CITY BULLETIN.

ANOTHER MOVE UPWARD.—Following the movement westward, Mr. George W. Vogel, who for nineteen years past, has been engaged in business at No. 1016 Chestnut street, has taken possession of a new and handsome store, No. 1202 Chestnut street. Mr. Vogel has a reputation in his peculiar line of business to which few men have aspired. He makes a specialty of rich lace goods of all descriptions, which he imports directly from the manufacturers, and sells without the addition of a middle profit. His stock is one of the best and most extensive in the country, and persons from the most distant sections, even in large neighboring cities, relying upon his experience and taste, forward orders to him. In addition to lace goods, Mr. Vogel has a complete stock of ladies', gentlemen's and misses' kid gloves, of all sizes, colors and styles are obtained from manufacturers only, and are consequently offered at rates much lower than they could be if they were purchased, as is usually the case, from jobbers and importers. Persons who wish anything in this line, or who desire to purchase lace goods of any description, will obtain immense advantages at Mr. Vogel's store.

THE WEATHER.—The mercury in the thermometer has taken a downward tendency, and the hearts of the proprietors of the various skating parks are gladdened thereby. This morning the atmosphere was very keen, and people hurried along the streets blowing their fingers and rubbing their noses. Ice was formed in the gutters, and a thin coat appeared on the ponds in the suburbs. A brief continuance of this sharp, cold weather will be sufficient to put all the skating parks in first-class condition. As yet, there are no signs of ice on the Schuylkill. The ice dealers have had a very poor chance to get in stock thus far this winter, and when the river does freeze they will have to make the best of their time, or the lovers of juleps and cobblers will have an expensive luxury next summer.

ALLEGED SHOPLIFTER.—Charles Williams was arrested yesterday by High Constable Clark upon the charge of shoplifting. It seems that last week Williams and a woman went into the store of Thomas Morgan, No. 72 North Fourth street. After their departure, a piece of satin valued at $62 was missed. One of the employes of the establishment went after Williams and captured him, but was given the slip at a house in Locust street where Williams took his captor. Yesterday afternoon he was observed in the neighborhood of Sixth and Arch streets, and was pointed out to High Constable Clark. The prisoner had a hearing before Ald. Kerr last evening and was committed for a further hearing.

GOING TO WASHINGTON.—The Mantua Hook and Ladder Company, No. 3, intend visiting Washington, D. C., on the 4th of March next, and will be received by the Metropolitan Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, of that city. They will number about eighty men, and be accompanied by the Jefferson Cornet Band. John Given has been chosen Chief Marshal, and Jesse J. Groom, John Hooven, Charles Woolston and Julius Vogelson, Assistants. The Truck is now out of service for repairs, and is to be handsomely decorated for the occasion.

THE KILLING OF BIRDS.—Mayor Fox has issued a proclamation announcing that the ordinance of January 1, 1869, to prevent the killing of birds in the city, will be strictly enforced after this date. This ordinance provides that any person who shall capture, trap, snare, stone, throw at, shoot, wound or kill any bird or birds within the limits of the city of Philadelphia, shall incur a penalty of five dollars for each and every such offence, the whole of which penalty shall go to the informer or prosecutor; and it is made the duty of all the officers and members of the police of the city, and those having charge of the public squares, to see that the provisions are carried into effect.

FIRE IN THE NINETEENTH WARD.—Last evening, about half-past six o'clock, a fire broke out in a building on Waterloo street, above Columbia avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward. The structure is occupied by Frederick Gall on the first floor, Frederick Benhart on the second floor, and Christopher Nealner on the third floor. The occupants are all engaged in the manufacture of coverlets. The flames originated in the third story, and were confined to that part of the building, but all the looms, material and stock of coverlets were destroyed or ruined. The occupants of the lower floors suffered greatly by water. The total loss is estimated at $3,000.

INCREASING THE ROLLING STOCK.—The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company is already well supplied with rolling stock, but the business is constantly undergoing such an increase that it has been found necessary to make a large addition to the number of locomotives and cars now owned by the company. A contract for ten new engines, to be built at the Baldwin Locomotive Works, has been entered into, and at the workshops of the P. and R. R. Co., at Reading, one thousand new cars of different kinds are in the course of construction.

