# THE COLUMBIA SPY.

INDEPENDENT, FEARLESS & FREE.

COLUMBIA, PA.,
Saturday, Nov. 18, 1865.


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Written for the Columbia Spy.

## Moonlight Tragedy.

BY SHORTFELLOW.

Battles which convulse a nation,
Charges led to mortal combat,
Countries laid in desolation,
By opposing powerful armies,
Fill the heart with holy horror,
But when kind and friendly neighbors
Make a charge upon each other,
When they charge with boots uplifted,
When they *charge too high for syrup*,
When they charge a lie, or falsehood,
When our exit is demanded,
From a public store or side-room,
And our rear is strongly threatened,
All because of our refusal,
To submit to such extortion,
And to pay such extra prices,
Patience which all good men cherish,
Ceases then to be a virtue.
Such a scene our borough witnessed,
Such a tragedy enacted,
Such a charge made and demanded,
By our hero, young Apollo.
When the exit was completed,
And the parties reached the pavement,
When a victory seemed in vain;
Then it was, that young Apollo
Marshalled all his younger forces,
Three to one in line of battle.
But we learn from ancient teachings,
That the swift may lose at racing,
And the strong may lose their battles;
Also, shown in this engagement,
The attacked, though single handed,
Proved to be a mighty warrior,
*Proved to be a second Ajax*,
Proved too much for young Apollo;
Siezed him by the throat or collar,
Tripped his feet from *terra firma*,
Pitched him headlong in the gutter,
Turned the battle in his favor.
When the youngsters saw their leader,
In the ditch a hero fallen,
Each was humble as a chicken,
Or at least was chicken-hearted,
And in truth saw that discretion
Was the better part of valor.
A retreat was quickly ordered,
Or perhaps conceived by instinct,
To a place of greater safety.
This defeat of young Apollo
Furnishes a moral lesson,
That extortion never prospers,
That it always is resisted.
And will end as did the struggle,
Did the struggle with old England.
When our sires declined the payment,
Of their taxes on their exports,
And by way of retaliation,
Poured their Tea in Boston Harbor,
Whipped again, the crowd responded,
As our hero, young Apollo,
From the ditch where he had fallen,
Slowly crawled upon the pavement!
Will he fight another duel,
Will he send another challenge?
Will the scene so fierce and frightful,
Will the scenes so dark and ghastly,
Drench the classive spot selected,
With the blood of his contestant,
As the blood drawn from the bladder,
Near the grove on *Shawnee River*,
Where he fought the *fatal* duel,
Of his youthful days departed?
Such is but a faint description,
Of this tragic fight by moonlight,
*Which has made our borough famous*,
And her classic name immortal.

"ATTENTION, SOLDIERS OF OUR LATE ARMY."—Many Discharged Soldiers have claims of which they have no knowledge. By sending for a Circular to L. Brown & Co., of No. 2 Park Place, N. Y., information will be furnished which may be valuable. oct 21 tj 20 66


## Prepare for Winter.

THE citizens of Columbia and vicinity, are respectfully invited to call and examine my large and varied assortment of

**HOUSEKEEPING GOODS**

Comprising every variety of
TIN WARE,
SILVER-PLATED WARE,
TABLE CUTLERY,
FANCY GOODS,
PLANISHED TIN-WARE,
COOKING UTENSILS,
CHAMBER WARE, IN SETS,
HOLLOW WARE, ENAMLED,
COPPER KETTLES,
BRASS KETTLES
Chafing Dishes, Egg Boilers, Britannia Ware, Waiters, &c., &c.

**Stoves of every Description.**

BRILLIANT AND NIAGARA,
Are two of the best stoves in the Market. They are guaranteed to give satisfaction.
GAS FITTING & PLUMBING
Carried on in all its various branches. Stoves, Shops, Dwellings, &c., fitted up with Gas and Water Pipes, in the best manner.
*On hand a good* assortment of Chandeliers, Brackets, Drop Lights and *Pendants, Galvanized Iron*, Lead and Terra Cotta Water Pipes.
Reparing promptly and personally attended to.
HIRAM WILSON,
Cor. Locust & 2nd st., Col'a.
Sept. 23 1865.

