REAL ESTATE.

BUSINESS AT THE EXCHANGE.

As the election approaches interest in the result seems rather to increase. One leading firm is credited with having received sixty-five proxies and another about thirty-five. With regard to the power of cumulative voting a member writes:

"It may not be generally known that the election at the Real Estate Exchange on Monday is conducted pursuant to a statute which permits cumulative voting. Each holder of a certificate of ten shares has one hundred and thirty votes which he may cast ten for each of the thirteen directors, or 130 for any one director, and he may otherwise distribute them. Perhaps a member has given Mr. A. or Mr. B. his proxy under the impression that each director will receive ten votes, and will, on Monday, ascertain for the first time that Mr. A. has cast 130 votes for Mr. A. It will be prudent for members, who desire their votes cast otherwise, to attend the election early and notify the Inspectors of the withdrawal or revocation of their proxies."

Messrs. Dye & Castro reported the sale of No. 38 Renwick-st., for $15,000. The property rents for $1,500 a year. No. 3 West One-hundred-and-twenty-third-st., a new five-story house, 18.9x52x100, has been sold to Matthew Kane for $22,000.

Forty-two new members attended the brokers' sale. Edgar Tucker offered a four-story and basement brick tenement on Forty-ninth-st., between Sixth and Seventh aves., for $7,500; a four-story brownstone dwelling, in One-hundred-and-twenty-fifth-st., near Fifth-ave., for $25,000; a building in West Thirty-seventh-st., between Tenth and Eleventh aves., for $13,000.

John G. Folsom offered a four-story brick tenement, No. 1,871 Third-ave., for $14,000 over a $10,000 mortgage; rented for $1,100. John F. Doyle offered three lots on the south side of Seventieth-st., east of First-ave., for $4,500 each. W. H. Roome's son offered four and one-half acres of land in Plainfield, N. J., for $22,000.

John G. Folsom called for a private house between Twentieth and Fortieth sts. and Fifth and Sixth aves., not to cost over $25,000, and a private house between Second and Tenth sts., east of First-ave., to cost about $10,000. John F. Doyle called for a plot in Madison-ave., from Twenty-sixth to Fifty-second sts., and a plot of lots or old buildings on the north side of any street from Twenty-third to Fiftieth sts., between Madison and Sixth aves.

BUSINESS AT THE EXCHANGE.

NEW-YORK, Friday, Dec. 11, 1885.

No public auctions of real estate were held at the Exchange and Auction room to-day.

Richard V. Harnett & Co., auctioneers, adjourned the sale of buildings with plot of land on 8th-ave., n w cor of 106th-st, sine die.

SATURDAY, DEC. 12.

By W. B. Lynch.

Foreclosure sale, C F Connor referee. 1 lot 25x74 and 5-story building, No 27 Mulberry-st, w s, 25 ft s of Park-pl.

RECORDED REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS—N. Y. CITY

The following shows the real estate transactions recorded yesterday:

Broadway, n w cor of Duane-st, 77x115x75.4x105; also n w cor of Broadway and Leonard-st, 56x150x4.7x150.2; E Hale and wife to E J Kenyon, ½ interest	$1
Same property; E J Kenyon to Lucy L Hale, ½ interest	1
Monroe-st, Nos 237 and 239; E D Cordis and wife to Charles M Howe	$42,500
Bathgate-ave, e s, 40 ft n of 177th-st, 40x124; Leon P Bathgate to H S Behrens, jr, ½ interest	600
176th-st, s w cor of Waterloo place, 70x195; Sarah S Santiago to William J Barnes	1,875
Mohegan-ave, e s, 144 ft n of Union-ave, 50x70; William J Barnes and wife to William Mellon	600
Franklin-ave, n w s, lot No 129 (23d Ward), 100x125 x100x100; John A Knox and wife to N D Lawton, ½ interest	10,500
Franklin-ave, n w s, lot No 126 (23d Ward), 100x100x 22x98, and also n w s Franklin-ave, of No 131, (23d Ward), 24.8x98; N D Lawton to J A Knox, ½ interest	2,250
Tinton-ave, w s, 50.6 ft n of Howe-st, 50x66.6x51.8x 66.6; same to same	1,500
9th-ave, s s, 50.5 ft s of 99th-st, 25.8x100; P Palmer and wife to M Ottinger and another	5,000
Boulevard, n e cor of 153d-st, 50x8.8x135x310.8 to centre line 153th-st, xe7.3; I. Lewiston and wife to Rebecca Mayer	28,125
120th-st, n s, 125 ft e of Boulevard, 16.9x100.11, and also n s 120th-st, 400 ft e of Boulevard, 100x 100.11; A J Mayer and wife to I. Lewiston	6,400
160th-st, s s, 100 ft e of 9th-ave, 100x200.10 to n s 161st-st; E Kearney and wife to C T Barnes	36,000
6th-st, s s, 175 ft w of 4th-ave, 25x100.5; also s s 6th-st, 200 ft w of 4th-ave, 25x100.5, also n s 100th-st, 125 ft e of 9th-ave, 50x100.11, also e s 9th-ave, 75.8 ft n of 100th-st, 25.3x100x25.3x—; S C Twombly to H W Twombly, ½ interest	14,025
71st-st, n s, 432 ft e of 11th-ave, 18x102.2; John H Stelmetz and wife to William W Flanagan	18,500
20th-st, s s, 275 ft e of 9th-ave, 75x102.2, a s o interest 50; 39.4 ft n of 84th-st, 350 ft w of 9th-ave, 14.8x37.x14.8x36.7; J W O'Shaughnessy et al to Jared W Bell	18,750
Lindow-st, s s, 60 ft n of Crescent, 40x64.7; Louis M Jones and wife to Nelson	21,750
9th-st, w s, from 100th-st to 101th-st, 201.10x125; W A Cauldwell and wife to E Hirsh	60,000
Montgomery-ave, s w cor of Spring-st, 100x — and to Clinton-ave, S D Ibbotson to Mary A Peterson	1
Clarke-st, s s, 214.9 ft e of Courtland-ave, 100x200 to Arcularius place; same to same	1
Clinton-ave, w s, lot No 12, 100x100; same to same	1
116th-st, n s, 175 ft e of 7th-ave, 100x100.5x26.3 to e s 117th-st, x76x201.10; S Wells and another to Stephen B Lesher	825

Business Property for Sale and to Let

BUILDINGS, STORES, LOFTS and OFFICES in this vicinity, some very desirable, to let. RULAND & WHITING, 5 Beekman-st.

TEMPLE COURT.—A few desirable offices to let in the elegant fire-proof building. RULAND & WHITING, 5 Beekman-st.

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Have your Real Estate Titles
EXAMINED AND INSURED BY
TITLE GUARANTEE AND TRUST CO.
55 LIBERTY-ST., NEW-YORK.

A 3-STORY high-stoop house, 73 West 45th-st., $23,000; best bargain offered near 5th-ave. Keys on the premises. S. M. BLAKELY, 1,020 Broadway.

FOR SALE.—To close an estate, 35 lots on 97th and 98th sts., near 9th-ave. Free from rock. S. EDDY, 145 Broadway.

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FOR SALE.—60 Splendid Lots, Broadway and Bushwick-ave. and streets. Apply to A. M. SUYDAM, 405 Evergreen-ave., Brooklyn.

Brooklyn Property For Sale and To Let

FOR SALE.—Lots, blocks and plots along the line of the elevated road: Eighteenth Ward lots cheap; a full line of lots in all sections of the city. D. P. HARTING & CO., 21 Park-row, New-York; 16 Court-st. and 1,208 Fulton-st., Brooklyn.

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ALL COUNTRY property our specialty. Farms, residences, cottages, everywhere. Lists free. PHILLIPS & WELLS, Tribune Building.

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Board and Rooms.

East Side.

