CITY COUNCILS. The regular meeting was held yesterday

SELECT BRANCH. Mr. Gray offered a resolution asking for the appointment of a special committee of three from each Chamber to inquire into the expediency of enforcing the act of Assembly relative to the establishment of stationary steam engines in the city.

Mr. Freeman offered a resolution instructing the Committee on Law to report to Councils what additional measures are necessary for the protection of the city in any way where its interests may be con-Adopted.

cerned, Adopted.

The Chair now announced the following as the committees for the year: Finance—Messrs. Spering, Freeman, Cat-

tell, Hodgdon, Pollock. Water Works-Messrs. Gray, Chairman; Cattell, Jones, Smith, Shermer, Kamerly. Gas Works—Messrs. Wagner, Gray, Pollock, Shallcross, Bumm, Campbell. Girard Estate—Messrs. Freeman, Chair-

man; Spering, Gray, Van Cleve, Shallcross, Page.
Highways Messrs. Smith, Hodgdon. Jones, Barlow, Omerly, Hopkins. City Property—Messrs. Spering, Chairman; Van Cleve, Omerly, Bumm, Ritchie,

King. Markets—Messrs. Manuel, Omerly, Wag. ner, Jones, Smith, Kamerly.
Schools—Messrs. Van Cleve, Chairman; Wagner, Barlow, Freeman, Shermer, Camp-

bell.
Police—Messrs. Shallcross, Chairman
Jones, Van Cleve, Cattell, Polleck, Marcus.
Railroads—Messrs. Jones, Chairman;
Omerly, Shallcross, Cattell, Barlow Hopkins. Trusts and Fire-Messrs.Omerly, Pollock, Bumm, Wagner, Shermer Marcus. Health — Messrs. Pollock, Chairman;

Ritchie, Barlow, Shermer, Smith, Campbell. Surveys—Messrs.Spering, Cattell, Barlow, Freeman, Smith, Shern. Law—Messrs. Wagner, Chairman; Spering, Van Cleve, Hodgdon, Page.
Port Wardens—Messrs. Hodgdon, Omerly,

Freeman, Gray, Bumm, Kamerly. Poor—Messrs. Barlow, Chairman; Ritchie, Manuel, Gray, Shermer, Shern. Prisons—Messrs. Smith, Bumm, Shall-

cross, Hodgdon, Shermer, Shern. Claims — Messrs. Shallcross, Chairman Ritchie, Spering, Pollock, Manuel, King. Street Cleaning—Messrs. Barlow, Chairman; Ritchie, Manuel, Bumm, Pollock,

Printing and Supplies—Messrs. Omerly, Chairman; Smith, Wagner, Bumm, Manuel, Marcus.
To Verify Accounts of City Treasurer-Messrs. Hodgson, Chairman; Van Cleve,

Page.
To Compare Bills—Messrs. Van Cleve, Chairman; Spering, Hopkins.

Defence and Protection—Messrs. Cattell, Chairman; Gray, Jones, Ritchie, King,

Page and Lynd.
The bill from Common Council relative to unfurnished business was concurred in. Mr. Barlow called up the deferred ordinance framed by the last Council reorganizing the Department of Street Cleaning. The odifications in its improvements are that the Mayor is relieved from any charge concerning it, and the Chief Inspector is made its absolute head.

Mr. Barlew said that he had consulted

Colonel Gray, some time ago, as to the improvements required in the bill. The reply was that the bill gave him no power whatever. He was simply in the position of a clerk. The sole control of the matter was in the hands of the police, who, of course, obeyed only the Mayor, and declined to ect any orders received from him. respect any orders received from him.

The bill provides for the keeping clean of

the paved public streets of the city.

Mr. King moved for the present to post-This was voted down, and the Chamber

went into Committee of the Whole.
Mr. Smith, of the Twenty-second Ward, said that until the Board of Health some time ago pronounced some of the streets of Germantown to be nuisances they had never been cleaned. He protested against the discrimination which neglects the Mr. Cattell spoke to like purpose.

The word paved was finally stricken out. Mr. Ritchie moved to strike out that part of the bill providing for the removal of ashes at public cost. He thought that private means should do this part of the work.
This amendment was lost. The commit-

tee then rose.

