DAILY MORNING POST.
TUESDAY MORNING:.....JANUARY 17.

THE DEATH OF GRIMES' HEN.

BY MICHAEL STRINGTOPPER.

At last the speckled hen has gone—
That hen of hers the best;
The died without a sight or groan,
While in her downy nest.

Thro' summer's heat and winter's snow
For ten long years she lay;
At noon and eve, old Grimes an egg,
But none the Sabbath day.

She had a nest behind the door,
All neatly lined with hay;
Her back was brown and sprinkled o'er
With spots "inclined to grey."

Though fourteen years of age almost,
She still looked young and hale—
And like Job's turkey she could boast
One feather in her tail.

The neighbors' fowls did all agree
She was a good old soul;
She sometimes roosted in a tree,
And sometimes on a pole.

Where'er the rain came pelting down,
And thunder dreadful roar,
She hid herself in Grimes' hat,
Until the storm was o'er.

She lived a plain and honest life—
No higher wished to rise;
She flew at neighbor Sampson's wife,
And scratched out both her eyes.

She never deigned the barn yard beau,
His face to look upon,
And loved butons, whose long shrill crow
Was heard at early dawn.

An aged cock, who oft had told
His descent, with a sigh,
From one that crow'd when he of old
His master did deny.

When poor old speckle closed her eye,
He jumped the fence and cried—
He bit the poultry all good bye,
And then laid down and died.

Kind reader now we'll drop a tear
To Grimes' speckled hen;
It's too true, we never shall look
Upon her like again.

CLOTHING.

REMOVAL.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public, that he has removed from his old stand, on Market street, to the *NEW IRON FRONT STORE*, NO. 45 FIFTH STREET, immediately opposite the Theatre, where he is now receiving and opening a handsome assortment of Plain and Fancy Colored Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, of the newest styles, which he will take pleasure in showing to those who may favor him with a call. He also prepared to make to order every article of Clothing constituting a Gentleman's Wardrobe, in the latest and most fashionable style.

TO TAILORS.—The subscriber offers for sale his complete system of Garment Draughting, so favorably received and generally used by the trade of this city, Cincinnati, Philadelphia and elsewhere; at the following prices, viz:

With instructions, $10.00; without instructions, $7.00. The Hook and Ruler, containing full and accurate directions to successful draughting, forwarded to any part of the United States, on receipt of $1.00. JAMES C. WATT,
Teacher of Garment Cutting,
mar29 No. 45 Fifth street, opposite the Theatre.

SAMUEL GILAY,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
NO. 47 SIXTH STREET, BETWEEN GRANT AND WOOD STS.

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING made exclusively to order, and warranted to suit. Has constantly on hand a choice assortment of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, and OVERCOATING, of the latest styles, selected expressly for the custom trade. Gentlemen having their orders, will have their wishes consulted and complied with, as all work is done under his own supervision. nov12

CLOTHING STORE.

JOHN M'CLOSKEY & CO.,

FORMERLY of the celebrated Clothing Depot on Liberty street, which has won an unbounded popularity under the name of the THREE BIG DOORS, have, for the purpose of acquiring more space for their immense business, removed to the spacious building on the corner of
DIAMOND ALLEY AND WOOD STREET,
Where they have now the most
SPLENDID STOCK OF CLOTHS!
AND
READY MADE CLOTHING,
That has ever been offered to the public.
Their principal object for this removal, is to give them more facilities for the
WHOLESALE TRADE!
They are prepared to sell Goods at the
LOWEST EASTERN PRICES!
And they will warrant them to be as good as any manufactured in the Union.
CUSTOM WORK,
IN THE BEST STILE, AND TO SHORT NOTICE.
They have on hand a full and beautiful assortment of CLOTHS and COATINGS, for
FROCKS, DRESS, WALKING AND BUSINESS COATS.
Our interests are identical with those of our customers, and we assure the public that our fidelity will not fail in filling all orders we may be favored with.
☞ DON'T FORGET THE PLACE
No. 88 Wood street,
(EAST SIDE,) CORNER OF DIAMOND ALLEY.
N. B.—We deal on our patrons to understand that we have no longer any connection with the Clothing Business on Liberty street. Our attention is devoted exclusively to the House above designated.
may28 JOHN M'CLOSKEY & CO.

DRY GOODS.

SECOND ARRIVAL OF
FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS!!
The Cheapest Goods of the Season!

