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(New York City Subways) Vest Pocket Map of New York presented with the compliments of Broadway Central Hotel | New Map Showing Steamer Docks and R.R. Stations, Elevated, Electric Car, and Cross Town Lines, with the New Lexington Avenue Electric from Grand Central Station to the Battery, via 23 D St. and Broadway

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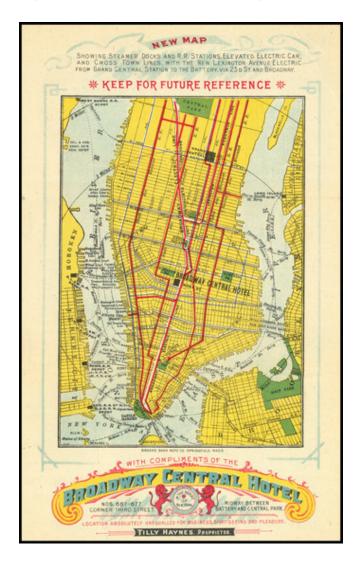
Map Maker: Brooks Bank Note Company

Date: 1905 circa **Place:** Springfield, MA

Color: Color **Condition:** VG+

Size: 4.5 x 6.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

One of the Very First New York Subway Maps.

An attractive little map of Lower Manhattan issued around 1904, showing the budding mass transit system taking shape in that city.



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The map is one of many issued to promote a particular hotel, in this case the Broadway Central Hotel, but this example differentiates itself for the vibrance of its color-printing and graphic design.

Tilley Haynes acquired the property in 1892 and renamed it the Broadway Central Hotel.

The Broadway Central Hotel issued another map with virtually the same railway configuration, which <u>can</u> be seen here.

The present map seems to be a reduced version of that map.

Detailed Condition:

Folding map printed front nad back.