RUFUS HATCH, DEFENDANT.

THE MARINE COURT MADE VERY LIVELY AND INTERESTING.

Vehicles that were, in Mr. Hatch's Opinion, Made to Break Down—Repeatedly Up for Repairs—Some Gratuities to Coachmen.

The suit of Henry Brewster, et al., against Rufus Hatch was tried in the Marine Court, yesterday, before Judge Alker. But it was not the first of the case by any means. Suit was instituted originally before Judge David McAdam in the Marine Court on the 17th of August, 1878, and the jury made a verdict for the plaintiff, and thereupon the case was appealed. It was called again yesterday. It is all about $445.42, and has now cost ever so much more than that sum. The Henry Brewster named is the Brewster of the firm of Brewster & Co., the Broome street carriage builders. The "et al.," James W. Lawrence and James W. Britton, the partners, who are the "Co." And not to know who Rufus Hatch is argues yourself not an old New Yorker.

The carriagemakers sued to recover $415.42, which they claim has been owed them from the 30th of December, 1873. According to their bill of particulars, on the 30th of December, 1873, Mr. Hatch bought a landaulet valued at $1,600. Then he had many repairs on this and other vehicles, and on the 26th of June, 1877, his bill amounted to $1,925.42. There was credited to him one coupé valued at $400, one landau valued at $550, and cash on account $600. This made the balance in their favor $445.42, and for this they sued.

In answer Mr. Hatch averred that the landaulet was worth less than $1,000; that the repairs embraced in the bill of particulars were rendered necessary by reason of the inferior quality of the vehicles repaired, all of which were sold by Brewster & Co. to him under the representation that they were first class, whereas, in fact, they were of inferior quality; and furthermore, that the repairs were so unskillfully and negligently made that they were of no value to him.

It was well known that Mr. Hatch was somewhat annoyed by this case, and that he intended to make it very uncomfortable for the plaintiffs, even if he Mr. Hatch had to spend many thousands of dollars to that end; and yesterday when the suit was called there was every indication of a tremendous legal struggle impending, for surrounding Mr. Hatch, as counsel and attorneys, were ex-Judge William Fullerton, ex-Judge Robert Sewell, A. J. Vanderpoel, and Adolphus D. Pape, and on the other side were Messrs. J. E. Crouly and John Halleck Drake.

Mr. Hatch sat near his legal guard, wearing his inevitable white necktie and brown overcoat. His silk hat stood on the floor by him.

David Miller, the first witness, was once a salesman for Brewster & Co.; he sold Mr. Hatch the landaulet. There was no price fixed by him (witness) upon the second-hand carriages taken in trade; for Mr. Hatch seemed to understand that a price would be fixed and credited to him.

Mr. Henry Brewster testified that the price of the second-hand carriage was fixed by the firm, but this a long time afterward Mr. Hatch said that he thought he brought to have had $50 more for the coupé. The witness had been in the carriage building business since Jan. 1, 1844, and thought and presumed that Mr. Hatch knew that the firm deals in genuine goods. He was shortly cross-examined by Mr. Hatch's counsel, and he admitted that the landaulet sold was a good one, that the repairs made were well done, and the prices charged reasonable.

The long bill of particulars was read, and Mr. George A. Mott, foreman of the Brewster repair shop, verified it by his testimony. The items, as read to the lawyer, were many of them remarkable to the common ear. Here are examples:

Dec. 17—Lengthening out for overhead springs on doors and repairing door springs and panel $1 50
Dec. 23—Taking shaker off axle, put on axle, repairing rear elliptic and spring beads, and one new carriage bolt 2 25
March 24—To much to detail, paint new spokes, top frame, repairs, new bolts, new handle, bolts, &c., and much more all over 2 75

Judge Fullerton hitchedat the foreman severely in the cross-examination, but succeeded only in showing that he knew the customary charges of Brewster & Co., and that he was ready to swear that all the repairs in the bill had been made. The Judge drew out the fact that the coupé in question was purchased second-hand of Mr. Hatch between Jan. 4, 1876, and June 26, 1877; the "near front spring" nine times, the "off back spring" six times, and the "near back spring" once. The witness said that he received the orders from the coachman, and did what he had to do. There were some items for storage in the bill.

"These items for storage are not for the landaulet while it was being repaired?" the Judge inquired.

The witness answered that he had often suggested that the carriage be left at the shop longer, so that repairs might be well done.

Samuel Budding, Jr., a young man who tried to collect the bill for the company, testified that when he took the bill to Mr. Hatch at his office in Broad street, the latter said that Brewster & Co. would have to give him some time.