LICENSES FOR PLACES OF AMUSEMENT.—The following licenses for places of amusement have been issued by the Mayor during this week:

United American Mechanics' Hall.
Friendship Hall.
Herman Hall.
National Guards' Hall.
Morton Hall.
Odd Fellows' Hall, Third and Brown
German Literary Association, Fifth and Gaskill.

FOUNDLING.—A very pretty male infant, apparently but a few days old, was found at an early hour this morning in a small street in the neighborhood of Tenth and Shippen streets. The little fellow was carefully wrapped up in a piece of carpet. He was taken to the Seventeenth District Police Station, and was properly provided for.

GREAT TEMPERANCE MEETING.—A large temperance meeting was held last evening at Rev. Dr. Shepherd's Church, on which occasion addresses were made by Hiram Ward, Thomas M. Coleman and Messrs. Lincoln, Ludwig and others. The proceedings were interspersed with singing by ladies of the congregation. The occasion was one of unusual interest.

SUSPICIOUS.—Last evening about seven o'clock a man who gave his name as John Grubb was found in the yard of a house at Seventh and Orange streets, acting in a suspicious manner. He was arrested by Policeman Moulile, of the Fifth District. Ald. Swift committed Grubb in default of $500 bail.

RE-OPENING OF THE MAMMOTH SKATING RINK, TWENTY-FIRST AND RACE STREETS.—This splendid Skating Rink will re-open for skating and the public this evening. The late cold snap has put the ice in it in splendid condition for skating, and thousands will doubtless be present this evening to enjoy the sport of skating and the other pleasures of the occasion. The Meagher Brothers will take part in the opening.

JUNIOR SONS OF AMERICA.—A complimentary ball to Washington Camp No. 1, P. O. J. S. A. will be given at Washington Hall, Eighth and Spring Garden streets, on Monday evening next. A very pleasant affair may be expected.

SERMON TO YOUNG MEN.—Professor Doolittle, of Rutgers College, N. Jersey, will deliver a discourse to young men, at the Third Reformed Church, Tenth and Filbert streets, to-morrow evening.

THE MAGIC COMB for sale by all Druggists.

The New Court-House.

Editors Bulletin:—GENTLEMEN: My attention has been called to your remarks in relation to what I said at the Public Buildings Commission on the subject of the Court-house on Sixth street. Part of what I said is reported in your paper of 21st inst. with tolerable correctness.

What I meant to convey was, not that the building was a handsome one in itself, but that it was commodious, and handsomer by comparison than any other the city had erected for public purposes on Independence Square; that there was a necessity for additional accommodation for the Court of Quarter Sessions, and that the building in question was the best that could be got from Councils at the time—all of which is true. I am sure I never pretended that it was to be admired in an artistic point of view. An inspection of it will satisfy any one of its commodiousness, and in that particular it is not excelled by any in the interior of the State, and I have seen the best of them. There is every comfort and convenience for judges, district-attorney, lawyers, juries, clerks, witnesses and spectators; there are clerks' offices, retiring room for judges, fire-proofs, water-closets, wash-basins, bedding and sleeping-rooms for jurors, heating and lighting apparatus, superior to any ever before furnished to courts in Philadelphia, and, as I believe, unequaled by any in the interior of the State.

The building is 112x60 feet—6,720 superficial feet—and was erected and furnished for about $70,000, a sum much less than is generally supposed. The old State House is only 100x40 feet—4,000 superficial feet.

I will relieve your anxiety by assuring you that you need not fear, Messrs. Editors, that any building of its style of architecture will be authorized by the Public Buildings Commission.

Respectfully yours,
January 23d, 1869. JOSHUA SPERING.

CITY NOTICES.

IMPORTANT TO THOSE ABOUT TO BUILD.—Nathan W. Ellis, having completed his extensive Depot of Builders' Materials, is now prepared to meet the wants of those who wish to purchase or sell second-hand Doors, Windows, Sashes, Store Fixtures, &c. Persons who intend building may materially reduce their expenses by visiting his yard, on Sixth street, above Oxford, and making selections from his almost endless variety of articles. They will find a stock of *new* doors, &c., at very low prices.

SUMMER AND WINTER.
COLGATE & CO.'S TOILET SOAPS we have used for years, and found them always softening to the skin in winter, and so pleasant in summer, that we could not do without them.—*Religious Telescope.*

SUITS of furniture overhauled, freed from moths, varnished and made equal to new, at Patten's West End Upholstery Store, 1409 Chestnut street.

