DAILY MORNING POST.

MONDAY MORNING:.....FEBRUARY 6.

HORRIBLE MURDER.—A most horrible murder was committed yesterday evening, in Bender's grocery, on Main street. The particulars, as we learned them, are as follows:

A man named Apper, keeper of the William Tell House, on Court street, was drinking at Bender's, and had a quarrel with a man named Grant, when a companion of Grant's, named Morgan, walked up behind Apper and shot him in the most cold-blooded manner in the back of the head, killing him instantly. The murderer fled immediately, and has not yet been arrested. Grant was arrested as an an accomplice, and, we understand, lodged in the calaboose. The excitement among our German citizens was very great. The police were on track of the assassin. The last we heard of him he was at the landing, trying to get across the river. It is to be hoped that he will be arrested, and receive the punishment his crime merits.

We learn that Gen. Volmer, of the police, was present at the time, and saw the shot fired, but there was no steps taken towards the murderer's arrest. Our city truly is gaining a most unenviable notoriety; boasting ourselves on our march towards complete civilization, whilst deeds, such as have lately disgraced the place, have been allowed to pass unnoticed, is certainly to be had.—*Memphis Eagle and Enquirer, 28th ultimo.*

ESTATE OF COL. THOMAS H. PERKINS.—It is estimated that the estate left by Hon. Thomas H. Perkins, of Boston, will amount to $1,600,000. By his last will, the sum of $600,000 is to be equally divided among his six surviving children, and $100,000 is given to the heirs of a deceased son. His five married children and a grandson are the residuary legatees. He makes bequests to his two sisters and other relatives; but during his lifetime made all the donations he intended for public institutions.

CLOTHING.

GEORGE ARMOR,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
No. 57 Fifth Street, in Masonic Building.

HAVING fitted up a room for the purpose of resuming his business, flatters himself he is able to make to order, Clothing of all descriptions. Citizens and strangers desiring comfortable garments, will do well to give him a call, as he is determined to please the most fastidious. He will also be happy to see many of his old customers, as he has just received, from the Eastern cities, an elegant stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS.
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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. 46 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 is also prepared to make to order every article of Clothing, constituting a Gentleman's Wardrobe, in the latest and most fashionable style.

TO TAILORS—This subscriber offers for sale his complete system of Garment Draughting, so favorably known 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 Book and Ruler, containing full and accurate directions to successful draughting, forwarded to any part of the United States, on receipt of $7.00, by JAMES C. WRIGHT,
Teacher of Garment Cutting,
mar25 No. 45 Fifth street, opposite the Theatre.

SAMUEL GRAY,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
NO. 47 ST. CLAIR HOTEL BUILDINGS,
ST. CLAIR STREET, PITTSBURGH.

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING made exclusively to order, and warranted to suit. His constantly on hand a choice assortment of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, and OVERCOATING, of the latest styles, selected expressly for the custom trade. Gentlemen leaving their orders, will have their wishes satisfied 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 STYLE, AND UPON THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

They have on hand, a full and beautiful assortment of LOTHS and COATINGS, for

BROCKS, 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 desire our patrons to understand that we have no longer any connection with the Clothing Depot on Liberty street. Our attention is devoted exclusively to the House above designated.

JOHN M'CLOSKEY & CO.
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DRY GOODS.

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

YOUNG, STEVENSON & LOVE, sign of the original RED BIBLE, No. 56 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 Broche and Fancy Silks at bargains.
Plain Black and Cornelian Silks and Turk Satins.
Plaid Silks, all wool, and silk and Wool.
Merino Plaids, all wool, and silk and Wool.
Ladies' Black Silk Velvets, of every description, very cheap.
New style Plain and Fancy De Laines.
French Merinoes, Cashmeres, Coburgs, Alpacas, and Paramattas, all colors.
De Beges, and high colored De Laines, all qualities.
Fall and Winter Shawls, of every description.
Long and Square Brocha 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 Embd Hdkfs, at bargains.
Bonnet Ribbons and Millinery Goods, very cheap.
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 and fashions.
Watches, Watch materials, Watch glasses, and an extensive stock of 50 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 reference.
N. B.—City, Country Merchants and Pedlars are invited to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.
D GREGG & CO.
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TEAS! TEAS! TEAS!—J. HAWORTH, the original and only importer in this city, of the best Congo Teas from London, is now receiving a very large and choice selection of TEAS, which he is determined to sell at such prices and fineness of quality, that all the reckless puffers in this or the next city cannot beat. He most respectfully invites the ladies and gentlemen of this and the surrounding districts, without distinction of nation, to call and try his Teas, which he sells subject to be returned, if they don't give satisfaction. The following are the prices:

