.—The members of MUTUAL LODGE are hereby requested to assemble at the Lodge Room, No. 51 Division-st., on WEDNESDAY, 27th inst., at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of paying the last tribute of respect to our departed brother JAMES PEACH.
By order. M. CAVANAGH, N. G.
THOS. P. HYATT, Secretary.

Warren Lodge No. 253 I. O. of O. F.—The officers and members are requested to attend a regular meeting of this Lodge at No. 327 Bowery, on THURSDAY EVENING, 28th inst., at 8 o'clock. By order JOHN M'GOUN, N. G.
A. W. WALKER, Secretary.

Charter Oak Chapter, No. 22 O. U. A.—There will be a regular meeting of this Chapter at their rooms, No. 187 Bowery, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, Sept. 27, at 7½ o'clock. Punctual attendance is requested, as business of importance will be brought before the Chapter.
J. WOOD, C. of the E. J. MEYERHOFF, Sachem.

American Institute Farmers' Club.—A meeting will be held at the Repository, No. 351 Broadway, on TUESDAY, Sept. 26, at noon. Subjects—"Selling all Farm and Garden Products by the Pound," and "Insects Injurious to Crops." Strangers are always especially welcome. Admission free to all. H. MEIGS, Secretary.

American Settlement Company.—Persons desirous of going to Kansas can obtain all requisite information by calling at No. 110 Broadway. Circulars of the AMERICAN SETTLEMENT COMPANY, its plans and objects will be fully given on application. G. H. STEBBINS,
General Superintendent.

National Oil Stone, from Lake Superior.—Gentlemen who are desirous of obtaining an elegant HONE, will find it to their advantage to call and examine the said Stone, now opening at the dépôt, No. 16 Maiden-lane. GEO. WHITLOCK, Agent.

Emigrant Intelligence Office and Labor Exchange is Removed from No. 27 Canal-st. to the corner of Centre and Canal-sts., New-York. The Office is established by the Commissioners of Emigration, where can always be found large numbers of LABORERS and SERVANTS at very low rates of wages, and persons can have their orders filled by writing to the Superintendent and sending the amount necessary to pay the passage of the parties required. No fees charged to employers. JAS. P. FAGAN, Superintendent.

R. C.—MIND THE CHALLENGE!

Dr. McClintock's Cold and Cough Mixture.—For recent Coughs, Tickling of the Throat, Tightness of Breathing, Croup in Children, &c. It contains no preparation of Opium, and will relieve a common cold immediately. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists, and A. CUSHMAN & Co., No. 122 Fulton-st.

Amusements.

CRYSTAL PALACE—OPEN DAILY.—The Crystal Palace possesses more attractions than any other place on this continent. More than 100,000 different articles are now on exhibition. In consequence of the short time that the Palace will be kept open, and the great expense incurred in procuring new articles for exhibition, the Directors have resolved to increase the price of single admissions to 50 cents. Children half price. Societies, Associations, &c., will be admitted at reduced rates.

AWARDS will be made to Exhibitors of 1854, particulars of which will be duly announced.
JOHN H. WHITE, President.

CASTLE GARDEN.
THE OPERA.
LAST NIGHT BUT ONE OF THE SEASON
and of
MADAME GRISI
and
SIGNOR MARIO
Prior to their Departure.
WEDNESDAY, Sept. 27, 1854.
Will be presented
I PURITANI.
ELVIRA, Daughter of Lord Walton.....MADAME GRISI
LORD ARTHUR, a Cavalier.....SIGNOR MARIO
SIR RICHARD, a Puritan Colonel.....SIGNOR CUTURI
SIR GEORGE, Brother of Lord Walton...SIGNOR SUSINI
LORD WALTER WALTON, a Puritan General, Governor of the Fortress of Plymouth.....SIGNOR CANDI
SIR BRUNO ROBERTSON, Friend of Sir Richard.....SIGNOR PATTI
HENRIETTA OF FRANCE, Widow of Charles I.....SIGNORA MORRA
Chorus of Soldiers, Peasants, Ladies, &c.
The scene is laid in the Fortress of Plymouth.
Doors open at 6½. Performance to commence at 7½ o'clock.
Secured seats at $3 each; Promenade Tickets at $1 each, may be obtained from 9 o'clock A. M. to 4 P. M., daily, at the office of the Treasurer, BERRY & GORDON'S Music Store, No. 297 Broadway.
Also, at W. Hall & Son's Music Store, No. 239 Broadway; Van Orden & King's, No. 45 Wall-st. Tickets can also be had at the Ticket-Offices, Castle Garden, in the evening.
NOTICE.—Promenade Tickets not admitted until 7½ o'clock.

