Financial.

OFFICE OF THE LORILLARD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 104 BROADWAY.

NOTICE.—The Books for the increase of the CAPITAL STOCK of the LORILLARD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY to ONE MILLION OF DOLLARS by the addition of 20,000 shares of the par value of $25, will be opened at the Office of said Company, No. 104 Broadway, on THURSDAY, the 18th day of May, and will remain open until the 31st of same month. Ten per cent of the amount will be required to be paid at the time of subscribing, and the balance on or before the 15th day of June next. The transfer books will be closed on the 10th inst. and remain closed until the 31st inst. By Order of the Board of Directors.

CARLISLE NORWOOD, President.
ZOPHAR MILLS, Vice-President.

JOHN C. MILLS, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE METROPOLITAN INSURANCE CO., No. 170 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, May 9, 1865.

MORE THAN THREE-FOURTHS of the STOCKHOLDERS of this Company having consented, in writing, to an increase of its Capital Stock from $500,000 to the sum of $1,000,000, by the issue of Seven Thousand Shares of New Stock of the par value of $100 each, the Board of Directors, at a meeting held this day, unanimously resolved to increase the capital to ONE MILLION OF DOLLARS.

The subscription for such increase will be opened at the office of the Company, No. 160 Broadway, on MONDAY, the Fifteenth day of May, instant, and remain open until THURSDAY, the Twenty-fifth day of the same month.

Ten per cent of the subscription will be payable at the time of subscribing, and the remaining ninety per cent on or before the Twentieth of June next, and interest at the rate of seven per cent will be charged on such portion of the subscription as may remain unpaid after the Twenty-fifth day of May, until the time of payment, and interest will be allowed on all payments made prior to the Twenty-fifth of May.

The transfer book will be closed from the Fifteenth of May until the Twenty-fifth of May, both inclusive.

By order of the Board,
JOHN C. GOODRIDGE, Secretary.

ESSEX AND DIADEM MINING CO. OF NEVADA.—This Company owns 13,500 feet silver lodes in Humboldt Co., Nevada, thoroughly explored, and of the highest degree of richness, as practically tested by experienced miners.

Work on both the main tunnel and shaft is now in rapid progress, and daily deliveries of ore in ample quantities will soon commence.

The Trustees of the Company are among the first merchants and bankers of this city.

JOHN C. FALL, esq., of Nevada, will give full information in regard to the property, at the office of the Company, No. 15 Nassau-st., rooms Nos. 11 and 12.

A limited number of shares are for sale on THE ORIGINAL TERMS.

Lists of trustees, properties, &c., may be had on application to
K. N. HAVENS,
No. 15 Nassau-st.

CITY COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, MILWAUKEE, April 26, 1865.

MILWAUKEE CITY READJUSTMENT BONDS.—The Commissioners of the Public Debt of the City of Milwaukee are now ready to receive bids or proposals from holders of Readjustment Bonds or Readjustment Scrip for the purchase of such Bonds or Scrip to the extent of the Sinking Fund on hand (which is Twenty-two Thousand Dollars) in pursuance of section 10 of an Act to enable the City of Milwaukee to readjust its Corporate Debt, and of section 7 of an Act amendatory thereto, approved April 3, 1865. Such bids must specify the numbers and amount of the Bonds or Scrip proposed to be retired and be accompanied by the Certificate of the proper officer of any Bank or of WM. SCHALLK & Co. of New-York City, that the Bonds or Scrip are deposited with such Bank or said Schalk & Co., to be delivered for cancellation upon acceptance of the bid and payment, said bids to be exclusive of the Coupons due first of June, 1865, and exclusive of the interest due on such Scrip, which will be paid at par on presentation at the City Treasurer's Office in advance of maturity.

Bids or proposals may be delivered to the City Comptroller at any time before the first day of June next, upon which day, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Office of the City Comptroller, the bids or proposals will be opened, and the lowest bidder entitled to the preference.

By order of the Commissioners of the Public Debt of the City of Milwaukee.
FERD. KUERN, Comptroller.

