Bgt. Biblet; Phillips agt. Weed.—Granted. New-York Life Insurance Company agt. Russell.—Memorandum for counsel. Crossmond agt. Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company.—I do not see how the plaintiff could have been sufficiently well informed to have brought this action if they cared now find a full bill of particulars. Motion is granted.

By Presiding Judge Brady.—The Arctic Fire Insurance Co. agt. Sieb.—Let an order be prepared directing that it be referred to George S. Sedgwick to take proof of the facts respecting the sale of the premises and the price at which such sale was made, and report the same, with his opinion, with all convenient speed. Matter of North American Fire Insurance Co.—Order granted. Matter of Haller.—Opinion.

By Judge Barrett.—Donohue agt. Cady.—In this case the motion is denied with $10 costs, for the reason stated in the opinion filed in the case of Amelia Sleight *e fertiert*, whereas here leave has actually been delivered and the purchaser's rights have become absolute. Sleight agt. Cady.—Motion denied with $10 costs. Van Valkenburgh agt. Doolittle.—Order settled as proposed by plaintiff sending it back to the referee. Mass agt. Hoffman.—Motion to continue injunction granted with $10 costs to plaintiff. Whiting agt. Warren.—I think upon the security given that there should be a stay, and that the motion must be granted. Upon the whole there is no good end to be subserved by permitting the property to be advertised pending the appeal. As the appeal could not probably be heard and disposed of within three weeks, advertising would only lead to confusion, and besides it would be highly fair to the defendants. Frisbie agt. Young.—(1). The defendant being a resident was only privileged from arrest. The mere commencement of a suit by the service of summons was not unauthorized. (2). Further he was not privileged, because his position was that not a party, but of a resident witness attending voluntary. (3). And again, he was not attending before any court, referee, arbitrator or other judicial officer. He was simple in a lawyer's office, giving testimony under a stipulation between counsel, which testimony was to be verified before a notary public and read solely by the force of the stipulation. The motion is denied, with $10 costs, the stay vacated, and the order to show cause modified so as to require the payment of such costs as a condition of appearing generally and answering.

Superior Court—Special Term—By Judge Spier.—Van Pierce et al. agt. Suttes.—Order settled. Westerman agt. Remington, jr.—Motion to vacate the order of arrest denied, with costs. Pustley agt. Dickel et al.—The injunction must be continued until trial and a receiver appointed. Canfield et al. agt. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.—Motion to resettle the case must be denied; upon submitting the question in controversy to competent stenographers, as requested, I am satisfied that the case was properly settled; no costs.

Common Pleas—Chambers—By Judge Larremore.—Miller agt. Conner.—Motion granted on payment of costs. Mosley agt. Gleve.—Motion granted; see decision. The People, &c., agt. Freund.—Peremptory mandamus ordered. Knobloch, &c., agt. Rowe et al.; Breeze, &c., agt. Rowe et al.; Fitzpatrick agt. Hay; Belanap agt. Sickles; The New York Life Insurance Co. agt. Moore; Same agt. Same, and Same agt. Same.—Applications granted.

By Judge Van Brunt.—Schoik agt. Wright.—Referee's report confirmed.

By Judge J. F. Daly.—Masters agt. The Eclectic Life Insurance Co.—Adjourned to 21st inst. for final settlement of decree.

Marine Court—Chambers—By Justice McAdam.—Peters agt. McCormack; Engelhard agt. Mackey; Sprout agt. Comer; Beers agt. Jones; Kupper agt. Purcell.—Motions granted. Gray agt. Lends; Hackett agt. O'Neill.—Proceedings dismissed. Meigas agt. Lowden.—Complaint dismissed. Stoaben agt. Schaps.—Security for costs ordered. Grimble agt. Thomas.—E. Jacobs, esq., appointed receiver. George agt. Knapp; Dewey agt. Burke; Wade agt. Morgan.—Defaults noted. Turner agt. Hampton.—Ordered to pay money into court. Downey agt. Morranga.—This application must be made to the General Term. Dohme agt. Arnfahr.—The defendant process server must attend before me for oral examination before I can decide this motion. Kelly agt. Sherley.—Motion granted. Maurice agt. Lambly.—Default noted. Pecsah agt. Idle.—Defendant discharged from arrest. Wilmarth agt. Schlein.—Commission ordered. Thacher agt. Bourcoe.—Taxation affirmed. Ingebrans agt. Kuehn.—The motion is made too late under the rules; denied, and $10 costs to abide event. Horton agt. Biggs; Hooper agt. Cheverly; Phelan agt. Peters; Meyer agt. Lach; Levy agt. Epstein; Berg agt. Hart; Scherer agt. Wolf; Wolf agt. Wolf; Miller agt. Hoffman; Smith agt. Dow; Malkonitz agt. Barhamch; Ellis agt. Donald; McGuire agt. Vanderbilt.—Orders granted.

CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—LAWRENCE, J.

84. Smith & Grigg's Mfg Co. agt. Talcott.
130. Staten Island R. Co. agt. The Mayor, &c.
164. People, &c., agt. The 23d st. and other R. R. companies.
167. Colliery agt. Phelan.
168. Gretwin agt. Ackerman.
209. Salomon agt. Schirmer.
234. Heyman agt. Koch.
250. Matter of Murphy.
268. Bryan agt. Pistol Belt Co.
278. Matter of Attinger.
285. Wallace agt. Coe.
290. Turner agt. McEwen.
297. Betts agt. Incorr.
299. Germania Life Ins. Co. agt. Kerwin.
301. Lord agt. Funk.
302. Burtis agt. Babson.
304. Schwalb agt. Schwalb.
312. Youngs agt. Carter.
317. Hayman agt. Hayman.
325. Leslie agt. Pistol Belt Co.
326. Covel agt. Covel.
327. Helm agt. Calvor.

GENERAL TERM—DAVIS, P. J., BRADY AND DANIELS, JJ.

137. Gray and ano. agt. Central R. R. of N. J.
140. Bradhurst agt. Townsend.
141. Peoples' Bank agt. Mitchell.
143. Salmon agt. Allen.
65. Bowling agt. The Mayor, &c.
69. Gridley agt. The Mayor, &c.
70. Hebrew B. O. Asylum agt. The Mayor, &c.
71. Kilham, &c., agt. The Mayor, &c.
112. Willett, &c., agt. Kipp et al.
122. Herrich agt. Brennan.
124. Barkett agt. Taylor and ano.
129. Brewers' and M. Ins. Co. agt. Davenport and ano.
77. People ex rel. Hanemann agt. Tax Commissioners.
85. Driscoll agt. The Mayor, &c.
95. Lynch agt. Levy.
118. Winton et al. agt. Seling.
68. McSpedon agt. The Mayor, &c.
86. Sheridan agt. The Mayor, &c.
101. Wood et al. agt. Hale et al.
144. Markwald agt. Oceanic S. S. Co., &c.

CIRCUIT—PART I.—BARRETT, J.

1. Lalaurette agt. Clark.
1364. Excelsior Pet. Co. agt. Fowler.
1313. Brown agt. Decker.
1819. Franz agt. Del., Lack. and West. R. R. Co.
2803. Laflin & Rand Powder Co. agt. Gillandet.
2995. Springer et al. agt. Hermann.
3007. Hughes agt. Rubino.
3009. Hughes agt. Rubino.
1657. Goldsmith agt. Daly.
1584. Collins agt. The Mayor, &c.
3679. Beznitzki agt. Belmont.
3211. Whitfield agt. Arcus.
1903. Erwin, &c., agt. Newark Steamboat Co.
3175. Smith agt. Kayne et al.
3245. Lester agt. Wolf.
2[illegible]. Bischoff agt. Bauer.
2719. Haden agt. Coleman.
2761. Wilber agt. Loft.
2763. Miner agt. Loft.
3085. Arnall agt. Jacobs and ano.
3217. Tradesmen's Nat. Bank agt. Neville.
3233. Ohng and ano. agt. Roberts.
3245. Newhouse agt. Maben.
3319. Heracy agt. Cartwright.
3237. Brederick agt. The Mayor, &c.
3241. Valentine agt. Valentine.
3263. Emanuel ast. Marsh, jr.
1381. The Mayor, &c., agt. Webb.
4290. Finn agt. The Mayor, &c.
2933. Koehler agt. Schwartz and ano.
3057. Hobnee agt. Mott.
2985. Harlem Bank agt. Adams and ano.

PART II.—DONOHUE, J.