Prime Oolong, Souchong and Congo, 37½@50 cents ⅌ lb.
A very superior English breakfast Congo, 50c ⅌ lb.
Extra fine, a very delicious Congo, 75c. ⅌ lb.
Fine Young Hyson, 40@50c. ⅌ lb.
Extra fine Young Hyson and Imperial, 75c. ⅌ lb.
Very best Young Tyson and Imperial, $1 ⅌ lb.
Don't mistake the place—PAGODA TEA STORE, corner of Diamond and Diamond alley. A liberal reduction made to dealers. jan21

MELODEON INSTRUCTION.—The complete Melodeon Instructor, in seven parts. Part 1—Elements of Music, etc. Part 2—Progressive Finger Exercises. Part 3—Airs, etc. Part 4—Favorite Marches, Quicksteps, Marches, Waltzes, Variations, &c. Part 5—Favorite Movements from Operas, &c. Part 6—Voluntaries and Interludes. Part 7—Modulations. Part 8—Selections from Oratorios. Part 7—Modulations. Designed as a thorough instruction for the Melodeon, Seraphine, Celeste, Organ, or any similar instrument, by John Zundel, Organist of St. George's Church, New York, author of "200 Voluntaries and Interludes," "The Amateur Organist," &c., &c. Price $2.00.

A large supply of the above work just received, and for sale at the Music Store of JOHN H. MELLOR,
No. 81 Wood street.
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CARPETING.—A large stock of new and beautiful pattern just receiving at the NEW CARPET STORE, 75 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. ROBINSON & CO.
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Piano for Seventy-five Dollars.

A SECOND HAND MAHOGANY PIANO, of six octaves, will be sold for $75, by CHARLOTTE BLUME,
ja15 118 Wood street.

TRANSPORTATION.

CLEVELAND, TOLEDO, PITTSBURGH AND CHICAGO RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF TIME.

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

LEAVE PITTSBURGH.—Accommodation at 9.05 A M for Wellsville, stopping at all intermediate Stations; arrive at Alliance at 11.35 A M, and Wellsville at 2.20 P M.

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

ACCOMODATION TRAIN leaves Cleveland for Ravenna at 7.45, and arrives at Ravenna at 10.15 A M. Returning leaves Ravenna at 5.00 P M, and arrives at Cleveland at 7.30 P M.

NEW BRIGHTON ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 10 A M and 3.45 P M, and New Brighton at 7 A M and 1 P M. Excursion tickets, $1; quarterly tickets at reduced rates.

RETURNING—MAIL TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 6.30 A M, and arrives at 3.30, P M.

☞ Passengers are requested to procure Tickets at the Company's Office, at the Federal Street Station, of

GEORGE HARRIS, Ticket Agent.

☞ The Trains do not run on Sunday.

☞ Further information may be obtained of

JOHN KELDY, Passenger Agent.
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WINTER ARRANGEMENTS.

1853. PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. 1853.

THE Fast Mail Train will leave the Passenger Station on Liberty street every morning at 9 o'clock, stopping at all the regular Stations on the road, and arriving in Philadelphia the next morning at 7 o'clock, connecting with the trains direct for New York, also connecting with the Express Train for Baltimore at 7 o'clock, A. M.

The Express Train leaves the station every evening at 9.20 o'clock, stopping at all the regular stations, and connecting with trains for Baltimore, and arriving in Philadelphia at 4 A. M.

Fare to Philadelphia, $9.50; Fare to Baltimore, $9.

Baggage checked through to any place in the Pennsylvania Railroad or Philadelphia and Baltimore.

The Accommodation Train will leave every afternoon at 5.30 o'clock, stopping at all the regular stations, and running only as far as Latrobe.

Returning, trains arrive in Pittsburgh at 5.10, and 9 o'clock, A. M. and 2 P. M.