YOUNG, STEVENSON & LOVE, sign of the original Box-Hive, No. 74 MARKET STREET, between Fourth and the Diamond, Pittsburgh, have just received, and are now opening, a large and splendid assortment of
DRESS GOODS,
Of the newest and most desirable styles, adapted to the present season.
Plaid Brocade and Fancy Silks at bargains.
Plain Black and Cornelian Silks and Gros Satins.
Merino Plaids, all wool, and Silk and Wool do.
Also, Raw Silk and Cashmere Plaids of every description, very cheap.
New style Plain and Fancy De Laines.
French Merinos, Cashmeres, Coburgs, Alpacas, and Paramattas, all colors and qualities.
De Bages, and high colored De Laines, all qualities.
Fall and Winter Shawls, of every description.
Long and Square Broche and Plaid Shawls.
Printed Cashmere and plain Thibet do.
French Chintzes, Ginghams.
A general assortment fast color Prints, from 6¼ cts. up.
WHITE GOODS of every description.
Collars, Cuffs, Chemisettes and Imb'd Hdkfs., at bargains.
Bonnet Ribbons and Millinery Goods, very cheap.
Also, a full stock of DOMESTIC GOODS, at the lowest prices—Linen Sheeting, Pillow Linens, Table Cloths, and Napkins, Russia Diaper, and Crashes, very cheap.
GLOVES, HOSIERY, SUSPENDERS, and CRAVATS.
We would respectfully solicit an early call from both wholesale and retail buyers, flattering ourselves that we can accommodate all who may favor us with their patronage, on most liberal terms.
sep25 YOUNG, STEVENSON & LOVE.

Notice!!

TO THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS OF PITTSBURGH, ALLEGHENY CITY AND VICINITY. D. GREGG & CO., Importers & Wholesale Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods and Varieties, No. 99, one door from the corner of Wood st. and Diamond alley, Pittsburgh. Having completed the enlargement of their present occupied Ware Rooms, are now opening one of the largest and best stock of DRY GOODS and VARIETIES, they have ever before exhibited to the Pittsburgh trade, and on examination, will be found to be unsurpassed by any other House of the kind in the City; and as one of the partners is generally in the Eastern Cities during the business seasons, purchasing cheap bargains, which we offer the Pittsburgh and Western Trade, we will be able to offer inducements to our old customers, and purchasers generally. Our stock of Dry Goods consists in part of the following leading articles, viz:
Superior Broad Cloths;
Filot and Petersham do;
Fancy Cassimeres, Tweeds and Satinetts;
Jeans, Fancy Vestings and Cordurys;
Flannels, Tickings and Vest Paddings;
Brown and Bleached Muslins, and Irish Linens;
Foreign and Domestic Ginghams;
Alpacas, Merinos, Coburg Cloths, and Dress Silks;
Bay State and Broache Shawls;
Woolen Comforts and Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs.
The following comprise a part of the general stock of Varieties:
Buttons, Combs, Threads and Sewing Silks;
Hosiery, Gloves, Ribbons, and Black Silk Velts;
Lace Goods, Jaconetts, Mull and Cambrick Muslins;
Fancy Nettings, and Millinery goods generally.
Also—A large assortment of Table Cutlery, Pocket knives, Razors and Scissors of our own Importation. Perfumery, Patent Medicines, together with a splendid assortment of Gold and Gilt Jewelry, of the latest patterns; Gold and Silver Watches; Watch materials; Watch glasses, and an extensive stock of 30 hour and 8 day Brass Clocks, of a variety of patterns. All of which will be sold on the most accommodating terms, for Cash, or City references.
N. B.—City, Country Merchants and Pedlars are invited to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.
sep25tf D. GREGG & CO.

A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth street, will, during their sale, offer every description of Dry Goods, at an immense reduction from usual rates.

WOOL LONG SHAWLS.—A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth street, have on hand over 5000 Wool Shawls of every quality. nov14

A. A. MASON & CO. will open, on Saturday, January 14th, four more cases of those cheap De Laines, at 9 and 10 cents per yard.

A. A. MASON & CO. have 5000 yards more remaining of those 8 cent Calicoes, worth 12½ cents, and also 5000 yards at 6¼ cents, fast colors.

