Dry Goods.

ATTENTION, LADIES.—If you want an effectual and speedy cure for chapped hands, salt rheum, &c., purchase a pair of those celebrated INDIA-RUBBER GLOVES, which can be found at all Rubber Establishments, and at No. 38 John-st., up stairs, New-York.

TO THE LADIES.—Mr. R. L. HARPER, No. 53 Bromfield-st., Boston, has just received a choice assortment of those rich and elegant STRAW-EMBROIDERED BALL DRESSES, of the latest Parisian style, which were so universally admired at Newport last season. As he was not then able to supply the demand, he takes this opportunity to inform the Ladies that he is just opening a fresh supply, some of which are white, and very appropriate for Bridal Costumes. Also Head-dresses, Coiffeurs, Capatees, Collars, Mantles, &c., all of which are richly embroidered straw, on black or white lace; and a variety of Wreaths of Straw Flowers, Feathers, Flowers, &c. N. B.—This is the only house in the United States where these goods can be obtained.

BLEACHED GOODS.—A complete assortment, comprising every width and quality. For sale by NESMITH & CO., No. 71 Broadway.

BLANKETS.—200 cases ribbon-bound family BLANKETS, from cradle-size to 14-4, and of various qualities, together with Negro, Indian and Horse Blankets, from the Rochdale and Gonic Mills. Will be sold low. NESMITH & Co., Agents, No. 71 Broadway.

FINE BLANKETS.—Fresh invoices of the best qualities. For sale by NESMITH & Co., No. 71 Broadway.

FINE BROWN GOODS.—500 bales Rockingham, Hope and other makes, for sale by NESMITH & Co., No. 71 Broadway.

Card.

WE have THIS DAY opened at No. 748 BROADWAY, above Astor-place, a Store for the exclusive sale of LINEN GOODS, comprising

Sheeting,	Damask Napkins,
Shirting,	Doylies,
and Framing Linens,	Shirt Fronts,
Pillow Linens,	Diapers,
Damask Table Linens,	Lawns,
Damask Table Cloths,	Linen C. Handkerchiefs,

And all Goods that are usually manufactured from FLAX, to which the attention of those desiring such Goods is invited.
New-York, Dec. 10, 1855. J. C. MILLIKEN & Co.

WHITEROCK MANUFACTURING Co.'s BLEACHED GOODS, for sale by NESMITH & Co., Sole Agents.

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.

YOUTH'S and CHILDREN'S CLOTHING for all ages from three to twenty years, at WHOLESALE. J. B. CLOSE, BAILEY & Co., No. 8 Park-place, N. Y.

Paper Warehouses.

PAPER WAREHOUSE.—J. T. DERRICKSON & Co., No. 30 Beekman-st., offer for sale on the lowest terms:
Writing Papers, English, French and American.
News Paper, all sizes, weights and qualities.
Book Paper, all sizes, weights and qualities.
Tissue Paper, fancy colors and white, of the best quality.
Hanging Paper, white and colored, different widths.
Hotters' Paper, thin and of the best quality.
Cloth Paper, 36x60 and 40x48.
English Hardware Paper, a large assortment, just arrived.
Sheathing Paper of the best quality.
Wrapping Paper, Straw, Rag and Manilla.
Tea Paper of different sizes.
Tar Roofing Paper, suitable for roofs in rolls.

Copartnership Notices.

NEW MERCANTILE and BUSINESS FIRMS in need of FIRE-PROOF SAFES, will promote their own interest and security by obtaining WILDER'S PATENT SALAMANDER SAFE, now made and sold by the patentees, B. G. WILDER & Co., No. 122 Water-st., near Wall, New-York, and No. 22 Walnut-st. and No. 9 Granite-st., Philadelphia.

THE LIMITED PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of ELY, CLAPP & BOWEN, formed Jan. 1, 1851, is hereby dissolved by its own limitation.
The unsettled business of the firm will be closed by HENRY G. ELY and EDWARD E. BOWEN, who alone are authorized to use the partnership name in liquidation.—Dated Dec. 31, 1855.
HENRY C. BOWEN,
HENRY G. ELY,
DEWITT C. CLAPP,
EDWARD E. BOWEN.

