DAILY MORNING POST.

WEDNESDAY MORNING:.....APRIL 26.

WE PAUSE FOR A REPLY.—Why can't a man speak of Shakespeare without alluding to him as the "Bard of Avon," or "Immortal Will?" How is it that you can't take up a young lady's album (supposing such a happily almost exploded nuisance extant) without her being down on you for an "acrostic," or an impromptu?" Why can't a young lady sit down to the piano without an additional accompaniment to her song in the shape of "such a cold?" How is it that musical geniuses can't refrain from playing imaginary pianos, in dull intervals at crowded dinner parties? Why can't young ladies refrain from kissing babies frantically before strangers? How does it happen that whenever you chance to stop out late, upon your retiring as quietly as possible, every door creaks ten times as much as usual, and the stairs go off like parks of artillery?

MANTILLAS.

A NEW SUPPLY OF MOIRE ANTIQUE DEW-DROP MANTILLAS just received at HAGAN & AHL'S, apl1 No. 91 Market st.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.—Orders for Plants of the most approved varieties, will be filled promptly by apl9:daw JAMES WARDROP.

EVERBLOOMING ROSES of the Bourbons, Perpetuals, and other varieties, for Cemeteries, for sale by apl9:daw JAMES WARDROP.

ASPARAGUS AND RHUBARB ROOTS in store and for sale by [ap19:daw] JAMES WARDROP.

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS.—A. A. MASON & CO. have now on hand one of the most extensive and complete stocks of Dry Goods in the country, to which they invite the inspection of Merchants, assuring them that their facilities they can offer equal, if not superior, inducements to Eastern houses.

SILK BONNETS manufactured to order; a large stock always on hand. Also, MANTILLAS, of their own make. Orders solicited. ☞ 25 Fifth street. apl8

20 CASES TWEEDS, JEANS, CASSIMERES, SUMMER STUFFS, CHECKS, &c., just opening by A. A. MASON & CO., 25 Fifth st.

NEW AND GOOD BOOKS JUST RECEIVED AT DAVISON'S, 65 Market street, near Fourth:
Plain Words to Young Communicants; by Dr. J. W. Alexander 33 c ents
Willison's Young Communicant's Catechism. 6 cents.
The Rich Kinsman, or the History of Ruth, the Moabitess; by Dr Tyng.
Lilly Gordon, the Young Housekeeper.
Prime's Travels in Europe and the East—the best book of travels yet!
The Foresters; by Prof. Wilson.
Ministering Children.
The School of Christ, or Christianity in its leading aspects.
The Fountain of Living Waters, illustrated by Facts. 4th edit on
The Words of Jesus. The Mind of Jesus.
Kitto's Works. Footsteps of St. Paul.
Life and Epistles of St. Paul—plain, and in one-half calf for preservation.
The Hiding Place; by McFarlane.
The Night Lamp, " " "
Now opening almost daily, new and valuable Theological Works, for family and ministerial reading, both American and English. JOS. DAVISON,
65 Market street
apl6

WRAPPING PAPERS, STATIONERY, &c.—Light and heavy Wrapping Papers, for dry goods, drugs, shoes, confectionary, &c., &c.
Manilla Papers, of all sizes.
Book Binders' Papers, assorted colors;
Tissue Paper, for confectioners;
Note, Letter and Foolscap Papers, American, French and English, for family, school, office and counting house use;
Blank and Memorandum Books, of all sizes;
Quills, Pens, Ink, Copying Ink and Books, Wafers, Envelopes, &c., &c.
For sale at reasonable prices, wholesale and retail, by JOHN S. DAVISON.
ap10 65 Market street, near Fourth.

