DAILY MORNING POST.

SATURDAY MORNING:.....FEBRUARY 21

CONGRESS DRAWING TO A CLOSE.—The Washington *Intelligencer*, referring to the closing session of Congress, says:

There are now but ten days of the session of Congress remaining—little more than fifty usual working hours—and there are yet several of the appropriation bills untouched. The General Appropriation bill is now in hand in the House; the Army bill has yet to undergo revision upon the Senate's amendments, some of them very important; and the Navy and Post-office bills, the Old Soldiers' bill, and many private bills of deep importance to humble but worthy citizens are yet pending in one or the other House. There must of necessity be night sessions, brief speeches, and unflinching devotion to matters in hand to secure a satisfactory close of the session.

Increase of Cash Capital

TO HALF A MILLION DOLLARS!

ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY,

HARTFORD, CONN.—CHARTERED 1819.

PAID UP.

Cash Capital, - - - - - - $500,000.

THE THIRTY-SIXTH ANNUAL STATEMENT of the Assets of the ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY, of Hartford, as furnished this agency on the 1st of January, 1855, viz:

Real Estate, unincumbered	$16,672 05
Seventy-two Mortgage Bonds, 6 and 7 cent, payable semi-annually	72,000 00
Debts due the Company, secured by mortgage	7,313 17
Bills Receivable, well secured, payable at Bank	129,327 23
Railroad Stocks in Connecticut	97,415 00
Bank Stocks in the city of Hartford	142,596 00
Bank Stocks in New York city	95,050 00
Cash on hand, in Bank, and in hands of Agents and others	212,505 05
	$773,878 63

The amount of liabilities due or not due to Banks or other creditors,—nothing.

Losses adjusted and due,—none.

Losses adjusted and not due, $148,618 22.

Losses unadjusted and in suspense, waiting for further proof, $91,817 50.

All other claims against the Company are small, such only as printing, &c.

Agents instructed to take no risk over $10,000.

The amount insured in any city, town or village, depends upon the character, material and construction of buildings, the width of streets, the supply of water and condition of the fire department, and other circumstances.

The amount insured in blocks of buildings varies; the design is to limit the loss by any one fire to $10,000, or less.

THO. A. ALEXANDER, Secretary.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT, } ss.
Hartford county. } Hartford, Jan. 1st, 1855.

Personally appeared Thomas A. Alexander, Secretary of the Ætna Insurance Company, and made oath that the foregoing statement by him subscribed, is true, according to his best knowledge and belief.

HENRY FOWLER, Justice of the Peace.

Losses paid by this Company for the year 1854 exceed $750,000, while the premiums received for the same period far exceed any other year, since the organization of the Company.

Policies, covering nearly all descriptions of property, issued at this agency, at remunerative rates.

Office, No. 67 Water street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Jan11 H. B. TEN EYCK, Agent.

Second Hand Pianos.

AN ELEGANT Rosewood 6octave PIANO FORTE, made by Boor & Allen, Boston, with iron frame and patent repeating action, nearly new. Boston price, now, $600—for $215.

A Rosewood 6 octave, Chickering & Sons, in perfect order in every particular, and of very superior tone; been in use only one year. Boston price, now, $575—for $225.

A Rosewood 6 octave, made by Meyer & Co., New York. Retail price, new, $550—for $110.

A Rosewood 6 octave, made by A. & J. Keogh, Buffalo; about two years old, and in good order. Price, new, $275—for $150.

A Mahogany Piano, rather old fashioned, but still needed by beginners. Cost originally $500—for $85.

A Rosewood 6½ octave Piano, carved in the best style, by Stodart, New York, 37 deck, entirely new, made by Hallet & Davis, Boston, price $350—with stool and cover $400.

Two Rosewood German Pianos, 6½ octave, imported expressly for the subscriber, and will be sold at less than half price, $150 each. These instruments are made with the iron and brass, and have every appearance of being durable.