Passengers purchasing tickets in cars, will be charged TEN CENTS in addition to the above fares, on all the stations where the Company have no agent.

No notes of a less denomination than five dollars will be received in payment for fare, except those issued by the Banks of Pennsylvania.

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

E. H. ROBINSON, Superintendent.

For tickets apply to J. MESKIMEN, Agent,
at the P. R. R. Depot, on Liberty street.

Pittsburgh, November 30, 1853.

SANDUSKY, MANSFIELD AND NEWARK RAILROAD.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

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

	Morning Mail	Passenger.	Evening Express.
GOING SOUTH.			
Leave Sandusky at.....	4.30 A M	11.00 A M	5.10 P M
Monroeville Junction..	5.15 "	11.50 "	5.54 "
Shelby Junction.....	6.40 "	1.15 P M	7.15 "
Mansfield Junction....	7.20 "	1.40 "	8.10 "
Mount Vernon.....	8.05 "	2.25 "	9.55 "
Newark Junction.....	10.03 "	5.15 "	11.00 "
GOING NORTH.			
Leave Newark at.....	6.20 A M	9.00 A M	5.25 P M
Mt. Vernon.....	5.25 "	10.10 "	6.30 "
Mansfield Junction....	7.20 "	12.10 P M	8.10 "
Shelby Junction.....	7.44 "	1.05 "	8.35 "
Monroeville Junction..	9.15 "	3.10 "	10.20 "
Bench Sandusky.....	9.55 "	3.55 "	11.05 "

Connections at Sandusky with Mad River and Lake Erie, and "Northern Division" Cleveland and Toledo Railroad.

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 the East and "*Great North-West*" by Railroad, without change of cars between Sandusky and Pittsburgh.

Passengers from Philadelphia and points East, will take the Morning Express on their arrival at Pittsburgh, by Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad to Mansfield. Thence to Monroeville, where connection is made Sandusky for Toledo, Chicago, and intermediate places—affording a route unrivalled for safety, certainty and despatch.

Connections are made at Newark with the trains on the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad at Mansfield, by which passengers from Chicago, Toledo, Detroit, Sandusky, Zanesville, Newark, and Columbus, pass through 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 the 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 forwarding Produce, &c., to Baltimore and Philadelphia, promptly, on receipt. Time, Five Days.

Bacon, Pork and Beef, (salted,) 40c. ⅌ 100lbs.
On Lard, Lard Oil, Tallow, Cotton, Window Glass, 60c. ⅌ 100lbs.
On Candles, Cheese, Earthenware, Leather, Leaf Tobacco, 60c. ⅌ 100lbs.
On Domestic Liquors, Dried Fruit, Bristles, Clover and Timothy Seed, 75c. ⅌ lb.
On Beer Skins, Hemp, Flax, and Eggs, 70c. ⅌ 100lbs.
On Feathers, Furs, Peltry, 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,

COWDEN & GRAHAM, Agents,
corner of Penn and Wayne sts., Pittsburgh.
H. H. HOUSTON, Agent,
jy29 276 Market street, Philadelphia.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—WINTER TARIFF BETWEEN PITTSBURGH, PHILADELPHIA AND BALTIMORE.

First Class.—Silks, 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, Brooms 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.

GEORGE C. FRANCISCUS.

J. HAWORTH, corner of Diamond and Diamond alley, wishes to inform his customers and the public generally, that he is now receiving a large and choice selection of GROCERIES, such as choice Young Hyson, Imperial, Gunpowder, extra fine Souchong, Sinsyong, Oolong, Congo, and scented Orange Pekoe TEAS; Mocha, Old Java and Rio COFFEES; fine SUGARS and SYRUPS; Bunch, Cluster, Valencia, Sun and Sultana RAISINS; fresh CURRANTS; preserved Citron, Lemon and Orange Peels; superior French BRANDIES; Port, Madeira, Teneriffe, Champagne, Lisbon, Sherry and Malaga WINES; together with a general assortment of pure SPICES—all of which he is determined to sell at such LOW PRICES that cannot be beat by any other Store in the city.
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Administration Notice.