The undersigned have, pursuant to the provisions of the Revised Statutes of the State of New-York, formed a LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, under the name or firm of ELY, BOWEN & McCONNELL. The general nature of the business to be transacted is the importing and dealing in DRY GOODS on account of said firm and on commission. HENRY G. ELY and EDWARD E. BOWEN of the City of Brooklyn and State of New-York, and WILLIAM H. McCONNELL of Grand Rapids in the State of Michigan, are the general partners, and HENRY C. BOWEN of said City of Brooklyn is the special partner. The said HENRY C. BOWEN has contributed the sum of thirty thousand dollars in cash as capital toward the common stock, and the said partnership is to commence on the 1st day of January, 1856, and is to terminate on the 31st day of December, 1860.—Dated Dec. 31, 1855.
EDWARD G. ELY,
EDWARD E. BOWEN,
WM. H. McCONNELL,
HENRY C. BOWEN.

THE SPECIAL PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned expired Jan. 1, 1856, by limitation. The general partners, JOSEPH PLUME and GEORGE E. PARMELEE, will, either of them, sign the name of the late firm in liquidation.
JOSEPH PLUME,
GEORGE E. PARMELEE,
RICHARD CROWTHER, Special.
New-York, Jan. 1, 1856.
The business carried on by the late firm of PLUME & PARMELEE will be continued by the subscribers under the same name. JOSEPH PLUME,
New-York, Jan. 1, 1856. GEORGE E. PARMELEE.

THE SUBSCRIBERS have formed a PARTNERSHIP for transacting a Wholesale BOOT and SHOE BUSINESS, under the Firm of WALKER, WORTH & Co.
PHINEAS WALKER,
JOHN H. WORTH,
THOMAS W. WALKER,
New-York, Jan. 1, 1856.
WALKER, WORTH & Co., successors to Wheelock & Daniels, No. 30 Dey-st.

WE HAVE THIS DAY admitted WM. P. SOUTHWORTH a Partner in our firm.
New-York, Jan. 1, 1856. WM. ATWATER & Co.

NEW FIRMS, desiring Security for their Books and Papers, can insure them without fear of loss in one of STEARNS & MARVIN'S WILDER PATENT SALAMANDER SAFES, secured by BRENAN'S POWDER and BURGLAR PROOF "LA BELLE LOCK," which can be found of any desirable size or pattern and of improved finish at the Depot, No. 146 Water-st. STEARNS & MARVIN.

New-York City Business Directory.

THE FOLLOWING LIST consists of prominent Houses in each line of Business:

DRY GOODS.

American and Foreign Silks.
BOWEN, McNAMEE & Co., (Impts. & Jobbers) 112 Broadway

Berlin Wool, Embroidery Silks, Fringes, Gimps, Buttons, Ladies' Dress Trimmings, Gold and Silver Articles for Regalias.
KOHLSAAT BROS., (Importers and Jobbers) No. 48 John-st.

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.
J. M. DAVIES, JONES & Co., (Impts. & Manfs.) 22 Warren-st.

American Lamps and Gas Fixtures.
DIETZ BRO. & Co., (Manufs.).....No. 132 William-st., in rear.

Artificial Flowers and Feathers, new styles.
JAMES TUCKER, (Importer and Wholesale Dealer) No. 387 Broadway. Bridal Wreaths for the Million.

Dentist.
Dr. CHAS. A. PECK.....No. 449 Broadway.

Doors, Sashes and Blinds.
N. P. KIMBALL, (Wholesale and Retail) No. 76 Beekman-st.

Engravers, (Wood.)
W. HOWLAND, No. 229 Broadway, 1 door above Astor House.

English Cutlery, Files, Saws and Tools.
BARGREAVES, SMITH & Co., Manufacturers (England), No. 25 Cliff-st.

French Window Glass.
J. H. POILLON & Co. (Importers).....No. 34 Barclay-st.

French and German Baskets, &c.
CHAS. ZINN & Co. (Importers), 52 Maiden-lane & 51 Liberty-st.

Grate and Fender Makers.
WM. H. JACKSON, (formerly W. & N. Jackson & Sons) No. 59 Broadway, 1 door above 19th-st.

Hardware, Cutlery, Edge Tools, &c.
THOS. DOUGLASS (Manufacturer and Dealer), No. 5 Platt-st.

Iron, Metals, &c.
BUNTING & BEAN (Brokers).....No. 60 Wall-st.

Boat and Oar Bazaar.
From 200 to 500 Boats always on hand. A liberal discount to those who buy to sell again. INGERSOLL'S, 259 South-st.

Lightning Rods.
A. M. QUIMBY & SON, offices 152 E. 27th-st. and 119 Nassau-st.
LYON MANUFACTURING Co., Olds's Patent. Also, Copper Rods for Ships. Agents wanted.....No. 11 Gold-st.

Lithographers.
GEO. HAYWARD.....No. 120 Water-st.