1664. Tanlson agt. Camp.
1662. Costance agt. Burr.
1691. Getty agt. Keyes et al.
1742. The Crader Cotton Gin M'f'g Co. agt. N. Y. Cotton M'f'g Co.
1928. McIntyre agt. N. Y. Gaslight Co.
1932. Conner agt. Thurber.
1941. Fitzpatrick agt. The Mayor, &c.
2404. Nelson, jr., agt. The Mayor, &c.
3582. Ring et al. agt. The Mayor, &c.
1512. Moody agt. Libby.
560. Bailey agt. Dodge.
2785. Vial agt. The Mayor, &c.
1944. Murtagh agt. Conner, &c.
1960. Chapin agt. Norfolk & N. B. Hos. Co.
1961. Tilton & McF. Safe Co. agt. Conner, &c.
1978. Williams agt. Lord et al.
2006. Herts agt. Stuart.
960. Messmore agt. Hanlenback.
961. Messmore agt. Hanlenback.
1995. Lewis agt. Conner, &c.
1998. Schultz agt. Rosenthal.
2024. Wake agt. Shuttleworth Paper Co.
2038. Prior agt. Conner, &c.
873. Guardian M. Life Ins. Co. agt. The Atlantic Nat. Bank.
3700. Martin agt. The Mayor, &c.
1810. Livermore agt. Gould et al.
2088. Giles, &c., agt. Spaulding.
2091. Flynn agt. Schenck.
2098. Clarke et al. agt. Waite.
2102. Mills agt. Hilfreth.
2134. Weetherby agt. The Mayor, &c.
2162. Grassmayer agt. Claflin, et al.
3941. Dummer agt. Frost.
1862. Elliott agt. The Allemania Fire Ins. Co.
3304. Ellison agt. Grinsoom, &c.
1864. Brinkerhoff agt. Smith et al.
1870. Parat et al. agt. Smith et al.
1872. Areal agt. Smith et al.
1942. Palmer agt. Green.
1967. Cavanagh agt. Purdy.
1972. Hart agt. Duryea et al.
1642. McMahon agt. McDonnell.
1958. Nat. Photo. C. Co. agt. Schoonmaker.
2210. Otto agt. Bank of British N. America.
1536. Schelley agt. Diehl et al.
1558. Same agt. Same.
1462. Ames and ano. agt. Crowley.
2108. London, N. Y. and H. Tub. Co. agt. Gatting.
2218. Comstock agt. Young.
2220. Brague agt. Howard.

PART III.—WESTBROOK, J.

803½. Jones art. The Mayor, &c.
1879. Murphy agt. Same.
1438. Hoyt et al. agt. Nicholson.
3393. Brown, &c., agt. The Mayor, &c.
413. McComb agt. Jones.
419. McComb agt. Excelsior Manf'g Co.
953. Baker et al. agt. Gleason.
2083. McKnight, &c., agt. Devlin, et al.
2125. Baird agt. Heurich.
2283. Lynch agt. The Mayor, &c.
4621. Wilson agt. O'Keefe.
2959. The Mayor, &c., agt. Hart et al.
1569. Lynch agt. Kiernan.
4025. McCarthy agt. The Mayor &c.
4624. Ward agt. The Mayor, &c.
99. Nolan agt. The Hudson River R. R. Co.
1611. Dickinson agt. Dudley.
4433. McDermott agt. The Mayor, &c.
1177. Robert agt. Hill.
3000. Heath et al. agt. Mahoney.
1801. Solleti agt. Compton.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—VAN VORST, J.

475. Morgan et al. agt. McVicker.
878. Peck, &c., agt. Cohen.
450. Earle agt. Fisk and ano.
435. Hall agt. Barrett, &c.
401. Ludlow and ano. agt. Spofford.
442. Strong agt. The Harlem Savings Bank.
877. White agt. Van Vleck.
456. Gilman agt. Stevens.
875. Atwater agt. Shaddy.
890. Newfield agt. Copperman.
482. Agnew agt. Gilmersleeve.
844. Jenkins agt. The C. P., N. A. & R. R. R. Co.
971. Roetzsberger and ano. agt. Peter.
872. Gerber agt. Peter.
620. The Nat. Park Bank agt. The Erie Railway Co.
1177. Carr agt. The Mayor, &c.
756. Rauchenberg agt. Conner, &c.
572. Harrison et al. agt. Redfort et al.
573. Harrison et al. agt. Ross.
743. Uhl, &c., agt. Cremer.
814. The Germania Bank agt. Frost.
509. Dye agt. Adriance.
1104. Olmstead agt. The Mayor, &c.
1138. Olmstead agt. The Mayor, &c.
639. Mathews agt. Driscoll.

COMMON PLEAS—EQUITY TERM—LARREMORE, J.

6. Malcolm agt. Holmes et al.
4. Beames agt. Townes.
5. Arnold agt. Morris.
24. Cronougue agt. Quinn.
9. Carpenter agt. Nickerson.
16. Boyd agt. Phyfe.
17. Collin agt. Hoffman.
18. Collin agt. Hoffman. *Demurrer.*
10. Hernandez agt. Stilwell.

TRIAL TERM—PART I.—ROBINSON, J.

1342. The Broadway Stable Co. act. Comer.
1203. McIntyre agt. Carroll.
352. Giles agt. Weeks.
892. Shenley agt. The Mayor, &c.
284. Mott agt. The Consumers' Ice Co.
1103. Palmer, &c., agt. Clark.
355. Banks agt. Carter.
1209. Maloney agt. The N. Y. Bowling Dry Dock Co.
966. Arendell agt. Garde.
715. Russell agt. Helms.

GENERAL TERM—DALY, C. J., VAN HOESEN, and J. F. DALY, JJ.