NOTICE.—In pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Directors of THE NEW-YORK PIER AND WAREHOUSE COMPANY, passed unanimously at a meeting of such Directors held at the Office of the Company, at No. 39 Park-row, Room No. 13, on the 13th day of May, 1865, the undersigned being present:

Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders of "The New-York Pier and Warehouse Company" that a meeting of the said Stockholders will be held on MONDAY, the 5th day of June, 1865, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at No. 39 Park-row (Room No. 13), in the City, County and State of New-York, The purpose for which said meeting is to be held is to increase the Capital Stock of said Company to Ten Millions of Dollars ($10,000,000), divided into One Hundred Thousand Shares (100,000) of the par value of One Hundred Dollars each.

J. BURROWS HYDE, SAMUEL SINCLAIR,
THOMAS M. SHEPHERD, A. T. MCALLISTER,
THOMAS R. KERR, HENRY MCCODDEN,
H. C. GARDINER, J. K. HERBERT,
HIRAM WALBRIDGE, DANIEL PACKER,
Directors.

NEW-YORK, May 18, 1865.

AT the Annual Meeting of the JOLIET and CHICAGO R. R. Co., held at Chicago on the 10th current, the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year: JAMES ROBB, D. WILLIS JAMES, GEORGE A. ROBBINS, A. C. BADGER and JOHN CRERAR.
SAMUEL A. STRANG, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE "AUSTIN SILVER MINING COMPANY OF NEVADA," No. 74 Cedar-st., New-York.

TO the STOCKHOLDERS of the "AUSTIN SILVER MINING COMPANY OF NEVADA."—Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Trustees of the "Austin Silver Mining Company of Nevada," passed at a meeting of the said Board of Trustees, held at the Office of the Company on the 17th day of May, 1865, a meeting of the Stockholders of the "Austin Silver Mining Company of Nevada" will be held at the Office of said Company, at No. 74 Cedar-st., in the city of New-York, on the 10th day of June, 1865, at 12 o'clock m., for the purpose of increasing the Capital Stock of said "Austin Silver Mining Company of Nevada" to Three Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, to be divided into three hundred and fifty thousand (350,000) Shares of the par value of Ten Dollars ($10) each, to enable the said Company to purchase other and additional mines at or near the city of Austin, in the State of Nevada.

FRANK FULLER, WM. H. KNAPP,
J. M. WINCHELL, SAMUEL SINCLAIR,
E. N. FULLER, EDWIN B. MOORE.

New-York, May 19, 1865.

OFFICE OF THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD CO., New-York, May 1, 1865.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company for the Election of Directors, and the transaction of other business, will be held at the Office of the Company in the City of Chicago, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of May, 1865, at 12 o'clock noon.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed at the close of business on the 20th instant, and opened on the 3d of June.
L. A. CATLIN, Secretary.

BANK OF THE COMMONWEALTH, NEW-YORK, May 15, 1865.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION for eleven DIRECTORS of this Bank, and for three Inspectors of the next ensuing election, will be held at the Banking rooms on MONDAY, the 5th day of June next, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock.
GEORGE ELLIS, Cashier.

DETROIT AND MILWAUKEE RAILROAD COMPANY.—The holders of the various bonds of this Company are hereby notified that the interest due on the 15th inst., as well as any interest due and unpaid prior to that date, will be paid by Messrs M. K. JESUP & Co. (Agents of this Company), at their office, No. 59 Exchange-place, N. Y.
THOMAS BELL, Secretary.

Office of the Detroit and Milwaukee Railroad Company, Detroit, May, 8, 1865.

Banking Houses and Bankers.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, WASHINGTON, March 14, 1865.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that
THE NATIONAL PARK BANK OF NEW-YORK,
in the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, has been duly organized under and according to the requirements of the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to provide a National Currency, secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3, 1864, and has complied with all the provisions of said act required to be complied with before commencing the business of Banking under said Act.

The office of the Comptroller of the Currency being vacant, Now therefore I, Samuel T. Howard, Deputy Comptroller of the Currency do hereby certify that
THE NATIONAL PARK BANK OF NEW-YORK,
in the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, is authorized to commence the business of Banking under the act aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this Fourteenth day of March, 1865.

[SEAL.] SAMUEL T. HOWARD,
No. 891. Deputy Comptroller of the Currency.