QUIET and soothe the pain of children teething—Use Bower's Infant Cordial. Sold by all Druggists.

"BOWER'S Gum Arabic Secrets"—Use them for your Cough and pulmonary troubles. Depot Sixth and Vine. Price 35 cents. Sold by Druggists.

FURS, FURS, FURS, FURS,
The best and lowest priced in the city,
At OAKFORDS', 834 and 836 Chestnut street.

BEDDING, Window Shades, Curtains and Upholstery Goods. Upholstering of every description done at PATTEN'S, 1408 Chestnut street.

CHARLES STORES & CO.,
Merchant Tailors
and Clothiers,
No. 524 Chestnut street.

UPHOLSTERY.—Persons wanting upholstery work done would do well to remember that Patten, 1408 Chestnut street, is prompt, thorough and reasonable; no *disappointment*, no *delay*.

THE rush of the holidays being over, we are now prepared with as large a stock as ever of the finest Furs. CHARLES OAKFORD & SONS,
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CURTAINS, Window Shades, Upholstery and Bedding. Houses fitted out by practical workmen. *No delay. No disappointment.* At Patten's, 1408 Chestnut street.

CORNS, Bunions, Inverted Nails, skillfully treated by Dr. J. Davidson, No. 915 Chestnut street. Charges moderate.

DEAFNESS, BLINDNESS AND CATARRH.
J. Isaacs, M. D., Professor of the Eye and Ear treats all diseases appertaining to the above members with the utmost success. Testimonials from the most reliable sources in the city can be seen at this office, No. 805 Arch street. The medical faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has no secrets in his practice. Artificial eyes inserted. No charge made for examination.

FURNITURE mended, varnished and made look equal to new. Work done at house or taken away, at Patten's, 1408 Chestnut street.

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS and druggists' sundries.
SNOWDEN & BROTHER,
23 South Eighth street.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

TO CAPITALISTS, BUSINESS MEN AND Others.—Extra Valuable Real Estate.—Thomas & Sons, Auctioneers.—Very Valuable Building, known as the "National Hall," Nos. 1224, 1226 and 1228 Market street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, 66 feet front on Market street, 190 feet in depth to Leiper street, 2 fronts.—On Tuesday, February 9, 1869, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that large and valuable lot of ground, with the improvements thereon erected, situate on the south side of Market street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, Nos. 1224, 1226 and 1228; containing in front on Market street 66 feet, and extending in depth 190 feet to Leiper street, on which it has a front of 66 feet. The improvements consist of a large and very substantially built three story brick building, known as the "National Hall;" on the first floor there are a forwarding warehouse, with railroad track running through to Leiper street, and two stores fronting on Market street; on the second floor is the largest concert room in the United States. The third floor can be used for society rooms.

☞ The above is one of the most valuable properties ever offered at public sale. Subject to a yearly ground rent of $2 200.

$20,000 may remain on mortgage.

May be examined any time previous to sale. $1,000 to be paid at time of sale.

M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers.
ja 23 30 fe6 139 and 141 South Fourth street.

REAL ESTATE.—THOMAS & SONS' SALE.—Valuable Business Stand. Three-story Brick Store and Dwelling, No. 641 South street, with Two-story Frame House in rear on Mary street. On Tuesday, February 2, 1869, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that lot of ground, with the improvements thereon erected, beginning at a point on the north side of South street, 58 feet east of Seventh street. No 641; thence north 90 feet to S. side of Mary street; thence east along the south side of Mary street 12 feet 4 inches; thence south 30 feet 4 inches; thence east 5 feet 8 inches, more or less; thence south 9 feet 2 inches, more or less; thence west 5 feet 4 inches; thence south 12 feet 9 inches; thence west 4 inches; thence south 27 feet 10 inches to south street, and thence west along the north side of South street 13 feet 2½ inches to the place of beginning. The improvements consist of a three-story brick store and dwelling, fronting on South street, No. 641, and a two-story frame dwelling on Mary street.

☞ The above is a good business stand.

☞ Clear of all incumbrance.

Immediate possession. Terms—$3,000 may remain on mortgage.

May be examined any time previous to sale.

M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers.
ja23 30 139 and 141 South Fourth street.