SUNDRIES—
3 dozen Tow and Cotton Bags;
30 boxes White Pipes;
30 do do Pipe Heads;
20 do Pearl Starch;
100 do 8x10, 10x12 Window Glass;
20 gross qt and pt Pocks;
2000 lbs Bar Lead;
12 boxes Extract Coffee;
25 d. No. 1 sealed Herring;
3 cases Sardines;
100 dozen Corn Brooms;
30 do Cincinnati Washboards;
20 boxes Baker & Oaks' No. 1 Chocolate;
Iron, Rope, Cotton Yarns, Carpet Chain;
Batting Wrapping, Twine, Bed Cords, Broom Twine;
Wrapping, Writing and Letter Paper;
White and Red Lead, Dry Shaff, Black; Glue;
Tubs, Buckets, Dairy Salt, (in bags,) &c., &c. &c.
In store and for sale by MILLER & RICKETSON,
mh27 220, 223 Liberty st.

SUGAR—190 hhds Plantation Sugar in store and for sale by MILLER & RICKETSON,
mh26 221, 223 Liberty street.

SALT—500 bbls No. 1 salt, to arrive; for sale by
mh27 MILLER & RICKETSON.

MOLASSES—150 bbls Plantation Molasses;
150 hf bbls do do
25 bbls "St. James" S R Molasses;
For sale by [mh26] MILLER & RICKETSON.

TEAS—150 half chests Young Hyson, Gunpowder, Imperial and Black Teas. For sale by
mh26 MILLER & RICKETSON.

SUGARS—"Lovering's" Crushed, Pulverized and Powdered Sugars, for sale by
mh27 MILLER & RICKETSON.

A Partner Wanted.

A PERSON having a Capital of Three or Four Thousand Dollars to invest, in a Manufacturing Business, will hear of an opportunity where he can DOUBLE HIS MONEY in a short time. The best references given. For particulars apply at THIS OFFICE. [mh27:tf.

Notice.

MUSIC furnished by FRANK CARGO, for Parties, Balls, &c., on the shortest notice and at low rates. He may be depended on. He may be found at R. M. Gargo's Daguerrean Rooms, 76 Fourth street. mh19

OBSTETRICAL INSTRUMENTS.—I have on hand two sets of Obstetrical Instruments, which have been left with me by a physician retiring from practice. They are of the fine t quality, and are good as new. I will sell these Instruments very cheap. Any person wishing to purchase Instruments of this kind, will please call and examine these before purchasing elsewhere. JOS. FLEMING,
ap5 Corner Diamond and Market st.

SECRETARIES AND BOOK CASES.—A variety of patterns, walnut and mahogany; for sale by
mar21 T. B YOUNG & CO.

LINSEED OIL—7 bbls for sale by
ap2 HENRY H. COLLINS.

A. A. MASON & CO. are now opening 200 Cases and Packages of Calicoes, Muslins, Ginghams, Checks, Summer Stuffs, Lawns, Muslin de Laines, &c., which have been purchased at the large Peremptory Sales at much less than cost of manufacture. ap6

FRENCH BRILLIANTES—A. A. MASON & CO. will open, on the 28th inst., some fine new styles of French Brilliantes, mh26

PRESBYTERIAN HYMN BOOKS—Recd by express to-day, a large assortment of Psalms and Hymns, of all sizes and styles of binding, at DAVISON'S BOOK STORE,
mh18 65 Market street, near Fourth.

TOBACCO—150 boxes "Russell & Robinson," "Grant's," "Anderson's," 50 dwarf boxes "Blannerhassett," "Perfection," "Jewel of Ophir," "Buckeye Twist," "Some raids" Tobacco, in store and for sale by
mh26 MILLER & RICKETSON.

CIGARS—50 M. Havana and Principe Cigars, best brands, in store and for sale by
mh26 MILLER & RICKETSON.

FISH—50 bbls large No. 3 Mackerel;
20 " medium 3 "
25 " No. 1 Pickled Herring;
10 drums "Grand Bank" No. 1 Codfish.
In store and for sale by
mh26 MILLER & RICKETSON.

SOAP AND CANDLES—
150 boxes No. 1 Palm Soap;
25 " "Hill & Co." Variegated Soap;
60 " Cincinnati Star Candles—4's, 5's, 6's;
10 " Sterin "
For sale by MILLER & RICKETSON.

