Sales by Auction.

DANIEL T. MACFARLAN, Auctioneer.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, known as No. 159 Attorney st., between Houston and Stanton-sts.—D. T. MACFARLAN will sell on WEDNESDAY, Dec. 19, 1855, at the Merchants' Exchange, at 12 o'clock m., all that certain LOT of GROUND situated on the westerly side of Attorney st. known as No. 159, together with the BUILDINGS thereon. The Lot is 25 feet front and rear by 100 feet deep. The improvements on the said lot of land consist of two brick buildings, front and rear. Ten per cent of the purchase money and the Auctioneer's fees will be required to be paid at the sale, and the balance when the deed is ready for delivery.

TUNIS MORRELL, Auctioneer.

A LARGE and IMPORTANT FURNITURE SALE, embracing a full variety of rich and elegant Goods, at 10½ o'clock, THIS (MONDAY) MORNING, at No. 81 Nassau-st., consisting of Rosewood Piano from a celebrated maker, elegant French Plate Mirrors, Rosewood suites of Parlor and Chamber Furniture, Tete-a-tetes, Sofas, Lounges, Dressing Bureaus, Wardrobes, Rocking and Easy Chairs, Curled Hair Mattresses, Rosewood, Walnut, and Mahogany Bedsteads, Extension Dining Tables, Marble-top Sofa Tables, Washstands, Portable Desks, China, Silver Plated Ware, Fancy Goods, &c. To pay advances, and will be sold at great sacrifice.

A. M. LEWIS, Auctioneer.

BY BANGS, BROTHER & Co.—Trade-Sale Rooms, No. 13 Park-row.
MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, Dec. 17, 18 and 19, at 6 o'clock.
VALUABLE LIBRARY BOOKS.—An extensive collection of Standard and Miscellaneous Books in almost every department of Literature, including Theology, History, Voyages and Travels, Biography, Poetry and the Arts. Also a large number of Illustrated Books in fine bindings, &c.
Catalogues are now ready.

ANTHONY J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.

CANAL-ST. PROPERTY at AUCTION.—ANTHONY J. BLEECKER & Co. will sell at public auction at the Merchants' Exchange, on TUESDAY, the 18th Dec., at 12 o'clock, the VALUABLE PROPERTY known as the South easterly corner of Canal and Varick-sts., containing 85 feet on Canal st., 80 feet on Varick-st., 61 feet on the southerly side and 50 feet 10 inches on the easterly side—otherwise known as Nos. 155, 157 and 159 Canal-st., and No. 68, 70 and 72 Varick st. On the Lots Nos. 68 and 70 Varick-st., are two large substantial Dwelling Houses, of superior construction and containing the modern improvements. On the Lot, Nos. 72 Varick and 159 Canal-st., is a four story Brick Building, the lower part of which is occupied as a store, and the upper part as a dwelling. Nos. 155 and 157 Canal-st., are divided into three small stores, and the whole premises would, in their present condition, bring a yearly rent of over $3,500. They are actually leased until May next for $2,840. The attention of buyers of Real Estate is called to this sale as presenting an opportunity for either speculation or permanent investment of exceedingly rare occurrence. Situated on Canal-st., which, from its great width and peculiar local advantages, is to become the great business street of our city; near the present termini of the two great railroads, and the depot of the Col ins steamers, with the new banking house of the People's Bank in its immediate vicinity, and the many similar improvements commenced or in contemplation, this point of land, as will be seen on reference to the map, is one of great present and still greater prospective value.
Sixty per cent of the purchase money may remain on bond and mortgage. For further particulars apply to the Auctioneers, No. 7 Broad-st. [No. 446]

W. A. CARTER, Auctioneer.

GROCERIES, LIQUORS, CIGARS, STOVES.—On TUESDAY, Dec. 18 at 10½ o'clock, at No. 57 Dey-st., corner of Greenwich, Coffee, Tea, Mustard, Pepper, Mackerel, Herring, Rum, Brandy, Whisky, Raisins, Prunes, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Scissors, Saws, Planes, Chisels, Files, Clocks, Boots, Pants, Collars, Stocks.

HENRY H. LEEDS & Co., Auctioneers.