Paints, Oils, &c.
RAYNOLDS, DEVOE & Co.....Nos. 106 and 108 Fulton-st.

Paper Warehouses.
CYRUS W. FIELD & Co., (Wholesale Dealers) No. 11 Cliff-st.

Paper in Rolls and Reams, &c.
EUGENE ELY.....No. 75 Fulton-st., third door below Gold.

Salamander Safes.
STEARNS & MARVIN, Manufacturers of Rich & Co.'s Salamander Safes, Wilder's Patent, Rich's Improvement. Also, sole proprietors of the patent "La Belle Lock." Depot No. 146 Water-st.

Ship Bread and Crackers.
ERASTUS TITUS & Co.....No. 283 Washington-st.

Toys and Fancy Goods.
J. AHLBORN & Co., 54 Maiden-lane, up stairs, and 29 Liberty.

Window and Plate Glass (French and English.)
F. HOPKINS & BROTHERS, (Importers) No. 61 Barclay-st.

***Any additions to the above List should be brought to the Office of S. M. PETTENGILL & Co., No. 119 Nassau-st.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING.

S. M. PETTENGILL & Co., No. 119 Nassau-st., New-York, have made such arrangements with the best and most widely-circulated journals in the United States and Canadas that they are enabled to make a saving of time and expense to the advertisers who do business through them. They select the best papers, and advertise conspicuously at the very lowest prices, and always keep the interest of their customers in view. Merchants are invited to call on them.

Sales by Auction.

A. M. MERWIN, Auctioneer.

BY BANGS, BROTHER & CO.—Trade-Sale Rooms, No. 13 Park-row.

BY H. H. LEEDS & CO.—On WEDNESDAY, Jan. 9, at 10½ o'clock, at the salesroom, No. 19 Nassau-st. Large sale of FANCY GOODS. To close out balance of a stock, &c., consisting of ladies' and gentlemens' superb Dressing Cases, mounted in real silver, ladies' Work Boxes, fitted Glove Boxes, superb Bon-Bon Boxes, real ormolu Card-Cases, beautifully engraved, a new article; costly Clocks and Vases, Paintings on Glass, Odor Boxes, Bronze Figures, large and small Jewel Caskets, Reticules, Christopher Silver Ware, Plated do., of every kind, China Tea Sets, Portemonnaies, &c.
Also at 12 o'clock an invoice of very fine Sleigh-Robes, Furs, Gloves and Collars, among which will be found real Russian Sable, Grecian Stone Marten, Mink, French Sable, and other Manufs. Capes, &c.; Hudson Bay Wolf Robes, Buffalo and Bear do., real Otter, Mink and Lynx Gloves and Collars.

