"The elephant walks around. The band begins to play, The boys are 'round the monkey show,

They'd better keep away!" A little girl three years of age sings the foregoing lines. Her musical effort suggested the following stanzas, which are respectfully dedicated "To LOVEY:"

The usher is very polite, The children all seem willing To look at the show, for "the price is low," As he says, "it's only a shilling."

The lion begins to roar. The rattlesnake shows his sting, The monkey rides on the pony's back Around the saw-dust ring.

A man, in spangled tights, Goes into the wild beasts' cage And lashes them all with a heavy whip, Till they fly in a dreadful rage.

He puts his head in the mouth Of a lion fierce and grim; I'd rather be in a private box Than in that cage with him.

The boys on the bench in front Eat pea-nuts and ginger-bread, And when the mule throws the clown off his back, They throw their shells at his head.

The ring-master seems very grand And cracks a very long whip, A boy rides a horse, standing up on his head.

And the clown at his heels does skip. The elephants, camels and mules, With the band in a chariot fine, And all the beautiful horses parade

Down Chestnut street in a line.

A Balloon Ascension at Night. James Gladisher, an English balloonist, recently made two ascensions at night. He gives the reportsof the second in the sub-joined letter to the London Times;

The increase of temperature with eleva-tion met with on the night ascent of October 2, made it very desirable to ascend again at night under the same circumstances, viz., with a clear sky, to confirm the results then obtained. On Saturday, December 2, the sky was cloudless, but after sunset it became covered with dark black clouds. During the afternoon, and as long as the sky was clear, pilot balloons, after attaining a certain elevation, were noticed by Mr. Orton to change their direction from north-west to northeast, indicating a southwest current. It was therefore resolved to keep in the lower current for an hour, so as to have a good space of country to run over, if the wind, at higher elevations should prove to be towards the sea. The balloon left the Royal Arsenal, Woodwich, at 5.16, nearly an hour and a half after the sun had set. The wind was from the southeast. We kept

in this current till 6.18.

At this time we were nearly over Tring, at an elevation of 3,500 feet, when a strong wind was felt proving that the baloon was at this instant in one current and the car in another; shortly afterward we entered a south southwest current, and moved north northeast till 6.48, at which time, whilst adjusting an instrument, the lamp fell over the side of the car, and the jar caused the light to go out. On descending the southeast current was again met with, and, as near as could be determined, at the same elevation. The temperature on the ground, as determined by Mr. Howe, was 38.3 deg.; it declined to 36.2 deg. at the height of 1,500 feet; it then increased to 37.2 deg. at 1,890 feet; then declined very gradually, occasional slight increase of temperature, to 27.2 deg. at 4,100 feet, above which there was no change to 4,700 feet. Shortly after this, at 6.48. having had the misfortune of losing my light, further experiments were necessarily discontinued. The temperature

on the ground was 401 deg. The air was nearly saturated with mois-ture on the ground, and up to 1,800 feet, where it was quite saturated, then somewhat short of saturation to 2,600 feet, where it again became saturated; at heights exceeding this the air was drier, and more so at about 4,000 feets where the temperature of the dew point was 8 deg. below that of the air. Two terrestrial radiation thermometers read several degrees below the shaded thermometer, one when 4,000 feet high was 18°, and the other 19°—the bulb of the latter was on wool, while the other projected into The path of the balloon, on leaving Woolwich, was northwest, crossing the river Thames diagonally into Essex, from there nearly over Stratford at 5.28; across Middlesex, nearly over Tottenham, at 5.36; Clapton eight minutes afterward; near Totterbridge or Barnet at 5.52, thus passing the north of London into Hertfordshire, near St. Albans, at 6.10, and onward toward Buckinghamshire; the Northwestern Railway, near Tring, was directly underneath at 6.18, having traveled at a rate exceeding thirty miles per hour. After this we changed our direction and moved northward, or north northeast, leaving Dunstable on our right about 6.30.