HENRY H. LEEDS & Co. will sell by auction on MONDAY, Dec. 17, at 10½ o'clock, at the store No. 19 Nassau-st., an attractive lot of rich and valuable FURS, comprising Hudson Bay Sable on Mantles, Talmas, Tippets, Victorines, Muffs and Cuffs; Marten Sable, Sun Marten, Mink Sable, Stone Marten, French Sable, Fitch Marten, Rock Marten, Imperial Ermine, Lynx, Squirrel, &c. The above goods were got up expressly for Broadway trade, being fresh made and well worthy the attention of Ladies and Gentlemen, who will find it to their advantage to attend this sale. Also, an assortment of Sleigh Robes, Gloves, Fur Collars, Carriage Muffs, &c. Also, a splendid Sleigh Robe, made for the Crystal Palace.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer.

IMMENSE SALE of a Stock of $25,000 worth of CARPETS.—Great and Peremptory sale, without reserve, at Auction.—ALBERT H. NICOLAY will sell, on WEDNESDAY, Dec. 19, at 10 o'clock, at No. 181 Bowery, three doors above Broome-st., $25,000 worth of superb Carpets, Oil Cloths, Druggets, Rugs, Mats, &c., comprising the entire stock of a carpet dealer, at the above spacious warerooms. The stock embraces a very large assortment of elegant Velvets, Tapestry, Brussels, Three-ply and Ingrain Carpets, all of the choicest fabrics, qualities and grades, mostly imported expressly for this house; also, Oil Cloths, Mats, Druggets, Rugs, and most every other article appertaining to the Carpet business, all of which will be sold without reserve, regardless of cost or price, in order to close up the concern. This is a great opportunity for carpet dealers, hotel and housekeepers, and persons that may be in want of any of the above goods, to supply themselves, as the sale will be continued until the entire stock is disposed of and offers inducements rarely to be met with. The store will be open for the inspection of the goods on Tuesday, Dec. 18th, when catalogues can be obtained. Terms Cash, bankable money. For further particulars, apply to
ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer, No. 4 Broad-st.

HENRY H. LEEDS & Co., Auctioneers.

LARGE SALE of FANCY GOODS.—HENRY H. LEEDS & Co. will sell by Auction, on TUESDAY, Dec. 18, and WEDNESDAY, Dec. 19, at 10½ o'clock, at the Salesroom, No. 19 Nassau-st. Fancy Goods suitable for Holiday presents, &c., consisting of superb Ladies' and Gentlemen's Dressing Cases mounted in real silver; Ladies' Workboxes, Stands, Glove Boxes superb Bon Bon Boxes, real ormolu Card Cases, beautifully engraved, a new article; costly Clocks and Vases, Paintings on Glass, Odor Boxes, Alabaster Figures, large and small; Jewel Caskets, Reticules, Christophe Silverware, Plated do. of every kind, China Tea Sets, Port-Monnaies.
Also assignee's sale of a large lot of assorted Fancy Goods of the best kind, to be sold without reserve.
Also a large lot of fresh imported Marble Goods, comprising Vases five feet high, with every variety of smaller sizes; Parian Bardiglio and agate Etruscan Vases, &c. Also a large number of beautiful alabaster Groups, with marble vases and glass shades representing the antiques; Verde Antique Figures, Fountains, &c., with a large and valuable assortment of other goods, all will be out without reserve, and suited to the season. They can be packed for shipment if desired—can be examined the day previous to the sale.

By HENRY H. LEEDS & Co., Auctioneers.