## STOVES!

Are sold cheaper than they have been for four years, at

**B. FAHLER'S**
*HOUSE FURNISHING STORE*,
Locust Street, *opposite* Franklin House,
*COLUMBIA, PA.*

A large assortment of Stoves,
Tin Ware,
Baskets, Spoons,
Tubs, Lamps,
Brooms, Coal Oil,
Knives and Forks, Lanterns,
Brass Kettles, &c., &c.

**ALWAYS ON HAND.**

Plumbing, Gas fitting, Spouting, Roofing, Bell Hanging, Copper Work and Repairing Stoves attended to promptly.
*sept. 16, '65.*

No. 23
E. GOODWIN & BROTHERS' YELLOW Bank Chewing Tobacco in Tin Foil only $7 per gross, at
JOHN FENDRICH'S

No 21
E. GOODWIN & BROS. PLANTATION Chewing Tobacco, in tin foil, only $7 per gross at
JOHN FENDRICH'S,
Front Street, Columbia.

No. 15.
SMOKING TURKISH TOBACCO, very cheap, at
JOHN FENDRICH'S,
Front St., Columbia.

## I. X. L.

IN all fine brands of Chewing Tobacco, all other houses. My Tobacco's are all warranted *free of mould*, must, or disagreeable mixtures, they are all selected with the greatest care by the manufacturers.
Constantly on hand
**HARDCASTLE, NAVY,**
Baltimore Spun,
Oronoko Twist,
Diadem,
Old Dominion,
Light Pressed,
Sun Cured,
Congress,

## Queen City Fine Cut,

*Grant Fine Cut*,
Michigan Fine Cut,
and different other brands.

A large assortment of Smoking Tobacco's Snuffs, Tobacco bags, together with all the latest improved pipes known the market.
My Segars cannot be beat for stock in the county. Friends call and try my American Cousin's, Union's, Isabel Cubas, 76's, Grant's, Attillas, &c., &c.
Cheap Segars constantly on hand. Booties is the place.
Mind in the old Post Office Building, Locust Street.
GEO. M. BOOTH.
Col. june 24, '65.

## WATCHES, WATCHES,

AT REDUCED PRICES.

**American Watches**

THE BEST AND MOST DURABLE Watches now made, and warranted by the American Watch Company. Also the ENGLISH AMERICAN WATCH,
Made after the American pattern by English Manufacturers. These watches are often sold for genuine American Levers, and are well made and durable.
GOLD & SILVER WATCHES
Of all kinds and qualities can be had at our store, together with
FINE & PLATED JEWELRY,
Silver Plated Wares, Pocket Books, Foley's Fold Pens, &c., Give us a call as we are selling at reduced prices.
P. SHREINER & SON,
Front Street, near Old Bridge.
Aug. 5, '65.

**PACIFIC HOTEL.**

170, 172, 174 & 176 *Greenwich Street*,
(One Square West of Broadway.)
**Between Cortlandt and Dey Sts., N. Y.**
*JOHN PATTEN, Jr., Proprietor.*

THE Pacific Hotel is well and widely known to the traveling public. The location is especially suitable to merchants and business men; it is in close proximity to the business part of the City—is on the highway of Southern and Western travel—and adjacent to all the principal Railroad and Steamboat depots.
The Pacific has liberal accomodation for 300 guests, it is well furnished and possesses every modern improvement for the comfort and entertainment of its inmates. The rooms are spacious and well ventilated: provided with gas and water; the attendance is prompt and respectful; and *the table is generously provided* with every delecacy of the season.
The subscriber, who, for the past few years, has been the lessee, is now sole proprietor, and intends to identify himself thoroughly with the interest of his house. With long experience as a hotel-keeper, he trusts, by moderate charges and a liberal policy, to maintain the favorable reputation of the Pacific Hotel.
JOHN PATTEN, Jr.
sept. 2, '65.