REAL ESTATE—THOMAS & SONS' SALE.—Desirable three-story brick Dwelling, No. 229 North Tenth street, between Race and Vine streets. On Tuesday, February 2, 1869, will be sold at public sale, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that desirable three-story brick messuage and lot of ground, situate on the east side of Tenth street, 86 feet north of Sergeant street, No. 229; the lot containing in front on Tenth street 17 feet, and extending in depth 58 feet to a 4 feet wide alley, with the free use and privilege of said alley. The house has the gas introduced; bath room, store-room, flagstone pavement, wash-pays, &c.

Subject to an apportioned yearly ground rent of $76 50.

Immediate possession. Terms cash.

Keys at 1111 Race street.

M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers.
ja23,30 139 and 141 South Fourth street.

REAL ESTATE—THOMAS & SONS' SALE.—Business Stand. Three-story Brick Tavern and Dwelling, southwest corner of Eleventh and Filbert streets. On Tuesday, February 2, 1869, will be sold at public sale, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that valuable three-story brick messuage, with two-story back building and lot of ground, situate at the southwest corner of Eleventh and Filbert streets; containing in front on Eleventh street 16 feet, and extending in depth 62 feet to a 4 feet wide alley, with the privilege thereof. It has gas, bath, hot and cold water, range, &c. Subject to a yearly ground rent of $52.

Terms—Half cash. Immediate possession.

May be examined any day previous to sale.

M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers.
ja23 30 139 and 141 South Fourth street.

PUBLIC SALE.—THOMAS & SONS, AUCTIONEERS.—Four genteel three-story rough-cast Dwellings, southeast corner of Fifty-fourth and Wyalusing streets, above Market st., Twenty-fourth Ward. On Tuesday, February 9, 1869, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all those four three-story brick rough-cast messuages and lots of ground thereunto belonging, situate at the southeast corner of Fifty-fourth and Wyalusing streets, Twenty fourth Ward; each lot 26 feet front and 117 feet deep. Each house has piazza front and on the side.

Each subject to a yearly ground rent of $62, except the one adjoining the corner, which is clear of all incumbrance.

Terms—Cash.

M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers.
ja22 30&fe6 139 and 141 South Fourth street.

WANTS.

WANTED.—A GENTLEMAN COMPETENT TO TAKE charge of the financial affairs of a mercantile house, or to hold any position in a bank, desires a situation. As first-class services are offered, a corresponding compensation will be expected. Address ERBEN, BULLETIN office. 1t*

FOR SALE.

COUNTRY SEAT AND FARM FOR SALE.—50 or 100 acres, Bristol pike, above 7th mile stone, and near Tacony. Mansion house and dwellings to let. Apply on the premises or at 610 Locust street ja23-3t*

FOR SALE.—A VERY VALUABLE GERMANTOWN property, embracing a large lot of ground, mansion, stable, ice house, and everything pertaining to a first class residence.

Terms accommodating, or would exchange for improved city properties, or land in the northern part of the city.

Address Box 1706,
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TO RENT.

A STORE TO LET,
516 COMMERCE STREET.
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NEW CORDAGE FACTORY
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MISCELLANEOUS.

ONE POUND OF BUTTER
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ONE PINT OF MILK.

$25 profit made by investing $1 for a bottle of the EXTRACT OF BUTTER PLANT, which, with six gallons of milk, will produce 50 lbs of prime fresh Butter. This inexpensive, excellent Butter is now daily consumed from the tables of the first Hotels, Restaurants and private families in New York city and elsewhere.

State, County and City Rights for sale, offering to capitalists rare opportunities for establishing a staple business, paying enormous profits. Agents wanted everywhere.

A bottle of the Extract, sufficient to make 50 lbs. of Butter, with full directions for use, will be sent to any address on the receipt of $1 00.

The public are cautioned against all worthless imitations, sold under the name of "Butter Powders, Compounds, &c.," as the EXTRACT OF BUTTER PLANT is prepared only by the

ECONOMY BUTTER COMPANY,
Office, 115 Liberty Street.
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NEW YORK CITY.

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INSURANCE STATEMENTS.

ANNUAL STATEMENT
OF THE
PENN MUTUAL
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
OF
PHILADELPHIA,
Office, No. 921 Chestnut Street.

PUBLISHED IN CONFORMITY WITH THE CHARTER.

Receipts for the year ending Dec. 31, 1868.