ON TUESDAY, Dec. 18, WEDNESDAY, Dec. 19 and THURSDAY, Dec. 20, at 7½ o'clock each evening, at the Gallery No. 548 Broadway, (lately occupied by the Dusseldorf Gallery),
GREAT SALE of FINE ORIGINAL OIL PAINTINGS and MARBLE STATUARY, part of which were exhibited at the Crystal Palace, and the balance just received from Europe, and never before seen in this country. Among them will be found works of the most celebrated artists both old and modern, embracing those of DietrICY, Tasso, Ferrati, Borsognone, Fishbien, Carlo Dolci, Van Guysem, Stork, Van der Veldt, Mauverman, Van der Poel, Van Balen, Ostadi, A. Willaerts, and others of equal celebrity of the old masters.
Among the paintings of the modern school comprised in this collection will be found two examples of W. Shayer, warranted original; J. C. Ibbery, signed H. L. Raffe; J. Wilson, jr., of Edinburgh; McLeod Beddington the elder, warranted, and others.
Also, several exquisitely fine pieces, warranted original, by the celebrated Abel de Peyal and Penet. Also, 2 beautiful cabinet pieces, believed to be genuine, by Lancret, from the collection of Mr. Orfield, Baltimore.
Also about 150 old Oil Paintings, just received from Europe, never before seen in this country, all in their original state—some framed, the balance on stretchers or in sheets; giving a desirable opportunity to picture dealers and connoisseurs.
The particular attention of those interested in the Fine Arts is requested to this sale, as offering an extraordinary occasion for purchases.
Also, 30 of the most elegant and costly Marble Statuary just received direct from Florence, superior in quality to anything seen in the market for years, and suitable for the most elegant residences. Among the subjects are the Fisherman's Daughter, by Finelli; Charity, by Franzoni; Vanity and Modesty, by Barzatte; Innocence, by Franchi; Orphans, (superb), original, by Santarelli; Italian Beggar, same master; Two Dancers, by Pellicia; Shepherd, by Fredde; Group of Fidelity, by Delmedico; Boy with Dove, by Scanderelis; Angel of Justice, by L. Barzatta; Washington, Franklin and Jefferson, superbly cut, by Delmedico; Two Flemish Cupids, by L. Barzatta; Magdalen, and others.
This beautiful collection will be ready for examination on Friday, 14th inst., as above, until day of sale. The Gallery will also be open on the evenings of Saturday, 15th, and Monday, 17th for exhibition. Ladies and gentlemen are particularly invited to examine them.
Ample and comfortable accommodations have been provided for that purpose.

RUSSELL W. WESTCOTT, Auctioneer.

PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE of RICH and COSTLY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, at the residence No. 152 West 21st-st.—R. W. WESTCOTT will sell on TUESDAY, Dec. 18, at 10½ o'clock, the entire Magnificent Furniture, &c., of the above first-class house, which is replete with every elegance to be found in a fashionably furnished residence; all of which is in the best order, having been used but a short time. The whole will be peremptorily sold without regard to weather, making the most attractive and elegant sale of the season. Descriptive catalogues can be obtained at Mr. E. V. Haughwout, No. 561 Broadway; or of the Auctioneer, at his office, corner of 14th st and 6th av.
PARLORS—Splendid pearl-key Piano-forte, cost $400, with steel and cover; three magnificent parlor Rosewood Suites, covered in tapestry and satin, with slip covers. All these suites were made to order, and are of the best description. Elegant French pier and mantle Mirrors; statuary and Mosaic inlaid center and other Tables; rich velvet and other Carpets, rosewood reception and Turkish Easy Chairs; three magnificent rosewood Etageres; Mirror Fronts with marble tops; rosewood Music Cabinets; splendid French Secretary, cost $300; Lady's French Escritoire lined with satin; very rich Sevres and Dresden Vases; Parlor Ornaments; marble Clock mounted in ormolu; Statuary, Bronzes, &c., with a number of choice and valuable Paintings, among which is the Madonna. These Paintings are worthy special attention.
CHAMBER AND DINING-ROOM FURNITURE.—Elegant oak extension Table; marble-top Sideboard, mounted in pearl, made by Meeks; rich silver ware; splendid Dining Set, 100 pieces; thousands of real cut Glassware to match throughout; elegant carved Rosewood Bedsteads; Bureaus and Washstands to match; rosewood and mahogany Wardrobes; one elegant marble-top Chamber suite, cost $150; rosewood Suite in brocatelle; rosewood and mahogany extension Bookcases; Library do., mahogany and French chairs; with two rooms splendidly furnished in mahogany throughout, all made to order. Also a large variety of KITCHEN FURNITURE, Range, Portable Furnace, &c. A deposit will be required of all purchasers. Cars and stages pass within a few doors of the house.