EXECUTOR'S SALE to CLOSE an ESTATE.—Will be sold at public auction, at the Merchants' Exchange in this city, on the 23d day of January, 1856, at 12 o'clock at noon, by the undersigned, pursuant to the directions contained in the last will of ANDREW LEARY, deceased, the following pieces of land, in fee, to wit:
All those two certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the XVIth Ward of the City of New-York, taken together bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the south-westerly corner of the 8th-av and 19th-st.; running thence southerly along the 8th-av. 47 feet 4 inches; thence westerly, parallel with 19th-st., to and through the center of a party-wall and beyond the same 92 feet; thence northerly, parallel with the 8th-av., to and through the center of another party-wall 47 feet 4 inches, to 19th-st.; and thence easterly along 19th-st., 92 feet to the place of beginning.
All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the XXth Ward of the City of New-York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of 55th-st., distant 111 feet westerly from 7th-av.; running thence northerly on a diagonal line (the former center line of Fifteen Road) to 56th-st., at a point distant 136 feet and 1½ inches westerly from 8th-av.; thence westerly, along 56th-st., 41 feet 10½ inches; thence southerly, parallel with 8th-av., 197 feet 6 inches to 55th-st.; and thence easterly, along 55th-st., 39 feet to the place of beginning.
All those two certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the XXth Ward of the City of New-York, taken together, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of 47th-st., distant 300 feet westerly from the 8th-av., running thence northerly, parallel with 8th-av, 100 feet 5 inches to the center line of the block; thence westerly along said center line 50 feet; thence southerly, parallel with 8th-av., 100 feet 5 inches to 47th-st.; and thence easterly along 47th-st., 50 feet to the place of beginning.
And at the same time and place, the following leasehold premises, to wit:
All the unexpired term of twenty years from the 1st day of May, 1849, at the annual rent of $46, payable half-yearly, of, in, to or out of all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the XXth Ward of the City of New-York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of the 8th-av., distant 17 feet northerly from 53d-st.; running thence westerly parallel with 53d-st., 100 feet; thence northerly, parallel with the 8th-av., 22 feet; thence easterly, parallel with 53d-st. 100 feet to the 8th-av.; and thence southerly along the 8th-av. 22 feet to the place of beginning, subject to any taxes or assessments which may be imposed thereon.
All the unexpired term of twenty years and three months, from 1st February, 1848, free from rent, of, in, to or out of all that certain irregular lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the XXth Ward of the City of New-York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly side of 29th-st., distant 60 feet westerly from the 8th-av.; running thence southerly, parallel with the 8th-av., 54 feet 9 inches; thence westerly, parallel with 29th-st., 18 feet; thence southerly, parallel with 8th-av., 44 feet; thence westerly, parallel with 28th-st., 22 feet; thence northerly, parallel with 8th-av., 18 feet 8 inches; thence easterly, parallel with 29th-st., 30 feet; thence northerly, parallel with 8th-av., 60 feet to 28th-st.; and thence easterly, along 28th-st., 20 feet to the place of beginning. Subject to payment of taxes and assessments which may be imposed thereon.
All the unexpired term of fifteen years, from the 1st day of May, 1846, at the annual rent of $40 per lot of, in, to or out of:
All those five certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the XXth Ward of the City of New-York, taken together, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of 53d-st., distant 100 feet westerly from the 8th-av.; running thence northerly parallel with the 8th-av., 98 feet 9 inches, to the center-line of the block; thence westerly along said center-line 100 feet; thence southerly, parallel with 8th-av., 98 feet 9 inches, to 53d-st.; and thence easterly along 53d-st., 100 feet to the place of beginning. Subject to payment of taxes and assessments which may be imposed thereon.
All the unexpired term of twenty years and three months, from 1st February, 1848, at the annual rent of $125, payable half yearly, of, in, to or out of
All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the XXth Ward of the City of New-York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the south-westerly corner of the 8th-av. and 29th-st., running thence southerly along the 8th-av., 17 feet 10 inches; thence westerly, parallel with 29th-st., to and through the center of a party wall, and beyond the same 60 feet; thence northerly, parallel with the 8th-av., 17 feet 10 inches to 29th-st.; and thence easterly along 29th-st., 60 feet to the place of beginning. Subject to payment of taxes and assessments that may be imposed thereon.
All the unexpired term of twenty years and three months from 1st February, 1848, at the annual rent of $70, payable half-yearly, of, in, to or out of all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the XXth Ward of the City of New-York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of the 8th-av., distant 17 feet 10 inches southerly from 29th-st.; running thence westerly to and through the center of a party wall and beyond the same, parallel with 29th-st., 60 feet; thence southerly, parallel with the 8th-av., 18 feet; thence easterly to and through the center of another party wall, and beyond the same, parallel with 29th-st., 60 feet, to the 8th-av.; and thence northerly along the 8th-av., 18 feet to the place of beginning. Subject to payments of taxes and assessments that may be imposed thereon.—Dated New-York, 13th December, 1855.
BRIDGET LEARY, ANDREW LEARY, JOHN E. DEVELIN, } Executrix and Executors, &c., of Andrew Leary, deceased.

FOR SALE—At Auction on the 15th inst., if not sold before, a handsome three-story and basement Brick HOUSE, with all the modern improvements, on a leased lot beautifully located on 21st-st., opposite the Episcopal Theological Seminary. Lease has 19 years to run, with covenants to two renewals. Inquire of J. F. WILLIAMS & SON, No. 268 8th-av., or No. 13 Wall-st.

HENRY H. LEEDS & Co., Auctioneers.

HENRY H. LEEDS & Co. will sell, by Auction, on THURSDAY, Jan. 10, and FRIDAY, Jan. 11, 1856, at 7½ o'clock each evening, at the Gallery No. 548 Broadway, (lately occupied by the Dusseldorf Collection.) The collection embraces 200 of the highest class of PICTURES, in rich gilt frames, and contains works of the following ancient and modern masters, viz.: Albano, Carlo Dolci, Adel Sarto, Guido, Bogher, Van Herk, Carry, Stork, Schalken, Vanderveldt, Dow, Moreland, a beautiful picture of this artist from the collection of Mr. Eckford of London; Pynacker, &c.; also, by Boddington, Wright of Derby; Smith of Chichester; Wilson, Barret, Holden, Stanfield, Shayer, and other celebrated artists. Also, about 50 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 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 purchasers. The PAINTINGS will be on exhibition on MONDAY, Jan. 7, and TUESDAY, 8th, day and evening.