AT 28 EAST 20TH-ST., near Broadway.—Handsomely furnished rooms for gentlemen; good attendance.

TO LET.—In a private family, uptown, handsomely furnished rooms to ladies only. Address E. M., Tribune Uptown Office, 1,238 Broadway.

1.—CHOICE Second floor of five rooms, one small suite, with or without private table; references. 194 Madison-ave.

3 EAST 47TH-ST.—One extra large hall room, with closets; superior table; references exchanged.

5 EAST 30TH-ST.—Elegantly furnished rooms on second and third floors in suite or single, with first-class table, and all conveniences.

5TH-AVE., 309.—Third floor front suite of handsome rooms; also rooms for gentlemen with board; references.

9 EAST 41ST-ST.—Front single room, sunny exposure with board.

17 EAST 31ST-ST.—Handsomely furnished back and hall room on third floor, with or without board; gentlemen only; highest references.

34 EAST 20TH-ST.—A suite of rooms, with private bathroom; breakfast if desired; rooms for gentlemen, ensuite or singly.

TO LET in "The Burlington," 30th-st. and 6th-ave., handsome furnished suite; meals a la carte.

West Side.

CENTRAL, large front room, furnished; also unfurnished single room; improvements. 38 West 21st-st.

FINE FRONT ROOMS for permanent parties; quiet home; first-class board; also, single rooms; references. 29 West 124th-st.

LARGE front sunny, warm room; extra closets, hot and cold water; no housekeeping; reference. 141 West 15th-st.

2D FLOOR—Also suites and single rooms, handsomely furnished, with or without private table; references. 27 West 38th-st.

17 WEST 26TH-ST.—Elegant rooms, en suite or single; with or without board; also suite of parlors, suitable for doctor's office.

19 WEST 18TH-ST., near 5th-ave.—Handsomely furnished rooms, with board; references.

38 TH-ST., 46 WEST.—Rooms en suite or single; with or without private table; sanitary plumbing; references.

39 WEST 26TH-ST.—Elegant suites and single rooms with first-class board at reasonable rates.

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224 WEST 24TH-ST.—Handsomely furnished parlor; private bath and toilet room; also other rooms; for gentlemen only.

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WANTED.—By a responsible party, a fully furnished apartment of 10 to 12 rooms, or a small dwelling, from January until May 1. Address, with location and price, which must be moderate, C. T. M., Tribune Uptown Office, 1,238 Broadway.

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Opposite the Park,
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Financial.

PROPOSALS
FOR
$6,000,000
WEST SHORE
First Mortgage Bond Certificates.

72 WALL-ST.,
NEW-YORK, Dec. 10, 1885.

Under instructions from Hon. Ashbel Green, Receiver of the North River Construction Company, we hereby give notice that we are prepared to receive proposals to purchase all, or any part, of $6,003,000 of certificates styled "DREXEL, MORGAN & CO.'S WEST SHORE BOND CERTIFICATES OF SEPT. 1, 1885."

These certificates, now offered, which are countersigned by the Union Trust Co., entitle the holder to receive, as soon as same can be executed, a corresponding amount in par value of the new first mortgage 4 per cent bonds of the West Shore Railroad Company, guaranteed principal and interest by the New-York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and bearing interest from Jan. 1, 1886.

To avoid any misunderstanding it should be stated that $1,000 of these certificates are equal to $2,000 of those known as Drexel, Morgan & Co.'s West Shore Bond Certificates of Aug. 1, 1885, quoted on the New-York Stock Exchange.

Bids must be accompanied by certified checks for 5 per cent of the amount bid for, and must be inclosed in sealed envelopes addressed to us and marked:

"BID FOR WEST SHORE RAILROAD FIRST MORTGAGE BOND CERTIFICATES."

The bids will be opened in presence of bidders, at our office, on Saturday, Dec. 19, 1885, at 12 o'clock noon, and the bid or bids which, in the aggregate, shall be most advantageous for the North River Construction Company will be accepted.

