

NEWS SUMMARY.

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delphia evince a desire to avoid giving unnecessary inconvenience to pedestrians, and did persons owning houses already occupied seem as anxious to make needed repairs, no trouble would be found.

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MARINE TELEGRAPH.

Table with columns for ship names, destinations, and dates. Includes entries for 'ALMANAC FOR PHILADELPHIA—THIS DAY', 'PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF TRADE', and 'MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS'.

INSURANCE.

1829.—CHARTER PERPETUAL. Franklin Fire Insurance Company OF PHILADELPHIA. Office, Nos. 435 and 437 CHESTNUT ST. Assets Jan. 1, '69, \$2,677,372 1/3.

INSURANCE. Penn Mutual Life Insurance COMPANY. No. 921 CHESTNUT STREET, PHILADELPHIA. ASSETS, \$3,000,000.

ASBURY LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. No. 805 BROADWAY, corner of Eleventh Street, New York.

STRICTLY MUTUAL. Provident Life and Trust Co. OF PHILADELPHIA.

THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA, OF PHILADELPHIA, (MARINE), INCORPORATED 1794.

W. H. TACCAART, COAL DEALER. COAL OF THE BEST QUALITY, PREPARED EXPRESSLY FOR FAMILY USE.

PURE LEIGH AND SCHUYLKILL FAMILY, FACTORY, AND BITUMINOUS COALS. Largest stock always on hand.

WINCHESTER & CO., No. 706 CHESTNUT STREET. Have in stock an elegant variety of Goods adapted for useful and acceptable Presents for Gentlemen.

THE PENNSYLVANIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. No. 510 WALNUT STREET, opposite Independence Square.

PHENIX INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA. INCORPORATED 1854.—CHARTER PERPETUAL.

THE ENTERPRISE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA. Office No. 706 CHESTNUT STREET.

TRY OUR \$2-25 SHIRT. TRY OUR \$3-50 SHIRT. TRY OUR \$5-00 SHIRT.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS FOR GENTLEMEN. J. W. SCOTT & CO., No. 514 CHESTNUT STREET, Philadelphia.

SHIPPING.

FOR LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN.—Imperial Line of Mail Steamers are appointed to sail as follows: City of London, Saturday, December 26, 11 A. M.

INSURANCE. THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAMERS BETWEEN NEW YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREAST AND ROTTERDAM.

PHILADELPHIA, RICHMOND, AND BALTIMORE THROUGH FREIGHT LINE TO THE SOUTH AND WEST.

NEW EXPRESS LINE TO Alexandria, Georgetown, and Washington, D. C., via Chesapeake and Delaware Canal.

NOTICE.—FOR NEW YORK, VIA DELAWARE AND HARBOR CANAL.

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ENGINES, MACHINERY, ETC. PENN STEAM ENGINE AND BOILER WORKS.—NEARLY A CENTURY OF PRACTICAL AND THEORETICAL EXPERIENCE.

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AMUSEMENTS.

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF MUSIC. SEASON OF TWELVE NIGHTS. COMMENCING MONDAY, JAN. 3, 1870.

MADAME LUMLEY BLAIR. MISS PAULINE GANISSA. MADAM CATARINA LAMI.

LAURA KEENE'S CHESTNUT STREET THEATRE. MONDAY AND TUESDAY EVENINGS.

MRS. JOHN DREW'S ARCH STREET THEATRE. MONDAY AND TUESDAY EVENINGS.

FOX'S AMERICAN THEATRE. MONDAY AND TUESDAY EVENINGS.

DUPREZ & BENEDICT'S OPERA HOUSE. SEVENTH ST., below Arch (Late Theatre Comique).

NEW ELEVENTH STREET OPERA HOUSE. ELEVENTH STREET, above Chestnut.

TEMPLE OF WONDERS, ASSEMBLY BUILDINGS. HOLIDAY WEEK.—COME AND BE MERRY.

VALER'S (LATE MILLER'S) WINE GARDEN. No. 729, 732, 734, and 736 VINE STREET.

FOR SALE. HANDSOME NEW DWELLING, WEI SPRUCE STREET, No. 2107, four-story (French roof).

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