R. L. DELISSER, Auct'r., 377 and 379 Broadway, cor. White-st.

LEAVITT DELISSER & Co. will sell at auction on WEDNESDAY EVENING, Jan. 9, commencing at 6½ o'clock, a fine collection of Theological, Illustrated and Standard Books, Work-Boxes, Gold Pens, Stationery, &c., to which the attention of the trade is respectfully requested. Goods may now be examined, and Catalogues are ready for delivery.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer.

PEREMPTORY SALE of a WATCH CASE FACTORY.—ALBERT H. NICOLAY will sell on TUESDAY, Jan. 8, 1856, at 10½ o'clock, on the premises No. 47 Dey-st., the entire stock of Tools, Machinery, &c., of the extensive Watch Case Making Establishment, formerly belonging to C. H. Atelins, esq., and which is considered the most complete factory of its kind to be found in the United States, among which will be found one superior Steam-Engine and Boiler, with Connecting Pipes and Independent Force-Pump, Water and Exhaust Pipe, six horse-power and in good order, two large Iron Safes, one with Jones's Patent Lock, &c.; in fact embracing every article necessary for carrying on an extensive business. The whole to be sold to the highest bidder without reserve, and worthy of the attention of the trade. Terms cash, City funds and a deposit required from all purchasers unknown to the auctioneer. Catalogues containing full particulars are now ready and can be obtained of
ALBERT H. NICOLAY,
Auctioneer and Banker, No. 4 Broad-st., N. Y.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

TRUSTEE'S SALE of LAURENS-ST. and LEASEHOLD PROPERTY on BARCLAY-ST.—The following described property will be positively sold at public auction by ADRIAN H. MULLER, on THURSDAY, January 17, 1856, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange:
BARCLAY-ST.—The lease of Lot with the Brick Building, No. 152 Barclay-st., being 26 feet 8 inches front, 25 feet rear, by 68 feet 10 inches on westerly and 73 feet 1 inch on easterly side. The lease is from Rhinlander's estate and has 12 years to run from 1st May, 1856, at an annual ground rent of $100 with usual covenants.
LAURENS-ST.—The Lot in fee with buildings thereon, No. 20 Laurens-st., between Grand and Broome-sts., 25 feet front and rear by 100 feet deep. For further particulars apply to the auctioneer, No. 36 Wall-st.
(1913) THOMSON PRICE, Trustee.

Insurance Companies.

NEW-YORK EQUITABLE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Chartered April, 1823. Office No. 52 Wall-st.
Cash Capital, $210 000, with a large Surplus.
This Company continues to insure against loss or damage by fire on favorable terms. RICHARD I. THORNE,
JOHN MILLER, Secretary. President.

PEOPLE'S FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.
Office No. 179 Canal-st. and No. 22 William-st.
Cash Capital $150,000, with a Surplus, all invested in securities of the very best character. RICHARD VARICK,
W. F. UNDERHILL, Secretary. President.

Professional Notices.

VERGNES'S ELECTRO-CHEMICAL BATHS.—Prof. VERGNES, the discoverer of the process for extracting Metals from the Human Body, is at No. 710 Broadway. These Baths not only extract metallic medicines from the human system, but are peculiarly efficacious in relieving those suffering from Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgic Pains, Weakness, or Contractions of the Limbs, Sprains, Spinal Affections, Uterine Obstructions and Eruptions on the Skin. The Professor himself gives his undivided attention to patients. Special department for Ladies. Theory explained to Students, at No. 710 Broadway.

Bounty Land Warrants.

LAND WARRANTS WANTED. TAYLOR BROTHERS, Bankers, No. 76 Wall-st., New-York. We will supply orders promptly. Warrants always on hand.

LAND-WARRANT OFFICE, No. 63 Wall-st., New-York.—The highest market price paid for LAND WARRANTS and all Warrants sold by us are guaranteed and forwarded by mail or otherwise upon receipt of remittances. Land Warrants procured for Soldiers and others entitled to Bounty Lands, upon application to. T. J. COLEMAN, No. 63 Wall-st.

Financial.

GROCERS' BANK, New-York, Dec. 29, 1855.
A DIVIDEND of FOUR PER CENT will be paid to the Stockholders of this Institution on and after January 7, next, to order of the Board of Directors. SAM'L B. WHITE, Cashier.