Mr. King now offered, as an amendment, another bill creating a Commission, consisting of William Neall, John Price Wetherill, John M. Maris and Thomas Pot ter, who shall have entire control of the

cleaning of the streets.

Mr. Smith opposed the bill. His experience had been that Councils were always jealous of any power being taken out of their hands, and he could not vote for the The amendment was lost by a vote of 14

The discussion of the original bill was then resumed. After a long debate, the bill was recom-

mitted. Earne bill authorizing the Germantown Railroad Company to erect small wooden buildings on the line of their road was

Also, the bill granting the same privi-lege upon Lowry's wharf, Schuylkill. Adjourned.

COMMON BRANCH.

Michael Mullen, of the Seventeenth

Ward, appeared, presented his oredentials,

and was qualified. A communication from Chief Lugineer Lyle, of the Fire Department, was presented by Mr. Nickels, The purport was to the effect that the Fairmount and Good

Will Steam Fire Companies have been suspended for rioting. The communication was, reserved to the Committee on Trusts Mr. Marcer offered a resolution that all business unfinished by the last session, and before the Chamber, be referred to pro-

per committees. Agreed to. Mr. Marcer presented ordinances making the annual appropriation to the Department of Guardians of the Poor, Board of School Control, Supplying the City with water, Trustees of the City Ice Boat, Fire Depart-ment, Clerks of Councils, and Inspectors of County Prison for 1866. All were referred to the Finance Committee.

Mt. Griffiths presented the ordinance ori-ginally reported for the appropriation to the Fire Department. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Taylor presented an ordinance giving the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristewn Railroad Company authority to erect a wooden building at Ninth and Columbia avenue, for a passenger station, and wooden watch houses at the crossings for the signal

men.
Mr. Evans amended that the ordinance go into effect only when the company complies with the resolution of Councils requiring flagmen to be placed at the street crossings As thus amended the bill passed.

Mr.l Hetzel offered an ordinance to make the salaries of Assistant Engineers of the Fire Department in the First and Second Districts \$500. Third and Fourth, \$300, and Fifth, \$400. Laid on the table.
The standing committees were then read,

as follows: Finance — Messrs. Marcer, Chairman; Fox, Harper, Harrison, Franciscus, Dillon. Police— Messrs. Billington, Chairman; Shane, Mactague, Hancock, Martin, Cole-

Water Works-Messrs. Vankirk, Billington, Ray, Stokes, Allison, Gill. Gas Works—Messrs. Oram, Chairman; Shane, Fox, Taylor, Stanton, Huhn.
Schools—Messrs. Willets, Marcer, Allen,
Stockham, Palmer, Dillon.

Girard Estates — Messrs. Willets, Fox, Stanton, Simpson, Bardsley, Hetzell. Highways — Messrs. Miller, Chairman; Schafer, Ray, Little, Armstrong, Wolbert. Law—Messrs. Marcer, Harper, Stokes Evans, Taylor, Nickels.

Port Wardens—Messrs. Stanton, Chairman; Schafer, Bardsley, Miller, Earnest, Huhn. City Property-Messrs. Vankirk, Little,

Palmer, Mactague, Harrison, Wolbert.
Markets—Messrs. Taylor, Chairman;
Kuhn, Willets, Calhoun, Stokes, Hallowell.
Railroads—Messrs. Griffiths, Vankirk,
Taylor, Franciscus, Oram, Nickels.
Trusts and Fire—Messrs. Griffith, Chairman, Palmor, Honook, Raydeley, Macman; Palmer, Hancock, Bardsley, Mac-

Health-Messrs, Creswell, Schafer, Calhoun, Derbyshire, Miller, Barnes. Surveys—Messrs, Little, Chairman; Miller, Armstrong, Allison, Simpson, Gill. Prisons-Messrs, Evans, Creswell, Eager, Gibson, Earnest, Mullin.
Poor—Messrs. Harper, Charman; Evans,
Simpson, Armstrong, Derbyshire, Cole-

Street Cleaning—Messrs. Derbyshire, Allen, Kater, Allison, Martin, Hallowell. Claims—Messrs. Allen, Chairman; Krupp, Eager, Gibson, Earnest, Barnes. Printing and Supplies—Messrs. Harper, Griffith, Krupp, Billington, Stockham,

Verify Cash Accounts—Messrs. Creswell, Martin, Mullin.
Compare Bills—Messrs. Marcer, Franciscus, Wolbert.
Defence and Protection—Messrs. Harrison, Chairman; Shane, Krupp, Hancock, Ray, Hallowell, Stockley. The Visiting Committees to Girard Col-

lege are as follows: January — Messrs. Little, Chairman; Oram, Eager Hancock, Derbyshire, Ray, Gill, Mullen.
February — Messrs. Allen, Calhoun,
Griffith, Kater, Armstrong, Billington, Nichols, Barnes.