Then Mr. Vanderpoel rose to cross-examine for the defense. It wasn't, he said, a matter of dollars and cents with Rufus Hatch, but a question whether the dollars should be taken from him unrighteously. There were two firms of Brewster & Co. One was the well-known and long-established firm doing business at Fifth avenue and Twenty-seventh street; the other was the firm appearing in this case. He believed that they were in Broome street, but they had moved so often that he really did not know where they could be found to-day. With this firm Mr. Hatch had had large dealings. He bought of them a landau for $2,200, a coupé for $1,700 or $1,800. In December, 1873, Mrs. Hatch died, and as Mr. Hatch had no use for these carriages, he disposed of them to Brewster & Co., and bought the landaulet, which I was to have for $1,550. He gave the landau and coupé and $600, and thus squared the account. The landaulet proved to be a very inferior article. It broke down almost every time it was taken out into the street. Then it was that Mr. Hatch discovered a system of robbery between his coachman and Brewster & Co.

At this Mr. Brewster jumped up and took a step toward Mr. Vanderpoel.

"What's the matter, Mr. Brewster?" the lawyer inquired.

"No personalities, sir! No personalities!" Mr. Brewster said, in a hoarse voice. "That I won't stand."

"Sit down, sit down," Mr. Vanderpoel retorted. "I am just that personal. Mr. Brewster can't intimidate any one here. He can walk around his own establishment and swell as large as possible, but here he can't intimidate any one. I shall show that there is a regular system in some establishments whereby servants are bribed. I say that Rufus Hatch's coachman was bribed by Brewster & Co. I don't say by Mr. Brewster personally, but by the firm."

After Mr. Vanderpoel had finished, Mr. Upton B. Jenkins was called to the witness stand. He swore that after the landaulet was bought it was not used for some time except by Miss Cora, Mr. Hatch's eldest daughter. After two years they began to use it more, and then it began to break down. He never used a carriage that broke down so often.

"Did Brewster & Co. make you presents about this time?" Mr. Vanderpoel demanded.

"Yes, sir. Along about New Year's they gave me something. They made me a present about once a year."

"More frequently, did they not?"

"No, sir."

"What were those presents for?"

"Well, I can't say. I never asked them why they gave me a present."

"Would you have gone to them to have the carriages repaired if they had not given you these presents?"

"Yes, sir."

"Was it the custom of the trade to give coachmen presents?" Mr. Drake inquired, cross-examining.

"Oh, I object," said Mr. Sewell. "This man can't know the custom of the trade, and if such is the custom, it don't excuse the bribing of our coachman. I object on the ground that it is *confirmed hearsay*."

The objection was sustained. The witness said that he never heard any one suggest that the landaulet be left at the shop a longer time, so that the repairs might have been better done.

John Farley, a livery man of 21 East Fifty-second street, swore that he bought the landaulet of Mr. Hatch for $250, and had to get new springs soon afterward.

Then Rufus Hatch took the stand. He said that he had bought carriages of Brewster & Co.—a great many too many. He had paid them $9,000 in cash; paying them $2,200 for a landau and $1,600 for a coupé. He gave the landau and coupé and $600 in cash for what they said was a first-class landaulet. Mr. Brewster represented the carriage as the best ever made, and better than any one else could make. That night not be the language verbatim, but that was the way the man talked to me; talked to everybody who went into the store. I think I know what a good carriage is," said Mr. Hatch. "I ought to know, for I have bought a great many, but that was the most inferior carriage I ever owned. It fell to pieces almost every time it went into the street."

Mr. Hatch explained that when the bill for $445.42 was presented to him he said to the messenger that Brewster & Co. would have to wait. The young man went away immediately. Had he remained he would have heard stronger language.

"What would he have heard?" asked Mr. Drake in his cross-examination. "I would have told him that Brewster & Co. were the greatest swindlers that I could think of, if their bill was correct."

"Was not the reason you told him that Brewster & Co. must wait, because you were financially unprepared to pay the bill?"

"I have always paid all my debts with interest," Mr. Hatch replied, "and they are the first men that ever sued me."

"That isn't an answer," said Mr. Drake, and then he showed Mr. Hatch two letters, and asked him whether he wrote them.

"Yes, sir," the broker replied, "put that in evidence. They won't vary the situation."

"I shall put them in evidence. You can't bear the market in this way."