AGENCY FOR THE SALE OF LANDRETH'S SEEDS. F. R. DRAVO, Family Grocer, Diamond, Pittsburgh, Pa., is arranged with David Landreth, of Philadelphia, for a constant supply of his Warranted Garden Seeds. These Seeds have, for many years, stood preeminent in this vicinity, and it will be an object with F. R. D to sustain their reputation. *None will be sold by him but those received direct from Landreth.* mh23

VEGETABLE CHERRY PECTORAL and CATHARTIC PILLS, 1 gross of these celebrated medicines just rec'd by mh22 JOS. FLEMING.

LADIES will find the HERPETIC SOAP to be an excellent Toilet composition. It removes tan, sallowness, &c., and heals sore chapped hands. It also renders the skin soft, smooth and white. Sold at 140 THIRD ST.
mh21

GENTLEMEN will find the HERPETIC SOAP to be an excellent article for Shaving. Sold at 140 THIRD ST.
mh21

A NEW INVOICE OF EXTRACTS FOR THE HDKF., as follows: Oriental Drops, Ex Bouquet, Musk, Spring Flower, Upper Ten, Magnolia, Geranium, Heliotrope, Jockey Club, Rose, and fifty other kinds, have just been received by (mh22) JOS. FLEMING.

76 FOURTH STREET is the number, and those who mind number one will betake themselves thither. CARG'S ROOMS are the most attractive in the city. His PICTURES are finished, and prices moderate. mh21

Mantillas.

WE are now receiving our stock of Paris made MANTILLAS, to which we would call the attention of the ladies. HAGAN & AHL,
mh19 91 Market st. et.

LOUISVILLE LIME—Constantly on hand.
mh29 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

COFFEE—250 bags prime Rio just rec'd and for sale by
mh29 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

HAVANA SPANISH CHARS—50,000 No. 1 for sale by
mh29 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

CHEESE—150 boxes W. R. Cheese for sale by
mh29 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES—
60 barrels Sugar House Molasses;
25 do Loaf Sugar;
20 do Granulated Sugar;
20 do Crushed do. For sale by
mh29 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

SUNDRIES—25 boxes Chocolate;
25 do Castile Soap;
100 do Starch;
50 do Star Candles;
20 kegs 6 twist Tobacco, For sale by
mh29 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

WINDOW GLASS—150 boxes 8x10;
50 do 9x12;
100 do 10x12;
25 do 10x14;
20 do 12x16;
20 do 12x18. For sale by
mh29 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

COFFEE—500 bags Rio Coffee;
100 pockets Old Government Java Coffee.
In store and for sale by
mh26 MILLER & RICKETSON.

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS.—A. A. MASON & CO. have just opened a large stock of Housekeeping Goods, comprising fine Damask Table Cloths and Napkins, bl'd and brown Table Linens, Jaquard Diaper, Crash, Huckaback, &c., &c. Also, another lot of the best makes of Irish Linens. ap9

SILK BONNETS—A. A. MASON & CO. will open, on the 20th inst., twenty dozen Silk Bonnets, for the country trade. mh26

SCHENCKS' PULMONIC SYRUP—The most celebrated medicine now in use, for curing coughs, colds and consumption. Those suffering with diseases of the lungs, should give it a trial. Six doz. received by
ap5 JOS. FLEMING.

HOTELS.

MANSION HOUSE.
GEORGE AURENTZ, PROPRIETOR,
NO. 254 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 WAGON YARD, affording ample accommodation to drivers and teamsters. His Larder and Bar will be furnished with the best the market can afford. feb1y

ST. CLAIR HOTEL,
Corner of Penn and St. Clair streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.
THE undersigned, formerly of "Brown's Hotel," having taken this large and commodious HOTEL, and having refitted it in magnificent style, would respectfully invite his friends and the traveling public to give him a call. Assured, with the convenience of the house and his long experience in the business, he can give entire satisfaction, and his charges moderate. WM. C. CONNELLY.
feb22

RILEY'S HOTEL:
CORNER FOURTH AND GRANT STREETS,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
my20:y] E. RILEY, Proprietor.