W. S. MELLOR, Auctioneer—By HOGGSON & MELLOR.

THIS DAY, (Monday,) at 10½ o'clock, at No. 115 Nassau-st.—Assignee's Sale of the entire stock of a first-class CABINET-MAKER, removed to our Salesrooms, and will be positively sold at auction—consisting of the richest collection of superior CABINET FURNITURE offered at auction this Fall, finished in the most fashionable styles, and fine quality materials, and will include rosewood, walnut, oak and mahogany Parlor, Chamber, Drawing room, Dining and Library Furniture; one rosewood Armoire, mirror doors; rich Bookcases, Etageres, Library and Secretary Bookcases, solid rosewood Center Tables, Chevalets, 12 rosewood Parlor Suites in the most costly materials, five richly decorated and enameled Chamber Suites, Tete-a-Tetes, Easy and Fancy Chairs, Children's Chairs, cane and willow seats, hair Mattresses. Also, to pay advances, fifty Oil Paintings, Engravings, French plate Mirrors for piers and mantles, several sets of Dixon & Son's Plated Ware, Forks, Spoons, Castors, Napkins, Rings, Urns, Goblets, &c. At 12 o'clock precisely, will be sold five new and second-hand rosewood and mahogany Piano Fortes, one of which cost $450, made by W. Lindeman & Son, and fully warranted; three fine gold Watches. The whole for absolute sale, and worthy the attention of the trade and those about refurnishing.

HENRY H. LEEDS & Co., Auctioneers—Office No. 19 Nassau-st.

HENRY H. LEEDS & Co. will sell by auction, on MONDAY, Dec. 17, 1855, at 12 o'clock, in front of the store, No. 19 Nassau-st., a large dun HORSE, about 15½ hands high, weighs about 1,200 lbs., 7 years old, and warranted sound and kind; perfectly passive to street noises.
Also, a TROTTING BUGGY, made by one of the best city makers, and but little used.

Financial.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer, will sell, THIS DAY, Dec. 17, at 12½ o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, for account of whom it may concern:
$7,000 Michigan Southern Railroad Sinking Fund Bonds, $1,000 each.
$10,000 Cleveland, Painesville and Ashtabula Bonds, $1,000 each.
$5,000 Chicago and Mississippi Railroad 1st Mortgage Bonds, $1,000 each.
$10,000 Lake Erie, Wabash and St. Louis 1st Mortgage Bonds, $1,000 each.
$7,000 Lake Erie, Wabash and St. Louis 2d Mortgage Bonds, $1,000 each.
50 shares Chatham Bank, $25 each.
5 shares Atlantic Bank of New-York, $100 each.
2 shares Trenton Iron Company, $100 each.
10 shares Mechanics' Bank of Williamsburgh, $50 each.
13 shares Commonwealth Fire Insurance Company, $100 ea.
25 shares Bowery Fire Insurance Company, $25 each.
20 shares Stuyvesant Fire Insurance Company, $25 each.
200 shares St. Nicholas Fire Insurance Company, $25 each.
60 shares Hope Fire Insurance Company, $25 each.
19 shares Lafarge Fire Insurance Company, $50 each.
40 shares Enterprise Fire Insurance Company, $25 each.
20 shares Astor Fire Insurance Company, $25 each.
10 shares Manhattan Life Insurance Company, $50 each.
100 shares Knickerbocker Life Insurance Company, $25 each.
84 shares New-York Consolidated Stage Company, $25 each.
10 shares United States Mail Steamship Company, $100 each.
40 shares East River Fire Insurance Company, $15 each.
TERMS OF SALE—Ten per cent this day, and the balance before 2 o'clock to-morrow. The accrued interest on all the Bonds will be charged to the purchaser.
Next Regular Sale on THURSDAY, December 20.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The CINCINNATI, HAMILTON and DAYTON RAILROAD COMPANY have declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT., payable in the Stock of the Company. The fractional parts of a share will be paid in cash at the rate of 80 per cent. Payable at the Office of the OHIO LIFE INSURANCE and TRUST COMPANY, No 56 William-st., on and after the 17th inst.

IRVING SAVINGS INSTITUTION, No. 96 Warren-st., New-York, next to the corner of Greenwich-st. Open daily from 10 o'clock A. M. to 1 P. M. and from 4 to 7 P. M. Interest at the rate of six per cent on sums from $1 to $500.
WM. M. PULLIS, } Vice-Presets.
M. D. VAN PELT, }
V. L. BUXTON, Sec'y.