Then the letters were read. The first is dated Aug. 10, and after saying that the writer had received a letter from Mr. Cronly, containing the information that a bill for collection had been placed in his hands, continues:

"I presume that it is for repairs and for storage of the carriages and sleighs that I have purchased from you. Allow me to first call your attention to the number of carriages and bargains that I have purchased of you; the amount of money that I have paid you for repairing and storage; and to state to you frankly and truthfully that I cannot pay you at the present time. I have always paid one hundred cents on the dollar, and your firm is the first to place in a lawyer's hands for collection a claim against me, except a fraudulent life insurance agent.

The second letter contains the following:

"I am in receipt of your favor of the 13th. It is impossible for me to pay the amount of your account at present, even if you should offer to take $200 for it. But I will pay you just as soon as possible. My indebtedness is not large, and I am trying to make some business arrangements to put me on my feet again.

Mr. James B. Brewster was the next witness. He is the head of the Fifth avenue firm of Brewster & Co., and said that he had been in the business forty-one years. He was asked in regard to the breaking of carriage springs, and his answer that the better a spring the more liable it was to break" seemed to surprise the defence, whose witness he was.

"That must have been a remarkably fine landaulet," said Mr. Sewell, and the witness stepped down.

In rebuttal Mr. Henry Brewster was asked:

"Are you in the habit of giving gratuities to coachmen?"

"Gratuities! No, sir. But at the end of each year, or rather at New Year's, we give a little sum, sometimes $1, sometimes $2 or $3 to all that come to the office. We treat all alike, and if they don't come we send it to them. It is a custom brought from the old country."

"Why do you do it?"

"It induces coachmen to take better care of their carriages. It induces them to make their carriages more presentable, and thus reflects credit upon us, as well as upon the owners."

"Then if a coachman asks you for a present you give it to him?"

"No, sir," Mr. Brewster answered, indignantly. "If a man asked me I would kick him into the street if I was big enough."

The summing up was done by Messrs. Sewell and Drake, and then at nightfall the Judge adjourned the court, saying that he would charge the jury in the morning.

IS IT A NEW CATTLE DISEASE?

Westchester Cows Dying After Short Sickness with Strange Symptoms.

Many farmers of northern Westchester County are agitated over the appearance of a distemper among their cattle, which differs widely, they say, from the pleuro-pneumonia now prevalent among the cattle of Putnam County. Mr. William Rockett cultivates a farm which is owned by the Empire Sewing Machine Company. Six weeks ago he had thirteen fine milch cows, and took between thirty and forty gallons of milk per day to Katonah station, on the Harlem Railroad, for shipment to New York. On the morning of the 22d of October, when turning his cows out to pasture, he noticed that one of them appeared to be sick. He thought it was simply a case of fouled hoof, and applied the usual remedies.

A reporter for THE SUN visited Mr. Rockett's farm, in Bedford, a hamlet in the southwestern part of the town of Somers, N. Y. In making known his business, Mr. Rockett said:

"Well, I've lost four cows so far. I'll tell you all I know, but I can't give you the root of the matter, because that's more than the veterinary surgeons who have been there have been able to do. On Oct. 22, when I turned out my cows I noticed that one of them was sick, and I gave her the regular remedies for fouled hoof. Through the day she got worse, and showed signs of fever and distemper. I gave her the regular remedies for this, also, but it didn't seem to do any good. She would stand up to the other cows and butt at them with her horns, and bellow continually. When the other cows would move away from her she would make no effort to follow them, but would continue bellowing. That night I separated her from the other cows and put her in the orchard. The next day she was worse, frequently lying down, and moving her head backward and forward as if in great pain. She breathed with great difficulty. This finally culminated in delirium, during attacks of which she would chase the chickens and pigs, and she even attacked my children. These symptoms continued until she died in spasms."

"Did you make any examination of the body?" the reporter asked.

"Yes; my son and I found the heart very much enlarged, the blood vessels distended, and lumps in the tissues. A few days later another cow was taken sick. She exhibited the same symptoms, save that she had no delirium. I sent for Dr. Hopkins, the State cattle physician, and he pronounced it to be paralysis of the spinal cord. He prescribed poultices of mustard and Epsom salts, in doses of a pound each. These did no good, and the second animal died. Dr. Hopkins said that the malady was something totally unlike anything he had ever seen before. A third cow was taken sick, and Dr. Hopkins's prescription was faithfully followed. Death resulted in seven days after it was taken. A fourth fell sick, and by the advice of neighbors I bled it. The blood issued from a distended vein in a congulated state, something of the color and consistency of molasses, forming a liver-like mass in the pail into which it was drawn. This cow died Nov. 15, and a fence then another has died in the same manner."