SCHAFER BROS.,
No. 6, BROAD-ST.,
GOVERNMENT AGENTS
FOR THE SALE OF 7.30 LOAN,

FISK & HATCH,
BANKERS,
AND
U. S. 7-30 LOAN AGENTS,
No. 5 NASSAU-ST.,
(Continental Bank Building,)
NEAR WALL-ST.,
have all denominations of the 7.30 Notes constantly on hand for
IMMEDIATE DELIVERY.
ALL CLASSES OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES BOUGHT AND SOLD AT MARKET RATES.

VERMILYE & Co.,
BANKERS,
NO. 44 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK
GOVERNMENT AGENTS.
FOR THE SALE OF THE
NATIONAL 7.30 LOAN.

Commission allowed Banks, Brokers, Insurance Companies and all parties purchasing for re-sale.

THESE BONDS ARE ISSUED IN DENOMINATIONS of $50, $100, $500, $1,000 and $5,000, dated August 15, 1864, and convertible in three (3) years from that time into the Popular 5-20 LOAN GOLD BEARING INTEREST.

Also buy and sell at market rates all classes of Government Securities. Maturing Certificates of Indebtedness collected or purchased. Railway Stocks and Bonds bought and sold on commission.

CLARK, DODGE & CO.,
BANKERS AND AGENTS
FOR THE UNITED STATES 7.30 LOAN,
NO. 51 WALL-ST.,
Have all denominations of 7.30 Notes on hand for immediate delivery.

JOHN MUNROE & CO.,
AMERICAN BANKERS,
No. 5 RUE DE LA PAIX, PARIS,
AND
No. 8 WALL-STREET, NEW-YORK,
Issue Circular Letters of Credit for Travelers in all parts of Europe, &c., &c. Also Commercial Credits.

MECHANICS' AND TRADERS' BANK, No. 153 Bowery, New-York, May 3, 1865.—FINANCIAL AGENT for the Government for the sale of 7 3-10 Notes. Have constantly on hand the above Bonds, of all denominations.

NEW-YORK, May 1, 1865.

LOCKWOOD & CO., BANKERS, have removed from No. 22 William-st. to Nos. 94 BROADWAY, and 6 WALL-ST.

Orders for the purchase and sale of GOVERNMENT and other securities executed on the usual terms.

Bank and individual accounts received, and interest allowed upon current balances, which may be checked for at sight or after ten days notice.

BRIGGS & LEETE, BANKERS and BROKERS, No. 172 Broadway, N. Y., buy and sell on commission, Stocks, Bonds, Gold and Silver Coin and Bullion, Foreign and Domestic Exchange; make Collections, and allow Interest on Deposits.

SATTERLEE & CO.,
BANKERS & STOCK BROKERS,
HAVE REMOVED
THEIR OFFICE FROM
No. 49 EXCHANGE PLACE,
TO
No. 70 BROADWAY
and 15 New Street.

LAWRENCE, BROWN & LANE,
BROKERS,
STOCKS, BONDS, GOLD, and GOVERNMENT SECURITIES bought and sold exclusively on Commission.
NO. 11 BROAD-ST., NEW-YORK.
FREDERICK N. LAWRENCE,
MORTIMER S. BROWN,
WM. HENRY LANE.

Dividend Notices.

OFFICE OF THE U. S. LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 45 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, May 15, 1865.

FIFTH TRIENNIAL DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a DIVIDEND of FORTY PER CENT on the Premiums of the three years ending 4th of March, 1865; and an addition of TWENTY PER CENT to the amount of all previous Dividends and additions, on Policies in force on the 4th of March, 1865, payable in cash with the sums insured, when the sums insured become due, as provided in the Charter.

TRIENNIAL BALANCE SHEET, MARCH 4, 1865.

ASSETS.		
Bonds and Mortgages		$493,500 00
Cash in Manhatten Bank		25,330 37
Cash on Temporary Loans		33,745 00
United States Securities, viz.:		
Sixes of '81, par	$165,000 00	
" Five-Twenties, par	505,000 00	
Fives, Ten-Forties, cost	14,961 25	
One year certificates, par	51,000 00	
Legal Tender, comp'nd interest, par	14,200 00	
Seven-Thirties, par	70,000 00	
		820,161 25
New-York City Bonds, par		30,000 00
Brooklyn City Bonds, par		24,000 00
Due by Agents		42,264 49
Loans on Policies		158,181 27
Interest Receivable		21,916 73
Real Estate in Brooklyn		3,200 00
Deferred Premiums, net		50,162 69
		$1,403,061 71

LIABILITIES.	
Capital	$100,000 00
Dividends of 1853, 1856, 1859, and 1862, with interest	195,183 84
All losses known or reported and not paid	4,500 00
Reinsurance Fund	935,451 81
Surplus, for dividend of 1865	267,826 06
	$1,403,061 71

DIRECTORS.