The above are the net cash prices. For sale by

JOHN H. MELLOR,
No. 81 Wood street.

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ACOUSTICOLIN FOR DEAFNESS.—This Excellent has the effect of relieving the tension, and bringing into use the natural action of the parts, so as to restore the hearing when lost or impaired. This is proved by so many and well known cases, that, where known, it needs no praise. All deaf persons should use Larrette's Acoustic Oil. It will benefit them at once. Avoid any imitations. Ask for Larrett's Acoustic Oil, and take no other. Sold by

S. L. CUTHBERT, 140 Third street.

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THE MARVEL'S NEW WORK—FUDGE DUNDAS.—Being Tony Fudge's Record of the same in forty chapters, with portraits of Solomon Pease, Esq., and George Washington Dodge, from designs by Darley; 2 vols. 12mo. uniform with Reveries of a Bachelor, Dream Life, &c. For sale by

H. MINER & CO.,
No. 82 Smithfield street.

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PITTSBURGH RIDING SCHOOL,

ROBERT H. PATTERSON, Proprietor,

CORNER OF DIAMOND STREET AND CHERRY ALLEY.

THE subscriber respectfully announces to the Citizens of Pittsburgh, that he has recently erected a RIDING SCHOOL, which, in point of size, commodiousness and adaptation, undeniably excels any similar establishment in the United States. Its location is accessible from all parts of the city, while its high and airy situation renders it especially suited to the promotion of health, for this most agreeable exercise. The Horses are docile and well trained, and the proprietor pledges himself that no pains or expense will be spared to make this establishment the first in the confidence of the public. oct23tf

NEW OFFICE.

Real Estate and Contracting Agent.

THE subscriber has been induced to open an office for the purpose of buying and selling, on Commission, or having the Agency of large Steam Saw-Mills and Boat-yards on the Allegheny river, together with many other facilities from other water and steam saw mills. He would himself that he can furnish any bills of lumber and timber of any kind, great or small, long or short, and deliver them at any point on the Allegheny, Monongahela, Ohio, or Mississippi rivers; contract to build large Barges, Store Boats, Coal Flats, Boat Gunnels, Bridge Timber, Railroad Timber—Freight Iron, Coal, &c. to say give a point, and will attend to the Sale and Rent of Real Estate. 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 soon; 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 purchase and sale of any commodity that may be desired.

Letters addressed to David McNeil, Real Estate and Contracting Agent, Pittsburgh, Box No. 120, post paid, will be promptly attended to. His office is on Irwin street, No. 2, Allegheny House.

DAVID MUNN.

REFERENCES.

Col. James B. Morgan, Lumberman,		Pittsburgh.	
Mr. John Morrison, Sen.,	"		
Mr. Robt. S. Brown, Esq.,	"	Allegheny River.	
Mr. Wm. Armstrong,	"	Clarion	"
Mr. George B. Sweney,	"		
C. & J. Hahn & Co.,	"		

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Opposition Defied! Comparison Invited! COMBINATION REJECTED! AND WHOLESALE PRICES ADOPTED!—HOOD, 61 Market street, has just received, in addition to his stock, a fine assortment of all the latest designs of fashionable gold jewelry; fine London and Geneva gold watches, of the finest quality; well pure spoons and forks, of our own manufacture, warranted pure as sold; Albata spoons and forks, heavy plated, and of a superior quality; fine clocks; Madeira nut pins; pipes, &c. &c. We boldly defy competition in our line of business, in this or any Western city, as we are determined to close out our stock FOR CASH, at prices that cannot be beat.

Those about purchasing should not fail to give us a call. By so doing, you can save from 25 to 50 per cent. in your purchases at

HOOD'S JEWELRY EMPORIUM.

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STOCKS FOR SALE—
Exchange Bank Stock;
Citizens' Deposit Bank Stock;
Pittsburgh Life, Fire and Marine Insurance Stock;
Ohio and Penna. Railroad Stock;
North American Stock;
Ohio Trap Rock Stock;
Ridge Mining Company Stock; By

AUSTIN LOUDON, Stock Broker,
22 Fourth street.