TRYING DOGS ON THEIR MERITS.

Rare Sport Anticipated on Robin Island—Pointers, Setters, and Quail.

The approaching trials for the purpose of ascertaining the qualities of hunting dogs in the field have created much interest in this vicinity among dog breeders and owners. The prizes are well worth the winning, and are:

Field Stake.—Open to all setters and pointers. First prize to the *Fred. Field and Fleet* cup, with $50 added; second prize, $50; third prize, $25. Entrance, $15 for each dog.

Puppy Stake.—Open to all pointers and setters under or within six months of age. First prize to be the Chicago field cup, and $25 in cash; second prize, $40; third prize, $20. Entrance, $12. Forfeit, $8.

Bench Stake.—First prize, $100 cash; second prize, $50. Entrance, $15. Forfeit, $10.

In the latter, five entries to fill, or prizes to be scaled. Entries will be received up to the evening of the 9th, at the grounds.

The all-aged stakes has first-class entries, comprising some of the best setters and pointers known to our sportsmen.

It should be understood that field trials are not money-making affairs to those managing them. Unlike bench shows, there is no income to be derived from spectators. All is outlay, and nothing is to be counted upon for the necessary expenses save the voluntary contributions of those who have the love of the setter and pointer at heart.

The club has adopted a series of plain rules for the trial. The most important is the number of points to be given dogs for special features in field work and points.

Points for points for count—Pointing, 35; pace, 20; backing, 8; style, 7; staunchness, 8; ranging, 5; quartering, 5; confidence and deposition, 7; retrieving, 5; total, 100. Negative points for demerit—False pointing, 1 to 7; breaking on to game, 3; chasing or worrying other dogs, 3; chasing or breaking shot and chasing each offense, 10.

Clear rules have also been adopted to be applied in the puppy and brace stakes.

The club hope that, in order to further the practical objects of the trials, owners of dogs will enter the lists freely, even if they fail to run their dogs. Entries may be made on the grounds during the trials, through Mr. Jacob Pentz, Secretary of the club. The trials will take place to-morrow, Thursday, and Friday.

The ground selected by the committee for the trials is Robin's Island, situated in the Great Peconic Bay, at the east end of Long Island, eighty-five miles from New York. These grounds can be reached by the Long Island Railroad, leaving Hunter's Point at 8 A. M. and 3:35 P. M. for Catchogue, and then taking carriages for New Suffolk, opposite Robin's Island, where there are good hotel accommodations.

Two hundred quail have been placed on the little island, and great sport is looked for by the marksmen.

A large party of sportsmen, accompanied by about thirty high-bred setters and pointers, will start for Robin Island this afternoon.

Missing Thomas J. Whitney Heard From.

About two years ago, Thomas J. Whitney, a young broker, the son of Stephen B. Whitney, ex-Trustee of Port Richmond, Staten Island, mysteriously disappeared from Bergen Point, N. J., one night after quitting the Lafayette House. He hired a small boat, saying that he would pull the boat over to Staten Island and return to the Lafayette the following day. That was the last seen of him. On the following morning Whitney's hat and coat were found on the shore, a short distance from the Lafayette house, and the boat was floating in the tide. It was generally believed that he had either committed suicide or had been murdered. Yesterday it was learned that a gentleman who is a trustworthy source, that young Whitney is alive in the west. A part of the story is said that he lately visited his father's house in Port Richmond where his young wife and child have been since his disappearance.

Jersey City's Reservoir.

Mr. Henry O'Neill, the contractor for finishing the Jersey City reservoir, says that he never made the discovery that it should be entirely floored with concrete. He says, further, that the work has been prosecuted as energetically as possible, and has been stopped only by the orders of the Chief Engineer. Mr. O'Neill adds that while 500 yards of concrete were called for in the contract, only 60 yards have been used. Until he can not tell how much may be required before the job is completed. He receives orders as to how the work shall be finished. Mr. O'Neill says he sues the city and got judgment for $5,000 on the contract, and the sheriff will demand payment to-day.