WHEREAS, Letters of Administration *de bonis non, cum testamento annexo*, to the estate of BERNARD KANE, late of the City of Pittsburgh, dec'd, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to said Estate will make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement, to

WILLIAM HANEY, Adm'r,
7th Ward, Pittsburgh.
MITCHELL & PALMER,
Attorneys at Law.
Or—
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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 direct.

INLAND TRANSPORTATION.—They also insure merchandise transported by wagons, 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 R. Penrose, Samuel Edwards, George G. Leiper, Edward Darlington, Isaac R. Davis, William Folwell, John Newlin, Dr. R. M. Huston, Jas. C. Hand, Theophilus Paulding, H. Jones Brooke, 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.
jy16:tf P. A. MADIRA, 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, against

LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE,
ON THE
PERILS OF NAVIGATION,
BY
GEO. R. ARNOLD, AGENT
FOR PITTSBURGH AND ALLEGHENY COUNTY.
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THE UNITED STATES
LIFE INSURANCE,
ANNUITY AND TRUST COMPANY,
OF 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 of Philadelphia:

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Stephen R. Crawford, Paul B. Goddard,
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No. 74 Fourth street, Pittsburgh.
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The Franklin Fire Insurance Company,

Of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

DIRECTORS—Samuel Grant, Henry W. Sander, Thomas Hart, Tobias Wagner, Samuel Grant, Jacob H. Smith, Geo. W. Richards, Mordecai D. Lewis, Adolphi E. Borie, David S. Brown, Morris Patterson. CHAS. N. BANCKER, *President.*

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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 reserved a large Contingent Fund, which, with their capital and premiums, safely invested, affords 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.....	$918,123 68
Real Estate.....	43,207 78
Temporary Loans.....	83,905 17
Stocks.....	61,859 00
Cash, &c.....	64,546 81
Total.....	$1,212,703 44

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 Insurance to the assured, and the stability and disposition to meet with promptness all liabilities.

J. GARDINER COFFIN, Agent,
Office, north-east cor. Wood and Third sts.
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THIRD ANNUAL STATEMENT
OF THE STATE MUTUAL FIRE AND MARINE
INSURANCE COMPANY,
OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Assets, May 1st, 1852..... $209,016 61
Premiums received to May 1st, 1853..... 135,720 56
Interest on Loans, &c..... 1,916 19
Capital Stock..... 100,000 00
Returned premiums, Losses, Reinsurance, Expenses, &c..... $446,183 29
87,554 56
$358,316 70

INVESTMENTS.

Bonds, Mortgages, Stocks, and other good security.....	$161,481 93
Premium Notes.....	179,016 51
Cash on hand.....	17,820 21
Total amt of Resources, Liable for Losses.....	$358,316 70

DIRECTORS.

JOHN P. RUTHERFORD, Dauphin county,
F. C. SEDGWICK, Harrisburg,
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ROBERT KLOTZ, Carlisle county.

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Will insure against perils of sea and inland navigation, also, on Merchandise in the interior of the country, at lower rates than other Offices. Policies issued on Dwelling Houses either perpetually or for a term of years.

Office, corner Fourth and Smithfield streets.
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Pittsburgh Life Insurance Company,

PITTSBURGH, PA. CAPITAL, $100,000.

President—A. A. HOON.
Vice President—SAMUEL M'CLURGAN.
Treasurer—JOHN H. BRYCE.
Secretary—C. A. COLTON.
OFFICE, NO. 85 FIFTH STREET,
Diamond Hall Building.

This Company makes every Insurance appertaining to or connected with Life Risks.

Mutual Rates are the same as those adopted by other safely conducted Companies.

Joint Stock rates at a reduction of one-third from the Mutual Rates or a dividend of thirty-three and one-third per cent., paid annually in advance.

Tickets taken on the lives of persons going to California or Australia.

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Western Insurance Company, Pittsburgh.

R. MILLER, Jr., President. F. M. GOLDSMITH, Secretary.

CAPITAL, $300,000.

WILL insure against all kinds of risks, FIRE and MARINE, on land and water. All losses will be adjusted and promptly paid.

A Home Institution, managed by Directors who are well known to the community, who are determined, by promptness and liberality, to maintain the character which they have assumed, as offering the best protection to those who desire to be insured.