A. A. MASON & CO. will close out all their stock of Cashmere, at a reduction of nearly 50 per cent.

HOSIERY AND GLOVES.—A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth street, will offer their stock of more than 800 dozen of Hosiery and Gloves, at large reductions from usual prices. ja13

WHITE FLANNELS.—A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth street, invite attention to their very large and complete assortment of White Flannels, of Foreign and Domestic manufacture. dec24

CARPETING.—A large stock of new and beautiful pattterns now receiving at the
NEW CARPET STORE,
47 Fifth street, near wood.
Also, Oil Cloths of all widths and qualities; Rugs, Matts, Matting, Window Shades, Stair-rods, Venitian Blinds, &c., &c., AT THE LOWEST CASH PRICES.
sep5 ROBINSON & CO.

ENTERPRISE WORKS.
NO. 136 WOOD STREET, THIRD DOOR BELOW VIRGIN ALLEY.
BOWN & TETLEY,
IMPORTERS and manufacturers of CUTLERY, SURGICAL AND DENTAL INSTRUMENTS, RIFLES, &c. We keep a general assortment of the above articles constantly on hand; together with a general variety of Fancy Hardware. Also, Guns, Pistols and Revolvers, Flasks, Horns, Shot Belts, Caps, Powder, Lead and Bullets; Bowie, Dirk; Hunting and Pocket Knives; Razors and Hair Dressers' Shears; Pocket Scissors, &c. Also, Trusses and Supporters.
Jobbing and repairing neatly executed.
RIFLES!—We are making Rifles of every description, to order, of the best material, and workmanship warranted.—Orders received for them at Wholesale or Retail, will be filled with despatch. Hunting parties supplied at Wholesale prices.
TRUSSES, SHOULDER BRACE, SUPPORTER AND ELASTIC STOCKING DEPOT is at Dr. KEYSER'S, No. 140 corner of Wood street and Virgin alley. All kinds of surgical appliances are kept and fitted at this establishment. Satisfaction warranted in all cases. nov24

TRANSPORTATION.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF TIME.

ON and after SUNDAY, November 14th, 1853, Passenger Trains will run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

MAIL TRAIN leaves Cleveland at 9.00 A M for Wellsville, stopping at all Intermediate Stations; arrive at Alliance at 11.25 A M, and Wellsville at 2.20 P M.

EXPRESS TRAIN leaves Cleveland at 3.00 P M for Alliance, stopping at Hudson, Kenville and Ravenna only—arrive at Alliance at 5.00 P M.

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves Cleveland for Ravenna and intermediate Stations at 7.45, and arrive at Ravenna at 9.25 P M. Two through Trains from Cleveland to Pittsburgh daily.

RETURNING:

EXPRESS TRAIN leaves Alliance for Cleveland at 12.30 P M, stopping at Lima, Ravenna, Kariville and Hudson only—arrive at Cleveland at 5.40 P M. This Mail Train of Ohio and Penna. Railroad, leaving Pittsburgh at 8.00 A M, connects with this Train at Alliance at 11.45 A M.

MAIL TRAIN leaves Wellsville for Cleveland at 3.00 P M, stopping at all way Stations—arrive at Alliance at 5 00 and Cleveland at 7.30 P M.

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves Ravenna for Cleveland and intermediate Stations at 7.15 A M—arrive at Cleveland at 9.00 A M. Only one through train from Pittsburgh to Cleveland daily.

CONNECTIONS.—Mail Train from Cleveland connects at Alliance with the Mail Train of Ohio and Penna. R. R. for Canton, Massillon and Wooster; also for Salem and Pittsburgh, arriving at Pittsburgh at 4.45 P M.

Express Train from Cleveland, and Mail Train from Wellsville, both connect at Alliance at 5.00 P M with the Express Train of O. & P. R. for Pittsburgh—arriving at Pittsburgh at 3.40 P M.

Express Train from Alliance connects with the 8.00 A M Train of O. & P. R. from Pittsburgh.

Passengers leaving Pittsburgh on the 8.00 A M Train arrive at Cleveland at 2.40 P M, and connect with the following trains: East, West and South.

CLEVELAND AND TOLEDO.—Trains leaving at 3.00 P M for Sandusky, Toledo, Chicago and the North West, arriving at Toledo at 7.55 P M and Chicago next morning at 7 00—time through from Pittsburgh to Chicago being less than 24 hours.

CLEVELAND, COLUMBUS AND CINCINNATI.—Trains leaving at 2.50 P M and 8.30 P M for Columbus, Cincinnati, Galion, Dayton, Indianapolis and all stations on the Bellefontaine and Indiana Railroad.

CLEVELAND AND ERIE.—Trains leaving at 4.45 P M and 9.00 P M for Erie, Dunkirk, Buffalo and New York. The Trains connect both ways with the C. Z. & C. R. R. at Hudson for Cuyahoga Falls, Akron and Clinton at Bayard with the Railroad for Carrollton, Minerva and Waynesburg.