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VALENTINES—A large and beautiful assortment of Comic and Sentimental Valentines, Valentine Cards and Envelopes, just received and for sale, either wholesale or retail, lower than ever before offered in this city. Call at

SAMUEL B. LAUFFER'S
No. 87 Wood street.

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EMBROIDERIES.—A. A. MASON & CO. have just received per express 6 cartons of Embroideries, comprising new and elegant styles Collars, Cuffs, Collarettes, Head Dresses, Rosettes, Tabs, Sleeves, Chemisettes, Habits, &c., which will be offered at extremely low prices.

GOODS IN INDIA CHILLOUNGE.—A new Indian Shawl, of great variety of Fever and Ague and other chill diseases; 6 dozen received by

JOS. FLEMING,
dec8 corner Diamond and Market street.

WE WISH TO PROCURE A SITUATION for a young Man, as a Partner in a small manufacturing establishment. He is able to make himself useful to any establishment, and has a capital of from $600 to $700. He is a good plain book-keeper and salesman, but would prefer being employed in or about the manufactory.

S. CUTHBERT & SON,
140 Third street.

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CONGRESS WATER.—36 doz fresh Congress Water received fresh, and direct from the spring, by

JOS. FLEMING,
jan9 corner Diamond and Market street

COUGH REMEDIES—
Ayer's Cherry Pectoral;
Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry;
Balsam of Liverwort and Tar;
Swayne's Syrup of Wild Cherry;
Jayne's Expectorant;
M'Lane's Cough Syrup;
Sellers' do;
Morgan's do;
Pastilles De Paris.

All of the above remedies always on hand at

JOS. FLEMING'S,
jan24 corner Diamond and Market street.

Partner Wanted.

IN THE BEST and one of the most profitable retail cash business in Pittsburgh. A person with a cash capital of $2,000 can realize 33 per cent. and upwards, on the established business, the sales of which, notwithstanding dull times, is increasing rapidly. To a business man with the above capital or more, this is a chance seldom offered. Address Box 223, Pittsburgh Post Office, with real name and address.

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THERAPEUTIC, OR RECLINING CHAIRS—Afew more of those comfortable chairs on hand. Persons desiring a seat that can be occupied for days without causing fatigue, should call and see them.

T. B. YOUNG & CO.
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NOW IS THE BEST TIME TO BUY WATCHES.—I have recently received a large assortment of very superior Watches, manufactured in Europe expressly to my order (sent over last Spring.) Citizens and strangers will now find in my establishment a stock of Watches as extensive and as fine as any in the eastern cities; and in consideration of the times, at lower prices than ever before offered west of the mountains. Those having money to invest in this way will find it to their interest to do so now, as times will shortly be better and prices will advance.

Watches and Jewelry repaired in the best manner.

W. W. WILSON,
67 Market street, corner of Fourth.

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SYRUP.—5 bbls Lovering's Syrup;
20 bbls. do Sugars; just received by

F. R. DRAVO.
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MOURNING LONG SHAWLS.—A. A. MASON & CO. have on hand a few Bay State Mourning Shawls, at

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EPISCOPAL ALMANACS—The Church Almanac, for 1855, published by the Protestant Episcopal Tract Society. For sale by

JOHN S. DAVISON,
65 Market street, near Fourth.

Semi-Annual prices.

HOTELS.

MANSION HOUSE,

GEORGE ACKENTZ, PROPRIETOR,

NO. 144 LIBERTY STREET, just beside the Passenger Depot of the Pennsylvania Railroad, which makes it the most convenient house in the city for passengers arriving by that road.

The Proprietor having, at considerable expense, fitted up, in excellent style, the MANSION HOUSE, would respectfully solicit a share of public patronage. There is attached a splendid STABLE and extensive YARD, affording ample accommodation to travelers and teamsters. His Liquors and Bar will be furnished with the best the market can afford.