Balance due on accepted bids must be paid at our office on Monday, Dec. 21, 1885, before 3 p. m.

DREXEL, MORGAN & CO.

DENVER AND RIO GRANDE WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

Bondholders should consider the following comparative statements:

COPPELL FORECLOSURE PLAN.

A 4 per cent bond of a new company bearing no interest until after July 1, 1886, and secured by a mortgage not a lien on the entire property (part of $42,000,000 proposed to be issued on 1,684 miles).

$500 preferred stock per bond (part of $28,060,000), to compensate for surrendering $140 of accrued interest, and for difference of 2 per cent annually for over 25 years.

Surrender of your claims against the Denver Company, or any successor, for the guaranteed principal and interest.

As this plan is believed, for various reasons, to be neither feasible nor legal, there is no certainty of your ever receiving the 4 per cent bonds on the promises on which you must now surrender unlimited control over your present bonds, with power to the Coppell Committee to borrow money against them to test the experiment.

BONDHOLDERS' RESUMPTION PLAN.

A first mortgage 6 per cent bond, part of $6,000,000 on 360 miles. After March, 1888, the full 6 per cent, and from September, 1885, until then a yearly average of 3 per cent, to be paid to cash as it matures; payment of the remainder may be delayed for ten years unless earnings warrant earlier payments in whole or part.

Interest at 5 per cent on delayed interest payments. Those remain secured by the coupons themselves, which are kept alive.

Preserving your claim on the Denver Company, or its successor, by virtue of the guarantee which will have preference over ANY preferred or common stock.

The plan furnishes a peaceful, speedy and inexpensive solution of the question, and has the merit of being in the interests of this company and its stockholders, instead of aiding another corporation largely indebted to it to get rid of that debt without compensation.

W. J. PALMER, President.

TO THE FIRST MORTGAGE BONDHOLDERS OF

The Mexican National Railway.

At the request of American holders of over $3,000,000 of these bonds, the undersigned have consented to act as a committee to represent the interests of bondholders in matters looking to the completion of the road, as well as in all questions that may come up affecting their common interests.

A plan to facilitate completion has been formulated which this committee recommend to the acceptance of all bondholders.

Full information can be had of the Secretary of the Committee, W. W. NEVIN, 32 Nassau-st.

SPENCER TRASK, New-York, Chairman.
SELAH CHAMBERLAIN, Cleveland, Ohio.
JOHN DeRUYTER, New-York.
HENRY AMY, New-York.
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THOMAS HILLHOUSE, President.
FREDERICK D. TAPPEN, Vice-President.
WALTER J. BRITTIN, Secretary.

THE PEOPLES BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.

ELECTION.—At the annual election held December 8, 1885, the following gentlemen were elected to serve the ensuing year:

DIRECTORS:

JOHN A. C. GRAY, GEORGE SLOANE, ICHABOD T. WILLIAMS, SCOTT FOSTER, JAMES E. HEDGES, ROBERT MACLAY, CHAS. T. VAN SANTVOORD, WILLIAM MILNE.

INSPECTORS:

FREEMAN BLOODGOOD, FREDERICK V. PRICE, ALEX. S. CLARK.

At a subsequent meeting of the Board of Directors, SCOTT FOSTER, esq., was unanimously re-elected President, and JOHN A. C. GRAY, esq., unanimously re-elected Vice-President. WILLIAM MILNE, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, NEW-YORK, December 10, 1885.—To the holders of Missouri River Railroad Company First Mortgage Bonds: On and after this date the Missouri Pacific Railway Company will redeem the First Mortgage Bonds of the Missouri River Railroad Company maturing January 1, 1886, at their face value, without rebate, on presentation at its office, No. 195 Broadway, New-York City.

A. H. CALEF, Treasurer.

Financial.

THE BONDHOLDERS' COMMITTEE FOR THE REORGANIZATION OF THE DENVER AND RIO GRANDE RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that no bondholder of the Denver and Rio Grande Railway Company can, after the first day of December, 1885, become a party to the reorganization agreement dated June 10, 1885, as amended, except upon the payment of two per cent of the face value of his bonds.

