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CORNELIUS M. DORSEY first saw the light of day April 9, 1853, in London, England. His parents were James and Catherine Dorsey. He came to Troy in June, 1864. His family removed to Saratoga, but a year later came back to Troy. Mr. Dorsey's education was obtained in the public schools and at the Christian Brothers' Academy. At the age of sixteen he went to learn the painter's trade, and with the exception of four years, when he was employed at the Rensselaer Rail Mill, has worked at it ever since. He formed a copartnership, in 1883, with Daniel T. Holland, and the firm of Holland & Dorsey are now doing business at No. 193 Fourth Street. Mr. Dorsey was a prominent member of the Y. M. F. M. T. A. B. Society, No. 1, and held the offices of president and secretary at different times. He is a member of the C. B. L., Branch 66, the Y. M. C. L. A. and the Edward Murphy, Jr., Association. He is married, his wife being Miss Mary Moylan.