Joseph B. Collins,	Charles E. Bill,
James Suydam,	John J. Phelps,
James Marsh,	Clinton Gilbert,
John J. Cisco,	William H. Bolles,
Isaac A. Storm,	Hanson K. Corning,
Chas. M. Connolly,	John C. Baldwin,
Thomas C. Doremus,	Edward Minturn,
B. F. Wheelwright,	Augustus H. Ward,
Wilson G. Hunt,	James Gallatin,
Dan H. Arnold,	Jeremiah P. Robinson,
W. R. Vermilye,	Charles P. Leverich,
William Tucker,	William M. Halsted,
Shepherd Knapp,	Henry W. Ford,
Edward S. Clark,	Apollos R. Wetmore,
Isaac N. Phelps,	Frederick Sheldon.

JOSEPH B. COLLINS, President.
N. G. DE GROOT, Actuary, JOHN EADIE, Secretary.
JAMES W. G. CLEMENTS, M. D., Medical Examiner.
WILLIAM DETMOLD, M. D., Consulting Physician.
J. B. GATES, General Agent, and JAMES STEWART, HENRY PERRY, ALBERT O. WILLCOX, A. WHITNEY, HIRAM P. CROZIER, GRENVILLE R. BENSON, CHARLES NORTHSHIELD, ALFRED PINNEY, J. J. WHITNEY, and WILLIAM H. WILSON, Local Agents in the City of New-York and vicinity.

TRANSFER OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY CO., No. 8 Wall-st., NEW-YORK, May 17, 1865.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAS THIS day declared A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND for the six months ending June 1, 1865, of THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT on the Preferred Stock of this Company, payable (less the Government tax) at this office on and after the 20th day of JUNE next to all holders as shown by the Company's books at the close of business on the 10th day of June.

The books for the transfer of Preferred Stock for the above dividend will be closed on the afternoon of the 10th, and will reopen on the morning of the 21st of June.

The books for the transfer of both the common and preferred stocks for the Annual Meeting to be held in Chicago on the 1st of June next, will be closed on the afternoon of the 20th of May, and reopen on the morning of the 3d of June.

By order of the Board of Directors.
JAMES R. YOUNG, Secretary.

OFFICE OF PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, NEW-YORK, 16th May, 1865.

28TH DIVIDEND.—Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors have this day declared a DIVIDEND of FIVE (5) PER CENT out of the net earnings of the quarter ending April 30, payable at the Office of the Company, on TUESDAY, 23d inst. The Transfer Books will be closed on WEDNESDAY, 17th inst., and opened on THURSDAY, 25th inst. By order of the Board of Directors.
THEODORE T. JOHNSON, Secretary.

Wedding Cards, &c.

AT WM. EVERDELL'S SONS, No. 104 Fulton-st.—WEDDING CARDS and FINE STATIONERY. (Established 1815.)

Petroleum.

THE BOOKS OF THE
SUGAR CREEK PETROLEUM CO.
(of New-York)
WILL CLOSE ON MAY 31,
after which date no Subscriptions will be received.

But a few thousand shares are for sale, and these on the only honest basis, viz:
AT THEIR PAR VALUE.

The Company's property is worth more than the entire Capital Stock. The latter is so small, indeed, that even a ten-barrel well will pay regular monthly dividends.

SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS, FOR THE SALE OF THE STOCK RESERVED AS WORKING CAPITAL, WILL BE OPEN UNTIL WEDNESDAY, MAY 31, AT THE OFFICE OF
STEADMAN, EWELL & Co.,
Bankers and Brokers,
No. 57 EXCHANGE-PLACE, N. Y.
Map and Prospectus mailed on application as above.