GRAND PUBLIC CONSERVATORY SOIREES—The BROTHERS MOLLENHAUER (Violin listes) and MADAME PEAUCELLIER (Pianist, from Paris) have the honor respectfully to announce, that they will commence their Grand Soirees on the 16th of October at Dodworth's Academy, Broadway No. 806, at which they will be assisted by other celebrated artists besides those connected with the Conservatory.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.
For a Series of Twelve Soirees.....$8 00
For a Series of Six Soirees.....4 50
Family Tickets, admitting three for twelve Soirees 18 00
Family Tickets, admitting three for six Soirees... 10 00
Single Tickets..... 1 00
THE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC
will be opened on the 2d October, at No. 141 Ninth-st.
TERMS PER QUARTER.
One weekly Private Lesson and one weekly Class Lesson, including Public Soirees.....$25
Tuition, including Public Soirees Class Lessons, Exercise and two weekly Private Lessons given at the Conservatory..... 35
Two weekly Private Lessons given at the residence of the Pupil.....$50
Subscription lists are left in the principal Music Stores, where is also to be seen the Prospectus of the Conservatory of Music. Hours of reception, from 10 till 2 o'clock, No. 141 Ninth-st.
We take great pleasure in recommending the above Institute as one of the highest order.
J. B. HERRICK, No. 190 E. 18th-st.
Dr. QUIN, No. 148 9th st.
WILLIAM HALL & SON, No. 239 Broadway.
MASON BROTHERS, No. 23 Park-row.
R. S. WILLIS, No. 257 Broadway, editor of Musical World and Times.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.—Doors open at 6½; to commence at 7½. Tickets to all parts of the house, 50 cents; private boxes, $5; orchestra seats, $1.
TUESDAY, Sept. 26, 1854, and EVERY NIGHT until further notice.
Triumphant success of the NEW PANTOMIME.
SECOND WEEK of the NEW PANTOMIME, by JEROME RAVEL, entitled
ASPHODEL; or the MAGIC PEN,
Produced at a cost of many thousand dollars and four months careful preparation.
New Scenery, New Machinery, New Transformations, New Tricks, New Costumes, New Properties, New Appointments, New Dances, and New Music.
Characters by the WONDERFUL RAVELS.
The entertainments to commence with the great Russian Artist M'lle. YRCA MATHIAS. Second appearance in New-York as GISELLE,
supported by the talented Ballet Troupe.

BROADWAY THEATER.—Boxes and Parquet, 50 cents. Family Circle and Upper Tier, 25 cents. Private Boxes $5 and $6—THIS EVENING will be performed
JACK CADE.
Jack Cade.....Mr. Forrest | Wat Worthy....Mr. Whiting
Duke of Suffolk..Mr. Crocker | Friar Lacy....Mr. Leffingwell
Lord Say.....Mr. Hanchett | Marianne.....Mme. Ponisi
Lord Clifford...Mr. Lanergan | Widow Cade.....Mrs. Henry
THE TWO BUZZARDS.
John Small..Mr. W. Davidge | Sally.....Miss J. Gougenheim

BURTON'S, CHAMBERS-ST.—The new American Comedy again TO-NIGHT, (Tuesday,) NOW-A-DAYS, written for this theater. Scrub, Mr. Burton; Longstaple, Mr. Jordan; Delmaine, Mr Fisher; Snivel, Mr. Andrews; Miss Fanny, Mrs. Burton; Mrs. Outlass Brown, Miss Raymond; Mrs. Delmaine, Miss Kate Saxon; Mrs. Snivel, Mrs. Hughes. With the Comedy of
SUNSHINE THROUGH CLOUDS.
With Mr. Fisher, Mr. Marchant, Miss Raymond, Miss Saxon and Mrs. Hough.
Wednesday—COPPERFIELD and THE FILLIBUSTERS.