Tickets through to Toledo, Detroit, Chicago, Lasalle and Peoria can be obtained at the Office.

Passengers are requested to procure their tickets at the Company's Office, of JOHN A. CAUGHEY, Agent.
nov18 Monongahela House, Water st., Pittsburgh.

OHIO AND PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

New Arrangement,
COMMENCING AUGUST 8, 1853.
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EXPRESS TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 6 o'clock, A M: Stops at all intermediate Stations; arrives at Rochester at 1.20 P M, arriving at Cincinnati in the evening, via Columbus and Xenia.

Fare from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati, $7.75; to Columbus, $5.25.

MAIL TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 8.30 A M; dines at Alliance and reaches Crestline at 6.00 P M, connecting with the Night Train to Columbus and Cincinnati, and with the Indianapolis and Terre Haute Railroad for Dayton, Indianapolis, Terre Haute, and towns in Indiana. Connections are made at Alliance by Railroad with Ravenna, Hudson and Cleveland.

Fare from Pittsburgh to Cleveland, $4.00.

Connections are made at Mansfield by Railroad with Sandusky City, Republic, Bloom Vernon, Newark and Zanesville.

Fare to Sandusky City, $4.50; to Newark, $4.10; to Zanesville, $5.

Connections are made with Detroit and Chicago, both by Cleveland and Sandusky City. Passengers will leave Pittsburgh on the Mail Train at 8.30 A M, go directly by Mansfield and Sandusky City to Detroit, without detention.

Fare to Detroit, 6.00; to Chicago, $11.00

RETURNING:

THE EXPRESS TRAIN leaves Crestline at 1.00 P M, Mansfield at 1.40 P M, and Alliance at 5.00 P M, and reaches Pittsburgh at 3.15 P M, connecting with the Express Train to Philadelphia and Baltimore, which leaves Pittsburgh at 10.30 P. M.

Time from Cincinnati to Pittsburgh, 14½ hours. Fare, $7.75. Fare from Cincinnati to Philadelphia or Baltimore, $15.00.

MAIL TRAIN leaves Crestline at 7, A M; dines at Alliance; connects with Express Train from Cleveland, and arrives at Pittsburgh at 5, P M.

NEW YORK AND PITTSBURGH ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 10 A M and 4.45 P M, and New Brighton at 7 A M and 1 P M. Excursion tickets, $1; quarterly tickets at reduced rates.

FREIGHT TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 6.30 A M, and arrives at 4.30 P M.

☞ Passengers are requested to procure Tickets at the Company's Office, at the Federal Street Station, of
GEORGE PARKIN, Agent.
☞ The Trains do not run on Sunday.
☞ Further information can be obtained of
aug3 JOHN KELLY, Passenger Agent.

WINTER ARRANGEMENTS.
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THE PENNSYLVANIA RAIL ROAD.

THE Fast Mail Train will leave the Passenger Station on Liberty street every morning at 8 o'clock, stopping at all the regular stations on the road, and arriving in Philadelphia the morning at 7 o'clock, connecting with the trains direct to New York, also connecting at Harrisburg with the trains for, and arriving in Baltimore at 7 o'clock, A. M.

The Express Train leaves the station every evening at 5.30 o'clock, stopping at all of the regular stations, and connecting with trains for Baltimore, and arriving in Philadelphia or Baltimore at 8 P. M.

Fare to Philadelphia, $5.50; Fare to Baltimore, $9.

Baggage checked to all stations on the Pennsylvania Railroad and to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

The accommodation Train leaves every afternoon at 5.30 o'clock, stopping at all regular stations, and running only as far as Lancaster.

Returning trains arrive in Pittsburgh at 5.10, and 8 o'clock, A. M., and 7.20 P. M.

Passengers purchasing tickets in cars, will be charged 25 cents in addition to the station rates, except from stations where the Company have no agent.

No ticket of a less denomination than five dollars will be received in payment for tickets, except those issued by the Baltimore Branch road.

☞ NOTICE.—In case of loss, the Company will hold themselves responsible for personal baggage only, and for an amount not exceeding $100.

N. B.—The Excelsior Omnibus Line has been employed to convey passengers and baggage to and from the Depot, at a charge of 12½ cents for each passenger, and 12½ cents for each trunk.

For tickets apply to J. MESKIMEN, Agent,
At the P. R. R. Depot, on Liberty street.
Pittsburgh, November 30, 1853.