GREAT NORTHERN OIL COMPANY.
OFFICE, No. 40 NEW-ST., just below EXCHANGE-PLACE.
Capital $2,000,000
Manufacturers and Sole Proprietors of the
HENDRICK LUBRICATOR.
Also dealers in SPERM, LARD, WHALE and other OILS.
OFFICERS.
JOHN BRYAN, President, New-York.
JACOB S. ATWOOD, Vice-President.
J. A. WISNER, Secretary and Treasurer.
E. E. HENDRICK, Superintendent.
WM. N. MARCUS, General Agent.

Corporation Notices.

CENTRAL PARK ORDINANCE.—The Board of Commissioners of the Central Park do ordain as follows:

No fire-engine, hook and ladder, cart, hose, truck, or other machine on wheels, commonly used for the extinguishing of fire, shall be allowed on any part of the Central Park, except the transverse roads, without the previous consent of the Comptroller of the Park.

No funeral procession, or hearse, or other vehicle or person carrying the body of a deceased person, shall be allowed on any part of the Central Park, except upon the transverse roads.

No person, except in the employ of the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, shall light, make, or use any fire upon the Central Park.

No person on foot shall go upon the grass, lawn, or turf of the Central Park, except when and where the word "Common" is posted, indicating that persons are at liberty at that time and place to go on the grass.

The above ordinances were adopted and passed at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, duly convened and held on the 6th day of May, 1865, and are published in obedience to the requirements of an Act entitled "An Act for the regulation and government of the Central Park in the City of New-York," passed April 17, 1857.

The following section of said Act is applicable to the above ordinances:

SEC. 15. All persons offending against such ordinances shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and be punished on conviction before the Mayor, Recorder, or any magistrate of the city of New-York, by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars, and, in default of payment, by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days.

By order of the Board.
ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller of the Park.
Dated New-York, May 10, 1865.

FERRY LEASE at AUCTION.—At the City Hall, on MONDAY, May 29, 1865, at 11 o'clock a. m., will be sold at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, with adequate security for a term of ten years, from the 1st day of JUNE, 1865, a LEASE to establish and maintain a Ferry from the basin at the foot of Spring-st., in the City of New-York to Hoboken, New-Jersey, at the point where the old Ferry was established, or within 1,000 yards north or south of that point. The landing place at Hoboken, New-Jersey, to be furnished by the Purchaser.

CONDITIONS.

The conditions and covenants of the Lease to be in the usual form of Ferry Leases heretofore entered into by the Corporation, which may be had on application at the office of the Comptroller. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
MATTHEW T. BRENNAN.

PROPOSALS for CLEANING the STREETS of the CITY of NEW-YORK.—The undersigned Commissioners, appointed by an Act of the Legislature of the State of New-York, passed May 1, 1865, to make a contract for the Cleaning of the Streets of the City of New-York, hereby invite proposals for such cleaning, to be deposited with the Chairman of the Commission, the Mayor of the City of New-York, at his office in the City Hall of said city, on or before MONDAY, the 22d day of May inst., at 12 o'clock noon. Forms of the contract, specifications and bond can be had on application to any of the undersigned. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids which in their judgment may not be for the interest of the City.

Dated New-York, May 9, 1865.
C. GODFREY GUNTHER, Mayor,
No. 6 City Hall.
JOHN T. HOFFMAN, Recorder,
No. 63 Wall-st.
MATTHEW T. BRENNAN, Comptroller,
Comptroller's Office, City Hall (Hall of Records)
FRANCIS I. A. BOOLE, City Inspector,
No. 19 Chatham-st.
JOHN E. DEVELIN, Counsel to the Corp'n,
No. 32 Nassau-st.

REDEMPTION of $1,641,500 "SOLDIERS' BOUNTY FUND BONDS NO. 2," of the County of New-York, payable June 1, 1865. Notice is hereby given that the "Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds No. 2," of the County of New-York, becoming due and payable June 1, 1865, with the interest thereon, will be paid on that day, on the presentation of said Bonds at this office.

PROPOSALS for a LOAN of $1,641,500 of "Soldiers' Bounty Fund Redemption Bonds No. 2," of the County of New-York.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office, until TUESDAY, May 23, 1865, at 2 o'clock p. m., when the same will be publicly opened, for the whole or any part of the sum of one million six hundred and forty-one thousand five hundred dollars of "Soldiers' Bounty Fund Redemption Bonds No. 2," of the County of New-York, authorized by Chapter 17 of the laws of 1865, and by an ordinance of the Board of Supervisors, approved by the Mayor May 3, 1865.