20. Young et al. agt. Weeks.
21. Turninger agt. Rusch.
22. Fusetis agt. Mayorga et al.—No. 1.
23. Fusetis agt. Mayorga et al.—No. 2.
24. Levy et al. agt. Levy.
36. The Ninth Avenue R. R. Co. agt. The N. Y. Elevated R. Co.
27. Taylor agt. Phillips.
18. Paul agt. The Mayor, &c.
24c. —— agt. ——
41. Davis agt. Davis.
39. Lynch agt. McNally.
45. Stalls, agt. Bristow, &c.
66. Schwarz et al. agt. Oppold et al.
71. Mason agt. Oppenheimer.
44. Rexter agt. Starin.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—SIKNOTT, J.

1919. The Perlyn Slate Co. art. Allen.
3157. Todd agt. Delavan.
1815. Lisher and ano. agt. McCabe.
4921. Becker and ano. agt. Parker.
3387. The Forest and Stream Pub. Co. agt. Curran.
6719. Lasher agt. De Peyster.
3440. Moore et al. agt. Osborne.
4963. Gonand agt. Koher et al.
7934. Black agt. Friedlander.
6696. Nicholson et al. agt. Conner.
7709. Hoffman agt. Bernhardt et al.
7869. Schmidt et al. agt. O'Donnell.
7933. Harvey agt. Miniszek.

PART II.—GOFFP, J.

1788. Jackson agt. Halman.
5817. Berge agt. Hart.
7717. Fish agt. Dusenbury.
3739. Titus agt. Kelland.
2342. Fine agt. Atwater.
4562. Pforzheimer agt. Tucker.
7520. Fish agt. Stilwell et al.
6121. Rice agt. Bunn et al.
5528. Curry agt. Farley.
5339. Hancock act. Miller.
7545. Smith agt. Dreibert.
9384. Sallinger agt. McCool.
4043. Lowenstein agt. Elias.
4061. Slingerland agt. Hardie and ano.

PART III.—SHEA, C. J.

7097. Fochrenbach and ano. agt. Mylius.
7691. Hasbrouck agt. Stokens.
4531. Hollenreider agt. Abrahams.
8855. Goldzier agt. Young.
5594. Grassmuck and ano. agt. Dinsmore, &c.
7755. Mead agt. Schierck.
7201. Berger agt. Lindheim.
Marine case. Smith agt. Hall.

GENERAL SESSIONS—PART I.—SUTHERLAND, J.—William Kelly, James Murphy, robbery; Michael Dowdell, William O. Day, grand larceny; Louis Cohen, receiving stolen goods; John Corridan, grand larceny; John Connell, felonious assault and battery; William Campbell, Elijah Baker, petit larceny; Fritz Kuyer, assault and battery; Chas. Johnson, Peter Lane, gambling.

PART II.—GILDERSLEEVE, J.—Patrick Connelly, John Manly, James Dempsey, James Wilson, burglary; Edward Cahill, felonious assault and battery; Thomas L. Birch, perjury; Morris Cahill, John Cunningham, Morris Wilcox, James Sexton, John O'Neill, Kate White, Mary A. Madden, Dennis Gavin, grand larceny; James Emmitt, John Clifford, May Clark; Henry Lewis, Jeremiah Stanton, petit larceny; Howard Pearsall, John K. Carpenter, John Thomas, false pretenses; Philip Conlen, receiving stolen goods; James A. Simpson, violating excise law; Francis Page, misdemeanor; John White, violating lottery law.

THE CRIMINAL RECORD.

A MURDER FOR MONEY IN BOSTON.

Boston, March 13.—About 5:45 o'clock this morning a pistol shot was heard by the occupants of No. 284 Harrison-ave., followed by groans, and in two or three minutes another shot. Upon the arrival of the officers at the head of the first flight of stairs at No. 284, in a dark entry, lay the body of Jacob Hirschfeld, 60 years of age, whose place of business was another flight up. He had been shot through the breast on each side, receiving wounds which caused his death in half an hour. By his side lay a pistol, and in his mouth, pushed down his throat as far as possible, was a handkerchief twisted hard, upon which his teeth were so closely shut as to render it almost impossible to withdraw it. His empty wallet was found half way down the stairs. He had evidently been robbed by some one who knew of his habit of coming to his shop early. Hirschfeld is known to have received a considerable sum of money yesterday. Three persons are under arrest, Peter Miller, Anthony Gibbins, and Charles Burneyha, all Poles, who worked for Peter Lozowsky in the fourth story of the same building. It is doubtful, however, if they know anything of the tragedy. Some of the police officials who have investigated the circumstances of Hirschfeld's death claim that he killed himself, but this belief is not general.

CHILD MURDER AND SUICIDE BY A LUNATIC.

Toledo, Ohio, March 13.—This morning Michael Merriman, living at Rock Creek Center, 10 miles south of Huntington, Ind., who has been in the insane asylum and was sent home about a year ago, thought to have been permanently cured, shot one of his sons, aged 18, through the head, fatally wounding him, and daughter, aged 16, through the shoulder, probably fatally wounding him; he also shot and killed himself instantly.

WIFE MURDER BY A DRUNKEN HUSBAND.