## BENJAMIN HERR,

HAS JUST OPENED
A new stock of goods, at
**Third and Union Sts.**
Where I would be pleased to see all my old customers. My stock of goods is full and complete, comprising
DRESS GOODS,
CASSIMERES,
CLOTHS,
VESTINGS,
DELAINS,
PRINTS,
DOMESTICS,
Together with as good assortment of goods *as is found* in any similar establishment.

***Family Groceries,***
Coffee, Tea and Sugar of all kind.
PRIME SUGAR CURED HAMS.
FLOUR,
POTATOES,
FISH, &C.
Country produce taken in exchange for goods at the highest market rates.
I hope to be the recipient of a *liberal patronage*.
BENJ. HERR.
*Nov.19, '64.* Cor. 3rd and Union Sts.

## PHOTOGRAPHS.

**THE OLD ORIGINAL GALLERY.**

The subscriber has completely re-fitted his establishment, and his gallery cannot be surpassed by any in the county, and he hopes by careful personal attention to give the public better pictures than have heretofore been produced.
AMBROTYPES, PHOTOGRAPHS,
Ivorytypes, Melainotypes, *Carte de Visite*, and pictures on canvass taken in the best style, and at prices which cannot be beaten for cheapness.
Likenesses warranted, and a satisfactory picture furnished without repeated sittings. He asks a continuance of the liberal patronage always extended to this establishment. Call and examine specimens at the rooms, northeast corner of Front and Locust streets. Entrance on
ocust street. R. J. M. LITTLE.
Oct. 24 1865.

## PIANOS,
## ORGANS AND MELODEONS.

W. U. HESS INFORMS HIS FRIENDS and the public generally that he will furnish the best makes of Pianos to any desirous of having an instrument of this kind in their home.
He will will also furnish Melodeons and Organs. These instruments are coming into very general use. The Organ, especially, is adapted to the production of sacred music in the church, the Sunday school room or the parlor.
Organs furnished at from one hundred dollars and upwards.
The prices for all instruments will be the same as in New York or Philadelphia. Satisfaction guaranteed, and all instruments warranted.
W. U. HESS'
Book Store, Locust St.
July 29, '65-1y

**WINES, LIQUORS, SEGARS, &c.**

THE subscriber would invite *attention* to his large and fine stock of
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS,
SEGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES, &C.
HE keeps his stock well filled up, and believes that he can offer as good an assortment of everything in his line as can be found in any store in Columbia.
He would direct special attention to his German Wines. These are light wines, good in quality, low in price, and a very wholesome drink either for sick or well.
A large assortment of
**Meerschaum Pipes,**
Will attract general notice, and will be found to comprise some of the finest pipes ever offered in Columbia. Come and examine them. J. C. BUCHER,
Cor. Front and Locust sts., Col'a Pa.
July 4, 1865.

## A VALUABLE REMEDY.

*Phreaner's Rhoidæmors and Laxative Pills*,

FOR THE CURE OF PILES. Read the following affidavit:—

For the Benefit of Persons suffering with Piles, I make the following statement;

I have been, during the last ten or twelve years severely afflicted with piles. I have tried remedies of all kinds, without deriving any particular benefit and finally put myself under the best medical treatment in Philadelphia; but no relief was obtained. I considered my case hopeless and believed myself doomed to misery. As a last resort, upon the recommendation of some friends, I tried Phreaner's Rhoidæmors and Laxative Pills. This remedy gave me relief. Several applications relieved me of all pain, and the regular application of the "Rhoidæmors" for three weeks entirely cured me. I am glad there is such a remedy, and earnestly recommend it. JAMES A. TREXLER.
224 Beaver Street, Philadelphia,
Sworn and subscribed before me, the 12th day of July, 1865. WILSON KERR, Alderman.

Since the introduction of the Rhoidæmors for the cure of Piles, we have received numerous flattering testimonials and commendations of its value; among them is the above affidavit of Mr James A. Trexler, his case being of long standing and of great severity.
This remedy is rapidly gaining public attention and must be acknowledged the sovereign balm for the above disease. Prepared and for sale by
D. PHREANER,
Care of Royal & Royer, Wholesale Druggists.
309 and 311 N. 3d Street, Phil'a.
For sale by R. Williams, Columbia.
August 26, 1m.