Premiums received, Policy fees, &c.	$614,079 68	
Interest on Investments	158,628 69	
		$772,708 17

Losses and Expenditures During the Year.

Losses on 47 lives amounting to	158,300 00	
Expenses, Salaries, Advertising, Stamps, &c.	20,575 07	
Rent and Taxes—City, State and National	4,251 36	
Commissions to Agents, Licenses, &c.	55,923 98	
Premiums returned and Policies cancelled	28,571 69	
Interest on Stocks and Loans Bought	640 21	
		268,424 16
Surplus		$504,284 01
Accumulated Assets, December 31, 1867	2,001,645 97	
Deduct Scrip received in payment of Premiums and Notes	100,550 00	
		1,901,095 97
Accumulated Assets, December 31, 1868		$2,405,379 98

Assets of the Company.

	Cost.	
$100,000 00 U. S. 5 per cent. 10-40 Loan	$100,000 00	
320,000 00 U. S. 6 per cent. 5-20 Loan	321,575 00	
75,000 00 U. S. 6 per cent. Loan of 1861	79,987 50	
25,000 00 U. S. 6 per cent. Bonds to Pacific Railroad	25,406 25	
10,000 00 Pennsylvania 6 per cent. War Loan	10,225 00	
180,000 00 Philadelphia 6 per cent. Loan, free	172,351 13	
6,600 00 Philadelphia 6 per cent. Loan, taxed	6,176 00	
6,700 00 Philadelphia 5 per ct. Loan, short	5,808 00	
10,000 00 Pittsburgh 6 per cent. Coupon Bonds	8,325 00	
26,000 00 Allegheny County 6 per cent. Bonds	19,895 00	
12,000 00 Allegheny County 5 per cent. Compromise Bonds	9,000 00	
10,000 00 Washington County 6 per cent. Bonds	7,525 00	
21,000 00 Pennsylvania Railroad 1st mortgage 6 per cent. Bonds	20,800 00	
30,000 00 Pennsylvania Railroad 5 year 6 per ct. Bonds	29,656 25	
17,000 00 Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co. 6 per cent. Gold Loan	14,450 00	
5,000 00 Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co. Convertible Bonds	4,000 00	
10,000 00 Harrisburg Railroad 6 per cent. Bonds	10,700 00	
10,000 00 Louisville City 6 per cent. Bonds	7,141 40	
30,000 00 St. Louis City 6 per cent. Bonds	25,050 00	
1,000 Shares Pennsylvania Railroad Stock	45,954 88	
260 Shares Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co. Stock	13,317 26	
200 Shares Northern Central Railroad Stock	8,825 00	
212 Shares Girard Life Insurance, Annuity and Trust Co.	5,575 88	
100 Shares Western National Bank Stock	6,863 50	
209 Shares Commercial National Bank Stock	11,035 25	
76 Shares North America National Bank Stock	10,168 00	
100 Shares Manufacturers' National Bank Stock	2,764 00	
50 Shares Girard National Bank Stock	2,009 00	
19 Shares Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank Stock	1,980 00	
425 Shares Corn Exchange National Bank Stock	21,250 00	
50 Shares Mechanics' Bank of St. Louis Stock	4,950 50	
250 Shares Delaware Mutual Safety Insurance Stock	6,250 00	
		$1,018,694 28
554,244 21 Bonds and Mortgages, all first liens		551,544 19
10,095 73 Ground Rents		9,285 22
Real Estate, Buildings of the Company		74,529 85
Premium Notes secured by Policies		449,445 93
Loans on Collaterals		25,969 99
Balances in hands of Agents		26,991 94
Quarterly Payments due Company		3,901 42
Office Furniture		2,603 23
Scrip Dividends purchased by Company		135,593 70
Interest on Stocks and Loans accrued to December 31, 1868		42,338 43
Cash on hand and in Bank		62,923 03
Annuity		200 25
		$2,422,079 98
Deduct losses, not yet due		16,700 00
Amount		$2,405,379 98
Market Value, January, 1869		$2,531,758 98

At an election held at the Office of the Company on January 4th, 1869, the following named gentlemen were chosen Trustees for three years:—

RODOLPHUS KENT,
SAMUEL J. CHRISTIAN,
JAMES O. PEASE,
WARNER M. RASIN,
FREDERIC A. HOYT,
CHRISTIAN J. HOFFMAN,
CHARLES WATSON,
ELLWOOD JOHNSON,
JOHN G. REPPLIER.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees, the following Officers were elected:

JAMES TRAQUAIR, President.
SAMUEL E. STOKES, Vice President.
JOHN W. HORNOR, A. V. P. and Actuary.
HORATIO S. STEPHENS, Secretary.