Indicted, but Dead.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lenze, of 47 West Broadway, beat her 3-year-old son Willie, upon the head with an iron spoon recently. At the instance of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, Mrs. Lenze was arrested. In the Tombs Police Court a doubt as to Mrs. Lenze's sanity arose, and she was committed to the care of the Commissioners of Charities and Correction, who transferred her to the Asylum for the Insane on Blackwell's Island. President Elbridge T. Gerry, of the society, asked District Attorney Phelps yesterday to submit the evidence against Mrs. Lenze to the Grand Jury. An indictment was found against Mrs. Lenze. As a clerk was recording it, in the District Attorney's office, a notification was received from Medical Superintendent McDonnell that Mrs. Lenze had just died in the asylum.

The Manhattanville Railroad.

The Aldermen's Committee on Railroads heard the arguments, yesterday, in favor of the resolution between Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railroad Company's time for building their road. Aldermen Robert Hall and Roberts, who constitute the majority of the committee, decided to report against the resolution.

Wanted—Females.

A.—UP-TOWN ADVERTISERS may leave their favors for THE SUN at the only authorised up-town advertisement offices,
1,238 Broadway, corner of 31st st., till 9 P. M., and
1608 West 23d st., corner of 8th st., till 8 P. M.
760 3d av., corner of 47th st., till 8 P. M.
92 East 14th st., corner Union square, till 8 P. M.
No extra charge.

A.—50 IN-DOOR operators on undergarments and infants' wear; steam power; work work road to experienced hands. DANZIG & FEUCHWANGER, 109 Greene st., near Prince.

A YOUNG girl and a small boy, wages $2.50 per week. Apply before 8 o'clock A. M. SUTTON, Perfumer, 299 Broadway.

ARTIFICIAL FLOWER hands wanted. 100 South 3d st., Williamsburgh. Apply for three days.

A NUMBER of first-class W. & Wilson operators; also Willcox tackers; steady work. 112 East 7th st.

A LITTLE GIRL to assist around the house in a small family. 20 Clarkson st., after 6 o'clock P. M.

A FREE OFFICE.—Girls wanted for families; also, small, tidy girl. 158 6th av., above 10th st.

A GIRL for housework; no washing. Call after 10 o'clock. 29 East Washington place.

BROWNING, KING & CO. want operators, basters, and finishers on men's and boys' clothing, at their manufactory, 527 to 541 West 23d st.

BONNAZ operators wanted; steady work and good wages. OPPENHEIM, 89 Walker st.

BOOKBINDERS.—A few first-class folders at RUSSELL & BANKS 8, 23 Rose st.

BONNAZ.—Good operators will find steady work and pay all the year around. 27 Wooster st.

BOOKFOLDERS of experience wanted at LANE'S Bindery, 8 Reade st., immediately.

CACKMAKERS.—Sewers wanted. 64 Cannon st.

EXPERIENCED wool pickers; steady work. 51 East Houston st., room 14.

FANCY Feathers.—20 good pasters, 50 beaders, also learners; paid while learning. E. DAVID, 21 West Houston st.

FIRST-CLASS operators and basters wanted on fine shop coats at 79 East Broadway, top floor. C. SMITH.

FINISHERS on pants; steady work. Call at 16 Clinton place (8th st.).

GORDON PRINS FEEDER wanted. Apply at BAKER & GODWIN'S, 25 Park row.

GOOD HANDS on gents' black bows. J. L. JACOB & CO., 25 Walker st.

LEARNERS wanted on shirts on machines; those that wish to buy a machine can have plenty of work after learning. 14 Stuyvesant st., corner of 9th.

OPERATORS on W. & W. machine, hasters on plain white vests; 11c. and 12c. for stitching, 14c. for basting. Call all week. 215 East 6th st.

OPERATORS, hasters, and pressman on custom and shop pants; steady work; call all the week. 9 Henry st.

OPERATORS wanted on white and calico shirts; work given out. Call all the week. 4,142 2d av.

OPERATORS on flannel and alpaca coats; best prices paid; steady work. 149 Eldridge st.

OPERATORS on shirts. Call all the week at 684 Dean st., Brooklyn, top floor; steady work.

OPERATOR and baster and button sewers and lining operators on shoes. 139 Sheriff st.

OPERATORS and basters on pants at 155 Grand st., up stairs.

PAPER BOXES.—Wanted good hands on glue work; also a cutterman; steady employment. A. CLERIGE, 466 Bleecker st.

PROTESTANT girl of 14 to help with children, &c. Call with references, from 10 to 12, at 113 West Forty-ninth st.

PAPER BOXES.—Hands on collar boxes; steady work; good wages and good prices. 97 West Franklin and Centre.

PAPER BOXES.—Girls on fancy boxes and wax jute cards. EGHARDT & MENTZER, 127 Elm st.