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF COLUMBIA.

IS PREPARED to transact all business appertaining to a thoroughly organized bank, to
Receive Deposits, Make Collections on all Accessible Points on Liberal Terms, Discount Notes, Drafts, Bills of Exchange, &c., Buy and sell Gold-Coupons, Silver, Uncurrent Money, &c.
Interest will be paid: on special deposits, viz:
For 12 months or over, 5 per cent per annum. For 6 to 12 months, 4½ per cent. per annum. For 3 to 6 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
Although we allow no interest for a shorter time than three months, any money left with us for a period of thirty days or longer, will be refunded in National Currency.
We keep on hand and for sale, the new
7-30 POPULAR LOAN,
at par and back interest. We also furnish all other government securities at market rates without charge.
Discount day: Mondays at 10 o'clock, A. M.
S. S. DETWILER,
July 22 Cashier.

## J. RUMPLE & SON,

DEALERS IN
**Foreign and Domestic Hardware.**

AN extensive assortment of house furnishing hardware, also for carpenters and builders use, always on hand.

**IRON AND STEEL.**

Blacksmiths, wagon makers and others, furnished with all kinds of iron, nails, horse shoes, coach trimmings and other goods in their line.
*WOOD AND WILLOW WARE*
In great variety, such as tubs, baskets, wash boards, brooms, washing machines, &c., &c.

**FARMING IMPLEMENTS,**

Plows, shovels, hoes, plow castings, scythes, forks, rakes, and all other implements used by the farmer.
*STOVES AND TIN WARE.*
Stoves of every style and pattern, cook, parlor and office stoves, for coal or wood. A large assortment of tin ware always kept on hand or manufactured to order.

**OIL, PAINTS, &C.**

Coal oil, linseed, fish, sperm and machine oils of all kinds. Alcohol, benzine, japan and other varnish. glass, paints, putty, white lead, &c.
Locust St., Columbia, Pa.
aug. 19, '65.

## NEW GOODS!

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS CALLED to our New Stock of DRY GOODS, which has been purchased for cash, and we are determined to sell at the lowest possible price.
STEACY & BOWERS,
Corner of 2nd & Locust Street.
Oct. 14, '65

**Pensions and Bounties.**

Widows, Mothers, Minor Children, Dependent Sisters and Discharged Soldiers, Entitled to Pensions;
Fathers, Mothers, Widows, Children, Brothers and Sisters,
Entitled to Bounties;
Soldiers entitled to Bounties and Pay and all others who have claims upon the Government, will find prompt and faithful attention given to their claims upon application by letter or in person to
JAMES BLACK,
No. 56 East King st.,
Lancaster, Pa.
References:
Hon. Henry G. Long, Hon. A. L. Hayes, *John B. Livingston, Esq.*, D. W. Patterson, Esq., G. M Kline, *Esq.*, of Lancaster, Pa. Barr Spangler, Esq., Marietta, Pa., Geo. R. Hendrickson, Esq., Mt. Joy, Pa., Col. S. Shoch, *Samuel Grove*, of Columbia, Pa. Henry Andrews, Esq., Colemanville, Pa. N. B.—No charges until claim is collected. *sept. 23, '65.-1y*

*SUSQUEHANNA IRON CO.*
Manufacturers of all sizes of
**Refined & Double Refined**
ROUND, SQUARE, FLATS, OVAL, AND HALF OVAL IRON.
Car Axles, Shafting and Horse Shoe Bars.
Orders promptly filled from Stock on hand or made to order.
Terms, net cash, at Manufacturer's prices, delivered an Cars or Boat.
Office at their ROLLING MILL,
Columbia, Pa.
Sept. 23, 65 1y

## MALTBY HOUSE,

A. B. MILLER, Proprietor,
Baltimore, Md.
This hotel has been lately refitted with all the necessary improvements known to hotel enterprise and therefore offers first class accommodations to strangers and others visiting Baltimore.
Oct 21, 1865.