The Board declared a *Return Premium Dividend* of FIFTY PER CENT. upon the Premiums paid in 1868 on all Policies in force December 31, 1868, and decided to receive the Scrip Certificates of 1868 in settlement of premiums and premium notes as the premiums mature.

The Company, under authority of the several Insurance Departments, is transacting business in New York, Massachusetts, Ohio, Missouri and other States. H. G. Wilson, Superintendent of Agencies.

TRUSTEES:

Samuel C. Huey,	John G. Brenner,
Theophilus Paulding,	Benjamin Coates,
Edmund A. Souder,	Richard S. Newbold,
Samuel E. Stokes,	James B. McFarland,
Henry C. Townsend,	William P. Hacker,
Thomas W. Davis,	Joseph H. Trotter,
Joseph M. Price,	William H. Kern,
Samuel A. Bispham,	James Euston,
Rodolphus Kent,	Edward M. Needles,
Samuel J. Christian,	Charles Watson,
James O. Pease,	Ellwood Johnson,
Warner M. Rasin,	John G. Rappler,
Frederic A. Hoyt,	John A. Needles, Balt.
Christian J. Hoffman,	

SOLICITOR,
HENRY C. TOWNSEND.
MEDICAL EXAMINERS,
EDWARD HALTSHORNE, M. D., No. 1429 Walnut st.
EDWARD A. PAGE, M. D., No. 1415 Walnut street.
In attendance at the Office of the Company from 1 to 2 P. M. daily.

JAMES TRAQUAIR, President.
SAMUEL E. STOKES, Vice President.
JOHN W. HORNOR, A. V. P. and Actuary.
HORATIO S. STEPHENS, Secretary. ja22-f,s,tu,th,s 6t5

INSURANCE STATEMENTS.

THE PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY
FOR
INSURANCES ON LIVES
AND
GRANTING ANNUITIES.

Capital, - - - $1,000,000

56th Annual Statement.

Publish, in conformity with an act of the Legislature, the following statement of their assets on the 1st December, 1868:

Real Estate, League Island; Office Building, 304 Walnut street, and several well-secured Ground Rents	$383,503 75
Bonds and Mortgages on unincumbered Property	670,980 00
Loans, with ample collaterals	918,451 48
Debts due to Company, including advances on Trust Estates	118,153 04
Cash	202,288 42
Stocks and Loans per list below	2,376,591 92
	$4,664,919 23