PANTS FINISHERS wanted by BROWNING, KING & CO., 527 West 23d st.

PAPER BOXES.—Girls wanted on glue work, at 79 Av. D.

SEWING MACHINES.—Greatest bargains, Singer, Domestic, Willcox & Gibbs, Wheeler & Wilson cabinet and hand case, liberal terms; rented, $3 monthly; repaired in best manner; machines, 50 Jefferson Market, or No. 127 East Broadway, near Canal st.

SEWING MACHINES.—Domestic, Willcox & Gibbs, Singer, Howe, Remington, Wilson, W. & W., $12 to $21; warranted. BROWN, 282 Grand st., and 522 Hudson st., near West 10th st.

SEWING machines, wholesale and retail; Howe, Honest, Wilson, Willcox & Gibbs, Singer, &c., new, from $15 to $35; discount to dealers. HLLWOS, 57 and 59 Murray st.

SEWING MACHINES, all kinds, $7; warranted for 3 years. 204 East Broadway, junction of Grand st.

SEWING MACHINES, all kinds, at a great sacrifice. 581 Hudson st., between 11th and Bank sts.

SHIRT MAKERS who can give references wanted at SAM STEINWEG'S, 50 Howard st.

WANTED—A respectable middle-aged woman to do light housework for a plain family. Call after 1 P. M., 14 Skillman av., Brooklyn, E. D.

WANTED—A strong girl for general housework, with good recommendations; wages, about $6. 14 West 127th st.

WANTED—Good sewers to learn at clothing; also bathbrick makers. Apply at 745 East 5th st., ring the bell.

WANTED—Experienced hands on flat seams; only good hands. BECHNER & STRAUSS, 441 Broadway.

WANTED—Best flat scarf hands; extra good pay until the holidays. H. RICHTER'S SONS, 140 B'way.

WANTED—A job blank book sewer, also a feeder on a running machine. MELLEY, 12 Cortlandt st.

WANTED—A number of smart girls used to making paper bags. ROGERS & CO., 108 Wooster st.

WANTED—Experienced ventilators at 40c. per inch at H. GULIMARINO'S, 881 Broadway.

WANTED—Good gents' scarf hands; good prices paid. J. D. GOTTSCHALK, 23 Mercer st.

WANTED—Experienced hands on gents' flat seams. A. LANDES & CO., 112 Franklin st.

WANTED—Girls. Apply after 8 A. M. to JOHN R. SUTTON, 27 Fulton st.

WANTED—Operators on boys' coats; also, a pressman. 185 Bivington st., rear, the first shop.

WANTED—Steady women to do light work and take care of a house. Restaurant, 92 Fulton st.

WANTED—Good hands on fancy feathers, apprentices wanted. Apply at 57 Bleecker st.

WANTED—A young girl for general housework in a family of two, at 99 Bank st.

WANTED—A first-class operator on custom pants. 104 Bayard st., top floor.

WANTED—Operators and hasters on vests. 155 Av. C, top floor.

YOUNG girls can obtain situations free, lodgings and meals at the Girls' Lodging House, 27 St. Mark's place, 8th st., under care of Children's Aid Society. Also, free instruction on sewing machines from 9 to 5 daily to all who may apply, and dressmaking taught gratuitously.

25 IRONERS on calico and checked shirts; also smart girls to learn. 104 Thompson st.

100 HANDS on fine lean drawers to work home. Apply, with reference, to MOSES, BLUM & WEILL, 74 Leonard st.

100 HANDS wanted on calico shirts. Call all the week. 280 Ainslie st., Williamsburgh.

200 OPERATORS and basters on alpaca, flannel, and linen coats; good prices; work given out. No. 183 8th st.

500 OPERATORS and buttonhole makers on shirts. Call on Friday and Saturday. 115 Grand st., Williamsburgh. Highest price.

1,244 2D AV.—Operators on calico shirts wanted; no work given out.

Wanted—Males.

A. L. DUNLEVEY & CO.—Teas, coffees, &c., Japanese curiosities, all kinds of pure spices at lowest prices. Call or send for price list. Fulton, corner Water st.; elegant salesroom up stairs. Established 1857. Agents wanted, male and female.

A YOUNG MAN or boy who has had considerable experience in a blacksmith shop. Address WM. MUNNE, box 107, Sun office.

A CHRISTMAS present worth giving.—Men's overcoats $2 50, $3, $4, $6, $8, $10, and $12. J. DAVIES, successor to Cameron, 172 Bridge st., Brooklyn.