The said bonds will bear interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, payable half yearly, on the first day of May and November in each year, and the principal will be redeemed as follows:

Five hundred thousand dollars on the first day of November, 1891.

Five hundred thousand dollars on the first day of November, 1892.

Five hundred thousand dollars on the first day of November, 1893; and

One hundred and forty-one thousand five hundred dollars on the first day of November, 1894.

The proposals will state the amount of bonds desired and the price per one hundred dollars thereof, and the persons whose proposals are accepted will thereupon be required to deposit with the County Treasurer (at the Broadway Bank), on THURSDAY, the first day of June, 1865, the sums awarded to them respectively.

On presenting to the Comptroller the receipts of the County Treasurer for such deposits, the parties will be entitled to receive bonds for equal amounts of the par value of the sums awarded to them, bearing interest from June 1, 1865.

Each proposal should be sealed and indorsed "Proposals for Soldiers' Bounty Fund Redemption Bonds, No. 2," and inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller.

The right is reserved to reject any or all of the bids, if considered necessary to protect or promote the interests of the County.
MATTHEW T. BRENNAN, Comptroller.
City of New-York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, May 3, 1865.

OFFICE OF THE STREET COMMISSIONER, No. 237 Broadway.

TO CONTRACTORS.—PROPOSALS, inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the work and with the name of the bidder written thereon, will be received at this office until THURSDAY, May 25, at 11 o'clock a. m.:

For regulating, grading, &c., Fiftieth-street, from Fourth to Fifth-avenue.

For regulating, grading, &c., Fifty-eighth-street, from Lexington to Fourth-avenue.

For regulating, grading, &c., Fifty-first-street, from Fourth to Fifth-avenue.

For regulating grading, &c., Fifty-eighth-street, from Eighth to Ninth-avenue.

For regulating, grading, &c., Fifty-third-street, from Fifth to Sixth-avenue.

For regulating, grading, &c., Seventy-seventh-street, from Fifth to Madison-avenue.

For curb, gutter, &c., Lexington-avenue, from Fifty-seventh to Sixty-sixth-street.

For curb, gutter, &c., First-avenue, from One-hundred-and-eleventh-street to One-hundred-and-twenty-fifth-street.

For curb, gutter, &c., Thirty-third-street, from Second to Third-avenue.

For curb, gutter, &c., Seventy-eighth-street, from Second to Third-avenue.

For curb, gutter, &c., Sixtieth-street, from Lexington to Sixth-avenue.

For flagging One-hundred-and-twenty-ninth-street, from Tenth-avenue to Hudson River.

For flagging Fifty-seventh-street, from Lexington to Third avenue.

For flagging Thirty-third-street, from Tenth to Eleventh-avenue.

For flagging corner of Forty-fifth-street and Sixth-avenue.

For curb, gutter, &c., Fifty-second-street, from Second avenue to East River; also, from Second to Third-avenue.

For building foundations and erecting iron railing to inclose parks in Fourth (4th) avenue, between Thirty-eighth and Fortieth-streets.

Flagging full width Seventh-avenue, from Fortieth to Fifty-ninth-street.

Blank forms of proposals, together with the specifications and agreements, can be obtained at this office.

Dated Street Department, New-York, May 13, 1865.
CHARLES G. CORNELL, Street Commissioner.

Stationery and Fancy Goods.

BARD & BROTHER'S (Established 1845) GOLD PENS,
PEN AND PENCIL CASES. Also manufacturers of BARD & WILSON'S PATENT ANGULAR NIB GOLD PENS. JAMES. D. BARD, Agent, No. 22 Maiden-lane, New-York. Repointing, 50 cents. Send for a circular.

Professional Notices.

A BOOK containing an account of PILES, FISTULA, STRICTURE, and thirty other IMPORTANT DISEASES, will be sent on receipt of 25 cents, or can be had on application to HENRY A. DANIELS, Operative and Consulting Surgeon, No. 2 Union-square, N. Y.