March—Hessrs, Krupp, Harrison, Schafer, Gibson, Mactague, Hill, Colehower, Wolbert. April—Messrs, Harper, Chairman; Kater, Miller, Evans, Eager, Ernest, Vankirk, Dillon.

May-Mesrrs. Fox, Stanton, Palmer, Marcer, Miller, Gill, Huhn. June — Messrs. Creswell, Chairman; Shane, Allen, Gibson, Stokes, Martin, Alli son, Huhn.
July-Messrs. Franciscus, Mactague, Oram, Earnest, Little, Krupp, Barnes,

Martin. August — Messrs. Willits, Chairman: Stokes, Hill, Harper, Eyans, Calhoun, Palmer, Mullen. September-Messrs. Hancock, Barclay, Simpson, Griffith, Allison, Nickels

October-Messrs. Harrison, Chairman; Armstrong, Schafer, Derbyshire, Stockham, Marcer, Hetzel, Hallowell. November-Messrs, Fox, Vankirk, Bilington, Franciscus, Shane, Simpson, Cole-

December—Messrs. Taylor, Chairman; Willeis, Creswell, Bardsley, Stanton, Stockham, Hetzell, Hallowell, Adjourned.

Tragedy in Massachusetts, [From the Boston Post.] The citizens of Worcester were startled out of their propriety yesterday on account of the discovery of the death of a man named Artemas Ward, and wife, who resided at No. 91 Main street. The bodies sided at No. 91 Main street. The bodies were discovered about 7 o'clock yesterday morning by the oldest of their five children, who immediately went to the next door neighbor, Mr. J. H. Raymore, and informed bim of the fact. The father was found partially lying on his bed, and the mother dressed and lying upon the floor near the bed. Word was at once sent to the authorities, and in about half an hour Dr. Woodward, city physician, made his appearance, and remarked that the unfortunate parties must have been suffocated from the coal gas, as there was a hot coal fire in the room. The windows were immediately thrown open, but all attempts to resuscitate the man and wife were unavailing. The bodies were cold in the embrace of death, and of course t was impossible to tell how long life had been extinct. In an adjoining room a servant girl and two of the children had slept upon the floor during the night; but it appears that the coal gas had had no effect upon either of them, although the two children, we were informed, were taken with slight vomiting about the time the discovery of the dead father and mother. The remaining children slept in an upper room, and escaped the influence of the gas. But the fact that the two children and the servant girl were not seriously affected by the coal gas, and other circumstances which hang over the affair, would indicate that it was the intention of some fiend in human form to poison the whole family. As it was, the perpetrator, whether living or dead, was partially successful. It was also discovered that sometime during the night the woman was heard to vomit, which circumstance is a very suspicious one. Other eminent physicians soon made their appearance in the room where the dead parents lay, among

died from the effects of inhaling the gas. General Pillow's Experience With the Tennessee and Arkansas Freedmen. The rebel General Pillow has been doing admirable service in the difficult work of sas, and the following letters from him and the Commissioner of Freedmen, General Fisk, in Tennessee, give the present status of the freedmen and the labor question in that region.

them Dr. O. Martin, who also agreed with Dr. Woodward that the deceased probably

LETTER FROM GENERAL PILLOW. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 22, 1865.—Major Gcn. O. O. Howard. Commissioner, &c., &c. Washington, D. C.—It affords me pleasure o inform you that I have been successfu peyond my most sanguine expectations in engaging labor for all my plantations in Arkansas and Tennessee. I have already engaged about four hundred freedmen, and have full confidence in making a success of he work. I have given, in all cases, the freedmen a part of the crop of cotton, and I allow them land for the cultivation of vegetables and corn for their own ise without charge therefor. I have engaged one thousand laborers if I had needed that number. My brother, who adopted my plan of work, succeded in engaging laborers for three places he is working. I have put one large piantation under white laborers from the North upon precisely the same terms on North, upon precisely the same terms on which I engaged freedmen. I feel anxious to try the system of white labor of that character for the plantation. Knowing the interest you feel in the success o the system of the freedmen, and feeling grateful for your kindness to me, I feel it a duty to communicate the result of my work thus