MARINERS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION, 3d-av., cor. 9th-st., for the benefit of all classes of persons.
Interest allowed on deposits from $1 to $500 at the rate of six per cent. Bank open daily from 9 a. m., to 2 p. m., and on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 5 to 8 p. m.
ISAAC T. SMITH, Secretary.

BANK DEPARTMENT, ALBANY, Oct, 20, 1855.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant, to the statute in such case made and provided, that all the circulating notes issued to S. GILBERT, an individual banker, (DROVERS' BANK OF ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY, Ogdensburgh, and late DROVERS' BANK OF CATTARAUGUS COUNTY,) must be sent to the office of the Superintendent of the Banking Department of the State of New-York, for payment, within two years from the date hereof, or the funds deposited for the redemption of the circulating notes issued to the said banker will be given up. M. SCHOONMAKER,
e22law2yM Superintendent.

OFFICE OF THE NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE Co., No. 6 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Dec. 4, 1855.
DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors of this Company have declared a DIVIDEND of EIGHT PER CENT, payable on demand. R. W. BLEECKER, Sec'y.

DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors of the HOWARD INSURANCE COMPANY have declared a Dividend of FIFTEEN per cent, payable on and after MONDAY, the 31 day of December, 1855.—New-York, Nov. 28, 1855.
HENRY A. OAKLEY, Secretary.

NOTICE to the BONDHOLDERS of the MANSFIELD AND SANDUSKY CITY, SANDUSKY, MANSFIELD AND NEWARK, and COLUMBUS AND LAKE ERIE RAILROAD COMPANIES.—The Committee of Bondholders, appointed at the meeting held here in July last, have obtained from the Court in Ohio a further extension of time to January 1, 1856, to complete the proposed arrangement; and the remaining Bondholders who have not signed the agreement are desired to do so prior to that date, and to send in their names, with the amounts they hold, giving a description of the Bonds, that the holders may be known to the Committee. Any information in regard to the progress being made can be had on application to E. T. H. GIBSON, No. 33 Pearl-st.
New-York, Dec. 6, 1855.

OFFICE OF THE NEW-YORK AND NEW-HAVEN RAILROAD Co., No. 1 Hanover-st.
NOTICE to BONDHOLDERS.—Holders of 7 per cent Bonds of this Company are hereby notified that in pursuance of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Connecticut, passed at its last May session, the Treasurer is authorized and prepared to exchange for the outstanding Bonds bearing 7 per cent interest, and *not secured by mortgage*, Bonds authorized by the before mentioned act bearing 6 per cent interest and *secured by an only mortgage* on the Company's road, franchises, &c. Said exchange will be made at this office until further notice. By order of the Directors.—New-York, Oct. 19, 1855.
WM. BEMENT, Treasurer.

NOTICE.—The INTEREST due January 1, 1856, in the City of New-York, on the CALIFORNIA SEVEN PER CENT CIVIL FUND BONDS will be paid on and after that date at the office of the
JOHN COOK, Jr., No. 31 Broadway.

LOAN for $4,550 000 for the REDEMPTION of STOCK due JANUARY 1, 1856, and for DEFICIENCY in the SINKING FUND under Article Seven of the Constitution.
The Commissioners of the Canal Fund by virtue of the Act entitled "An Act to provide means to support the Government," passed April 12, 1855, and in accordance with Article Seven of the Constitution, hereby give notice that Sealed Proposals will be received at the Canal Department until the 18th day of December next, at 12 o'clock, noon, of that day, for a LOAN of FOUR MILLIONS FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS, for which Transferable Certificates of Stock will be issued in the name of the People of the State of New-York, on the credit of the Sinking Fund under Article Seven of the Constitution, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable quarterly on the first days of January, April, July and October, in each year, and the principal reimbursable on the first day of January, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-four. It is to be understood that the Commissioners are to be at liberty to take a less sum, if the offers are not such as in their opinion are advantageous to the interest of the State. The proposals may be for the whole or any part of said Loan not less than $5,000. All proposals to be sealed up and indorsed "Loan for the Sinking Fund," and inclosed in an envelope directed to the Auditor of the Canal Department, Albany. The money will be required to be paid, five per cent on the acceptance of the proposal and the balance on the 20th day of December next, at the State Bank, in the City of Albany, or at the Manhattan Bank in the City of New-York, but the money will be received and the scrip issued at any time before if desired, after the award of the Loan is made.
Payments to be made by depositing the same to the credit of the "Treasurer of the State on account of the Canal Fund," in the Bank of the Manhattan Company, New-York, or in the New-York State Bank, in the City of Albany. Interest on the Loan will commence on the first day of January next, and the holders of the stock residing in the first and second judicial districts and those residing out of the State, will receive the interest on the stock held by them, quarterly, at the Bank of the Manhattan Company, in the City of New-York, and all other stockholders at the New-York State Bank, in the City of Albany.—Dated Canal Department, Albany, November 26, 1855.
HENRY J. RAYMOND, Lieut. Governor.
JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Sec'ry of State.
E. G. SPAULDING, Treasurer.