After the light had been extinguished our only care was to descend; looking downward, the earth seemed without inhabitants -not a light was visible and not a sound washeard—looking in the direction we were proceeding, there were many woods which we must pass, and we resolved thus to journey till we could have assistance; pre ently we saw a light, and shortly afterward several, and Mr. Orton, with the utmost dexterity, brought the balloon to the ground, without a bump, in the nearest field to the village of Ridgemount, Bedford-

The results of this ascent are very different from the preceding night ascent, but the circumstances were totally different. In the former case the sky was cloudless, in the latter it was covered with cloud. Some of these clouds were within 1,000 feet of the ground. One such cloud was over London, ground. One such cloud was over London, so that although passing north of London near to it, and not in clouds ourselves, not a single light or any effects of the London lights were seen. This cloud did not extend to Greenwich, for the lights at both Woolrich and Greenwich were very brilliant. Great was the contrast in this respect between the two ascents as was experienced

in other particulars. While passing over the country in the white passing over the country in the fermer ascent, the reflections of the moonbeams lighting up the river and many solitary sheets of water over the country suddenly lighted up, and as suddenly leaving them in darkness and brightening up others; these successive illuminations were quite wanting in the ascent; the moon herself was invisible, the earth was covered in many places with detached clouds far below, some of large extent covering miles of country, and others smaller.

While above the sky was uniformly black, and kept this appearance throughout, even when we were nearly one mile high. upper clouds must have been very high, vet although the moon and its effects wer wanting, there were many highly interesting views of the distribution of cloud, and of the different effects of the diffused over woods or fields, which prevailed over the earth, so that boundaries of fields could be seen even at our greatest elevation, and enabled us to determine satisfactorily path by noting the angle the balloon crossed the fields in comparison with the position of the manufactured.

BOARD OF TRADE EDWD. C. BILD F. SAMUEL E. STOKES, GEORGE N. TATHAM,

IMPORTATIONS.

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MARINE BULLETIN. PORT OF PHILADELPHIA-JANUARY 9. SUN RISES, 7 19 | SUN SETS, 4 41 | HIGH WATER, 8 32 CLEARED YESTERDAY.
Steamer W G Hewes, Austin, New Orleans, Bishop,

Son & Co. Brig Moses Day, Loud, Genoa, E A Souder & Co. MEMORANDA.

Steamer City of Londou, Moorehouse, from Liverpool for New York, put into Halifax 6th inst, short of coal. She has 42 cabin and 98 steerage passengers. She experienced heavy gales the entire passage.

Steamer Weccasco, Green, hence at New Orleans 2th Stesmer Weccaco, Green, hence at New Orleans 27th ult. via Key West.
Stesmer Alabama, Glover, from New York for New Orleans, was spoken 1st Inst. off Key West.
Stesmer Somerset, Raille, cleared at Baltimore 5th inst. for Liverpool.
Ship George, Schwanbeck, for this port, entered out at Londen 20th ult.
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Ship Harrisburg, Wiswell, was up at New Orleans 30th uit. for Havre.

Ship Consul (Br). Beasley, from Calcutta via Liverpool, at Savannah 31st uit.

Ship Alice Tainter, Murray, from Kurrachee, at Deal 21st uit. and proceeded is London.

Bark M E Corning, Thompson, cleared at London 20th uit. for this port.

Bark M Platenius, was up at Savannah 30th uit. for this port.

Bark Sarah Crowell, Messenger, sailed from Montevideo 26 Nov. for New York.

Brig Thor, for New York.

Schr Fannie, Varce, tor Havana 6th inst. was up at New Orlgans 28th uit. N w Orleans 28th ult. Schr CC May, May, hence for Galveston, sailed from Fort Monroe 4th just. Schr Rachel Vanneman. High, hence, was disch'g at

Schraphah 30th ult.
Schr Presto, hence for Providence, put into Newport 9th inst. with loss or mainboom and mainsail. MARINE MISCELLANY. MARINE MISCELLIANY.

Ship Bertha, from Handburg for New York, which put into Leith in distress, resumed her voyage on the 1sth ult. after repairing.