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GOOD INTENT HOUSE,

CORNER OF LIBERTY AND GRANT STREETS, near the Railroad Depot.

janlo:tf JAMES SHANNON, Proprietor.

CITY HOTEL,

(LATE BROWN'S,)

Corner of Smithfield and Third streets,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

GLASS & CARR, Proprietors.

JOHN P. GLASS, (late Manager Nat. Telegraph Office.) DAN. D. CARR, (late St. Charles & Perry Hotels.)

THIS large and commodious House having undergone thorough repair and furnished with new equipments throughout, is now open for the reception of the traveling public. CHARGES MODERATE.

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ST. CLAIR HOTEL,

(FORMERLY THE EXCHANGE,)

PITTSBURGH,

Corner Penn and St. Clair streets,

C. W. BENNETT Proprietor.

This is a first class house, between the Railroad Depots; the rooms are large and newly furnished, and charges moderate.

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OWSTON'S.

WAVERLEY HOUSE, 50 Sixth Sixth street, between Chestnut and Walnut, Philadelphia.

THE UNION,

NO. 111 Arch street, Philadelphia. T. S. WEBB (late of the Eagle,) Proprietor.

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GASKILL HOUSE,

CORNER OF MAIN AND SOUTH STS., WARREN, O.

THE Proprietor takes pleasure in announcing to the public that this new and elegant Hotel has been opened as a house of entertainment. Being conducted on a strictly temperance and adapted to the office of the Temperance Company, it offers inducements unsurpassed in Warren for the accommodation of the traveling community.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

M. GASKILL.

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FRANKLIN HOUSE,

CHESTNUT STREET, ABOVE THIRD STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

PARKER & LA BARRE, Proprietors.

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McMILLAN HOUSE,

CORNER OF WATER AND OLD GOLDEN SWAN, PENNA.

THE undersigned having taken charge of the above named House, and refitted it at a large expense, is comfortable as well as cheap style, is now prepared to receive guests, and give ample satisfaction to all who may patronize the House.

JAMES DOWSEY.

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HARE'S HOTEL,

(late Farmer's Exchange,)

NO. 133 LIBERTY STREET, feet of Fifth street, Pittsburgh. SAMUEL HARE, Proprietor.

This Hotel is entirely new throughout, has just been completed and opened for the accommodation of the public. [sep15

THE GLEN HOTEL,

IS NOW READY FOR SUMMER VISITORS.—The grounds are improved, and the House rendered more attractive, generally. The proprietor will be happy to see his friends.

For an Omnibus of the Excelsior Line is now running from the station, on Fifth street, to the Glen House, leaves the station at 9 o'clock, A. M., and 5 P. M.; returning at 9 A. M., and 6½ P. M.

J. G. MARTIN, Agent.

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FRANKLIN HOUSE, Cleveland, Ohio.

C. PATRICK & SON, PROPRIETORS.—This House has undergone a thorough and extensive repair, including the entire addition of new furniture, etc., and the proprietors pledge themselves that nothing shall be wanting on their part to render the Franklin a place for the accommodation of a first class hotel can be found.

C. PATRICK & SON.

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FLORENCE HOTEL,

No. 490 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

(CONDUCTED IN THE EUROPEAN PLAN.)

REUBEN LOVEJOY, PROPRIETOR.

R. H. MARKLE
Late Manager of Schenck's celebrated Duquesne Restaurant, Pittsburgh, Pa.

P. HASLER & MARKLE, Proprietors.

RESTAURANTS.

BANK EXCHANGE,

THIRD STREET, BETWEEN WOOD AND MARKET.

This well known and popular house is prepared to furnish the best of everything in the eating line, at all hours, and in the best manner, which has just been thoroughly renovated, refitted and refurnished, and is now open. The proprietor invites a call from his friends and the public to make the Bank Exchange a comfortable resort, as well for the epicure as the business man. Oysters served up in all forms, and cooked with the utmost care and attention, and served up under the supervision of experienced cooks. They respectfully ask for the patronage of a generous public.