In accordance with the terms of settlement agreed upon with the Committee of the holders of Car Trust certificates and the modifications of the plan of reorganization, of which due notice was given, the time within which the stockholders of the Denver and Rio Grande Railway Company may become parties to the reorganization agreement dated June 10, 1885, and its amendments WILL EXPIRE DECEMBER 23, 1885. After that date the stock will only be received at the United States Trust Company of New-York upon terms to be fixed and announced by the Committee.

New-York, November 28, 1885.

GEORGE COPPELL, CHAIRMAN,
JOHN LOWBER WELSH,
THEODORE DREIER,
A. MARCUS,
R. T. WILSON,
REORGANIZATION COMMITTEE.

TO THE HOLDERS OF STOCKS AND BONDS OF THE DENVER AND RIO GRANDE WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY:

The undersigned Committee of Reorganization of the Denver and Rio Grande Western Railway Company have entered into an arrangement with the Committee of Reorganization of the Denver and Rio Grande Railway Company for an exchange of your securities upon the following basis:

For each first mortgage 6 per cent bond of the Denver and Rio Grande Western Railway Company, with all its unpaid coupons, a first mortgage consolidated gold bond of the reorganized Denver and Rio Grande Railway Company for an equal amount, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, with coupons commencing to bear interest from the 1st day of July, 1886, and at the rate of $500 in the preferred stock of the said new company for each $1,000 bond.

For each share of stock of the Denver and Rio Grande Western Railway Company on which the assessment of $6 per share shall have been paid, a share of common stock of the new company and $12 in the preferrred stock of the new company.

Above holders are requested to deposit their securities in accordance with the same before Dec. 28, A. C., against negotiable receipts with the United States Trust Company of New-York, No. 49 Wall-st.

After such date and until the 15th day of January, 1886, bonds and stock of the Denver and Rio Grande Western Railway Company will only be received upon the payment of two per cent of their face value.

For full information as to terms and conditions of the arrangement, reference is made to the agreement, of which copies may obtained upon application at the offices of

The United States Trust Company of New-York, No. 49 Wall-st., and of A. Marcus, Secretary of the committee, Room 17, No. 52 Exchange-place.

GEORGE COPPELL,

JNO. LOWBER WELSH, THEO. GILMAN,
WILLIAM A. DICK, R. C. MARTIN,
Committee.

OFFICE OF LOUIS H. MEYER, TRUSTEE.
DENVER & R. G. WESTERN R'Y. MORTGAGE.
NO. 21 NASSAU-ST., NEW-YORK, DEC. 7, 1885.

TO THE BONDHOLDERS:

ENGRAVED CERTIFICATES

will be ready to be delivered, and interest up to September 1, 1885, paid on post one coupons of Denver and Rio Grande Western Railway Company, upon deposit with me of ten (10) coupons, Nos. 6 to 15, inclusive, from each bond, in accordance with the plan of August 27 for the adjustment of interest and assignment of coupon bonds. There having been placed in my hands for future delivery under this plan representing more than one-half of the outstanding bonds of said company.

LOUIS H. MEYER, Trustee.

COLLATERAL TRUST BONDS,
6 per cent Interest Guaranteed.

Being secured by first mortgages on best wheat farms in Minnesota and Dakota.

Interest and principal guaranteed by a capital of over $100,000 and private investments in the Fourth National Bank of New-York City. Parties seeking a perfectly safe investment are invited to investigate. For sale in denominations of $500 and $1,000 at par and accrued interest by

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TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR
AND
NORTH MICHIGAN R. R. CO.'S
1st Mortgage 6 per cent. Gold Bonds, due 1924.

INTEREST PAYABLE MAY AND NOVEMBER.