SANDUSKY, MANSFIELD AND NEWARK

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ON and after WEDNESDAY, November 16, 1853, Three Passenger Trains run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

GOING SOUTH.	*Morning Express.*	*Mail*	*Evening Passenger.*
Leave Sandusky at	6.00 A M	11.00 A M	5.10 P M
Monroeville Junction	6.25	11.25	5.40
Shelby Junction	6.40	11.5 P M	5.50
Mansfield Junction	7.05	1.40	6.15
Mount Vernon	7.55	4.10	9.55
Beach Network	10.05	5.15	11.00
GOING NORTH.			
Leave Newark at	4.20 A M	9.00 A M	5.25 P M
Leave Mt. Vernon	5.10	10.10	6.30
Mansfield Junction	7.20	12.10 P M	8.10
Shelby Junction	7.45	1.05	8.35
Monroeville Junction	8.05	1.40	9.05
Beach Sandusky	10.00	3.55	11.05

Connecting at Sandusky with Mail River and Lake Erie, and Cleveland and Toledo Divisions of Cleveland and Toledo.

At Monroeville, with Trains on "Southern Division" Cleveland and Toledo R. R. for Cleveland, Toledo, &c.

At Shelby Junction, with Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati Railroad.

At Mansfield Junction, with Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad for Pittsburgh.

At Newark, with Central Ohio Railroad for Zanesville, Columbus, &c., &c.

This arrangement of Trains completes the line of direct communication between Toledo and the *North-West!* Passengers from Philadelphia and Baltimore, destined for the West, proceed, directly on their arrival at Pittsburgh, by Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad to Mansfield, thence, by Sandusky City, Republic, Bloom Vernon, Newark and Zanesville to Monroeville, where connection is made immediately for Toledo, Chicago, and intermediate places—affording a route unrivalled for safety, certainty and despatch.

Connection is also made with all the Trains on the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad at Mansfield, by which passengers from Chicago, Toledo, Detroit, Sandusky, Zanesville, Newark, and Columbus, proceed to Pittsburgh, Philadelphia and Baltimore, without delay.

By this route, passengers taking the early Train from Zanesville, Columbus, Newark, &c., can go to Toledo, Sandusky or Cleveland, remain in either place some four hours, and return home same day.

THROUGH TICKETS to be had at the different Stations, for the above named places.

J. R. ROBINSON, Superint't.
Sandusky, November, 1853. [nov24:3m]

Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

WE are receiving Produce, &c., to Baltimore and Philadelphia, promptly, on our 4 Time, Five Days.

RATES OF FREIGHT.

Bacon, Pork and Beef, (cut,) 45c. ⅌ 100lbs.
On Lard, Lard Oil, Tallow, Cotton, Window Glass, 50c. ⅌ 100lbs.
On Candles, Cheese, Earthenware, Leather, Leaf Tobacco, 60c. ⅌ 100lbs.
On Bacon, Dried Fruit, Bristles, Clover and Timothy Seed, 70c. ⅌ ℔.
On Beer Skins, Hemp, Flax, and Eggs, 70c. ⅌ 100lbs.
On Feathers, Furs, Foltry, Brooms and Merchandise, 90c. ⅌ 100lbs.
On Flour, 87½c. ⅌ barrel.
We are also prepared to forward freight to Rodebaugh's Station, near Greensburg, and intermediate Stations.
SOVOID & GRAHAM, Agents,
corner of Penn and Wayne sts., Pittsburgh.
H. H. HOUSTON, Agent,
270 Market street, Philadelphia.
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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—WINTER TARIFF BETWEEN PITTSBURGH, PHILADELPHIA AND BALTIMORE.

First Class.—Eggs, Feathers, Merchandise, Furs, 90 cents ⅌ 100 lbs.

Second Class.—Apples and Peaches (Dried,) Beeswax, Bristles, Buffalo, Bear, and Deer Skins, Clover and Timothy Seed, Glassware, Ginseng, Rags, Sheep Pelts 75c ⅌ 100 lbs.

Third Class.—Apples (green,) Bran and Ship Stuff, Bacon and Pork, (loose,) Butter, Hides, Hogs' Hair, Hemp and Flax, Leather (Eastward,) 65c ⅌ 100 lbs.

Fourth Class.—Alcohol, Bacon (in casks or boxes,) Barley and Malt, Beef and Pork (pickled or salted,) packed Candles, Cheese, Grain (in bags,) Lard and Lard Oil, Lead (in pigs or sheets,) Oil Cake, Tallow, Whisky, Leaf Tobacco, 50 cents ⅌ 100 lbs.