Directors.—R. Miller, Jr., G. W. Richeson, J. W. Butler, N. Holmes, Jr., W. Phillips, C. Ihmsen, George W. Jackson, Wm. M. Lyon, James Lippincott, George Darsie, James McAuley, Alexander Nimick, Thomas Bakewell.

Office, No. 87 Water street, (Warehouse of Spang & Co., up stairs.) Pittsburgh.

ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY,

Incorporated by the Legislature of Pennsylvania.

Chartered 1819—Capital Stock $300,000.

THOS. K. BRACE, President.
CHARLES A. ALEXANDER, Secretary.

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Samuel Wormley, Ebenezer Finney,
Joseph Church, E. A. Bulkley,
Frederick Ryler, Roland Mather,
Robert Dunlap, Edwin G. Bigler,
Miles A. Tuttle, Samuel S. Ward,
John Sparkman, Henry Z. Pratt,
Gustavus F. Davis, Jonathan Dunham,
Jonina S. Morgan.

Insures against loss or damage by fire, on favorable terms.

GEORGE E. ARNOLD, Ag't,
No. 74 Fourth street, Pittsburgh.
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WESTERN FARMERS' INSURANCE CO.,
NEW LISBON, OHIO.
BRANCH OFFICE, NO. 120 FIFTH ST., PITTSBURGH.
Capital, $100,000.
JAMES KELLY, Pres't. LEVI MARTIN, Sec'y.

ROBERT MCAGEY, Agent.

☞ Will insure Buildings, Stores, Merchandise, and Property generally, on the most favorable terms. [dec16:m

Is your Life Insured,

IF NOT, read this and be wise. Among all the contrivances of man to protect the family circle from want, none can be found more simple in its construction, more certain in its results, than LIFE INSURANCE. It is the prop which the dying husband leaves to support his 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.

J. A. COLTON, Secretary,
Pittsburgh Life Insurance Company, Fifth st.
Masonic Hall.

HOTELS, &c.

FLORENCE HOTEL,
No. 400 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.
(CONDUCTED ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN.)
REUBEN LOVEJOY, PROPRIETOR.
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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 a 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 render the FRANKLIN a place where all the comforts of a first class hotel can be found.
jy4:tf 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. [my12:tf 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. 39 DIAMOND ALLEY, (near Wood street,) will be punctually attended to; and the Beer delivered to any part of the city or vicinity.
jes28:tf P. 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. 3; also, for the construction of Locks and Dams Nos. 6 and 7, being 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. E. MOORHEAD,
President of Mon. Nav. Co.
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VENITIAN BLINDS,

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FOREIGN and Domestic Exchange, Coin, Bank Notes and Land Warrants bought and sold.

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Removal.

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THE RENTON IRON COMPANY, of Western Pennsylvania, having become the proprietors of the RENTON and DICKERSON'S Patent Rolling Machine, *right from divorce from the Ore*, for that portion of territory of Pennsylvania lying west of, and including the counties of Bedford, Huntingdon, Centre, Clearfield, Clinton and McKean, are now prepared to sell certificates of stock in said company, each share of stock authorising the holder to manufacture iron in the county and the right to use one Furnace under said Patent. The Company will also sell the right to use the Patent in the above named territory, by single furnace or otherwise. The fact that by the Renton process pigs from Ore can be converted into bars fit for market at one heating, and that the Ore can be converted into Pig Metal, is a sufficient recommendation of its merits.

Mr. JAMES H. DEAN has been appointed Agent for the sale of rights to use Furnace under said Patent, to whom application may be made, or to the undersigned Directors of the Company.

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W. C. WALL would notify his friends and the public, that he has removed his studio from First street to the corner of Wood and Diamond alley, (up stairs,) over the Store of Wm. M. Hersh; entrance on Fourth street. At the request of his friends, he has also opened a class for the YOUNG LADIES. A class for Gentlemen and Gentlemen will be formed in both Drawing and Painting. He has fitted up a Room with every facility for study, and he hopes that an enterprise will meet with a supporting patronage.
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WE have arranged with the Proprietors of the Baltimore and Susquehanna Railroad Companies, for a special Oyster Transportation Line, at exceedingly low rates.

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THE partnership heretofore existing between Samuel T. Pinkerton, Al