

**Advertisement for Vance & Lerow, 9 January 1846**

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**VANCE & LEROW,  
DAGUERREOTYPE ROOMS,**

No. 91 WASHINGTON STREET.

BOSTON.

Messrs. VANCE & LEROW, respectfully inform the citizens of Boston, and vicinity, that they have recently opened the new and extensive Rooms,

OVER BIGELOW & BROTHERS, 91 WASHINGTON ST.

Persons wishing miniatures of themselves or friends are invited to call. *The rooms are free to all who wish to examine specimens.*

☞ Gold Locketts, of every description, constantly on hand. Instruction given in the art, and apparatus furnished.

R. H. VANCE.      1y j8      J. A. LEROW.

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**EDITOR'S NOTES:**

Robert H. Vance and John A. Lerow advertised as "Vance & Lerow" in this weekly publication from 9 January 1846 through 5 June 1846. Lerow continues the advertisements as "Lerow & Company" (likely with his brother Jacob H. Lerow) from 12 June 1846 through 19 February 1847.

For an editorial "puff" of the partnership, see "The Daguerreotype," *Christian Watchman* (Boston) 27:6 (6 February 1846): 24.<sup>1</sup>

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