CHARLES D. HAMMOND, formerly Professor of Special Anatomy and Surgery in the Syracuse Medical College, N. Y. Office 31 East 27th-st. Consultations from 9 to 10, 1 to 3, and 7 to 9. SPECIALTIES: Diseases of the Nervous, Seminal, Urinary, and Cutaneous Systems.

N. B.—Strictures which have been treated by Cauterizing, Cutting or Rapidly Dilating Operations, not undertaken.

SURGICAL HOSPITAL for the Treatment of Diseases of the Pelvic Viscera, under the care of EDWARD H. DIXON, Editor of The Scalpel. Stricture, Piles, Varicocele, Hernia and Fistula. Every case of Stricture admits of a radical and permanent cure in a few days, and often an immediate one, by Dr. D.'s new instrument, the Urethrotome, designed expressly to modify Mr. Syme's operation. In all cases of the three first-enumerated affections, the cure is guaranteed if the case be undertaken. Office hours from 1 to 3 daily, and 7 to 9 evenings, at No. 42 Fifth-ave.

Medical.

DR. LEWIS'S MEDICAL and SURGICAL INSTITUTE, No. 7 Beach-st., between Varick and West Broadway, is the only place where the afflicted will receive proper medical treatment. Hours from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

DR. A. LEWIS, PHYSICIAN and SURGEON, treats successfully all difficulties that females are subject to. Relief given in all cases. Office No. 7 Beach-st., three doors from West Broadway, New-York.

NEW-YORK OFFICE, No. 51 BOND-ST.

MRS. M. G. BROWN'S
GREAT METAPHYSICAL DISCOVERY
FOR
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NOISES IN THE HEAD,
DISCHARGES FROM THE EAR,
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CATARRH,
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ASTHMA,
SCROFULA,
BRONCHIAL AFFECTION,
CHILLS AND FEVER,
THROAT DIFFICULTIES,

Diseased Eyes, Loss of Hair, Dyspepsia, Enlargement of the Liver, Disease of the Kidneys, Constipation, Gravel, Piles, Insanity, Fits, Paralysis, Rush of Blood to the Head, with all and every disease which infests the human body—cured effectually by MRS. M. G. BROWN'S METAPHYSICAL DISCOVERY.

It destroys the root, which is the life of disease.
PRICE $6.

OFFICES:
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O! foolish people, who hath bewitched you, that you should believe a lie? Be logical; use your talents, and find that moisture—natural moisture—is the divine plan for the physical world as well as the vegetable.

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REMARKABLE CURE OF DEAFNESS, DIZZINESS, AND NOISES IN THE HEAD.

OXFORD, Pa., Jan. 20, 1865.

MRS. M. G. BROWN—Madam: I have got entirely well, and, under God, I owe it to you. My right ear I have not heard any with for a number of years. I can now hear with it. My left ear, the hearing left it just after harvest, in this way: I took a dizziness in my head, so I could not work, accompanied with a ringing noise in my ears. I was so bad that I could not hear without they would holler at the top of their voices. I went to Philadelphia, put myself under the care of a celebrated aurist; he bored at my ears with instruments, and ran others up my nostrils, for five weeks, and ended by cheating me out of seventy-five dollars ($75). I then saw one of your advertisements; I got the Metaphysical Discovery, used not more than half of it, and have recovered my hearing, which I had lost for years. I remain yours, truly,
THOS. B. DICKEY, Oxford, Chester Co., Pa.

Affirmed and subscribed to before me this 31st day of March, A. D., 1865. WM. T. FULTON, Justice of the Peace.
THOS. B. DICKEY.

REMARKABLE CURE OF SCROFULOUS SORE HANDS, DISCHARGE FROM THE EARS, &C.

DEC. 23, 1864.

I, Mrs. Hannah M. Shedd, of No. 60 Harvard-st., Boston, have suffered from scrofulous sore hands for several years, also discharge from the ears; tried the most eminent physicians, and had forty different medicines applied in one year. My constitution began to sink under the weight of medicine and disease, and my mind became so slight that I feared to walk the streets lest I should fall. Believing there was no cure for me, I sat down in despair. While in this state, a friend who had been cured by the Metaphysical Discovery, urged me to apply to Mrs. M. G. Brown. But still I was so prejudiced against all medicines, that in going to her office I would take no money, lest I should be induced to buy it.