## Agents Wanted For

THE SECRET SERVICE, THE FIELD, The Dungeon, and the Escape, by
ALBERT D. RICHARDSON,
N. Y. Tribune Correspondent.
The most interesting and exciting book ever published, embracing Mr. Richardson's unparalleled experience for four years; traveling through the South in secret service of the "Tribune" at the outbreak of the war, with our armies and fleets, both East and West, during the first two years of the Rebellion; his thrilling capture; his confinement for twenty months in seven different rebel prisons; his escape and almost miraculous journey by night of nearly 400 miles. It will abound in stirring events, and contain more of the fact, incident and romance of the war than any other work published.
Horace Greely says:
"A great many books will yet be written concerning this War, in addition to the many already in print; but not one of them will give within a similar compass a clearer, fuller, more readable account, entirely from personal observation, of the nature, animus, purposes, tendencies and instrumentalities of the Slaveholders' rebellion than does the unpretending narrative of Mr. Richardson."
Teachers, ladies, energetic young men, and especially returned and disabled officers and soldiers, in want of profitable employment, will find it peculiarly adapted to their condition. We have agents clearing $175 per month, which we will prove to any doubting applicant. Send for circulars. Address
JONES BROS. & CO.,
N. N. corner 6th and Minor Sts.,
sept. 30, 3m* Philadelphia.

## THE UNITED STATES HOTEL!

HARRISBURG, PA.
DAVID R. HUTCHISON, Proprietor.

THIS well known Hotel is now in a condition to accommodate the traveling public, affording the most ample conveniences alike for the transient guest and the permanent boarder.
THE UNITED STATES HOTEL
has been entirely refitted throughout, and now has accommodations equal in extent, comfort and luxury to any hotel between Philadelphia and Pittsburg. Its location is the best in the State Capital, being in easy access to all the railroad depots, and in close proximity to all the offices and business localities of the city. It has now all the conveniences of
A FIRST CLASS HOTEL,
and the Proprietors are determined to spare neither expense, time or labor to ensure the comfort of the guests. The patronage of the traveling public is respectfully solicited. November 4, '65-tf.

## EXCELSIOR GROCERY

AND
**PROVISION STORE,**
*Cor. of Third and Locust Street.*
Columbia, Pa.
**Groceries, Provisions, Flour, Grain, &c.**

We will always keep on hand the very best quality of goods such as
Sugars, Salt
Coffee, Fruit,
Teas, Soap,
Fish, Starch,
Hams, Spices,
Cheese, Crackers,
Lard, Tobacco,
Molasses, Segars,
also
FANCY GROCERIES,
NOTIONS, DRIED FRUIT, &C.
We intend to keep the best goods only and to sell as cheap as any similar store.—We therefore ask a portion of public patronage.
H. MULLEN & BRO.
Sept. 16, '65.-tf

*CHARTER* 1829. *PERPETUAL.*

## FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE CO,
## OF PHILADELPHIA.

**Assets on Jan. 1, 1865.**
$2,501,297 04.

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| CAPITAL, | - - - | $400,000 |
| ACCRUED SURPLUS, | - | 971,000 |
| INVESTED PREMIUMS, | | 1,086,288 |
| UNSETTLED CLAIMS, | - | 8,416 |
| INCOME FOR 1864, | - | 300,000 |
| LOSS PAID SINCE 1829, | | 5,000,000 |

**Perpetual and Temporary Policies on Liberal Terms.**

**DIRECTOR**

Charles N. Bancker, Isaac Lea, Tobias Wagner, Edward C. Dale, Samuel Grant, Geo. Fales, Jacob R. Smith, Alfred Fitler, Geo. W. Richards, Fras. W. Lewis, M. D.
CHARLES N. BANCKER, *President.*
EWD. C. DALE, *Vice-President.*
JAS. W. McALLISTER, *Sec. Pro. Tem.*
**JOHN COOPER, Agt. for Columbia.**
mar.12, 1y.