J. SCHADELMEIER,
jan18:tf H. FISHER.

MARTIN'S

RESTAURANT AND EATING SALOON,

ON THE EASTERN PLAN, *70 Diamond alley, between Wood and Market streets*—All kinds of refreshments served up in the best style, at all hours.

Oysters served up in shells, in the morning until 10 o'clock at night. (Sundays excepted.)

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BELVIDERE RESTAURANT

WOOD STREET, BETWEEN FIRST AND FIFTH STREETS.

THE Undersigned has just provided a choice stock of LIQUORS, and is now prepared to serve his friends with the best of the season, in the way of edibles. Irish Whisky Punches may be had at the BELVIDERE.

jan18:tf SAMUEL SAVILLE, Proprietor.

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OYSTER AND COFFEE HOUSE.

D. BARNARD,

No 54, Fifth Street, between Wood and Market

janl6:tf PITTSBURGH.

CRYSTAL PALACE,

No. 18 Market street.

C. C. SEELY,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public in general, that he has just started his New York and Philadelphia Oyster Saloon, where he will serve up Oysters in the shell or Stewed, for 12½ cents a dozen. He will also furnish the best of everything in the market, and will attend. House always open until 3 o'clock in the morning.

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OYSTER SALOON AND RESTAURANT

GOOD STREET.

THE subscriber has now his OYSTER SALOON AND EATING HOUSE perfected in a manner that cannot be equalled by any similar establishment in the city. *MEALS WILL BE SERVED UP AT ALL HOURS OF THE DAY*, from the

Choicest Game, Fowls, Fish, &c., &c.

His Bill of Fare cannot be surpassed, and he would respectfully invite the attention of the public.

CHARLES STILL,
103 Wood street.

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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. 59 DIAMOND ALLEY, (near Wood street,) will be punctually attended to, and the Beer delivered to any part of the city or vicinity.

F. G. SCHENCK.

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Benitz' Lager Beer Hall,

No. 100 Smithfield street, opposite the Exchange *House*.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has established Lager Beer Halls in the city. His Beers acknowledge to be the finest manufactured in this city. Persons fond of lager beer will find it to their interest to call at this house cannot be excelled.

A. BENITZ.

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Kennett Ale.

W. D. ENGLISH, Sole Bottler of SMITH'S celebrated Kennett Ale and Brown Stout. Also, Common Ale and Porter, by the barrel or bottle.

Orders promptly attended to, and the trade, is respectfully solicited.

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Mineral Water and Sarsaparilla.

W. D. ENGLISH, Pitt street, below Penn, is now manufacturing and bottling the above beverages, of a superior quality, and of the best quality, and manufactured from the purest materials.

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Steamboat Furniture and Chairs.

WE are constantly engaged in the manufacture of STEAMBOAT CABIN CHAIRS and FURNITURE, of every description, and we call particular attention to the manufacture of the best styles, suitable for the use of Steamboats. Our experience in this branch of the business enables us to warrant satisfaction, as well with the promptitude in which orders are filled, as in the quality of the work and personal attention given to the filling out. Those interested in furnishing Boats, will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

T. B. YOUNG & CO.

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THE ESPECIAL ATTENTION OF LADIES is invited to the HERMITIC SOAP, prepared by the subscriber from the recipe of a London Chemist, and used for rendering the skin smooth, soft and pliable, and for ameliorating all cutaneous diseases, and redness of the skin, pimples, freckles, tan, sunburning, shaving excoriations, and roughness of the hands, are relieved by it. It is also a most delicate and agreeable article for the toilet, in cases of scald Head, for the cure of sore, rough hands, it is unrivalled. Price 25 cents a cake, or 3 cakes for 50 cents. Wholesale and retail by the proprietor, in the city, S. L. CUTHBERT,

No 140 Third st.