Schr Wild Pigeon, from Baltimore for New York, before reported sunk ten miles below Baltimore, was raised, taken back to B. repaired, and cleared again for New York 4th ltst.

Schr Eclipse, from New York, before reported as burned at Washington, DC. arrived at Baltimort 5th inst. for repairs.

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Messra F W Bennett & Co. auctioneers, sold on Saturday at the Baltimore Exchange sates room, the schr Elliott. 10 tons new measurement, as she lies at the upper end of Kent Island, for \$850.
The iron sidewheel steamer Annie. 163 feet long, 21 feet beam and 11 feet depth of hold, and drawing 51 feet of water, together with her tackle and apparel was sold at Savannah, on the 30th ult. for the sum of \$500e. The terms of sale were one-fourth cash, the balance in 30 days.

## MINING COMPANIES. **PROSPECTUS**

CARSON GOLD MINING COMPANY,

## NORTH CAROLINA.

The Land of this Company consists of 120 ACRES in Mecklenberg county, North Carolina, 3½ miles from the town of Charlotte, on a branch of Sugar Creek, which stream furnishes gook water power for grinding the ores. This Mine was first opened in 1838 by a man named Carson, who worked it successfully for a num-

ber of years. He died in the town of Charlotte, in 1846, worth over half a million dollars. Two shafts have been sunk on this property, one of them 80 feet, the other 60 feet, on different veins averaging from two to three feet in thickness, which veins still continue on down increasing in width and richness. These shafts are in good order, and ore can be readily taken out at any time, Other veins have bee discovered on this property, and tested and proved to be very rich in gold. The ores of this mine are known as the brown ore, and very rich, yielding readily \$10 per bushel. This is believed to be one of the best and most certain mines in the State, on account of the abundance and quality of the ore, and ease in which it is obtained and reduced. This property has been worked by Major Z. A. Grier from 1840 to the breaking out of the war. This Company have purchased this property, and intend to erect machinery and put the mines in immediate operation. The many advantages of this mine over the mines of Colorado and Nevada can hardly be estimated. It is more readily reached and has abundance of fuel, with cheap labor. It can be worked all the year, and not, as in the case of Colo rado and Nevada, be compelled to lie idle for three or four months in consequence of the severity of the

This mine having been worked for a long time proved to be a rich paying one. We do not, thereforehave to incur the risk there is in an undeveloped property, but can count on large and immediate returns on the investments. Having an ore that readily yield 110 per bushel, some estimate can be made of th-value of this property. With the present imperfect system of mining in this locality, and absence of proper machinery, ten tons of this ore can be taken on daily from every shaft opened. Estimating, say 1 bushels to the ton, the daily yield will be \$1,500 from one shaft, allowing \$500 per day for expenses. The neproduct will be \$1,200 per day; counting 300 working days to the year, the yearly proceeds will be \$360,000. which yield can be largely increased by extending the works. This is considered a very low estimate of the capacity of this mine by experienced miners of that locality. The Assayer of the United States Mint at Charlotte, in speaking of this property, says it has few equals in productiveness in that country, and with proper management and machinery the above product can be doubled.

> CAPITAL STOCK, \$500,000. NUMBER OF SHARES, 50,000.

Price and Par Value of each Share... WORKING CAPITAL, \$50,000.

Books for Subscription are now open at No. 407 WALNUT street, Room No. 2, first floor, where furthe information will be given.

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J. HOPKINS TARR, Secretary

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Room.
At this neeting the Annual Report of the Board of Managers will be presented, and nominations of officers for the ensuing year will be made.

JNO. A. Mcalluster
jaz-12tl Recording Secretary.

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Ross OIL COMPANY.—A mee ing of the Stockholders of the above Company, will be bed at their Office, No. 4 HAND Street, on the lith of January at 8 o'clock, P. M., to take into consideration the prepriety of changing the additional Stock lately added to the Capital, into Preferred Stock. A full attendance is tarnestly requested. All proxies must be dated ten days previous.

By order of the Board of Directors.

ROBT. WRAY, JR., Secretary.