St. Paul, Minn., March 13.—At Minneapolis at a late hour last evening the dead body of Mrs. Mary Lyons was found at her residence, her face and head horribly mutilated and her skull broken. Her husband, Daniel Lyons, was arrested on suspicion of having committed the deed. Both had frequently been arrested for drunkenness and quarreling.

A Chicago newspaper says that a St. Louis belle, traveling in Europe, had a last made exactly the her foot; and she got it through the custom-house free of charge as a work of art, by pretending that it was a part of Bartholdi's colossal statue of Liberty.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

FROM BRISTOL.—*In steamship Cornwall*, March 13.—Henry Hele, Maria Hele, Mary Hele, George Hele, Charles Hele, Bessie Hele, Edith Tapscott, Henrietta Tapscott, Annie Tapscott, John Tucker, Thomas Cock, Mrs. E. Martin and family, David Keys, Wm. Richards, Charles Morgan.

FROM ASPINWALL.—*In steamship Colon*, March 13.—B. S. Lewis, Capt. H. A. Norton, Jacob Ralz, L. Prevost, Dr. W. F. Thurston and wife, Miss Lou Walter, Mrs. M. Haynes, Mrs. M. Bushnell, Mrs. Breach and 2 daughters, Mrs. Sawyer, H. Connolly and wife, S. L. Taxton, S. Raleigh, M. Conlon, I. L. Silva, I. Bernstein, Henri Brandon, W. C. West, Ramon Roco, George Webster, L. Gillis, S. B. Tilly, M. Hilbray, E. S. Prevost, A. Fatino, Juan Semellara, R. Vasconcole, Phoebe Kilsall, Jose D. Valle, M. Aseunance, John Tweddil, J. J. Murray, Robert Knowles, J. S. Freeman, John Crosty, P. Herman, David Howe, W. J. Quiggy, John M. Hughes, J. F. Kemp, F. Mitchell, H. Lamoney, Miss A. Pilson, J. C. Janson, J. Mahoney, Miss Gilmore, Pat Horan, J. Kerwin, J. Levain, N. Louis, J. McCornel, Jacob Lazerus, wife and 2 children, G. Westlad, M. G. Hibbard, H. Herbman, B. T. Groover, V. Lina, A. Brehl, C. Seehls, W. S. Colby, J. H. Hanes, J. Matz, H. Bach, R. Weise, P. Lawler, T. Sanders, W. Toney, W. Flagg, M. Quinn, A. Richards.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sun rises	6:13	Sun sets	6:06
Moon rises	5:54		

HIGH WATER THIS DAY—A. M.

Sandy Hook	7:09	Gov's Island	7:53	Hell G. Ferry	9:42

HIGH WATER THIS DAY—P. M.

Sandy Hook	7:27	Gov's Island	8:21	Hell G. Ferry	10:10

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF NEW-YORK.....MARCH 13.

CLEARED.