112 shs. Commercial National Bank	
304 shs. Farmers' and Mechanics' Nat. Bank	
161 shs. Philadelphia National Bank	
45 shs. State Bank of Camden	
600 shs. Locust Mountain Iron Co	
200 shs. Minehill and Schuylkill Haven Railroad	
244 shs. Cleveland and Mahoning R. R.	
33 shs. Delaware Bridge Co., Easton	
300 shs. Insurance Co. North America	
103 shs. Schuylkill Navigation Co	
57 shs. Pennsylvania R. R. Co	
50 shs. North Pennsylvania R. R. Co	
69 shs. Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co.	
17,200 Philadelphia 5 per cent. Loan	
14,500 Philadelphia 6 per cent. Loan	
111,400 Philadelphia 6 per cent. Gas Loan	
10,000 Schuylkill Navigation Co. 6 per cent. Loan, 1873	
8,000 Pittsburgh 6 per cent. Loan	
293,700 Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co. 6 per cent. Loan, 1884	
99,000 Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co. 6 per cent. conv. loan	
Chesapeake and Delaware Canal 6 per cent. Loan	
3,400 Tennessee 5 per cent. Loan	
12,000 Youghiogheny C. H. Coal Co. 10 per cent. Loan	
600 Schuylkill Navigation 7 per cent. Boat Loan	
52,500 U. S. 6 per cent. Loan, 1881	
650 U. S. 5-20 Loan, July, 1865	
8,600 U. S. 5-20 Loan, 1862	
24,900 U. S. 5-20 Loan, Nov., 1865	
100,000 Pennsylvania R. R. 6 per cent. Debenture Bonds	
18,000 Tennessee 6 per cent. Bonds	
12,000 Tennessee 6 per cent. Bonds	
21,680 North Pennsylvania R. R. 6 per cent. Bonds	
8,000 Pittsburgh 5 per ct. Comp. Bonds	
36,000 New Jersey 6 per cent. Bonds	
30,000 Junction R. R. 6 per cent. Bonds	
5,000 Harrisburg, P., Mt. J. and L. 6 per cent. Bonds	$2,376,591 92
20,000 Wyoming Valley Canal 6 per cent. Bonds	
5,000 Alleghany 6 per cent. Bonds	
30,000 Pennsylvania 6 per cent. War Loan	
598,600 Pennsylvania 6 per cent. 15-25	
25,000 McKean and Elk Land Improvement 6 per cent. Bonds	
41,000 Warren and Franklin R.R. 7 per cent. Bonds	
9,000 Belvidere and Delaware R.R. 6 per cent. Bonds	
20,000 Cleveland and Mahoning R.R. 7 per cent. Bonds	
2,000 Dela. and Raritan and Camden and Amboy 6 per cent. Bonds	
27,000 Lackawanna and Bloomsburg R.R. 7 per cent. Bonds	
80,000 U. S. 10-40 Bonds	
20,000 Hamilton County (Ohio) 6 per cent. Bonds	
26,000 Sunbury and Erie R. R. 7 per cent. Bonds	
20,000 Western Pennsylvania R. R. 6 per cent. Bonds	
40,000 Pennsylvania Railroad 6 per cent. Bonds	
50,000 Union and Logansport 7 per cent. Bonds	
5,000 J. H. Lucas 8 per cent. Bonds	
8,000 Elmira and Williamsport R. R. 5 per cent Bonds	
60,000 Little Schuylkill R. R. 7 per cent. Bonds	
40,000 Philadelphia and Erie R. R. 6 per cent. Bonds	
14,000 Reading R. R. 7 per cent. Bonds	
5,000 Tennessee 6 per cent. Bonds	
143,000 Camden and Amboy 6 per cent. Consolidated Bonds	
1,000 Lehigh Valley Railroad 6 per cent. Bonds	
3,000 Northern Liberty R.R. 6 per cent. Bonds	
37,000 Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co. 6 per cent Gold Bonds	
6,812 25 City Warrants	

CHARLES DUTILH, President.
WILLIAM B. BILL, Actuary.

OFFICE OF THE PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY FOR INSURANCES ON LIVES AND GRANTING ANNUITIES, 304 WALNUT STREET.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 19, 1869.

At an Election of the Stockholders, held on MONDAY, the 18th inst., the following gentlemen were unanimously re-elected Directors for the ensuing year:

Charles Dutilh,	Alexander Biddle,
Henry J. Williams,	Joshua B. Lippincott,
William S. Vaux,	S. Morris Wain,
John R. Wucherer,	Charles H. Hutchinson,
St. George T. Campbell,	Lindley Smyth,
Adolph E. Borie,	George A. Wood,
	Anthony J. Antelo.

And at a meeting of the Directors held this day, CHARLES DUTILH was unanimously re-elected President, and WM. B. HILL, Actuary.

WILLIAM B. HILL, Actuary
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PROVIDENT
LIFE AND TRUST COMPANY
OF PHILADELPHIA.
Office 111 South Fourth Street.

PHILADELPHIA, First Month 1st, 1869.

The following statement of the assets and business of this Company is published in compliance with the General Insurance Law of the State of Pennsylvania.

Authorized Capital fully paid in	$150,000 00
Surplus Capital	34,933 54
	$184,933 54