**Cabinet Making and Undertaking**

THE undersigned would inform hi *friends and the public that he* has now increased facilities for turning out work, and his
FURNITURE WARE ROOMS.
Are now well supplied with new and beautiful furniture of the latest improved styles. He manufactures to order and will keep constantly on hand Dressings, Plain and Fancy Bureaus, Sideboards, Sofas, Card Dining and Centre Tables, Common, Fancy and French Bedsteads; all of which will be sold on the most reasonable terms. As he manufactures his own work he is enabled to warrant every article to be what it is represented.
CHAIRS, CHAIR
All kinds of Chairs kept on hand or manufactured to order. Cane, Windsor, Arm and Rocking Chairs; Settees, Camp and Counter Stools, Sofas, Tete-a-tetes, and Stuffed Seat Chairs, made to order. Old Chairs repainted and repaired.
UNDERTAKING.
Funerals will be attended to with promptness, to which he gives his personal attention. He is prepared with ice boxes and coolers to preserve corpse, as may be required.
MAHOGANY OR WALNUT COFFINS
Furnished plain or tinned in any style that may be required. He respectfully solicits a share of public patronage, as well as a continuance of the custom with which he has been liberally favored.
JOHN SHENBERGER,
South Side of Locust st., between Second and Third. [Oct.17,'63.

*NEW CARRIAGE*
**MANUFACTORY**
Second Street, nearly opposite
LUTHERAN CHURCH, COLUMBIA.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING Taken the Shops formerly conducted by Mr. Samuel Carter, would respectfully announce to the citizens of Columbia and vicinity that he is now prepared to manufacture all kinds of Coaches, Carriages, Buggies, Sulkies, and all other vehicles in his line. His reputation as a workman is established, as he can confidently claim for his work the merits of beauty of form, elegance of finish, and strength of structure. One of the distinguishing features of his work is its durability; all vehicles of his build are constructed of the best seasoned material, and put together firmly and substantially. He gives particular attention to the repairing of vehicles, and warrants all work in his line to give satisfaction.
In addition to his practical experience in the business, he has the assistance of the best workmen. Some of them from the celebrated Watson establishment of Philadelphia.
A generous public is respectfully invited to give home industry their encouragement and support.
CHRISTIAN MYERS.
Aug. 12, '65, tf.

## FARMERS' MUTUAL

*FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,*
YORK, PENN'A., APRIL 1st 1865.
*Accumulated Capital*, $385,370.94.
*TWELFTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.*

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| Am't of Deposit Notes in force, | $368,50,70 |
| " " Cash Assets, | 16,840,24 |
| " " Total Assetts liable for Losses, | $385,370,94 |
| Am't of Losses paid past year, | $44,589,34 |
| " " " " since May 16th 1863, | 173,382,42 |
| Number of Assessments made, | None. |
| Losses adjusted, but not due, | 2,925,60 |
| Book Account Liabilities, | 146,10 |
| Increase of Capital past year, | 64,361,55 |

This Company continues to issue Policies of Insurance on Buildings or personal Property, in Town or Country: *at Cash or mutual rates.*
H. KRABER, President.
D. STRICKLER, Secretary.

**Directors:**

H. KRABER, THOMAS GRAY, ELI KINDIG
JOHN LANDES, WM. WALLACE, GEO. D. ENBERT, D. STRICKLER.
Applications for Insurance will be made o
M. S. SHUMAN,
aug. 19, tf-'65 Columbia.

No. 18.
NOTICE—I HAVE REDUCED THE price of all Pipes, such as Rosewood, Sweet Briar, Patent and Fancy Pipes, twenty per cent., at
JOHN FENDRICH'S
Front St., Columbia.

## GEORGE SEIBERT'S
## CABINET WAREROOMS
AND MANUFACTORY,
LOCUST ST., A FEW DOORS BELOW 3rd St.,
COLUMBIA, LAN. CO'Y, PA.

THE subscriber having purchased from his brother, Casper Seibert, the stock and good will of his extensive Cabinet Manufactory, will continue the business at the old stand, where he will keep on hand an assortment of
FURNITURE OF ALL KINDS,
of the best quality, style, and manufacture and will make to order, of first-rate material, every article in his line. He will give strict attention to business, and respectfully asks of the public a share of its patronage.
UNDERTAKING will receive the most careful attention, at the shortest notice. GEORGE SEIBERT.
Cola. July 4, '63.