Special Rates—Cotton 60c ⅌ 100 lbs. Flour $1 ⅌ bbl.
dec19 GEORGE C. FRANCISCUS.

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Delaware Mutual Safety Insurance Co.
Office, north room of the Exchange, Third st., Phil.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Buildings, merchandise and other property, in town and country, insured against loss or damage by fire, at the lowest rate of premium.

MARINE INSURANCE.—They also insure vessels, cargoes and freights, foreign or coastwise, under open or special policies, as the assured may desire.

INLAND TRANSPORTATION.—They also insure merchandise transported by wagon, railroad cars, canal boats and steamboats, on rivers and lakes, on the most liberal terms.

Directors—Joseph H. Seal, Edmund A. Souder, John C. Davis, Robert Burton, John B. Penrose, Samuel Edwards, George G. Leiper, Edward Darlington, Isaac H. Davis, William Folwell, John Newlin, Dr. R. M. Huston, Jas. C. Hand, Theophilus Paulding, H. James Brooks, Henry Sloan, Hugh Craig, George Serrill, Spencer M'Ilvain, Charles Kelly, J. G. Johnson, William Hay, Dr. S. Thomas, John Sellers, William Eyre, jr.

Directors at Pittsburgh—D. T. Morgan, Hugh Craig, John T. Logan.
WILLIAM MARTIN, *President.*
THOS. C. HAND, *Vice President.*
JOSEPH W. COWAN, *Secretary.*
Office of the Company, No. 42 Water street, Pittsburgh.
jel6:tf P. A. MADEIRA, Agent.

PROTECTION
INSURANCE COMPANY,
OF
HARTFORD, CONN.,
Capital Stock, Annual Premiums and Western Fund
$1,000,000.
INCORPORATED 1825.
Policies of Insurance issued at all times on the most favorable terms,
LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE,
OR THE
PERILS OF NAVIGATION,
BY
GEO. E. ARNOLD, AGENT
FOR PITTSBURGH AND ALLEGHENY COUNTY.
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THE UNITED STATES
LIFE INSURANCE,
ANNUITY AND TRUST COMPANY,
PHILADELPHIA.
CHARTERED APRIL 26TH, 1850.
CHARTER PERPETUAL.
CAPITAL $250,000.
Office, S. E. Corner of Third and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia.
Officers of the Home Board at Philadelphia:
DIRECTORS.
Stephen R. Crawford, Paul B. Goddard,
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William M. Godwin, William M'Kee.
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Vice President—Ambrose W. Thompson.
Medical Examiner, Pittsburgh—James H. Wilson, M. D.
Allegheny City—R. B. Morrison, M. D.
GEO. E. ARNOLD, Agent.
No. 74 Fourth street, Pittsburgh.

The Franklin Fire Insurance Company,
OF PHILADELPHIA.
Incorporated by the united authority of the Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Maryland and New York Legislatures.
OFFICE, S. E. CORNER OF THIRD AND CHESTNUT STREETS, PHILADELPHIA.
CAPITAL $200,000 PAID IN AND INVESTED.
TRUSTEES.
Thomas Hale, Samuel Grant,
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Mordecai D. Lewis, Alfred G. Baker,
Benjamin Tucker, Jos. B. Boris,
Morris Patterson, Chas. N. Bancker,
Jos. G. Bancker, *Secretary.* *President.*
Continue to make insurance, perpetual or limited, on every description of property, in town and country, at rates as low as are consistent with security.
The Company have received a large Contingent Fund, which, with their capital and premiums, safely invested, afford ample protection to the assured.
The Assets of the Company on January 1st, 1851, as published agreeably to an Act of Assembly, were as follows, viz:

Mortgages	$218,128 68
Stocks	84,377 78
Temporary Loans	83,900 51
Stocks	61,888 00
Cash, &c	64,516 81
Total	$512,812 08

Since their incorporation, a period of twenty-one years, they have paid upward of One Million Four Hundred Thousand Dollars, losses by fire, thereby affording evidence of the advantages of insuring, as well as the ability and disposition to meet with promptness all liabilities.
ALEX. BENEDICT, Agent,
Office, north-east cor. Wood and Third sts.

THIRD ANNUAL STATEMENT
OF THE STATE MUTUAL FIRE AND MARINE
INSURANCE COMPANY,
OF PENNSYLVANIA.