Steamship Wisconsin, Holmes, Liverpool via Queenstown, Williams & Guion.
Steamship Steinmann (Belg.), Egler, Antwerp, Funch, Edye & Co.
Steamship Atlas (Br.), Low, Kingston, Aux Cayes, and Jacmel, Pim, Forwood & Co.
Steamship Wyneke, Couch, Richmond, City Point and Norfolk, Old Dominion Steamship Co.
Steamship Glaucus, Barse, Boston, H. P. Dimock.
Steamship Agnes, Smith, Philadelphia, Bogert & Morgan.
Bark R. W. Griffiths (Br.), Drummond, Havana, J. E. Ward & Co.
Bark Hielman (Nor.), Tausan, Montevideo, Hughes & Ayres.
Brig Excelsior (Br.), Mayor, Hamilton, Ber., Leayeraft & Co.
Brig Malaga (Br.), Kerr, Trieste, Austria, Scammell Bros.
Schr. Decatur Oakes, Baker, Norfolk, Va., Ferguson & Wood.
Schr. Sallie Burton, Burley, Bridgeport, Conn., Stamford Manufacturing Co.
Schr. S. F. Godwin, Williams, Bridgeport, Stamford Manufacturing Co.
Schr. E. S. Newman, Newman, Corunna and Cadiz or Seville, R. P. Buck & Co.
Schr. Hattie Sampson, Pinkham, Cardenas, Cuba, Miller & Houghton.
Schr. Island State, Freeman, McKenzie, Gloucester, Mass, Isaac R. Staples.
Schr. Cora S. Van Gilder, Cheney, Indianola, Texas, Tupper & Boattie.
Schr. Isabel, Mather, San Blas, U. S. C., Owen Brennan.
Schr. Charles F. Heyer, Poland, Bridgetown, Bar., H. Trowbridge's Sons.
Schr. Isaac Oliver, Parmell, Aux Cayes, Hayti, A. Nones & to.
Schr. John Bird, Smith, St Jago de Cuba, James E. Ward & Co.
Scnr. Sarah Potter, Wall, Philadelphia, Parsons & Lond.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Cornwall (Br.), Stamper, Bristol Feb. 27, with mdse. and pass. to Wm. D. Morgan. Had fine weather.
Steamship Weland (Ger.), Hebich, Hamburg Feb. 28, via Havre March 3, with mdse. and pass. to Kunhardt & Co.
Steamship Colon, Griffin, Aspinwall March 4, with mdse. and pass. to Pacific Mail Steamship Co.
Steamship San Salvador, Nickerson, Savannah 3 days, with mdse. and pass. to Jas. W. Quintard & Co.
Steamship Charleston, Lockwood, Charleston 3 days, with mdse. and pass. to Ira W. Quintard & Co.
Steamship Agnes, Burdock, Philadelphia, with mdse. to Bogart & Morgan.
Bark Texas (Ger.), Seidorf, Bremen Dec. 22, in ballast to order. Is anchored in the Lower Bay for orders.
Brig Carolina (Ital.), Cilento, Almeria 49 days, with iron ore to Lauts, Stoker & Co. Passed Gibraltar Jan. 23.
Schr. Kate Wentworth (of Castine), Hutchinson, Cardenas 10 days, with sugar to Maitland, Phelps & Co., vessel to Miller & Houghton.
Schr. Etta A. Stimpson (of Thomaston), Thompson, Cardenas 9 days, with sugar to Baring Bros. & Co., vessel to Parsons & Lord. March 6, had a heavy gale from N. E., lasting 24 hours, in which lost jibs and deck load, consisting of 70 hogsheads.
Schr. Starlight (of Bath), Breed, San Blas Feb 6, via Andrews 20th, with mdse to Geo. Wessels, vessel to H. W. Lond & Co. Left in Mosquito River, schrs. Ocean Pearl and Hattie Haskill, loading.
Schr. Ida L. Ray, Haskell, Providence for Port Johnson.
Schr. Cynthia Jane, Garmer, Providence for Port Johnson.
Scr. E. G. Gould, Freeman, Providence for Port Johnson.
Sch. David A. Crane, Batterson, Providence for Port Johnson.
Schr. Alida, Cousins, Providence for Port Johnson.
Schr. Imogene Diverty, Gandy, Providence for Port Johnson.
Schr. Swallow, Carlow, Eastport, with fish to Crowell & Pettengill.
Schr. C. W. Bentley, Pettigrew, New London.
Schr. Wm. Mason, French, New-London.
Schr. Python, Merrell, Providence.
Schr. Frederick Fish, Crowley, Providence.
Schr. Samuel H. Sharp, Webb, Providence.
Schr. Henry, Pickenham, Providence.
Schr. Sarah M. Tyler, Hall, Providence.
Schr. Ignis, Mayo, Providence.
Schr. Hastings, Robbins, Providence.
Schr. Hastings, Chase, New-Bedford.
Schr. Virginia, Burgess, New-Bedford.
Schr. Dexter Clark, Giffin, Boston.
Schr. Mary G. Farr, Crowell, Boston.
Schr. Cestus, Young, Boston.
Schr. Ann S. Brown, Crowell, Boston.
Schr. Mary Weaver, Weaver, Boston.
Schr. John Manhove, Barker, Wickford.
Schr. Pell S. C. Vought, Davis, New-Haven.
Schr. Wonder, Davis, New-Haven.
Schr. Eclipse, Sammis, New-Haven.
Schr. Peerless, Smith, New-Haven.

SPOKEN.

No date, lat. 28 31, lon. 79 37, ship Louisa (Br.), from Pensacola for Liverpool.

FOREIGN PORTS.

LIVERPOOL, March 13.—The steamship Texas, Capt. Lawrence, from New-Orleans Feb. 22, arrived here on the 11th inst.
HAVANA, March 13.—Arrived, steamship Columbus, Reed, from New-York.
SANTIAGO DE CUBA, March 12.—Arrived, bark Thomas Brooks, from New-York.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

FORTRESS MONROE, March 13.—Arrived, brig Etna, Tunis, seeking.
WILMINGTON, N. C., March 13.—Arrived, barks Falken, from Cadiz; Otto, from London. Cleared, bark Lloyd, for Hamburg; schr. Altoona, for Hayti.
GALVESTON, March 13.—Cleared, ship Nonantum, for Liverpool; schr. Leonard Daniels, for Tuxpan.
BOSTON, March 13.—Arrived, schrs. James M. Flanagan and Maggie P. Smith, from Philadelphia. Cleared, steamship William Crane, for Baltimore; bark Admiralen, for London. Sailed, steamships Hecla and Neptune.
PORTLAND, Me., March 13.—Arrived, steamship Moravian, from Liverpool via Halifax. Cleared, 12th, schr. Bramhall, for New-York; 13th, schr. M. B. Maloney, for New-York.
BALTIMORE, March 13.—Arrived, steamships George Appold, Loveland, from Boston; Octoroon, Reynolds, from Philadelphia; barks Thila Figlina, from Rotterdam; Sionne, from Hamburg; Gerhard, from Liverpool; Luis A. Martinez, from Boston, Eng.; schr. John, from Cardenas. Cleared, brig Ellen H. Monroe, for Matanzas.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