Assets.	*Present Value.*
$840,055 00 Mortgages first liens on city property	$840,055 00
6,000 Ground Rents	5,850 00
165,300 00 United States 6 per cent. bonds 5-20's,	173,775 25
55,500 00 do. do. do. 1881's,	61,610 00
30,000 00 do. do. currency interest loan	30,000 00
1,600 00 United States 5 per cent. currency 10-40's	1,708 00
8,600 00 City of Philadelphia 6 per cent. loan,	8,600 00
5,000 00 Junction Railroad 6 per cent. bonds,	4,600 00
2,500 00 State of Pennsylvania 6 per cent. bonds	2,600 00
6,000 Lehigh Navigation Company 6 per cent. bonds	5,040 00
28,172 00 226 shares Central National Bank	28,250 00
8,192 67 30 shares Bank of the Republic	8,000 00
5,825 01 100 shares Lehigh Valley Railroad	5,400 00
2,775 00 5 shares Fidelity Safe Deposit Co.	2,775 00
347,796 84 Loans on Collateral Security	347,796 84
21,438 00 Sundry securities deposited with us for collection of interest	21,438 00
38,898 53 Cash on hand	38,898 53
102,804 66 Premium Notes secured by Loans on Policies	102,804 66
	$895,101 28
Office Fixtures $3,000 00	
Cash in hands of Agents, 42,904 54	
Value of Deferred Premiums for the current year 30,668 01	
	76,572 55
	$971,673 83

BUSINESS OF THE COMPANY FOR 1868.

Premiums, including Annuities	$212,957 01	
Interest on Premium Fund	14,095 77	
Interest on Annuity Fund	1,546 30	
	228,509 08	
Cash in hands of Agents and Deferred Premiums	73,572 55	
	302,081 63	
Less Agents' Commissions	25,594 02	
		276,487 61
Interest on other Investments		46,220 38
Policies issued in 1868, 1,001 insuring		3,295,227 00
Policies outstanding, 12 mo. 31, 1868, 2,014 insuring		6,019,097 00
Amount of Annuities sold in 1868		1,922 96
Total amount of Annuities sold in 1868		13,747 12
Losses by deaths, numbering seven		22,000 00
Total amount of deaths from the origin of the Company		46,500 00
Expenses for 1868		32,769 83
Liabilities to Depositors and Trusts		442,078 36

SAMUEL R. SHIPLEY, President.
WILLIAM C. LONGSTRETH, Vice-President.
ROWLAND PARRY, Actuary.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel R. Shipley,	Phila.	Richard Cadbury,	Phila.
Joshua H. Morris,	"	Henry Haines,	"
Richard Wood,	"	T. Wistar Brown,	"
W. Hacker,	"	Wm. C. Longstreth,	"

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President.
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INSURANCE STATEMENTS.

SPRING GARDEN
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
OFFICE,
N. W. corner Sixth and Wood Streets.

PHILADELPHIA, January 1, 1869.

The following statement of the assets of the Company is published in compliance with the provisions of the act of the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania, April, 1843:

Real Estate		$10,375 00
Ground Rents, improved		2,664 50
Mortgages		339,601 00
Interest unpaid		150 00
United States Loans, 6 per cents		117,768 00
Philadelphia City Loans, 6 per cents		66,425 00
Temporary Loans, 6 per cents		6,090 00
203 shares stock N. Liberties Gas Company		5,984 00
200 do do Manufacturers' National Bank		6,000 00
314 do do Penn National Bank		18,212 00
100 do do Commercial National Bank		5,625 00
561 do do Spring Garden Fire Ins. Co		47,685 00
Cash		2,237 98
		$629,057 48

The Company has no suspensive debts or unpaid fire losses.

The MORTGAGES held by the Company are all on first class new property, in the improved parts of the city of Philadelphia, being first incumbrances, clear of ground rent or any other claims whatever, examined by and the valuation made by a committee of the Board of Directors, at cash prices, previous to making the loans, the properties being worth separately FIFTY PER CENT. over the mortgages, and the interest promptly paid.

This Company, in thirty-five years, has paid losses by fire amounting to upward of $1,500,000. So liberal has been the settlement of all claims that not a single case has occurred, since its organization, that the Company has permitted the insured to resort to a court to seek payment.

INSURANCE

CAN BE EFFECTED AT THIS OFFICE AT AS LOW RATES as are consistent with security, and on as accommodating terms as with any other FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of this city.

Applications made through the post-office will always meet with immediate attention from the office.

Incorporated in 1835.
Capital and Assets, - - $629,057 48

DIRECTORS.

JOHN H. DOHNERT,	JESSE LEE,
DAVID WOELPPER,	GEORGE LANDELL,
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T. WISTAR BROWN,	GEORGE W. HALL,
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WM. S. FREDERICK,	CURWEN STODDART,
ROBERT LOONEY,	JOHN R. CARVER,

OWEN B. EVANS.

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THEODORE M. REGER, Secretary.
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