We offer for sale a limited amount of the Toledo, Ann Arbor and North Michigan Railroad Company's First Mortgage 6 per cent. Gold Bonds due 1924. Interest payable at the office of the Central Trust Company, New-York, May 1 and November 1 of each year.

H. B. HOLLINS & CO.,
BANKERS,
72 and 74 Broadway, New-York.

THE CINCINNATI, VAN WERT AND MICHIGAN RAILROAD CO.

Offers a limited amount of its First Mortgage Gold Bonds bearing 6 per cent interest, maturing 1924. Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., Trustee. The issue is $16,000 per mile. The Company has no car trusts or other obligations taking its income. For further particulars call on

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RICHARD SMITH, Treasurer.

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again calls attention to these investments. There are no safer securities in the market than those first mortgage loans on improved farms at conservative their value, which negotiations are conducted by reliable and experienced parties.

Record evidences of more than 40,000 transactions representing investments in excess of $35,000,000, and covering a third of a century, are subject to examination.

To parties called make personal examination we will send full descriptive pamphlets, with names and addresses of investors to whom we refer—our customers for a long series of years.

FIRST MORTGAGE BONDHOLDERS OF THE NEW-YORK, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY COMPANY.

The undersigned Committee would call the attention of the first mortgage bondholders of the New-York, Chicago and St. Louis Railway Company to the fact that the Central Trust Company is ready to receive their bonds in accordance with an agreement that has been prepared to enforce their lien.

We urge all the bondholders to deposit bonds without delay that immediate action may be taken.

Copies of the agreement can be had at the office of ROOSEVELT & SON, 32 Pine-st.

J. A. ROOSEVELT,
JOHN S. KENNEDY,
ADRIAN ISELIN, Jr.,
D. WILLIS JAMES,
OLIVER HARRIMAN.

OFFICE OF THE FORTY-SECOND-ST., MANHATTANVILLE AND St. NICHOLAS-AVE. RAILWAY COMPANY, FORTY-SECOND-ST. AND SEVENTH-AVE., NEW-YORK, December 5, 1885.

THE following is a copy of the by-laws of the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Company relating to the election of directors:

SECTION 2, ARTICLE 1.—The annual meeting for the election of directors shall be at 12 o'clock noon on the third Thursday of January, in each year, at the office of the company, and may be adjourned from time to time to that or any other place by resolution of the board of directors.

SECTION 4, ARTICLE 1.—The principal officers of the company shall be a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, and such other officers as the company may from time to time decide to be necessary.

ARTICLE 2.—The officers so designated shall be elected annually at the first meeting of the board of directors held after the annual election, and shall hold office for one year and until their successors are elected.

D. D. CONOVER, President.

NEW-YORK, Dec. 11, 1885.

TO THE HOLDERS of the notes of THE OREGON AND TRANSCONTINENTAL COMPANY, dated December 31, 1881.

Holders of the above notes who desire to avail themselves of the privilege can receive payment of the same with accrued interest to date on presentation to the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, in New-York. ELIJAH SMITH, President.

TO INVESTORS.

ST. JOSEPH AND GRAND ISLAND RAILROAD CO.
First Mortgage 6 per Cent Forty Year Gold Bonds.
TOTAL ISSUE, $7,000,000. Guaranteed by the Union Pacific Railroad Company under an agreement, and indorsement on each bond, $56,000 deposited monthly with the CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY to provide for interest.

INTEREST ON THE NEW-YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

The St. Joseph and Grand Island Railroad extends from St. Joseph, Missouri, to Grand Island, Nebraska, where it connects with the Union Pacific Railroad; is 252 miles long and passes through one of the most fertile and populous sections in those States. This road is now earning considerably more than its interest.

These Bonds are also a First Mortgage on the bridge across the Missouri River at St. Joseph, which cost over One Million Dollars to construct.

A limited amount of the above Bonds are offered for sale by us, which we confidently recommend as a CHOICE INVESTMENT.