INVESTMENTS.	
Bonds, Mortgages, Stocks, and other good securities	$101,481 98
Premium Notes	119,016 51
Cash on hand	17,820 21
Total am't of Resources, Liable for Losses	$238,318 70

DIRECTORS.
JOHN P. RUTHERFORD, Dauphin county,
P. C. SEDGWICK, Harrisburg,
SAMUEL ADAMS, Harrisburg,
A. WILKINS, Banker, Pittsburgh,
A. A. CARRIER,
JOHN B. RUTHERFORD; Dauphin county,
A. J. GILLETT, Harrisburg,
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ROBERT KLOTZ, Carbon county.
JOHN B. RUTHERFORD, President.
A. J. GILLETT, Secretary.
Will insure against fire on city or country property, on the most favorable terms, and pay losses promptly.
Will insure Buildings, Stores, Merchandise, and Property generally, on the most favorable terms. [dec16:m

Is your Life Insured,
IF NOT, read what some one has written. Among all the contrivances of man to protect the family circle from want, none can be found more simple in its character, more in its feature, or certain in its results, than LIFE INSURANCE. It is the prop which the dying husband leaves to support the wife of his bosom.
It is the unseen hand of the Provident father reaching forth from the grave, and still nourishing his offspring, and keeping together the family group.
G. A. COLTON, Secretary,
Pittsburgh Life Insurance Company, Fifth st.,
Masonic Hall.

HOTELS, &c.

FLORENCE HOTEL,
No. 400 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.
(CONVENIENT TO THE EUROPEAN PLAN.)
REUBEN LOVEJOY PROPRIETOR.
ALLEN BROWN, W. C. CONNELLY.
Brown's Hotel,
Corner of Smithfield and Third Streets, Pittsburgh, Penn'a.
BROWN & CONNELLY, PROPRIETORS.
☞ Good stabling attached to the House.

FRANKLIN HOUSE, Cleveland, Ohio.
C. PATRICK & SON, PROPRIETORS.—This House has undergone thorough and extensive repairs, alterations, and large additions of new furniture, etc., and the proprietors pledge themselves that nothing shall be wanting on their part to make this the PLEASANT place where all the comforts of a first class hotel can be found.
jy2tf C. PATRICK & SON.

St. Charles, Hotel,
Corner of Wood and Third streets, Pittsburgh, Penn'a.
WILLIAM S. CAMPBELL, PROPRIETOR.
THIS fine establishment having come into the hands of a new Proprietor, offers great inducements to the travelling community, and also to regular boarders. Every delicacy and luxury will be provided in its season, and no pains will be spared to make this Hotel a comfortable home to all who may call there. [mr12tf W. S. CAMPBELL, Prop'r.

St. Clair Lager Beer Brewery.
THE undersigned respectfully informs the public that he is now fully prepared to serve private families and the public generally, with his celebrated LAGER BEER, in bottles. All orders left at his Office, NO. 89 DIAMOND ALLEY, (next Wood street,) will be punctually attended to, and the Beer delivered to any part of the city or vicinity.
jel28:tf F. G. SCHENCK.

OFFICE MONONGAHELA NAVIGATION CO.,
December 10, 1853.
PROPOSALS will be received at this office until three o'clock P. M. of WEDNESDAY, the 25th January next, for the construction of Lock and Dam No. 5; also, for requisite to extend the navigation to the Virginia State line. Plans and specifications will be exhibited at the office one week previous to the letting, and all necessary information given by S. Lathrop, Esq., or the undersigned.
Proposals will be received for payments to be made in cash; also, for payments in stock and bonds of the company.
J. K. MOORHEAD,
President of Mon. Nav. Co.
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OF EVERY QUALITY, for sale at manufacturers' prices, at the NEW CARPET STORE, 47 FIFTH STREET, near Wood. [nov28:tf ROBINSON & CO.