PITTSHUEGH, Dec. 23, 1865.

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TWELFTH STREET MARKET COMPANY.—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders will be held at the office of the Company, northeast corner of Twelfth and Market streets, on SATURDAY 13th instant at 11 o'clock, A. M.

An election for nine Managers, to serve the ensuing year will be held same day between the nours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 2 o'clock P. M.

JUNEPH PANSON.

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OPPICE OF THE LOUIST MOUNTAIN

(OAL, AND) IRON COMPANY. - PHILADHIPHIA, January 4th, 1866.

The Anumal Meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Company, will be held at their office No 220 South Third street, on MONDAY the 5th of February pext, at 12 o'clock M., when an election will be held for seven Directors to serve for the ensuing year. rear.
The Transfer Books of the Company will be close or fifteen days prior to the day for said election.

jai-ties! EDWARD ELY, Secretary.

DATED PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5th, 1866. Ja5-2t.m, w l.tf.

OFFICE CATAWINSA RALLROAD COMPANY, No. 424 Walnut street, PHILADELPHIA.

January 2, 1866.

Whereas, The funds have been provided in pursuance of contract by the Atlantic and Great Western Raliroad Company for the payment of the first month's rent due by them, at the rate of \$85,000 per annum, to the Catawissa Raliroad Company; now, therefore, be in Resolved, That all said rents received by this Company or that may hereafter be received, be and are hereby appropriated to the payment of Dividends to the amount of 8 per cent. per annum upon the preferred atook, the certificates of indebtedness for arrear ages due thereon, and the common stock on a par value of \$50 each, to be paid in quarterly payments, commencing on the first Monday of May next.

By order of the Executive Committee.

M. P. HUTCHINSON,

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ebruary 1. der, &c. M. P. HUTCHINSON, Vice President and Secretary Philadelphia Board of Brokers, Dec. 29, 1885.

T. H. DU PUY, President Catawissa Railroad—
DEAR SIE: Our transactions in your stock are s
large and the time of closing your books of transfer, a
named, is of so long a duration, this Board would re
spectfully ask as a favor, if you can make it conve
nient to doso, to keep the transfer open until the 20th
of January next.

Hith, 1865. to procure funds for the extension of the Bailroad to the Wyoming Valley.

The Board of Directors of this Company, at their meeting, this day, passed the following resolution:

Ecsolved, That the Stockholders of this Company shall be entitled to subscribe, at par, for TWENTY FEE CENT. additional to the Stock standing in their respective names. on the Books of the Company, on the ist day of December next; and each Stockholder entitled to a fractional part of a Share, shall be allowed to subscribe for a full share, as no fractions will be issued.

we suscribe for a full share, as no fractions will be issued.

Subscription Books will be opened at the Company's office in Philadelphia on the 15th of December, and close on the 15th of January, 1882.

Payments to be made as follows: Five dollars per share to be paid at the time of subscribing, and five dollars per share on the 15th day of each and every month thereafter, until the whole amount shall have been paid—after which certificates of the new stock will be issued, but neither inferest nor dividend will be allewed until the whole shall be paid as aforesaid.

Those stockholders who fall to subscribe within the time mentioned of to pay the several instalments at or before the period they fall due, will less their night to the new stock.

By order of the Board. ie new stock.
By order of the Board.
L. CHAMBERLAIN,
Treasure

DIVIDEND NOTICES,

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE YOUNG AMERICA CRICKET CLUB will be held at LANGSTROTHS HALL, on TUESDAY, at 1½ o'clock, P. M. [ja8-2t\*] ELLICOTT FISHER, Sec'y.

NOTICE—The Annual Meeting of the Pennsylvana Petroleum Company will be held on TUES AY, January 8th, at 12 o'clock M., at the oilice of the Cumjany, No. 225 South Third street.

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The Annual Election for Directors of this Bank will
be held at the Banking House, on WEDNESDAY, the
lith day of January next, between the hours of 10
o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M.
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W. GUMMERE, Cashier El ja2,t 18

OFFICT OF THE ENTERPRISE INSURANCE COMPANY, 400 WALNUT Street.
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 1st, 1866.
The Directors have this day declared a dividend of
TREE PER CENT. on the capital six ck of the compayn
for the last six months, payable on demand, free of all
taxes.