E. C. BENEDICT & CO.,
No. 29 BROAD-ST.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY OR SELL ANY PUTS or CALLS on STOCKS OR BONDS, Write to, telegraph to, send for, or call on, H. W. ROSENBAUM, 54 Exchange place, New-York.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the OCEAN NAVIGATION AND PIER COMPANY for the election of seven Directors and two Inspectors of Elections for the ensuing year, will be held at the branch office of this company, 65 South-st., on December 21, 1885. Polls open from 12 to 1 p. m.

EDWARD WIGHT, Secretary.

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CHOICE OLD WHISKIES
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If you cannot obtain these whiskies from your Grocer, we will, on receipt of Bank Draft, Registered Letter, or Post Office Money Order (or C. O. D. if preferred), deliver them to your address, by Express, charges prepaid.

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Financial.

$250,000 SOLID SIX PER CENTS
for sale by the Iowa Loan and Trust Company, at the CHEMICAL NATIONAL BANK.
Sound as Governments. Refer to Cashier Quinlan.

WANTED.—To Buy or Sell Helena Mining and Reduction Stock and Bonds. L. C. HILL, 60 Broadway.

WANTED.—By a competent, skilful correspondent and accountant of twenty-five years' experience, a position of trust and responsibility with some mercantile firm or as secretary to private parties or corporation. The best social and business references. Address M. P., care Tribune Office.

Dividend Notices.

NEW-YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER R.R. Co., OFFICE OF THE TREASURER, NEW-YORK, Dec. 8, 1885.

A DIVIDEND of four per cent on the capital stock of the New-York and Harlem Railroad Company will be paid by the New-York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, lessee, under the provisions of the contract between the two companies, at this office on the second day of January next. The transfer books will be closed at 3 o'clock, p. m., on Tuesday, the 15th inst., and reopened at 10 o'clock, a. m., on Saturday, the second day of January next.

E. V. W. ROSSITER, Treasurer.

HOLMES ELECTRIC PROTECTIVE COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Dec. 4th, 1885.

A DIVIDEND of six per cent upon the capital stock of this company for the year ending December 31st will be paid at the office of the company on January 15th, 1886.

Transfer books will close at 3 p. m., December 31st, and reopen on the 16th of January, 1886.

E. T. HOLMES, Treasurer.

RECEIVER'S OFFICE MERCANTILE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 81 BEAVER-ST., NEW-YORK.

A DIVIDEND OF TEN PER CENT on the par value of the stock of said company, being a dividend of TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS PER SHARE, will be paid to the stockholders or their legal representatives on and after the 20TH INST. Certificates must be presented at that time to be stamped with the amount of such payment. CHARLES T. BARBECK, Receiver.

THE AMERICAN DISTRICT TELEGRAPH COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Dec. 10, 1885.

A DIVIDEND OF TWO PER CENT on the capital stock of this company will be paid at the Treasurer's office, No. 8 Cortlandt-st., on January 4, 1886. Transfer books close on December 21, 1885, and reopen on January 11, 1886.

C. S. SHIVELER, Treasurer.

METROPOLITAN SAVINGS BANK, Nos. 7 and 9 Astor-place, (Opposite Cooper Institute.)

65TH DIVIDEND.

INTEREST for the half year ending December 31, 1885, at the rate of THREE AND ONE-HALF per cent per annum, will be credited to depositors entitled thereto under the provisions of the law and the laws of the state. Interest payable January 20, 1886.

S. W. SNIDEN, President.

G. N. CONKLIN, Secy.

ST. LOUIS, MO., DECEMBER 5, 1885.—The Board of Directors of the North Missouri Railroad Company has declared a dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred stock, payable at the office of said road, in this city, on presentation of the National Bank of Commerce in New-York on the 21st inst. with interest on the same to that date.

SOLON HUMPHREYS, THOS. E. TUTT, } Receivers
Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific Railway Co.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5, 1885.

THE CALEDONIAN GOLD MINING COMPANY has declared dividend No. 2, of 10 cents per share, payable on the 20th inst. to stockholders of record at the close of business on the 14th inst. Transfer books will close on December 15, 1885.