GALVESTON, HOUSTON AND HENDERSON RAILROAD Co., Office No. 49 Wall-st., New-York, Dec. 10, 1855.
THE COUPONS of the 10 per cent First Mortgage Loans of the GALVESTON, HOUSTON and HENDERSON R. R. Co., due on the 1st of January next, will be paid on and after that day at our office, No. 49 Wall-st. Bondholders in Europe will please present their coupons for payment to the Comptoir National d'Escompte at Paris, the Banque générale de Suisse at Geneva; Mr. L. A. Stahn Frankfort-on-the-main; Messrs. M. M. Warburg & Co., Hamburg; Messrs Cassel, Kirchberg & Co., Cologne; Messrs. Kunath Naundt & Kishne, Leipsic.
JOHN H. HAND,
Treasurer of the G. H. & H. R. R. Co.

THE STOCKHOLDERS of the CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD COMPANY are hereby notified that the Annual Meeting for the election of Directors and for the transaction of other business will be held at the office of the Company in Cleveland on WEDNESDAY, the 26 day of January next, at 10 o'clock a. m.
E. ROCKWELL, Secretary.

VERMONT LEAD COMPANY—NOTICE.—Assessment being due and unpaid on 145 shares of the Company's Stock, the same will be sold, pursuant to the by laws, to the highest bidder on MONDAY, the 24th inst., at the Office of the Treasurer, No. 15 Broadway, Room No. 5, at 11 o'clock.

DREXEL, SATHER & CHURCH, BANKERS, SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., draw Bills of Exchange on DREXEL & Co., PHILADELPHIA, payable at the principal Office of the United States.
Collections made at San Francisco, and in the interior of the State, and proceeds promptly remitted. Collections may be sent direct to D. S. & C., or through DREXEL & Co., Philadelphia, or F. SATHER, No. 164 Nassau-st., New-York.
Exchange on San Francisco for sale, in sums to suit, by DREXEL & Co., Philadelphia, and F. SATHER, New-York.

HENRY H. BOODY, BANKER and GENERAL AGENT, Hudson, St. Croix Co., Wisconsin, will buy and sell Land Warrants, enter Lands at the Land-Office, locate Land Warrants, pa. Taxes on Lands, and transact all the business of a General Agency. Business intrusted to his care will receive prompt and faithful attention.
REFERENCES—Hon. Edward Kent, Bangor; Hon. Wm. Willis, Portland; F. W. Chandler, Esq., Boston; David Pingree, Esq., Salem; Ivison & Phinney, No. 178 Fulton-st., New-York; Hon. Hamilton Fish, New-York; President Allen, Philadelphia; Hon. Wm. H. Allen, Esq., President Girard College, Philadelphia; Amos Owen, Esq., Cincinnati; Hon. S. P. Benson, Washington, D. C.—Hudson, Wis., May 21, 1855.

ON SALE—CITY OF CLEVELAND 7 ₱ cent Bonds (Water Loan).
CITY OF DETROIT 7 ₱ cent Bonds (Water Loan).
CITY OF CINCINNATI 6 ₱ cent Bonds.
CITY OF CHICAGO 6 ₱ cent Bonds.
CITY OF MILWAUKEE 7 ₱ cent Bonds.
CITY OF SACRAMENTO 10 ₱ cent Bonds.
DUNCAN, SHERMAN & Co.

$100,000—TO LOAN in SUMS to suit on approved Stock securities, at 6 or 7 per cent, for 90 days. Apply to WEYMORE & ROBERT, No. 25 William-st.