PURDY'S NATIONAL THEATER.—Boxes 25 cents; Pit, 12½ cents; Orchestra Seats, 50 cents. THIS EVENING will be performed
EUSTACHE.
Eustache.....Mr. J. R. Scott | Marcel Poulet..Mr. G. L. Fox
Alphonse Lamborti.....Canoli | Louise Baudin...Mrs. Nichols
Delbois.....Turner | Manon.....Mrs. W. G. Jones
FASHION AND FAMINE.
Leicester.....Mr. Canoli | Ada Lincester.Mrs. H. F. Nichols
Jacob Strong.....G. L. Fox | Julia Warren.Cordelia Howard

THE GREAT METROPOLITAN THEATER, Broadway, (opposite Bond-st.)—Price of admission 50 cts. to all parts of the house.—Doors open at 6½ o'clock, curtain rises at 7½ o'clock.—THIS EVENING, Sept. 26, will be performed
LOVE.
Countess.....Miss Julia Dean | Sir Rupert.....De Walden
Huon.....Mr. C. Pope | Empress.....Mrs. Jordan
EL JALEO DE XERES, and LA JOTA ARRAGONAISE.
To conclude with THE UNPROTECTED FEMALE.
Polly Grisp, as played by her with great success....Mis Mitchell

WALLACK'S THEATER.—Doors open at 6½; Curtain rises at 7½. Admission, Dress Circle and Parquet, 50 cents; Second Tier, 25 cents; Private Boxes, $6 and $7; Orchestra Stalls $1. THIS EVENING will be performed
MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.
Benedick.....Mr. Wallack | Beatrice.....Mrs. Conway
Dogberry.....Mr. Blake | Hero.....Mrs. Stewart
SENORITA SOTO will appear in the favorite dance EL OLE.
The farce, MY WIFE'S DENTIST.
Sir J. Beauville..Chippendale | Rhoda.....Mrs. Conover

BOWERY THEATER.—Old Prices Resumed—Boxes, 25c cents; Pit and Gallery, 12½ cents. THIS EVENING, Sept. 26, will be performed
EUSTACHE BAUDIN.
Eustache....Mr. G. J. Arnold | Louise.....Miss Ellen Grey
PRETTY GIRLS OF STILBERG!

GREAT SOUTHERN CIRCUS
AND HIPPODROME.
EVERY AFTERNOON AND EVENING,
AT MADISON-SQUARE.
Besides a grand entertainment on the course of the Hippodrome, a full Circus performance will be given in the newly constructed circle, without additional charge.
The following are among the distinguished Equestrian artists who will appear this week:
M'lle MARIE, of Louisiana, Principal Equestrienne.
Sig. FELIX CANE, the famous Italian or Trick Clown.
AMERICAN CLOWNS:
GEORGE DEMOTT and FRANK WHITTAKER.
FRENCH CLOWNS:
AUGUSTE SIEGRIST and FRANCOIS SIEGRIST.
Boxes, 50 cents; children half price. Pit, 25 cents.

BARNUM'S AMERICAN MUSEUM.—TUESDAY, Sept. 26, in the EVENING at 7½ o'clock, the entirely new and thrilling Drama, for the second time in America, gotten up here with great perfection, and entitled EUSTACHE, with Mr C. W. Clarke as Eustache, Mr. Hadaway as Poulet, Miss Meseyer as Louise, &c. In the AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock, THE DUMB MAN OF MANCHESTER, in addition to the KOOK CHILDREN, THE LIVING RHINOCEROS, the great AFRICAN BOA CONSTRICTOR 28 feet long, the HAPPY FAMILY, and all the Curiosities can be seen without extra charge. Admission 25 cents; children under ten 12½ cents.

GEO. CHRISTY & WOOD'S MINSTRELS OPEN EVERY EVENING, at No. 444 BROADWAY, under the control of H. WOOD, Business Manager.
GEO. CHRISTY, Stage Manager.
Entertainment consisting of
ETHIOPIAN MINSTRELSY,
BURLESQUE OPERA, LIGHT FARCES, DANCES, ETC., Africanized by the most accomplished company in the world. Also, This Week, the Extravaganza of
ROBERT MACAIRE.
Jack Strike.....Geo. Christy | Robt. Macaire.....S. A. Wells
Doors open at 6½ o'clock. To commence at 7½ precisely.

BUCKLEY'S ETHIOPIAN OPERA HOUSE, No. 539 Broadway.—MONDAY EVENING, Sept. 25, and every evening during the week,
NEGRO MINSTRELSY,
and the grand new Burlesque on the Opera of
LUCREZIA BORGIA,
Concert 7½ o'clock. Tickets 25 cents; Orchestra seats 50 cents.