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(INDORSEMENT.) BUREAU R. F. and A. L. HEADQUARTERS, NASHVILLE, Dec. 25, 1865.—Respectfully for-warded to Major General O. O. Howard, Commissioner: I have abundant testimony of similar character from intelligent, wealthy planters, who accept the "logic of events," and are co-operating with me in adjusting the new relations on the basis of "impartial justice." I regret that there are many in the South who do not accept the conclusions of the strife, and who yet fail to recognize the fact that the country is in earnest in asking guarantees of freedmen. But the cause may be set down as "marching on."

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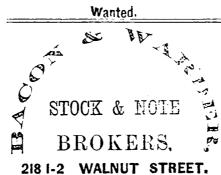
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BEOAD STREET ARMORY—The valuable pro-

perty known as the "City Armory." Broad st. be.ov Race, is feet front by 120 feet deep to Goodwill st. The building is a handsome and most substantial structure admirably adapted for a forwarding house. Ext Foundiths of the purchase money may retain on mort rage. Sale by order of the Commission of City Pro-VALUABLE RESIDENCES AT PRIVATE SALE
TO REAL ESTATE OFFRATORS. Will be soid at very low rates, to a party who will take them all in one lot, five desirable dwellings in the heart of the city. Immediate occapancy can be had it desired. This is a very favorable opportunity if parties who seek good real estate investments to buy at its who seek good real estate investments to buy at its who seek good real estate investments to buy at its who seek good real estate investments to buy at its who, For particulars apply at the suction store, MARKETS. STORES—At private eals, the valuable four-story btick store S. E. corner of Marae's and Bank sts. In first rate condition. Terms accommodating.

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TAVERN STAND and 9 acres of land, on Ridge road, a miles from the State House known as the "Sorrel Hone." Plans, surveys, &c., at the store. Property No. 42 south Front st, 41 by 100 feet. do do 113s and 114c Lombard st Sonces, Germantown 37 do Fisher's lane
Valuable Lot, Market street, above Nincteenth do do Barker do do do suit Twenty-second st. Property northeast corner Fourth and Spruce at Dwelling, with side yard, Darby road Brown-stene Store, Second st, near Chestnut Residence and large lot, Burlington do No. 201 south Tenth st do do 18 south Elevenh st Dwelling, 450 Pinest do 55 Property valuable business property on Chestnut st, having two fronts—in good order, &c. Occapancy with the deed.

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Cash advanced on consignments without extra charge

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AUCTIONEERS.
No. 565 MARKET street, above Finh. PHILIP FORD & CO., AUCTIONNERS, No. 521 FURNESSEBRINLEY & CO., No. 615 CHESTNUT and No. 612 JAYNE street. R SCOTT, JB., AUCTIONEER.

WANTS.

CALESMAN WANTED.—A young man from 20 to D 25 years of age as an assistant in a large Dry Goods. Commission House. Address Box 1222, with real name and reference. and reference.

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(b) 70TTON AND LINEN SAIL DUOK of eyery width of the control of the BACON.—20 boxes Side Bacon, for sale by, E. A. SOU- COPARTNERSHIPS.

NOTICE.-JAMES H. WILSON AND EDWARD HUTCHINSON have this day been admitted as Partners in our house. The firm name will hereafter be EVANS, HASSALL & CO.

We have connected a Dress Trimmings Department with our Military Business, and will open a new stock of goods about February 1.

EVANS & HABSALL THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm of CALDWELL. SAWYER & CO., at Philadelphia and New York, HALL, CALDWELL & CO., at Coton, is this day dissolved. Either of the partners will sign in liquidation.

FA. HALL,

SETH CALDWELL, JE.,

E. R. SAWYER,

N. P. GORDON.

PHILADELPHIA, JEBURY 1, 1888.