$20,000 TO LOAN—In sums to suit, on Bond and Mortgage of City Property. Valuable Farms and Stock Securities to exchange for City Real Estate. Houses and Lots in different parts of this City and Brooklyn. For sale at moderate prices. Apply to FREDK A. GOODALL, Real Estate Broker, No. 262 Fulton-st.

KINDLING-WOOD—S. HARRISON & SON'S steam factory, No. 206 West 24th-st., best Virginia Pine, per load, delivered, $5 25; Oak $5 50; each, per box, extra; Hickory, per load, $4; per box 50 cents. Orders per post promptly attended to.

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BULPIN'S FANCY FURS.
REDUCED IN PRICE FOR THE HOLIDAYS.
SETS OF ELEGANT MINK.
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SETS OF RUSSIAN SABLE.
SETS OF HUDSON'S BAY MARTEN.
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SETS OF STONE MARTEN.
And every other FUR, all now reduced in price for Christmas and New-Year's Gifts.
GEO. BULPIN, No. 361 Broadway.

FURS! FURS! FURS!—At the West-End Emporium, No. 128 Canal-st.—The Ladies are requested to call and examine the large and choice assortment before purchasing. Also an extensive variety of beautiful HATS and CAPS for Children. ONE PRICE. J. W. KELLOGG.

FURS! FURS! FURS!—D. REQUA, No. 228 Bowery, solicits a call to examine his splendid stock of FURS and FANCY GOODS, consisting in part of Mink, Stone Marten, Fitch, Black Lynx, Mountain Marten, French Sable Capes, Victorines, Muffs and Cuffs; White, Black and Brown Beaver Hats and Flats for children, very richly trimmed; Plain and Fancy Hats and Caps, and an entirely new style Velvet Hat, very rich, for boys; Beaver and Felt Bonnets, Ladies' Riding Hats, &c.

FURS.—F. BOOSS, No. 629 Broadway, between Houston and Bleecker-sts., Importer and Manufacturer of FURS, invites his customers and the public to examine his stock of FURS, which will not be surpassed either in beauty or quality and the most reasonable prices. Orders promptly attended to. Also, all kinds of Furs cleaned and altered to the present fashion. No. 629 Broadway.

LADIES' FANCY FURS.—BACKUS, OSBORNE & Co., Nos. 51 and 53 Maiden-lane, offer at WHOLESALE or RETAIL an extensive assortment of FOREIGN and DOMESTIC FURS and SKINS, and invite the attention of purchasers to their stock of Mantillas, Capes, Victorines, Muffs, &c., which have been manufactured in superior style, and after the most approved patterns, EXPRESSLY FOR CITY RETAIL TRADE.

LADIES' FANCY FURS.—A. TOTH, No. 47 Maiden-lane, calls the attention the Wholesale and Retail Trade to his select stock of FURS, selling at reduced prices.

Clothing.

JUST FINISHED—The most splendid HATS ever offered to the public at the low price of $3, usually sold at $4. Neat Hats, $2 50. BROWN, No. 210 Canal-st.

Millinery, &c.

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HOMER & KETCHUM.

Furniture.

H. F. FARRINGTON.—ENAMELED COTTAGE and CHAMBER FURNITURE at the Manufactory and Warerooms, Nos. 46 and 48 Wooster-st.

SHOW-CASES.—SCHMIDT & BROTHERS' Show-Case Warerooms and Manufactory, No. 5 North William-st., cor. Frankfort, N. Y., and 77 West 3d-st., Cin., Ohio.

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ENCAUSTIC TILES—For Vestibules, Halls, Hearths, Dining-rooms, Conservatories, &c. GARNKIRK CHIMNEY TOPS, DRAIN PIPES, &c. For sale by MILLER, COATES & YOULE, No. 279 Pearl-st.