SOUTHAMPTON, March 13.—The North German Lloyds steamship Neckar, Capt. Willigerod, from New-York March 3 for Bremen, arrived here to-day.
QUEENSTOWN, March 13.—The National Line steamship The Queen, Capt. Bragg, from New-York March 3, arrived here at 6 a. m. to-day.
QUEENSTOWN, March 13.—The Cunard Line steamship Marathon, Capt. Garrett, from Boston March 3 for Liverpool, arrived here at 4 o'clock this morning.
MOVILLE, March 13.—The Anchor Line steamship California, Capt. Overstone, from New-York March 3 for Glasgow, arrived here to-day, and proceeded to Glasgow.
ANTWERP, March 13.—The Red Star Line steamship Switzerland, Capt. Jackson, from New-York Feb. 27, arrived to-day.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LONDON, March 13.—The British brig Sunshine, Capt. Christians, from Port Royal, S. C., for the United Kingdom, was abandoned on the 23d of February. The crew were landed at Liverpool by the British bark Hahnemann, Capt. Thomson, from New-Orleans.
The British bark Christina, Capt. Andrews, from Philadelphia Feb. 7 for Bremen, is ashore at Minsen. The British bark Brothers German, Capt. Stivani, from Singapore Dec. 4 for New-York, before reported off Cape Recife with mainmast gone below the cap, has put into Cape Town. She has also lost her mizzentopmast and had her bulwarks damaged.

DISASTERS.

LIVERPOOL, March 13.—The British bark Kalema, Capt. Douglass, which arrived here on the 11th inst. from Galveston, caught fire last night. The fire department was called out. The vessel is now full of water, and the cargo must be seriously damaged. Her hull is apparently intact.
BOSTON, March 13.—The schr. Florence Wackrill, hence for Santo Domingo, was wrecked on the Island of "Sa Lone" about Feb. 15. The crew were saved and landed at Santo Domingo City. The vessel will probably be a total loss.

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Proposals.

PROPOSALS FOR POSTAL CARDS.

POST-OFFICE DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1, 1877.

Sealed proposals will be received at this Department until 12 o'clock m. of WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of April, 1877, for furnishing United States Postal Cards for and during a period of four years, commencing on the 1st day of May, 1877.

SIZE AND QUALITY OF CARD.

The cards will be three by five and one-eighth inches (3x5⅛ in.) in dimensions, and must weigh six and one-quarter pounds per thousand finished cards, exclusive of lacquer and wrappers; and the paper from which they are manufactured must be uniform, so that the cards will not vary from each other in thickness and weight. The paper must also be clean, and free from specks, well calendered and finished on both sides, suitable for printing and writing in ink or pencil, and equal in quality and in all other respects to the samples furnished by the Department. The Department may require the face and back of the cards to be of different tints; and the right is reserved to change the colors at any time, and as often as may be desired.

PRINTING, DIES, ROLLS, PLATES, ETC., ETC.

The cards will be surface-printed on one side only, from hardened steel plates made from a die the property of the Government. The plates now in use will be turned over to the new contractor on or before the 1st day of May. These plates are supposed, ready for the press, on two forms of forty cards each, and spaced accurately to cut into proper size of the cards. The contractor may be required to procure, at his own expense, subsequent to the award, and before the contract term commences, additional plates, those now in use being barely adequate to the work.

The contractor will be further required to keep in repair all dies, rolls, and plates from which postal cards may be printed, and to renew the same whenever required; and should new designs be required at any time to take the place of the present cards, or for denominations of cards not now in use, the same shall be furnished and engraved, subject to the approval of the Postmaster-General, upon his request, within a reasonable time; all which shall be done and executed in the best style by the contractor, and at his own expense. All dies, rolls, and plates made or used at any time in filling the contract shall immediately become the absolute property of the United States, and shall be delivered, in good working order, to the Postmaster-General or his authorized agent, whenever demanded.

BUILDING, PLACE OF MANUFACTURE, ETC., ETC.

The cards will be required to be manufactured in a fire-proof building, subject to the approval of the Department, and in separate apartments, distinct from those in which any other work is done, and which building must be placed for storage in a fire and burglar-proof apartment, or vault, to be specially provided for the purpose. The contractor may also be required to furnish, without charge, suitable and properly furnished rooms for use of the post office in registering and mailing packages of postal cards to be forwarded through the mails. The apartments, vault, and rooms for manufacturing, storing, and registering cards shall be immediately connected with each other by communicating doors, and they shall be constructed and fitted up to the satisfaction and with the approval of the Department.