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EXCHANGE AND BANKING HOUSE
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A. WILKINS & CO.,
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No. 52 FOURTH Street,
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FOREIGN and Domestic Exchange, Coin, Bank Notes and Land Warrants bought and sold.
Collections made throughout the Union.
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O. C. TIERNAN, JOHN M. TIERNAN
TIERNAN & CO.,
BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,
feb26:ly *No. 95 Wood Street, and Diamond Alley*
1853. 1853.
EXCHANGE AND BANKING HOUSE OF
A. WILKINS & CO.,
No. 75 FOURTH STREET,
Opposite the Bank of Pittsburgh. PITTSBURGH.
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G. E. ARNOLD & CO.,
BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,
DEALERS in Exchange, Coin, Bank Notes, Sight and Time Drafts, &c. Collections carefully attended to, and proceeds remitted to any part of the Union.
Stocks bought and sold on commission.
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HILL & CO.,
CORNER OF WOOD AND FIFTH STREETS.
SIGHT EXCHANGE on the Eastern Cities constantly for sale. Time Bills or Exchange and Notes discounted.—Gold, Silver and Bank Notes, bought and sold. Collections made in all the principal cities of the United States. Deposits received at Par and Current Funds. [mar21:y

ALLEN KRAMER, EDWARD RAHN, FLORENCE KRAMER.
KRAMER & RAHN,
BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,
BUY AND SELL Gold, Silver, and Bank Notes; negotiate Loans on Real Estate or Stock Securities; purchase Promissory Notes and Time Bills, on East and West; buy and sell Stocks on Commission.
Collections made on all points in the Union. [my1

N. HOLMES & SONS,
BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,
HAVE REMOVED THEIR BANKING AND EXCHANGE OFFICE TO NO. 67 MARKET STREET, FOUR DOORS BELOW OLD STAND.
N. HOLMES & SONS, Bankers and Exchange Brokers, and Dealers in Notes, Drafts, Acceptances, Gold, Silver and Bank Notes. Exchange on the Eastern and Western Cities constantly for sale.
Collections made in all the cities throughout the United States. Deposits received in par funds or current paper, No. 67 Market street, between Third and Fourth sts. [ja30:ly
JAS. S. HOON, THOS. SARGENT.
HOON & SARGENT,
BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,
E. E. CORNER OF WOOD & SIXTH STS., PITTSBURGH, PA.
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Exchange on all the principal cities of the Union and Europe, for sale in sums to suit purchasers.
Current and par funds received on deposit.
Collections made on all parts of the Union, at the lowest rates. [sep11:ly

Removal.
PATRICK & FRIEND,
BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,
Have Removed their Office to the Corner of Fifth and Wood sts.
PATRICKS & FRIEND, Bankers and Exchange Brokers, and Dealers in Notes, Drafts, Acceptances, Gold, Silver and Bank Notes. Exchange on the Eastern and Western Cities constantly for sale.
Collections made in all the cities throughout the United States. Deposits received in par funds or current paper, at the corner of Fifth and Wood Streets. [feb3

AUSTIN LOOMIS,
STOCK AND BILL BROKER,
Office, No. 92 Fourth st., above Wood,
PITTSBURGH.
☞ Notes, Drafts, Bonds, Mortgages, and Loans on collaterals, negotiated. Stocks and Land Warrants bought and sold. oct3

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Real Estate and Contracting Agent.
THE subscriber has been induced to open an office for the purpose of buying and selling Real Estate, and having the Agency of large Steam Saw-Mills and Boat-Yards on the Allegheny and Ohio rivers, must have facilities from other water and steam saw-mills. He flatters himself that he can furnish any bills of lumber and timber of any kind, great or small, cheaper and better, deliver them at any point on the Allegheny, Monongahela, Ohio, or Mississippi rivers; contract to build large Barges, Flats, Rafts, Coal Flats, Boats, Gunwales, Keels, Railroad Timbers—Freight Iron, Coal, &c., to any given point, and will attend to the sale and freight of the Boats. From his long experience in lumbering, freighting and boat building, he thinks he can give general satisfaction. All persons are requested to make their contracts now, especially those wanting boats or large bills of lumber and timber, should contract for them in the fall for the spring and summer use. He will also attend to the purchasing for any of any commodity that may be desired.
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Col. James B. Morgan, Lumberman, Pittsburgh.
Mr. John Morrison, Esq., " " "
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BOWN & TETLEY,
136 Wood street, Pittsburgh.

THE RENTON IRON COMPANY of Western Pennsylvania, having become the proprietors of the RENTON and DICKERSON PATENT *for making Wrought Iron direct from the Ore, for their works in Connellsville*, are prepared to sell certificates of Stock in said Company, representing a share of stock entitling the holder to share in the profits of the company, and in the use of the Furnace under the Dickerson Patent. The Company will also sell the right to use the improvement in the above named territory, by single furnace or otherwise. The fact that the Renton and Dickerson Iron Ore can be converted into Blooms at about the cost required to convert Ore into Pig Metal, is a sufficient recommendation of its merits.
Mr. JAMES H