AN Irishman—Intelligent and active; position permanent; work light. O'DONNELL, 53 Barclay st., 24 flight.

ARTIFICIAL FLOWER CUTTER wanted at F. WALKER, at Strauss, Leigh & Co.'s, 107 Mercer street.

A GOOD glass painter for tracing and general work. Address, stating wages wanted, N. G., box 153, Sun office.

AGENTS.—$1 starts you; something sells at sight; if not sold, money refunded. 400 Canal st., cor. Lafayette.

A MOULDER.—One accustomed to house work; none others need apply. 232 Willow st., Hoboken.

A.—UMBRELLAS.—Good ironer wanted; steady employment. L. L. GANSA & BRO., 62 Walker st.

AGENTS make $25 daily selling AMERY'S Holiday Show Cards, all Christmas. 93 and 95 Bowery.

A WHEELWRIGHT wanted at 401 Lenox st. P. BANIFY.

AGENTS.—$1 starts you; a five-cent article; sells on sight; or money refunded. 71 Catharine st.

A YOUNG MAN to work in a livery stable. Call at 30 and 32 North Moore st.

AGENTS to sell a crystal plane for $1. N Y M A F. Mfg. Co., 22 Thomas st.

A BOY about 14 years of age to do errands in liquor store. 426 West 46th st.

BOY to make himself useful in a furniture store; wages $1; reference required. 81 Bowery.

BRASS finisher wanted; a first class hand only, on both lathe and vise. H., 298 Monroe st.

BOYS from 14 to 16 years of age to work in factory. Call at 101 Fulton st.

ENGINEER to run a stationary engine and make himself generally useful. TROY CITY LAUNDRY CO., 924 Broadway.

EXPERIENCED weavers wanted on fringes and gimps, at S. McLURE'S, 231 Fulton st., Brooklyn.

Wanted—Males.

FOUR STRONG boys wanted in a wood working factory. 543 and 545 West 21st st.

GOOD CHASERS wanted; one year's work assured. KENNARD & CO., 602 Broadway, 576 Washington st., Boston.

GOLD LAYERS and stampers. Apply at bookbindery, 15 Vandewater st., 4th floor. J. F. TROW, Jr.

HANDS wanted on coats, vests, and pants. BROWNING, KING & CO., 541 West 23d st.

IN BOOKBINDERY, experienced forwarders; work all the year. 55 Beekman st.

JOB COMPOSITORS. JOHN POLHEMUS, 40 Ann st.

MACHINIST.—A good lathe hand for small work. Call after 8 A. M. J. DEBEAUVAIS, corner Howard and Centre sts.

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TRUSTY MAN, with $1,000, wants to join office of a staple mercantile concern, to learn business, with view to future partnership; liberal compensation given; money well secured. Address REFERENCE, Sun uptown office, 1,238 Broadway.

THREE BOYS, 16 to 20 years old, used to machine shop or sheet iron work. 235 East 41st st.

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WANTED—For a slight night service, two or three unmarried men who are engaged in some respectable business during the day, for which a small salary and pleasant lodging accommodations will be given. Address NIGHT SERVICE, Station A.

WANTED—A strong, reliable young man, 18 to 20 years of age, as light porter and for office work; must have good references; salary, $6 per week. Address Y. S. S., box 140, Sun office.

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WANTED—For U. S. Navy, firemen, boiler maker, carpenters, seamen. Apply at 9 A. M. to Capt. FLOAT, 43 Peck slip.

WANTED—50 colored vocalists, male and female, to sing in an amateur "Boston" entertainment. Apply to T. P. RUTAN, also 10 A. M., 677 Broadway.

WANTED—A young girl to do housework in a small private family; best city reference required; apply for two days. 85 Hester st.

WANTED—A boy, 17 or 18 years old, writing a fair hand. Address, in own handwriting, giving references, S., box 155, Sun office.

WHEELWRIGHT.—Wanted, a first class workman; one used to making milk wagons preferred. No. 186 East 64th st.

WANTED—A boy to deliver and assist in a bakery; wages, $7 per month and a good home. Apply at 96 Hudson st.

WANTED—A glass cutter. Address JOHN A. NAGEL, 1,235 Vine st., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Boy; a good writer and willing to work. Laundry, cor. Fulton and Pineapple sts., Brooklyn.

WANTED—A smart youth as cashier in a grocery. Address, with reference, M. P., box 123, Sun office.

WANTED—Boy, about 18 years old, who understands taking care of horses; wages $2 a week. 272 Greene st.