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G. Bingham & Co.'s Transportation Line

FOR THE PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE AND NEW YORK.—The Owners and Agents of said Line have been the first to put in operation three fireproof Iron Warehouses, which has just been thoroughly repaired, improved and painted, and are now open. The proprietors have spared no expense to make the Bank Line a comfortable resort, as well for the operator as the business man. We are at all times prepared to forward with business dispatch, and forward up under the supervision of experienced men. They respectfully ask for the patronage of a generous public.

Proprietors.

Only one transhipment between Pittsburgh, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

GEO. BINGHAM & CO.,
Canal Basin, Liberty st., Pittsburgh.
BINGHAM, DAVIS & CO.,
276 Market street, Philadelphia.
JAMES WILSON, Agent,
121 North st., Baltimore.
M. L. GRANDIN, Agent,
50 West st., New York.

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CHINA HALL,

MARKET STREET, BETWEEN THIRD AND FOURTH STREETS.

MANAGERS VISITING THE CITY SHOULD CALL IN to see the beautiful assortment of *CHINA, GLASS and QUEENSWARE*, now open at the above establishment. Our goods being entirely new, we are enabled to offer inducements in all the latest styles of Dinner, Tea and Toilet Ware, white granite, we have a great variety of shapes; also, gold band and fancy colored stone ware Tea and Toilet sets. Our stock of white Covered Dishes, Soup Tureens, Vegetable Dishes without covers, Salad Dishes, and every article appertaining to a Dinner Set is large and well selected. Britannia Ware, Table Cutlery, Spoons, Castors, Waiters, and House Furnishing Goods, we have a large assortment.

COMMON WARE—Our stock of common Teas, Plates, Dishes, Bowls, Nappies, Bowls, Pitchers, and every article in the line is large, and we are prepared to pack them with or without fine goods, as the purchaser may wish.

Also, a large assortment of all kinds of GLASS WARE, which we are selling at manufacturers' prices, all of which are offered at wholesale or retail, by

JOHN J. O'LEARY.

ENTERPRISE WORKS.

No. 136 Wood street, Third door below Virgin Alley.

DOWN & TATLEY would call the attention of Sporting Men to their large assortment of Guns, Rifles and Revolving Pistols, the largest and best selected stock ever offered in this market; together with a general assortment of Hardware, Cutlery, Tools and Fishing Tackle, all of which they have assumed, as offering the best protection to those who desire to be insured.

Directors—R. Miller, Jr., C. W. Rickson, J. W. Butler, N. Holmes, Jr., W. H. Smith, C. Ihmsen, George W. Jackson, Wm. M. Lyon, James Lippencott, George Darsie, James McAuley, Alexander Nimick, Thomas Scott.

Office, No. 92 Water street, (Warehouse of Spang & Sash, and fixtures suitable for the forcing of early crops.

Jan29 JAMES WARDROP, Manchester.

BANKERS AND BROKERS.

WM. H. WILLIAMS, JAS. B. M'FAT.

Wm. H. Williams & Co.,

BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,

N. E Corner Wood and Third streets.

All transactions made on liberal terms. Collections of Bills, Notes, &c., promptly attended to. jan26:1w

McCONNELL & WILLOCK,

BANKERS,

AND Dealers in Exchange, Bank Notes, Gold and Silver Coin. Current and Par Funds received on deposit. Stocks bought and sold on commission. Collections made at any point in the United States.

South East corner of Market and Fifth streets.

PITTSBURGH, PA.

ARTHURS, RODGERS & CO.,

BANKERS AND BROKERS,

CORNER OF FOURTH AND SMITHFIELD STREETS,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

C. H. WILKINS, JOS. LUDWIG.

Wilkins & Co.,

(Successors to A. Wilkins & Co.)

BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,

No. 71 Fourth street, Pittsburgh.