WILLIAMSBURGH SAVINGS BANK, Corner of South 2d and 4th-sts., Brooklyn, L. I.
DIVIDEND NOTICE.—Depositors are hereby notified that a semi-annual dividend, at the rate of SIX PER CENT per annum, on all sums of three dollars and upward, that shall have been deposited three months on the 1st day of January next, will be paid to depositors on and after Monday, January 21. Interest not called for will be passed to the credit of depositors as principal. Deposits made on or before the 10th day of January, will draw interest from the 1st. The funds of this Institution are securely invested in bonds and mortgages on real estate worth double the amount loaned, and in city, county, and State bonds. The Bank is open for business daily (Sundays and holidays excepted,) from 3 to 7 o'clock p. m. WILLIAM WALL, President.
GEORGE RICARD, NATHANIEL BRIGGS, } Vice-Presidents.
SAMUEL W. TRUSLOW, Secretary.

NOTICE.—Interest due on 2d inst. on the following Securities will be paid on that day by DUNCAN, SHERMAN & Co:
BUFFALO AND NIAGARA FALLS RAILROAD BONDS.
ALBANY CITY BONDS.
BLACK RIVER AND UTICA RAILROAD BONDS.
BUFFALO AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD BONDS.
BUFFALO CITY BONDS.
BUFFALO WATER-WORKS BONDS.
CLEVELAND CITY, OHIO, WATER-LOAN BONDS.
CHICAGO CITY BONDS.
CHICAGO CITY WATER-LOAN BONDS.
NORTHERN CROSS RAILROAD, ILL., BONDS.
KEOKUK CITY, IOWA, BONDS.
DETROIT AND MILWAUKEE RAILROAD BONDS.
MILWAUKEE CITY BONDS, issued for improvement of the River and Harbor.
NEW-YORK STATE 5 PER CENT STOCK, issued to AUBURN AND ROCHESTER RAILROAD.
HARTFORD, PROVIDENCE AND FISHKILL RAILROAD BONDS.
RACINE GAS-LIGHT AND COKE COMPANY BONDS.
PITTSBURGH CITY BONDS, issued to PITTSBURGH AND STEUBENVILLE RAILROAD.
SACRAMENTO CITY BONDS.
UTICA CITY BONDS.
MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD BONDS.
WHEELING CITY, VA., BONDS.
ALISONIA MANUFACTURING COMPANY BONDS.

PATERSON AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY.
NOTICE.—A DIVIDEND of FOUR PER CENT has been declared on the Stock of the above-named Company, payable on the 5th inst., at the office of KETCHUM, ROGERS & BEMENT, No. 45 William-st

OFFICE OF THE HARMONY FIRE-INSURANCE CO., No. 6 BROAD-ST., NEW-YORK, Jan. 2, 1856.
THE BOARD of DIRECTORS of this COMPANY have this day declared a SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of TEN (10) per cent, payable on demand. R. O. GLOVER, Secretary.

MECHANICS AND TRADERS' FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OFFICE No. 74 Wall-st., NEW-YORK, Jan. 2, 1856.
DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors of this Company have this day declared a SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of FIVE PER CENT, payable on the 10th instant. JAMES R. LOTT, Secretary.

BROADWAY SAVINGS INSTITUTION, No. 277 Broadway, entrance on Park-place.
DIVIDEND NOTICE.—Depositors are hereby notified that the usual semi-annual DIVIDEND on all sums entitled thereto, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum on sums not exceeding $500, and 5 per cent on over $500, will be paid on and after MONDAY, January 21. Interest not called for will be credited as principal.
Deposits made on or before January 12 will draw interest from the 1st.
Bank open daily from 10 to 2 o'clock, and MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS from 5 to 7 o'clock. FRANCIS P. SCHOALS, President.
WADE H. WORRALL, Secretary.
PETER CUMMING, Accountant.

PHENIX BANK, NEW-YORK, Dec. 29, 1855.
DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of FOUR (4) per cent out of the net profits of the last six months, payable to the Stockholders on and after the 2d day of JANUARY, 1856. By Order of the Board. P. M. BRYSON, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE PEOPLE'S FIRE-INSURANCE CO., NEW-YORK, Dec. 21, 1855.
DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have THIS DAY declared a Semi-Annual Dividend of FIVE (5) PER CENT, payable on and after the 2d of January next, until which time the Transfer Books will be closed. W. F. UNDERHILL, Secretary.