WANTED—Helper at confectionery; one acquainted with the shaking pan. 430 Fulton st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—In a wholesale clothing business, good knife cutters. Inquire at 65 and 67 Wooster st.

WANTED—Boy in law office. Address in own handwriting, W. J. M., box 145, Sun office.

WANTED—A good coat makers to join the country. Apply 9 A. M. at 90 Fulton st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—A man as cook in oyster and chop house. Apply at 387 Broome st., at 10 A. M.

WANTED—A boy 2 or 3 years at the baking trade. 195 Clinton st.

WANTED—Strong young man to help in stable. Lewis st.

2 BOYS wanted. A. McLEAN, 256 West 23d st.

2 GOOD filers and shapers to work on Amery's Holiday Show Cards. 93 and 95 Bowery.

3 POUNDS of tea, $1. Coffee, &c., wholesale prices. DUNLEVEY'S, 204 Water st., up stairs.

5 POUNDS pure tea or coffee at wholesale prices. THE CANTON TEA COMPANY, 148 Chambers st.

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Situations Wanted.

A SITUATION wanted by a respectable girl to do light housework; the best of city references. Mrs. Harvey's dry goods store, Vernon av., between 4th and 5th sts., Hunter's Point.

A FIRST-CLASS laundress wants a few gentlemen's or families' washing; ladies' clothes done up in first-class style. Apply at or address Room 6, 326 East Twenty-sixth st.

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A YOUNG MAN wants to take charge on bread, or as second second. Call on or address for two days 471 Bergen st., Brooklyn.

A GERMAN woman wishes to take in washing at her own home, or go out by the day. Call or address No. 127 Willett st., room 3.

A FIRST-CLASS cake baker desires a situation. Address BAKER, box 2,452, Post Office.

TO BOSS BAKERS.—A young German wants a situation as good second hand on cake, bread, and fancy goods; references; will work steadily; restaurant or hotel. Call or address F. SCHRODER, 140 Eldridge st., in shoe store; city or country.

TO PRINTERS.—A person who has served three years at printing desires to finish learning the business. Address TYPE, 398 West 23d st.

WANTED—By a sober young man, a situation as barkeeper; best of reference as to honesty. Call for or address A. VOGT, 67 Delancey st.

449 WEST 27TH ST., rear.—Middle-aged woman wants to do housework in plain family; cook, wash, and iron; references given; wages, $6 per month.

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FOR STORES or dwellings, on easy terms or exchange, call upon or address E. BARCHUK, 219 Montague st., Brooklyn.

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GENTLEMAN and wife desire pleasant room and board permanently; comfort preferred to style; terms must be moderate. Address, stating price, BLACK, 210 East Broadway.

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YOUNG GIRL who works during day can get board and good home cheap. Mrs. AARON, 1,274 3d av.

Lost and Found.

LOST.—Bank book, No. 420,148, Bank for Savings, 67 Bleecker st., New York; payment stopped; please return book to bank.

STRAYED from owner, black pony-built horse, with white star on face; also, set brass harness. A liberal reward will be paid for return of same to M. McDONNELL, 130 Prince st., New York.

Amusements.

DAIRY FAIR AT THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE. Third av., between 63d and 64th sts. The Second International Dairy Fair will open Monday Evening, Dec. 8, at 8 o'clock. Grand Display of American and Foreign BUTTER and CHEESE, DAIRY CATTLE, Machinery, &c., &c. Cheese and Butter factories in practical operation. Fair will be opened by His HONOR MAYOR COOPER. Music by Downing's Ninth Regiment Band. Admission 50 cents; 6 tickets for $2, 12 tickets for $3. Tickets, including fare both ways, for sale on the Elevated Railroad for 50 cents. Address by the Hon. ERASTUS BROOKS.

DR. LAMBERT, Steinway's, Wednesday, at 8. "They are not dead." "How to raise them." The Sun says: "The skating season has begun, and it is sure that a long list of drownings among venturesome lads will be recorded before the season is over. But no warning proves of much use in this matter; those who read of the fatal results of skating on too thin ice usually go and do likewise." Therefore let every family be represented at the lecture.

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SEVENTH REGIMENT FAIR.—An auction sale of all unsold goods and of the company goods will take place at the New Armory, TUESDAY EVENING, Dec. 9, at 8 o'clock.

NICHOLS, Photographer, at 697 Broadway, corner 4th st., has no connection with any other gallery; 13 imperial photographs and 36 cents, only $2; 13 best card photographs and 18 cents, only $1. Call early.

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