IN THE numerous suspensions of Banks and Bankers throughout the country during the last six months, we are satisfied that in almost every instance their troubles have grown out of a departure from their legitimate business; and we, therefore, take occasion to assure the public in advance, that no speculations in "fancy stocks," or other "outside operations," shall tempt us from the strict and legitimate line of our business—believing that in avoiding all such investments we shall not only be better able to serve our customers and ensure their safety, but that in adopting such a course we shall promote our own ultimate benefit.

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PATRICKS & FRIEND,

BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,

Have Removed their Office to the Corner of Fifth and Wood sts.

PITTSBURGH, PA.

PATRICKS & FRIEND, Bankers and Exchange Brokers, and Dealers in Notes, Drafts, Acceptances, Gold, Silver and Bank Notes. Exchanges 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.

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N. HOLMES & SONS,

BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,

HAVE REMOVED THEIR BANKING AND EXCHANGE OFFICE TO NO. 67 MARKET STREET, FOUR DOORS BELOW OLD STAND.

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. [jan29:y

TIERNAN & CO.,

BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,

No. 95 Wood Street, corner of Diamond Alley,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

BUY AND SELL Bank Notes and Coin: Discount time exchange, and promissory notes; make collections in all the principal cities of the Union. Receive deposits on call and interest, and give their personal attention to all other matters appertaining to a Broker's business. Eastern Exchange constantly on hand.

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HILL & CO.,

BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,

CORNER OF WOOD AND FIFTH STREETS.

SIGHT EXCHANGE on the Eastern Cities constantly for sale. Time Bills of 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 of Par and Current Funds.

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ALLEN KRAMER, EDWARD RAHM, FLORENCE KRAMER.

KRAMER & RAHM,

BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,

BUY and SELL Gold, Silver, and Bank Notes; negociate Promissory Notes and Time Bills, on East and West; buy and sell Stocks on Commission.

Collections made on all points in the Union. [my1

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.

No. 74 Fourth st., next door to Bank of Pittsburgh.

Domestic and Foreign Exchange, Bank Notes, Gold and Silver Bought, Sold and Exchanged, at Co.

EXCHANGE AND BANKING HOUSE OF

WILLIAM A. HILL & CO.,

62 WOOD STREET, PITTSBURGH.

Interest allowed on time deposits. [jan12

THOMPSON BELL. JOHN A. CAMPBELL.

THOMPSON BELL & CO.,

BANKERS AND BROKERS,

Corner of Third and Wood streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.

THOMAS WYDOWS,

COMMERCIAL BROKER,

AND DEALER IN

Notes, Bonds, Stocks, Real Estate, &c.

No. 75 Fourth st., Pittsburgh, Pa. [jy5]

William A. Hill & Co.,

BANKERS,

HOLD on sale the following BONDS AND STOCKS:—

40 shares Exchange Bank;
17 do Monongahela Navigation Company;
20 do Citizens' Insurance Company;
$2,000 Monongahela Navigation Company Bonds;
$5,000 City of Pittsburgh Bonds;
$5,000 County of Allegheny Bonds.

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Cimmiotti's Loan Office,

NO. 148 SMITHFIELD STREET, NEAR FIFTH.

Money loaned on Gold and Silver Watches, Silverware and other valuable articles. aug18:tf

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

DELAWARE

MUTUAL SAFETY INSURANCE COMPANY.

OFFICE in the North Room of the Exchange, on Third street, *PHILADELPHIA.*

MARINE INSURANCES.

ON VESSELS, CARGOES, FREIGHTS. To all parts of the World.

INLAND INSURANCES

On goods by rivers, canals, lakes and land carriages, to all parts of the Union.

FIRE INSURANCES

On merchandise generally.
On stores, dwellings, manufactories, &c.

ASSETS OF THE COMPANY, November 7, 1853.