After conversing with Mrs. M. G. Brown, being favorably impressed, on returning home I sent for the Metaphysical Discovery, which I faithfully used, and the result is that my hands are again restored to me, and I can use them as formerly; my ears have ceased to discharge, and my entire constitution is renewed. I sleep and eat well, and am getting fleshy and heavy. My joy and gratitude are great. I cannot speak too highly of the Metaphysical Discovery; I am sending it this week to a dear friend in California who spent $500 in a few weeks seeking relief from disease, but found none. I have now learned the folly of pouring medicine down the throat, and am resolved to pass no more drugs into my system through the mouth.

MOST REMARKABLE CURE OF CATARRH, COUGH AND GENERAL DEBILITY.

DECEMBER 22, 1864.

I, Mrs. Gardener Ewell, of No. 5 School-st., Dorchester, Mass., have suffered with a complication of diseases for years. My catarrh and cough had brought me almost to the grave; my eyes were also diseased; I had noises in my head, and was quite deaf in one ear; my appetite was also gone, and I could seldom sleep. Remedies and medicines proved useless. Doctors could do nothing for me—I was dying! Most providentially, I was induced to obtain Mrs. M. G. Brown's Metaphysical Discovery, through which I am restored to health and strength.

READ THE FOLLOWING REMARKABLE CERTIFICATE—A LADY IN THE LAST STAGE OF CONSUMPTION CURED.

From The Boston Journal.

July 27, 1864.—I, Mrs. Nancy Sloan, of No. 85 Warren-st., Charlestown, do certify that I have been afflicted for ten years. My right side was so paralyzed that I could not lie on it. During that time I suffered from catarrh, sore throat; would cough from one to five hours at a time; was very nervous; seldom could sleep at night. I had a lung fever two years since, which reduced me to a skeleton. I had all the medical advice and medicines money could procure, but all to no purpose. I was fast sinking in the last stage of consumption. I was confined to bed when Mrs. M. G. Brown's Metaphysical Discovery was sent for. I used it faithfully, and the result is my paralyzed side is restored to vigor; I can now rest well on it. My catarrh is gone. My cough, my nervousness, and sore throat, are gone. I sleep well. All my irregularities have disappeared, and I must acknowledge that, by the providence of God, I was directed to the use of Mrs. M. G. Brown's Metaphysical Discovery, and by it taken from the mouth of the grave and restored to my family and friends.

REMARKABLE CURE OF DEAFNESS OF TWENTY YEARS STANDING.

I, John A. Newcomb of Quincy, do certify that I have been entirely deaf in my left ear for twenty years, and for the past six years my right has been so deaf that I could not hear conversation or public speaking of any kind. I could not hear the church bells ring while I was sitting in the church. I have also been troubled for a number of years with a very sore throat, so that I was obliged to give up singing in church, for I had lost my voice. I had great trouble in my head—terrible noises, almost to craziness. My head felt numb and stupid, and was a source of constant trouble to me.

I tried every remedy that could be thought of. I went to aurists—but as they wanted to use instruments, I would have nothing to do with them. About one month since I obtained Mrs. M. G. Brown's Metaphysical Discovery, and used it according to the directions on the bottles, and the result is that the hearing of both ears is perfectly restored, so that I can hear as well as any man. The great trouble in my head is entirely gone. My head feels perfectly easy and at rest. My throat, which was so diseased, is entirely cured; and I would not take *one thousand dollars* for the benefit I have received in the use of Mrs. Brown's Metaphysical Discovery.

NEURALGIA.

Certificate of Mr. J. P. Litch, of Charlestown:

This is to certify that nine months ago I was attacked with Neuralgia in the most violent form. Several physicians were applied to who did all they could to relieve me, but to no purpose. Every patent medicine and remedy that could be found were applied without effect. My face was poulticed and bandaged in order to find relief. Since the Neuralgia attacked me I lost twenty-five pounds of flesh.

In this state, a friend of mine recommended me to try Mrs. M. G. Brown's Metaphysical Discovery, as it had cured a friend of his of very bad eyes, which had baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians. Consequently I went to Mrs. M. G. Brown's office, at the American House, and obtained her Metaphysical Discovery on Saturday, the 19th inst. I applied it at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The result was that Neuralgia subsided—almost immediately I felt relief. I slept well, without any poultices as before.

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