GOOD INTENT HOUSE,
CORNER OF LIBERTY AND GRANT STREETS, near the Railroad Depot.
Jan13:ly JAMES SHANNON, Proprietor.

CITY HOTEL,
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 & Ferry Hotels.)
THIS large and commodious House having undergone a thorough repair and furnished with new equipments throughout, is now open for the reception of the traveling public. CHARGES MODERATE. apr26:dm

OWSTON'S,
WAVERLEY HOUSE, 50 South Eighth street, between Chestnut and Walnut, Philadelphia. [au29:y

THE UNION,
NO. 111 Arch street, Philadelphia. T. S. WEBB (late of the Eagle,) Proprietor. [au29:y

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 commodious and roomy, and adjoining the office of the Ohio Stage Company, it offers inducements unsurpassed in Warren for the accomodation of the traveling community.
A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.
au17 M. GASKILL.

FRANKLIN HOUSE.
CHESTNUT STREET, ABOVE THIRD, PHILADELPHIA.
PARKER & LAIRD, Proprietors.
jy19:3m] TERMS $1,50 PER DAY.

McMILLAN HOUSE,
JOHNSTOWN, PENNA.
THE undersigned having taken charge of the above named House, and refitted it at a large expense, in a comfortable as well as elegant style, is now prepared to receive guests, and give ample satisfaction to all who may pa ronize the House. [au3:tf] JAMES DOWNEY.

HARE'S HOTEL,
(Late Farmer's Exchange,)
NO. 133 LIBERTY STREET, foot of Fifth street, Pittsburgh. SAMUEL HARE, Proprietor.
This Hotel has entirely new, having just been completed and opened for the accommodation of the public. [sep13

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 feel confident 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. jy6:tf

FLORENCE HOTEL,
No. 400 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.
(CONVENIENT ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN.)
REUBEN LOVEJOY, PROPRIETOR.
oct19

RESTAURANTS.

BANK EXCHANGE,
THIRD STREET, BETWEEN WOOD AND MARKET.
THE Subscribers beg leave to inform their friends and the public that they have opened the above well known Restaurant, which has just been thoroughly renovated, repaired and furnished, in fine style. The proprietors have spared no expense to make the Bank Exchange a comfortable resort, as well for the epicure as the business man. The larder will at all times be stocked with the delicacies of the season, and served up under the auspices of experienced cooks. They respectfully ask for the patronage of a generous public. J SCHANDELMEIER,
jan13:ly B FRANCK.

BELVIDERE RESTAURANT,
WOOD STREET, BET. WATER AND FIRST STREETS.
THE Undersigned has just received a choice stock of LIQUORS, and is ready at all times to serve his friends with the best of the season, in the way of edibles. Fresh Oysters daily. Private rooms for ladies. Refreshments, &c.
jan11:ly JOHN SAVAGE, Proprietor.

CORNUCOPIA
OYSTER AND COFFEE HOUSE.
D. BARNARD
No 40, Fifth Street, between Wood and Market.
jan14:ly PITTSBURGH.

CRYSTAL PALACE,
No. 1 Wood street.
C. C. SEELY,
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he has just started the New York and Philadelphia modern style of COOKING OYSTERS and everything else in the eating line. Oysters in the Shell or Stewed, for a dollar a dozen. He will also furnish the best of everything that the market will afford. House always open until 3 o'clock a. m. mar15:y

OYSTER SALOON AND RESTAURANT!
108 WOOD STREET.
THE subscriber has fitted up his OYSTER SALOON AND EATING HOUSE perfected in a manner that cannot be excelled by any similar establishment in the city. *HEAD WAITERS ARE KEPT UP AT ALL HOURS OF THE DAY*, from the
Choicest Meats, Fowls, Fish, &c., &c.
His Bill of Fare cannot be surpassed, and he would respect fully invite the attention of the public to it.
CHARLES STILL,
ja20 ment 108 Wood street.

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 kegs or bottles. All orders left at Mr. Bond's, No. 70 FIRST ALLEY, (near Wood street,) will be punctually attended to; and the Beer delivered to any part of the city or vicinity.
ap28:tf JOHN G. SCHENCK.