PHILADELPHIA, JEBURIT 1, 1000.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day entered into Co-partnership, and will continue the Coal business under the firms of CALDWELL, GORDON & CO., at 12 Walnut street, Philadelphia, and No. 25 Trinity Building, New York, and of HALL, CALDWELL, & CO., at 144 State street, Boston.

F. A. HALL,

SETH CALDWELL, JE.,

N. P. GORDON,

SAMURL, B. YOUNG.

PHILADELPHIA, JANUARY I. 1885.

PHILADELPHIA, January 1, 1866 THE UNDERSIGNED have this day entered into co-partnership, and will continue the Coal business under the firms of QUINTARD, SAWYER & WABD, at No. 9 Pine street, New York, and ils Walnut street, Philadelphia, E. R. SAWYER & CO., at No. 42 Kilby street, Boston.

E. R. SAWYER, H. D. WARD.

PHILADELPHIA, January 1, 1868.

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THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a limited
partnership under the laws of the Commonwealth
of Pennsylvania.
1.—The name of the firm under which such partnership shall be conducted is WALTER & HUTTON.
II.—The general nature of the business intended to
be transacted is that of manufacturers and wholesale
dealers in Shirts, Bosoms, Collars, &c., at No. 227
Chesinut street. dealers in Shirts, Bosoms, Collars, &c., at No. 227 Chestinat street.

HI—The names of the general partners are WASH-INGTON G. WALTER, residing at No. 885 North Sixth street: in the city of Philadelphits DAVID W. J. HUTTON, residing at Camden, in the State of New Jersey; and of the special partner, DAVID M. HESS, residing at No. 1to North Nineteenth street, in the city of Philadelphia.

IV.—The amount of capital contributed by the special partner to the common stock is twenty thousand dollars in cash.

V.—The partnership is to commence the thirtieta

dollars in cash.

V.—The partnership is to commence the thirdesta
day of December, A. D. 1885, and to terminate the thir1y-first day of December, A. D. 1889, whese scoper dissolved by the death of either of the general partners, eolved by the death of citier of the special partner, WASHINGTON G. WALTER, DAVID W. J. HUITON, General Partners, DAVID M. HESS, Special Partner, ja2-55.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.—The firms of hOBERT SHOEMAKER & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. consent.
ROBERT SHOEMAKER,
BFNJAMIN H. SHOEMAKER,
WILLIAM M. SHOEMAKER,
RICHARD M. SHOEMAKER,

January 1, 1866. COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have thisday formed a copartnership, under the style of ROBERT SHOKMAKER & CO., and will continue the wholesale Irug and Paint Business, at the old stand Northeast co. ner of FOURTH and RACE streets.

ROBERT SHOEMAKER,
WILLIAM M. SHOEMAKER,
RICHARD M. SHOEMAKER,
January 1, 1866. January 1, 1866.

NOTICE.—The undersigned, having this day retired from the old firm of ROBERT SHOEMAKER & O.. will continue the French Plate Glass Agency, as also the sale of Window Glass, Rongh Plate, Fancy and Ornamental Glass, &c., &c., at the old stand, Nos. 265 and 267 North FORTH street.

BENJAMIN H. SHOEMAKER.

JANUARY 1, 1888. ja2 5t THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm of J. S. YOUNG & ALTEMUS, is this day dissolved by limitation.

[Signed]

JAMES S. YOUNG, THOMAS ALTEMUS.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 1, 1966.

The undersigned have this day formed a Co-Partnershig, under the firm of J. S. YOUNG, ALTEMUS & CO.. and will continue the DR: GOODS JOBBING Business, at No. 220 MARKET Street.

[Signed] JAMES S. YOUNG.

THOMAS ALTEMUS.

FRANKLIN L. ALTEMUS,
JOHN S. GLISSON.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 1, 1866. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 1, 1866.

THE UNDERS GNED have this day formed a comparture hip for the transaction of a General Insurance business, under the firm of SABINE, DUY & HGLLINSHEAD, and have take un the Office No. 230 WALNUT Street, Philadelphia, where they are prepared to offer every facility to persons wishing Insurance.

CHAS. A. DUY.

Jan. 1, 1866. FORMAN P. HOLLINSHEAD.