THE GREAT NATIONAL HORSE FAIR at the NATIONAL COURSE will positively open on WEDNESDAY, the 27th inst., and continue three days. The Managers will leave no means untried to make this the greatest Exhibition of Horses that has ever taken place in this country. Entries can be made at No. 88 Prince-st., or at the Fair Grounds, where a person will be in attendance to-day to receive entries.

Persons visiting the Fair can take the steamboat at Fulton Market that connects with the Flushing Railroad, which will convey them direct to the Course. Stages leave the Grand and Houston-sts. Ferries, Williamsburgh, every hour for the Fair Grounds, and those who cross the 10th st. Ferry will find Stages to take them to the Flushing Railroad, free of charge.

NEW-YORK STATE AGRICULTURAL and MECHANICAL FAIR.—The grounds at Hamilton-square are now in readiness to receive articles for the great FAIR of next week. Entries can be made at the Business Office on the grounds, and persons will be in attendance all this week to attend to the reception and location of the articles.

THE BRYAN GALLERY of CHRISTIAN ART.—A collection (the most complete ever made by one person,) of authentic pictures by Guido de Sienna, (A. D. 1221), Cimabue, Giotto, Memmi, Perugino, Leonardo da Vinci, Raphael, Correggio, Titian, Domenichino, Salvator Rosa, Velasquez, Murillo, Rubens, Van Dyck, Teniers, Lely, Rembrandt, Ostade, Ruysdael, Poussin, Claude Lorraine, Sir Joshua Reynolds, Hogarth, West, Greuze and Horace Vernét. No. 839 Broadway. Admission 25 cents.

New Publications.

SCOTT and BURNS.—Sir Walter Scott has rendered much of his native country classic ground. Melrose, Dryburgh, Stirling, Dunbarton, and a host of other names, are but spells to awaken our recollections of his glorious course. There is hardly a ruin that his pen has not linked to some immortal story.

The Scotchman and the admirer of Scott's genius—and who is not?—will read with thrilling interest the account of Mrs. Stowe's tour through the land of the mountain and heather, as given in her
SUNNY MEMORIES OF FOREIGN LANDS.
At every change of scene new associations start up, like Rhoderick Dhu's men before the astonished Knight of Snowdown.

But if Scott delights the imagination, Burns wins the heart. In the same volumes the reader will find a most hearty and grateful tribute to the "peasant bard"—a tribute that will make every Scotchman's blood tingle with honest pride.

This book of travels, brim full of genius, is destined to be more widely read than any similar work in the language.
PHILLIPS, SAMPSON & Co., Publishers, Boston.
J. C. DERBY, New-York.

THE MOST ELEGANT GIFT-BOOK of the SEASON!
THE BIRDS OF THE BIBLE.
By the Rev. H. Harbaugh, author of The Heavenly Home, Heavenly Recognition, etc. With twelve beautiful
FULL PAGE COLORED ILLUSTRATIONS.
1 vol. 8vo., Muslin, full gilt, $5; Turkey Morocco Antique, $7. Published by LINDSAY & BLAKISTON. For sale by
J. C. DERBY, No. 119 Nassau-st.

MAGDALEN HEPBURN—A STORY OF THE SCOTTISH REFORMATION. By the author of "Margaret Maitland." 1 vol. 12mo. $1.
NOTICES OF THE ENGLISH PRESS.
"'Magdalen Hepburn' will sustain the reputation which the author of 'Margaret Maitland' has acquired." [Athenæum.
"An extremely attractive historical romance. In many of her descriptions the author equals Scott." [Critic.
"An admirably-conceived and ably-executed tale." [John Bull.
"A delightful book." [Scotsman.
"'Madalen Hepburn' will take its place among our standard novels." [Caledonian Mercury.
Published by RIKER, THORNE & Co., No. 129 Fulton-st.

LECTURES of the REV. E. H. CHAPIN.—The undersigned has recently published two volumes of LECTURES by the Rev. E. H. Chapin. One entitled MORAL ASPECTS OF CITY LIFE, containing eight Lectures on the following subjects: The Moral Significance of the City; The World of Traffic; The Dominion of Fashion; The Circle of Amusement; The Three Vices; The Three Social Forces; The Lower Depths; Society and the Individual. The other volume, called TRUE MANLINESS, contains nine Lectures on these topics: Vice; The Advantages of City Life; The Claims of the Time on Young Men; Christianity the Perfection of True Manliness; Moral Significance of the Crystal Palace; The Philosophy of Reform; The True Ground of Christian Union; Intolerance; The Work of Christianity in the Human Soul. Price of each of the books, 75 cents.
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