JACOB E. PETERSON,
ja2-1211 Secretary pro. tem.

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PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9, 1885.—NATIONAL

EXCHANGE BANK, N. W. corner Second and
Green streets.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank, to elect Directors to serve the
ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House, on
TUESDAY, the 9th of January, 1866, between the
hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

del9-tu.tja10? GEU, J. HAMILTON, Casher. hours of the action of the chick of the chick of the chick of the Butler Coal Company. 108 South FOURTH street, Philadelphia, on WEDNESDAY, January 17th, 1866, at 12 o'clock, noon, when an election will be head for five Directors to serve for the ensuing year.

SAMUEL BUTTON, Secretary,

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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CONTINENTAL HOTEL COMPANY.—

The annual meeting of the Corporators and Stockholders of the Continental Hotel Company for the election of five Managers and the transaction of other business, will be held on MONDAY, January. other business, will be new on mount 15th, 1866, at 12 o'clock M. at the Hotel. J. SERGEANT PRICE, Secretary.

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PHILADELPHIA, December 27th, 1885—The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the sbamokin Coal Company will be held at the office. No 224 South FOURTH Street, on WEDNESDAY the Hih day of January next at 11 o'clock.

The Transfer Books will be closed from January 2nd to 19th.

C. R. LINDSAY, Secretary, 0 191n. de29tja17i

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THE FORTY-NINTH ANNIVERSARY OF
THE "INDIGENT WIDOWS AND SINGLE
WOMEN'S SOUETY, OF PHILADELPHIA," will
be held at the Widows' Asylum, Cherry street, above
seventeenth, on THURSDAY, January lith, 1866, at
12 o'clock, at which time the annual report will be
read, and an address delivered by Rev. Dr. Boardman.
The subscribers and other friends of the Institution,
are invited to attend.

dezijan,10-31\* PHILADELPHIA AND GRAY'S FERRY
PASSENGER RAILWAY COMPANY, PHILA-

DELPHIA, December, 23, 1885.

The Annual Meeting of Stockholders and an election for President, Treasurer and six Directors will be he'd at the effice of the Company, Twenty second stree below Spruce, on TUESDAY, January 16, 1866 at 10 o'clock A. M.

JAS, McFADDEN, Jr., de28-th stut lais

Secretary,

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Contributors to the HOUSE OF REFUGE will be held on
WEDNISDAY, the 1ctn inst, at 4 o'clock P.M., at
No. 109 North Tenth street, above Arch.
The Annual Report of the Board of Managers will be
submitted, jaind an election will be held or Officers
and Managers, to serve for the ensuling year.

ALEXANDER HENRY,
Secretary House of Reage.
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 2, 1866.

Secretary.

MOSELEM RAILROAD COMPANY, PHILA-MOSELEM RAILROAD COMPANY,
DELPHIA, December 22d, 1885.
The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Mose lem Railroad Company, will be held at the office of the Philadelphia and Reading Kailroad Company, No 22 South FOURTH street, Philadelphia, on MONDAY, January 18th, 1806, at 10 A. M., when an election will be held for a President and six Directors, to serve the ensuing year.

W. A. CHURCH, Secretary.

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COLEBROOKDALE RAILEO.D COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA. December 2d, 185.
The Annual Meeting of the Stockhoiders of the Cole
brook dale. Railroad Company will be held at the office
of the Philadelphia and Keading Railroad Company,
No. 22 South FoURTH Street, Philadelphia, on MONDAY, January 18th, 1866 at 11 A.M., when an election
will te held 'or a President and gix Directors, to serve
the ensuing year.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholder of the Company Sno. 35 South THILD Street.on TUES-DAY, January 18th, 1886, at 8 of clock. P. M.

The Stockholders are particularly requested to attend, as matters of importance will be brought forward, and a resolution will be introduced to reduce the capital stock of the Company.