ROOFS! ROOFS!! ROOFS!!!—The cheapest and best article for covering roofs is TAR ROOFING PAPER, which we keep constantly on hand and will sell in large or small quantities to suit purchasers.
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The public are informed that the P. M. S. S. Co. always have ONE or MORE EXTRA STEAMERS lying at Panama ready for sea, to avoid any possible detention of Passengers or Mails.
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The Proprietors can now assure the public that the Isthmus is entirely free from disease, and that the Political troubles in Nicaragua have ceased. Peace has been made between the contending parties, and not the slightest interruption in the transit between the oceans need be apprehended.
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NEW-YORK and MEXICAN STEAMSHIP LINE—For HAVANA via NASSAU, N. P., at noon, December 20, 1855. The splendid A 1 steamer ST. LAWRENCE, will leave this port from Pier No. 37 North River, foot of Rector-st., as above, and will connect at Havana with the splendid A 1 steamship MEXICO, which will carry passengers through to the following ports in Mexico: SISAL, CAMPEACHY and VERA CRUZ. These ships have elegant and finely-ventilated accommodations. For freight and passage apply on board or to
JOHN GRAHAM, No. 516 Broadway,
Opposite St. Nicholas Hotel.
N. B.—The steamship OCEAN BIRD will succeed the St. Lawrence, and sail for Havana on the 20th of January, and will transfer passengers at the latter port for the above-mentioned ports in Mexico.

U. S. MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY—For HAVANA and NEW-ORLEANS.—On MONDAY, Dec. 17, at 7 p. m. from pier foot of Warren st., N. R. the fast and favorite steamship GRANADA, Capt. S. P. Griffin, will sail as above.
Passage can be secured at the Company's office.
Freight to New-Orleans 30 cents per cubic foot.
Shippers will be supplied with blank bills of lading of the form agreed by the Company, on application at their office. No other forms signed, and no bill of lading will be signed after the hour of sailing.
For freight or passage, apply at the office of the Company, No. 177 West-st., corner of Warren. M. O. ROBERTS.

FOR CHARLESTON and FLORIDA—Semi-Weekly U. S. MAIL LINE.—The staunch sea going steamer SOUTHERNER, T. Ewan, commander, will leave Pier No. 4 N. R., on SATURDAY, Dec. 22, at 3 o'clock, p m., precisely. For Freight apply on board, where all bills of lading will be signed, and for Passage, at the office of
SPOFFORD, TILESTON & Co., No. 29 Broadway.
Cabin passage, $25.
The favorite steamer CAROLINA, having resumed her regular trips to the various landings on the St. John's River, Florida, will connect with the steamers from New-York, and leave Charleston every TUESDAY at 2 o'clock p. m. Through tickets to Jacksonville, $31; to Pilatka, $33.

FOR SAVANNAH and FLORIDA—United States Mail Line.—The new and splendid steamship AUGUSTA, Thos. Lyon, commander, will leave New-York for Savannah on WEDNESDAY, Dec. 19, from pier No. 4, North River, at 3 o'clock p. m. precisely.
Bills of Lading signed by the clerk on board.
For Freight apply on board, or for Passage to
S. L. MITCHILL, No. 13 Broadway.
Cabin passage to Savannah, $25.
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Large and commodious steamers leave Savannah for Florida three times a week, connecting with the steamers from New-York on Tuesdays and Saturdays.
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THE NEW-YORK and LIVERPOOL UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS.—The ships composing this line are the following:
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These ships having been built by contract expressly for the Government service every care has been taken in their construction, as also in their engines, to insure strength and speed, and their accommodations for passengers are unequaled for elegance and comfort. Price of passage from New-York to Liverpool, in first-class cabin, $130; in second do., $75; exclusive use of extra-size state-rooms, $325; from Liverpool to New-York, 50 and 20 guineas. An experienced Surgeon attached to each ship. No berth secured until paid for.
PROPOSED DATES OF SAILING.

FROM NEW-YORK.		FROM LIVERPOOL.	
WEDNESDAY,	Nov. 28, 1855	SATURDAY	Dec. 1, 1855
WEDNESDAY,	Dec. 12, 1855	SATURDAY	Dec. 15, 1855
WEDNESDAY,	Dec. 26, 1855	SATURDAY	Dec. 29, 1855
SATURDAY	Jan. 5, 1856	SATURDAY	Jan. 12, 1856
SATURDAY	Jan. 19, 1856	WEDNESDAY	Jan. 23, 1856
SATURDAY	Feb. 2, 1856	WEDNESDAY	Feb. 6, 1856
SATURDAY	Feb. 16, 1856	WEDNESDAY	Feb. 20, 1856
SATURDAY	Mar. 1, 1856	WEDNESDAY	Mar. 5, 1856
SATURDAY	Mar. 15, 1856	WED