R FMOVAL -SABINE & DUY have removed from No. 147 South Fourth Street to the Office of SABINE, DUY & HOLLINSHEAD, No. 230 WALNUT Street, Philadelphia Ja2,612 DISSOLUTION.-The firm of JNO. H. WILLIAMS

& CO. expires this fay by limitation.

JNO. H. WILLIAMS,

JOHN WIEST,

CHAS. F. HASRLTIME.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 31st, 1885.

(OPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have associated themselves together and will continue the Dry Goods Commission business at 240 CH ESTNUT Street, under the style of JNO. H. WILLIAMS, A.CO., and are authorized to settle the business of the old firm JNO. H. WILLIAMS, CHAS. F. HASELTINE, PHILADELPEIA, Jan. 1st, 1866. NOTICE.—ALEXANDER SILLIMAN and CLAR-ENCE M. SANDERSON have been this day admitted as partners in our business.

The firm name will hereafter be DAY, HUDDELL & CO.

166 WALNUT street, Philadelphia.
68 TRINITY BUILDING. New York.
7 POANE street, Boston.
January 1, 1866.

CC-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE—I have associated WILLIAM HODGES with me in business. The Sale of House Furnishing goods and the manufacture of Tin Ware, &c., will be conducted in the name of ISAAC S. WILLIAMS & CO., from this date
ISAAC S. WILLIAMS & CO. Form this date
PHILADELPHIA, Jan 1, 1855.

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JAS-6ULTION DE CO. P. PLYMENTER. The co. DAY & HUDDELL

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 1, 1885.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between Wm. Warner and Michael Warner is this oay dissolved by mutual consent. Michael Warner retiring. The business of the late firm will be settled by Wm. Warner at the old stand, No. 357 North Second Street.

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WM. WARNER,
PHILADA., Jan. 1, 1866.

MICHAEL WARNER. PHILADA., Jan. I. 1880. BIT HALL WARRESS.

EDWIN M'CALLA has this day associated with him his son, Edwin H. M'Calla, under the firm of M'CALLA & SON. The business will be continued at No. 18 South SECOND Street, where can be found a general assertment of Clothes, Cassimeres, Vestings, and goods adapted to men and b. 18 wear.

EDWIN M'CALLA & SON, JANUARY 1st, 1866. ja2-6t\*

and goods adapted to men and b.75 wear.

JANUARY 1st, 1866. EDWIN M'CALLA & SON, ja2-61\*

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE—I have associated WM. P. STEWARD with me in the fron Foundry business under the name of F. McILVAIN & CO., from this date. F. McILVAIN & Thombour 1, 1866. January 1, 1866. Jahuary 1, Walnut street.

W. GILLESPIE, Jr., is admitted to an interest in our firm from this date V our firm from this date. Jan. 1, 1866. [121] TAYLOR, GILLESPIE & Co.

COAL. RETAIL COAL DEPOT

L. & W. C. Shinn, Eleventh and Willow Sts. First qualities of Family and Foundry Coal at Reduced Prices.

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(vAI. – MACTIER & STREI, having been appointed Sole Agents for the sale of the celebrated coal mined by the DUNCAN COAL COMPANY, are now prepared to receive orders for the same by the single ton or car. For stoves or grates this Coal is un-MACTIER & STEEL. 255 South Broad street. s. MASON BINES. JOHN J. SHEAP THE UNDERSIGNED INVITE ATTENTION TO I their stock of

THE UNDERSIGNED INVITE ATTENTION TO their stock of Buck Mountain Company's Coal, and Lehigh Navigation Company's Coal, and Lehigh Navigation Company's Coal, and which they are prepared to sell at the lowest market rates, and to deliver in the best condition.

Orders left with S. MASON BINES, Franklin Institute Building, SEV ENTH Street, below Market will be promptly attended to. BINES & SHEAFF, schulic Legisland Street Wharf, Schulkill.

OCAL.—SUGAR LOAF, BEAVER MEADOW AND Spring Mountain, Lehigh Coal, and best Locust Mountain from chinykill, prepared expressly for family use, Depot, N. W. corner EIGHTH and WILLIOW streets, Office, No. 112 South SECOND street, mhz?

J. WALTON & OO.

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