CLINTON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Jan. 3, 1856.
DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors of this Company have THIS DAY declared a Semi-Annual Dividend of TEN (10) PER CENT, payable on and after the 7th inst. The Transfer Book will be closed until that date. JAMES B. AMES, JR., Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE MICHIGAN SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN INDIANA RAILROAD COMPANY, No. 18 William-st., NEW-YORK, Dec. 29, 1855.
DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors of this Company have declared a SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of FIVE PER CENT on the old stock, payable to stockholders on and after the 15th day of January next, after which date the Construction Stock of the Company can be exchanged for old stock. The Transfer Books of the old stock will be closed from the 5th to the 15th day of January. EDWIN C. LITCHFIELD Treasurer.

ISLAND CITY BANK, No. 150 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Dec. 22, 1855.
DIVIDEND.—The President and Directors have this day declared a DIVIDEND of THREE AND ONE HALF (3½) per cent, payable to the Stockholders on and after the 10th JANUARY. The Transfer Books will be closed until that date. WM. STEBBINS, Cashier.

NEW-YORK EQUITABLE INSURANCE COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Jan. 4, 1856.
DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have THIS DAY declared a Semi-Annual Dividend of TWENTY PER CENT on the capital stock, payable on and after the 10th inst. JOHN MILLER, Secretary.

OFFICE WILLIAMSBURGH CITY FIRE INSURANCE CO., JANUARY 4, 1856.
DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have This Day declared a SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of (6) SIX PER CENT, payable on and after MONDAY, 7th inst. The transfer books will be closed until the 8th inst. JNO. D. BURTNETT, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE COLUMBIA FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 50 Barclay-st., corner of College-place.
DIVIDEND.—The President and Directors of the COLUMBIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY have THIS DAY declared a semi-annual dividend of FIVE PER CENT, payable at the office of the Company on and after the 10th inst. The Transfer Books will be closed until that date.—January 2, 1856. JOHN C. BERGH, Secretary.

NEW-AMSTERDAM FIRE-INSURANCE CO., Jan. 3, 1856.
DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of SIX per cent out of the profits of the last six months, payable on and after the 8th January. The Transfer Books will be closed until that date. WM. H. DUSENBERRY, Secretary.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The INTEREST COUPONS due January 1, 1856, on the BONDS of the CITY of MILWAUKEE, issued to the Milwaukee and Horicon Railroad Company, will be paid on presentation at the office of the undersigned, No. 14 Wall-st.—New-York, Jan. 5, 1856. WM. J. BELL & Co.

DIVIDEND—NASSAU BANK.—A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of FOUR PER CENT will be paid to the Stockholders of this Bank on and after TUESDAY, 15th inst., until which time the Transfer Books will be closed. By order of the Board of Directors.
Nassau Bank, Jan. 5, 1856. R. A. TOOKER, Cashier.

OFFICE PANAMA RAILROAD COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Jan. 7, 1856.
DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The Board of Directors of this Company have THIS DAY declared a DIVIDEND of SIX PER CENT, out of the net earnings of the road, payable on and after the 10th inst., at the office of the Company No. 78 Broadway. FRANCIS SPIES, Secretary.

WILLIAMSBURGH CITY BANK, January 5, 1856.
NOTICE is hereby given that a SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of FIVE PER CENT has been declared by the Directors of this Bank, payable to the Stockholders or their representatives on and after the 9th inst., at their Banking-House, until which time the transfer books will be closed. GEORGE FIELD, Cashier.

OFFICE HANOVER FIRE-INSURANCE CO.—New-York, Jan. 2, 1856.—The Directors of this Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of six per cent (6) payable on the 10th inst. DORUS L. STONE, Secretary.

BANK OF NORTH AMERICA.—New-York, Dec. 22, 1855.—DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend of 3½ per cent, payable on and after January 7. The transfer books will close on the 28th instant. I. SEYMOUR, Cashier.

MARKET BANK DIVIDEND.—The President and Directors of this Bank have declared a DIVIDEND of FOUR PER CENT out of the profits of the last six months, payable on and after January 10. The Transfer Book will remain closed till January 15. By order. R. H. HAYDOCK, Cashier.

MECHANICS' BANK DIVIDEND.—The MECHANICS' BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK has declared a Dividend of FOUR PER CENT out of the profits of the last six months, payable on and after the 24 proximo. The Transfer Book is closed till that date.
New-York, Dec. 19, 1855. G. DE ANGELIS, Cashier.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY.—Treasurer's Office, Boston, December 21, 1855.—A Dividend of SIX per cent will be paid on the 21st day of January next to such persons as shall be holders of the stock of this Company on the 20th day of the present month. Per order of the Directors. ISAAC LIVERMORE, Treasurer.