"SECURE THE SHADOW E'ER THE SUBJECT FADES."

EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD should have their picture taken—perfect life-like pictures—guaranteed. They are taken in all kinds of weather at the
PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY,
Front Street, above Locust, where he is now prepared to do all kinds of Photographing. Ambrotypes, got up in good style. Copying and enlarging of small Pictures done with neatness and accuracy.
*PICTURES COLORED*
In Oil or Water Colors.
Orders for Pictures from old Negatives will be promptly filled.
Special attention paid to Cartes De-Visites.
Hoping by a strict attention to business to share the liberal patronage heretofore extended by the citizens.
Call at Rooms and examine Specimens. Remember the place, Front Street, above Locust. GEO. A. HYERS.
Sept. 30,-tf.

## COLUMBIA INSURANCE CO.

CAPITAL AND ASSETS, $429,920,80
This Company continues to insure Buildings, Merchandise, and other property, against loss and damage by fire, on the mutual plan, either for a cash premium or premium note.
*FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT.*

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| Whole amount insured, | | $5,027,020,68 |
| Am't of premium notes, | $426,090,66 | |
| Bal. cash premium, Jan 1, '64, | 3,754,47 | |
| Cash receipts in 1864, less fees and commissions, | 22,870,56 | |
| | | $452,715,69 |
| Losses & expenses paid in '64. | $ 22,794,89 | |
| Balance of Capital and Assets Jan 1st, 1865, | 429,920,80 | |
| | | $452,715,69 |

A. S. GREEN, President.
GEORGE YOUNG, Jr., Secretary.
MICHAEL S. SHUMAN, Treasurer.

**DIRECTORS.**

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| Samuel Shoch, | William Patton, |
| R. T. Ryon, | John W. Stacey, |
| John Fendrich, | Geo. Young, Jr., |
| H. G. Minich, | Nicholas M'Donald, |
| Sam'l F Eberlein, | Michael S. Shuman. |
| Amos S Green, | S. C. Slaymaker, |
| Edmund Spering, | Col'a. Feb. 18, 1865. |

## JUST RECEIVED
AT
## HARDMAN'S GROCERY!

THE best Hams in the world, Michner's Extra Hams, plain and canvass, Old Java, Laguira and Rio Coffee, green and roasted Browning's Excelsior Coffee, a choice lot of Tea, Extra Imperial, Young Hyson, English, Breakfast and black Tea. Fine Coal Oil lamps, Bond's Boston Butter, Farina, Trentan and Family Crackers. Fresh canned Tomatoes, Fine Cove Oysters, in Jars, a nice lot of cheap Sugar, 500 gallons Lovering's best Syrup.
New Orleans Baking Molases, Pure Flour of Rice, Maccaroni, Split Peas, Layer Raisins, Apples, Cranberry's, Fresh Can Peaches, Ground Mace, Ground Nutmeg. A good assortment of notion such as thread Needles, pins, combs, whalebones, shoe Laces, buttons, Balmoral Hose, at
HARDMANS'
Cor. of Third and Cherry St.
jan. 7 '65.

**E. & H. T. ANTHONY & CO.,**
**Manufacturers of Photographic Materials,**
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
**501 BROADWAY, N. Y.**
In addition to our main business of PHOTOGRAPHIC MATERIALS, we are headquarters for the following, viz:
**Stereoscopes and Stereoscopic Views.**
Of these we have an immense assortment, including
**VIEWS OF THE WAR**
Obtained at great expense and forming a complete PHOTOGRAPHIC HISTORY OF THE GREAT UNION CONTEST

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| Bull Run, | Dutch Gap, |
| Yorktown, | Pontoon Trains. |
| Gettysburgh | Hanover Junction. |
| Fair Oaks, | Lookout Mountain, |
| Savage Station, | Chickahominy, |
| Fredericksburgh, | City Point. |
| Fairfax, | Nashville, |
| Richmond, | Petersburgh, |
| Deep Bottom, | Bello Plain, |
| Monitors, | Chattanooga, |
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