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GIRARD NATIONAL BANK, PHILADELPHIA,
December 5th, 1885.
The Annual Election for Directors will be held at the
Banking House, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of
January, 1866, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
A meeting of the Stockholders will be held at the
same place and on the same day at 12 o'clock M., for
the purpose of taking into consideration the general
interests of the Institution.

W. L. SCHAFFER,
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Cashier.

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MERCANTILE LIBRARY COMPANY
JANUARY 2d, 1866.
The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the
Mercantile Library Company, will be held on TUESDAY, January 16, at 75, o clock P. M., in the Library
Room.

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for fifteen days prior to the day for said election.

Jai-Heed EDWARD ELY, Secretary.

DELAWARE MINING COMPANY OF

MICHIGAN.—Notice is hereby given that all

Stock in this Company on which the pinth instalment
of THREE DOLLARS per share, called October 23th,
1855, and due November sith, 1855, is not paid, is forfeited for said default, and that, according to the
Charter and By-Laws of the Company, it will be sold at
Public Auction on MONDAY, February 5th, 1856, at
12 o'clock, M. at the office of the Secretary of the Company. No. 325 Wainut street, Philadelphia, unless paid
on or before that time.

By order of the Board of Directors,
BWAATT WISTAR, Secretary,
DATED PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5th, 1866, 195-21.m, w. I, III

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OFFICE CATAWISSA RAILROAD COMPANY, No. 424 WALNUT street—PHILADEL
PHIA, Dec. 29, 1855.
In compliance with request of the Board of Brokers,
hereto annexed the Transfer Books of the Company
for the preferred stock will remain open until the 20th
of January, 1866, after which date they will be closed
until February I.

By order, &c.

M. P. HUTCHINSON.

of January next.

I am. truly, your obedient servant,
de30-tf GEO, W. CAMBLOS, President GEO. W. CAMBLOS, President,
OFFICE OF THE LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA. NOVember
14th, 1855.

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Treasurer.

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JOHN W. EVELMAR'S GO.,
TO. 102 Jones's Aire,

OFFICE OF UNION MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.—PHILADELPHIA. January 2, 1868.
The Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of EIGHT PER CENT. on the Stock, and SIX PER CENT. on the outstanding Scrip of the Company, payable on demand, free of taxes.

jai 1212 JOHN MOSS, Secretary.

JOHN MOSS, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE FAME INSURANCE
COMPANY, No. 406 CHESTNUT street. PHI-LADELPHIA, Jan. 2d, 1866,
The Board of Directors have this day declared a
dividend of THREE PER CENT, payable on demand,
clear of all taxes.

W. I BLANCHARD,
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Secretary

Ja2-1212 Secretary pro. tem.

OFFICE OF THE PHILADELPHIA AND
ERIE LAND COMPANY, No. 205½ WALNUT
street, January 5th, 1866.
At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day a Dividend of THREE (3) PER CENT. was declared on the Capital Stock of the Company, payable on and after the 15th inst.

H. P. RUTTER,

Ja8-121\* Secretary.

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THE HOME INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA JARNARY 1, 1865.

PHILADELPHIA JARNARY 1, 1865.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS—The Directors have This Day declared a Dividend of TERREE PER (ZENT, payable on and after TUESDAY next, the 9th instant, free of National and State Tax.

OFFICE OF SECOND AND THIRD STREET PASSENGER RAILWAY COMPANY, NO. 2483

The Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT. for the last six months, payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the 8th inst., clear of all taxes.

E. A. LESLEY, 1865.

Treasurer.

OFFICE ST. NICHOLAS COAL COMPANY, 2054 WALNUT Street, PHILADRIPHIA, Jan. 519, 1854 WALNUT STREET, PHILADRIPHIA CENT. On the Capital Stock for the quarter ending December on the Capital Stock for the quarter ending December 30th, 1855. Payable on and after Jan. 15tn. Transfe Books will be closed on Tuesday. Jan. 9th, 1866, and re opened on Monday, the 18th. jas-6ty.

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