

many of our readers will take advantage of the field opened to them by this interesting and useful invention.

Messrs. Watson & Son, of London, England, whose advertisement is now familiar to the readers of our pages, enjoy the honor of having been awarded 31 gold and other medals at the principal exhibitions of the world for the excellence of their photographic apparatus, and have been 9 times placed alone, receiving a higher award than any other competitor. A fully illustrated, descriptive catalogue of field, studio and hand cameras, lenses and every instrument, apparatus and material used in photography will be sent free, by them, on application. —Write them.

Notice is hereby given us that the co-partnership heretofore existing between Alfred Sellers and Wm. Snyder under the firm name of Alfred Sellers & Co., New York City, is dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Alfred Sellers withdrawing from the firm, having sold out his entire right, title and interest, according to bill of sale. All bills due Alfred Sellers & Co. are to be paid to Wm. Snyder. The business heretofore carried on by said firm will be continued and carried on by The Engravers' Supply Company at the old stand. A later notice just received states that the Engravers' Supply Company have removed from 58-60 Fulton St. to 478-480 Pearl St., New York City, and have improved facilities for the manufacture of engravers' supplies. (See advertisement.)

TELEPHOTOGRAPHY.

J. H. Dallmeyer, Limited, informs us and the photographic public and trade generally that they are prepared to convert any existing photographic lenses by first-rate makers into instru-

ments for the above purpose, by their patent telephotographic attachments. These can be easily removed, and will not in any way interfere with the ordinary working of the lenses when used alone. All work is carried on under the personal supervision of the inventor, Mr. T.R. Dallmeyer. It is preferable that quick lenses or lenses of high intensity should be converted into the new form of instrument. Advice as to the best method of conversion, prices, etc., will be willingly given on application. It may be taken for granted that any lens may be converted into a Telephoto-Lens by employing a negative lens of $\frac{1}{2}$ of the focus of the positive lens. If the lens be a very quick one, such as a portrait lens, the negative lens suited to it may be $\frac{1}{3}$ (or less) the focus of such portrait lens, but it is not recommended that the negative lens should be less than $\frac{1}{2}$ of that of the positive lens when its intensity is F 8 (the ordinary Rapid Rectilinear for example) or slower.

SPECIAL "CRAMER" PRIZES AT THE ST. LOUIS CONVENTION.

In order to promote interest in the coming St. Louis Convention of the Photographers' Association of America, the G. Cramer Dry Plate Works offer the following prizes: A Solid Silver Cup (as shown on their advertising page in this issue) and Fifty Gold Badges, handsome in design and suitably inscribed.

CONDITIONS.

No. 1. All photographs entered for this competition must be made from negatives on CRAMER Plates, and since August 1st, 1893.

No. 2. All photographs that receive prizes shall become the property of the G. Cramer Dry Plate Works for exhibition purpose.

No. 3. All photographs shall be neatly mounted, and shall not have either name or