AGENT—OFFICE ROOMS—INSPECTION.

A resident agent of the Department will have supervision of the manufacture, storage, and issue of the cards, and he shall at all times have full and free access to the apartments and vaults where the cards are manufactured and stored, for the purpose of inspecting the same. The contractor shall furnish him an, his clerks and office and desk room, properly furnished, for the transaction of the business of his agency, without cost to the Government; and such rooms shall also be immediately connected with the apartments used for mailing and registering the cards. The Postmaster-General shall also have the right at any time to cause an inspection to be made, by any agent or agents whom he may specially designate for the purpose, of the rooms, apartments, and vaults used for the manufacture and storage of cards, and of the cards in course of manufacture or in stock. He shall also have the right to cause an inspection to be made, when and in such manner as he may desire, of the process of manufacturing the paper in all its several stages.

STOCK ON HAND.

The contractor shall at all times, after one month from the commencement of the contract term, be required to keep on hand, subject to the control of the department, not less than 10,000,000 finished cards, so that each and every requisition from the Department may be promptly filled as soon as received.

The Department shall have the right to require of the contractor, at the expiration of the contract, or at any time during its existence, to furnish an extra quantity of cards not exceeding a supply for three months.

PACKING.

The cards must be banded in parcels of twenty-five (25) and packed in strong pasteboard or straw boxes, securely bound on the edges and corners with cotton or linen cloth closed on each box to contain not less than five hundred (500) cards; the boxes to be wrapped and securely fastened in strong manila paper, and sealed so as to safely bear transportation by mail for delivery to postmasters. When two thousand (2,000) or more cards are required to fill the order of a postmaster, the pasteboard or straw boxes containing the same must be packed in strong wooden cases, well strapped with hoop-iron. Said cases and packages shall be addressed by the contractor under the direction of an agent of the Department. Wooden cases containing the cards, to be transported by water routes, must be provided with suitable waterproofing.

DELIVERY.

It is expected that the contractor will be ready to commence the delivery of the cards on the 1st day of May, when the contract term begins; and thereafter they must be promptly furnished and delivered, complete in all respects, in such quantities as may be required to fill the daily orders of postmasters. The cards may be required to be delivered in separate packages, as above provided for, at the post-offices at the place where the same are manufactured, or at the nearest adjacent large post office with adequate facilities for handling and mailing the cards, in the discretion of the Postmaster-General, or in such quantities at the Post-Office Department at Washington, D. C., as the Postmaster-General may direct.

BLANKS.

In addition, the contractor will be required to furnish labels, and direct the same for each package, in accordance with the daily lists furnished by the agent of the Department, together with all other blanks required to be inclosed with the cards; also all blanks for daily, weekly, monthly, and quarterly returns relating to the number of cards furnished.

REPORTS.

The contractor will be required to report weekly, under oath, the number of cards manufactured (finished, unfinished, and spoiled), the number issued during the week, and the number available for issue; all spoiled cards to be destroyed by the agent of the Department in the presence of the contractor or his representative, or otherwise disposed of, as the Postmaster-General may direct.

NUMBER OF CARDS REQUIRED.

The number of cards issued during the last fiscal year was 150,815,000, and it is expected that the issues for the current fiscal year will be about 180,000,000. The number required during the next contract term will probably reach one billion (1,000,000,000) at least; but the contractor must furnish all that may be required, without reference to the estimate.

AWARD—PROPOSALS—AGREEMENT—BOND.

Bidders must state the price per thousand cards (naming but one price), including everything required to be done or furnished as set forth in this advertisement; and the contract will be awarded as a whole to the lowest responsible bidder.

Each proposal must be signed by the individual or partnership making it, and when made by a partnership, the name of each partner thereof must be disclosed, and it must be accompanied by a guaranty, signed by at least two responsible guarantors, that the bidder shall, within ten days after being called upon to do so, execute a contract to furnish promptly, and in quantities as ordered, the article or articles to be furnished by him, the responsibility and sufficiency of the signers to such guaranty to be certified to by the postmaster or United States attorney where the bidder resides; and in such contract the contractor and his sureties shall covenant and agree that in case the said contractor shall fail to do or perform all or any of the covenants, stipulations, and agreements of said contract on the part of the said contractor to be performed, as therein set forth, the said contractor and his sureties shall forfeit and pay to the United States of America the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, for which said forfeiture the said contractor and his sureties shall be jointly and severally liable, as liquidated damages, to be sued for in the name of the United States.

If the bidder to whom the first award may be made should fail to enter into a contract, as herein provided, then the award may be annulled, and the contract let to the next lowest responsible bidder, if not deemed too high by the Postmaster-General, and so on until the required contract is executed; and such next lowest bidder shall be required to fulfill every stipulation embraced herein as if he were the original party to whom the contract was awarded.

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