ROSE HILL SAVINGS BANK—No. 251 3d-av. one door above 21st-st.—Open DAILY from 10 o'clock a. m. to 2 o'clock p. m., and WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS from 5 to 8 o'clock p. m. Interest at the rate of 6 per cent on deposits of $500 and under, and 5 per cent on sums over $500. Deposits made on or before Jan. 15 will draw interest from Jan. 1. WILLIAM H. PLATT, President.
JAMES R. KEELER, Vice-President.
H. LOOFBORROW, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE BRECKENRIDGE CANNEL COAL COMPANY, No. 2 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Dec. 31, 1855.
A MEETING of the Stockholders of the BRECKENRIDGE CANNEL COAL COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company on TUESDAY, the 8th day of January. The polls for the Election of Directors for the ensuing year will be open on said day from 1 o'clock until 3 o'clock p. m., after which the Annual Report of the President will be read. L. W. BADGER, Secretary.

MARKET BANK.—The annual ELECTION for Directors of this Bank and for Inspectors of the next ensuing election, will be held at the Banking-house, corner Pearl and Beekman-sts., on MONDAY, Jan. 14, 1856. The poll will be open from 12 o'clock m. and close at 1 o'clock p. m. The Transfer Book will be closed from Dec. 22 to Jan. 15.
Dec. 27, 1855. R. H. HAYDOCK, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE MERCANTILE FIRE-INSURANCE CO., No. 65 Wall-st., New-York, Dec. 27, 1855.
THE BOARD of DIRECTORS of this Company have THIS DAY declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT for the six months terminating 31st, payable on and after the 2d of January next. JOHN BAKER, Sec'ty.

HOLDERS of SHARES in THE PEOPLE'S BUILDING ASSOCIATION of the CITY of NEW-YORK, on which no payment has been made for six months, will please to take notice that on the 20th day of January next such shares will be declared absolutely forfeited, as provided by law. By order of the Board. JOHN F. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

OFFICE AUDITOR OF STATE, INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 26, 1855.
SALE of STATE STOCKS.—The following-named Banks having failed to comply with the law of this State, regulating general Banking, I hereby give notice that I will sell at public auction, at the Merchants' Exchange, in the City of New-York, on TUESDAY, the 29th day of January next, at 12 o'clock m., the SECURITIES held in trust for the redemption of the Circulating Notes of said Banks, viz:
Northern Indiana Bank, at Logansport, consisting of Indiana Five per cent Stocks.
Bank of Covington, at Covington, consisting of Louisiana Six per cent Stocks.
State Stock Bank, at Marion, consisting of Louisiana and Virginia Six per cent Stocks. H. E. TALBOTT, Auditor.

METROPOLITAN BANK—DIVIDEND.—A Dividend of FOUR PER CENT on the Capital Stock of this Bank of two millions of dollars has been declared out of the profits of the last six months, payable on and after MONDAY, the 7th day of January next, at the Banking House, No. 108 Broadway. At the same time and place Interest at the rate of Seven Per Cent per annum, up to the 1st day of January next, will be paid on the partial or full payments on the Increased Capital Stock of one million of dollars. The Transfer Books will be closed from WEDNESDAY, the 26th inst., until the day of payment. By order of the Board. H. MEIGS, jr. Cashier.
New-York, Dec. 24, 1855.

PATERSON AND RAMAPO RAILROAD COMPANY.—NOTICE.—A Dividend of 3½ per cent has been declared on the Stock of the above named Company, payable on the 5th inst., at the office of KETCHUM, ROGERS & BEMENT, No. 45 William-st.

OFFICE OF THE G. & C. U. R. R. CO., CHICAGO, Dec. 21, 1855.
NOTICE to STOCKHOLDERS.—Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders of the GALENA AND CHICAGO UNION RAILROAD COMPANY that the Board of Directors have declared a Semi-annual Dividend of FIVE PER CENT upon the Capital Stock of said Company from the net earnings of the Road for the six months ending Jan. 31, 1856, payable to the Stockholders at the office of the Company in Chicago on the 1st day of February next.
A Stock Dividend of TWELVE PER CENT has also been declared from the surplus earnings, payable Feb. 1, 1856, at the office of the Company in Chicago, in Certificates to be issued by the Secretary, which Certificates will be convertible into the capital stock of the Company at the pleasure of the holder, when presented in sums of $100, and will be entitled to all dividends declared after such conversion.
WM. M. LARRABEE, Secretary.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, G. C. & C. R. R. CO., CLEVELAND, Dec. 6, 1855.
TO the STOCKHOLDERS of the Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati Railroad Company: The ANNUAL ME