WILLIAM LETTO OLIVER, Secretary.

DIVIDEND No. 74.
WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO.,
NEW-YORK, December 11, 1885.

THE Board of Directors have declared a quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE-QUARTER PER CENT upon the capital stock of this company from the net earnings of the three months ending December 31 inst., payable at the office of the Treasurer on and after the 15th day of January next, to shareholders of record on the 15th day of December inst.

The transfer books will be closed at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of December 15th inst. and reopened on the 4th day of January next.

E. H. ROCHESTER, Treasurer.

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, 32 NASSAU-ST., NEW-YORK, Dec. 8, 1885.

TO THE PREFERRED STOCKHOLDERS OF THE ST. LOUIS, ALTON AND TERRE HAUTE RAILROAD COMPANY.

A cash dividend of Two and One-half Per Cent upon the preferred stock of the same being the difference between 7 per cent on said stock and the 4½ per cent dividend declared by the board and out of the net earnings of the year 1885, paid May 1, and has been declared this day payable on December 15, to preferred stockholders of record December 12.

The transfer books will close at 3 o'clock p. m. December 12, and open at 10 a. m. December 19 inst.

W. R. CUTTING, President.

OFFICE OF THE PHILADELPHIA COMPANY, PITTSBURG, PENN., Dec. 5, 1885.

THE DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY have this day declared a dividend of 1 PER CENT out of the earnings for the last month, payable on the 20th inst. by checks through the mails to the address of stockholders. Transfer books will be closed from the 15th to the 24th inst.

JOHN CALOW HILL, Treasurer.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN R. R. CO., NEW-YORK, Dec. 10, 1885.

TRANSFER BOOKS of the New-York, Lackawanna and Western Railway Company (Buffalo Division) will close at 3 p. m. December 15, and reopen January 5, 1886, when the quarterly interest will be paid.

FREDERIC R. H. GIBBENS, Treasurer.

THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY CO., 195 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, December 9, 1885.

220TH DIVIDEND.

A quarterly dividend of ONE AND THREE-QUARTERS per cent on the capital stock of this company has this day been declared, payable on Saturday, January 2, 1886.

The transfer books will be closed on Saturday, December 26 at 12 o'clock p. m. and reopened on Monday, January 4, at 10 o'clock a. m.

A. H. CALEF, Treasurer.

MILWAUKEE AND NORTHERN RAILROAD CO., MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 28, 1885.

THE coupons maturing December 1, 1885, on this company's six per cent bonds will be paid on and after that date by the Merchants' Exchange National Bank of the City of New-York.

E. MARINER, Treasurer.

ST. LOUIS, MO., Dec. 5, 1885.

THE coupons of the North Missouri Railroad Company, due on the first of July last, will be paid on presentation at the National Bank of Commerce in New-York on the 21st instant.

SOLON HUMPHREYS, THOMAS E. TUTT, } Receivers
Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific Railway Co.

Copartnership Notices.

NEW-YORK, Dec. 10, 1885.

OUR PARTNERSHIP is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be settled by JOHN H. REED, who alone has power to do so, in liquidation, at the office of DALE, REED & COOLEY, 61 and 63 Worth-st., corner of Church.

BATES, REED & COOLEY.

NEW-YORK, Dec. 10, 1885.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a copartnership for the conduct of the drygoods commission business, at 107 and 109 Worth-st., corner of Church, New-York City, and the same will be carried on at Philadelphia, under the firm name and style of DALE, REED & COOLEY.

HENRY DALE,
JOHN H. REED,
MARTIN I. COOLEY.

Situations Wanted—Males.

ACCOUNTANT and CASHIER.—Would avail myself of an advantageous change, or encouragement of progression. No particular as to location or size of city. Recommendations of probity, habits, character and social standing at my command if necessary. Have been with one manufacturing establishment as their bookkeeper and cashier for nine years. Address W. C., New-York Tribune office.

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