Bonds and Mortgages	$44,300 00
State of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia city, Spring Garden, Southwark, and other loans	151,552 42
Stocks in banks, railroads and insurance companies	24,012 20
Bills receivable	109,822 87
Cash on hand	12,071 20
Balances in the hands of Agents and premiums on Marine Policies recently issued	121,707 67
Subscription Notes	160,000 00
	$627,470 53

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Continue to make insurance, perpetual or limited, on every description of property, in town and country, at rate 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, 1855, as published by L. Robinson & Co., were as follows, viz:

Mortgages	$94,128 68
Real Estate	6,977 78
Temporary Loans	8,966 17
Stocks	6,889 00
Cash, &c	6,546 81
Total	$1,22,708 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, as well as the ability and disposition to meet with promptness all liabilities.

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Prices to suit all.—Dry Goods.

A. M'TIGHE, corner of Grant and Fifth streets, has just received and is now opening his first Fall stocks for this season. His attention of ladies is respectfully directed to the following prices:

Fine French Merinoes at 75c; 5-4 wide Parametas 25c; a large assortment of De Cazes at 12½; fast colored Prints 6¼; 500 pieces Flannels at 16c per yard wide Sheeting 6¼; all wool De Laines at 25c. Kentucky Jeans, tweeds and satinets from 12½ up, checks, ticking, muslins, linens, crash, table cloths, all wool plaids, blankets, shawls, ribbons and every other article usually kept in a Dry Goods Store, all of which will be sold *for cash* at prices to suit the times.

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AT No. 99 N. W. SIDE OF WOOD STREET.

GREGG & CO., Importers and Jobbers in British, French and German DRY GOODS. Having received our large and extensive stock of spring and summer goods, purchased from importers, manufacturers, and part through our own importation, we feel safe in assuring our old customers, country merchants and city dealers generally, that owing to these enlarged facilities in purchasing, we can offer such inducements to buyers as are rarely met with in the trade.

Among our dry goods stock will be found cashmeres, delaines, Portsmouth lawns of the most desirable designs, mohair lustres, alpaccas, plain black and fancy figured silks, gingham and fancy prints, latest styles; broadcloths, fancy vestings, cassimeres, satinets, tweeds and summer panteloonings; brown and black muslins, table diapers.

We have also opened a very large assortment of bonnets, newest styles, price low; also, Rutland braid and Leghorn, and an extensive variety of hosiery, gloves and ribbons; with inexpensive lawns, ginghams, jaconets, mull and figured Swiss muslins and black silk veils, &c.

Our variety stock embraces in part combs, buttons, percussion caps, threads, port monnies, patent medicines, perfumery, and almost every article usually kept in the variety line, together with a large stock of gold and silver watches. Watch materials, glasses, gold and gilt jewelry of newest patterns, and a great variety of 30 hour and 8 day clocks, all of which will be sold at the lowest prices for cash or satisfactory references.

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300 pieces black and fancy Dress Silks, 50 cts. to $2 per yd
600 do Mous. de Laines, Barege de Laines, and Mousseline de Laines
200 do Beautiful Jaconets and Tissues, in great variety;
250 do New Style Dress Ginghams;
2000 do American, French and English Prints;
500 do French and English Lawns;

Also, French Collars, from 12½ cents to $2.00;

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Also, Muslins, Tickings, Checks, Linens, Crash, Diapers, Table Cloths, Gold Watches, &c. &c.

In this department will be found a complete assortment of Ladies' Fancy Articles, such as Ribbons, Gloves, Hosiery, Fancy Silk Mantillas, Fine English and Thread Lace; all of which will be sold unusually low.

Ladies, call and see the Muslins at 25 cents per yard.

A. M'TIGHE.

NEW DRY GOODS STORE.

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A CALL will satisfy the entire ladies of Allegheny City, that we have a splendid assortment of the Ladies, I have received this morning 500 fine Shawls, French and Jaconet Collars, which are out of the reach of ordinary dealers, and which we can sell they have and will at prices so low as to enable every lady to buy their friends some for New Year. Our stock of Collars are confined to be sold at 50 cts. which are worth, but whatever they will bring. As this is the last week, those persons intending to make a purchase in this line, should do it if they expect to call soon at Van Gunder's Trimming Store, and make their selections.

Our Prices are CASH.

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