Benitz' Lager Beer Hall,
No. 106 Smithfield street, opposite the Custom House.
THE subscriber has just opened the largest, and best finished Lager Beer Halls in the city. His liquors are acknowledged to be a superior article, and every other accommodation which the house cannot be excelled.
mr.:92m A. BENITZ.

Kennett Ale.
W. D. ENGLISH, Sole Agent for SMITH'S celebrated Kennett Ale and Brown Stout. Also, Common Ale and Porter, in quart and pint bottles.
The attention of families, and the trade, is respectfully solicited. au11:y

Mineral Water and Sarsaparilla
WM. D ENGLISH, Sole Agent for Penn, is now manufacturing and bottling the above beverages on an extensive scale. His articles are of the best quality, and manufactured from the purest materials. oct17:ly

HOPPER'S PATENT PLANE

THE undersigned is prepared to supply CARPENTERS, CABINET-MAKERS, and Workers in Wood generally, with his Patented and valuable Self-Clinch Plane.
All who have tried it, pronounce it a most valuable invention, that must soon come into a general use. The following testimonials from practical men are but two out of many letters the Patentee has received recommending this Plane above all others:

PITTSBURGH STEAM CABINET FACTORY,
February 22, 1855.

We hereby certify, that during the last twelve months we have used Hopper's Patent Plane, and do not hesitate to recommend it to Cabinet-Makers and Carpenters as superior to any other Plane in use. We consider it peculiarly adapted to planing oak, cherry, walnut, and all sorts of hard wood, and for planing vene rs, it is far superior to the old mode of scraping, besides being a great saving of time. One man, by using this Plane, will plane more veneers than five men can do by any other plane or method in use. H. H. RYAN & CO.

TO MOSES F. EATON, ESQ.:
Dear Sir—I have examined Hopper's Patent Bench Plane, and believe it to be a most valuable invention for the use for which it is intended, as a combination of plane and scraper.
It is particularly adapted to planing veneers, and it does not require one-fourth the time or labor of the old method; and I have no doubt, when its merits become generally known, but that it will entirely supersede the former tedious and laborious cumbrous cut-up.
I most cheerfully recommend it to all persons engaged in the Cabinet business, as from my knowledge of it, there is nothing so well adapted for a smooth and beautiful finish to veneers as the Hopper Patent Bench Plane.
JAMES W. WORMLEY,
Furniture Warerooms, No. 70 Third st., Pittsburgh.
Pittsburgh, February 27, 1855.

MOSES F. EATON, of this city, is my sole Agent for the sale of Planes, and of rights to manufacture and sell them.
WM. C. HOPPER.
Pittsburgh, March 21, 1855.—(mh21:tf.)

AGENCY.

MOSES F. EATON, No. 19 Sixth street, agent for selling and buying PATENT RIGHTS, is now authorized to sell the following valuable patent articles:
Sands & Cummings' Patent Brick Machine;
Hopper's Patent Veneer Plane;
Tuck's patent Oil Cup, for Steam Engines;
Dean's Rock Drilling Machines;
Coe's patent Drill, for Drilling Iron;
Copeland's Stationary and Portable Saw Mills;
Crawford's Steam and Water Gauges; and,
Griffith's Wrought Iron Railroad Chair Machines.
These articles have been examined by practical mechanics and machinists, and pronounced superior to any in use. He is also authorized to sell Rights to make and vend these articles in any part of the country.
He has also for sale hot-pressed Nutts and Washers, and finished Brass Work.
He is also prepared to take Agencies for the sale of other patented Rights and new Inventions, and give to the business faithful and constant attention.
He refers to the following
BOARD.
(The subscribers have long been acquainted with Mr. Moses F. Eaton, and have no hesitation in recommending him, to all who may wish to employ his services, as a gentleman of undoubted integrity and indefatigable industry, in whose exertions every reliance may be placed.
Neville B. Craig, Wm. Larimer, Jr., W. H. Denny, James Wood, P. R. Friend, P. Lorenz, Kingsley Stowe, William Phillips, Wilson McCandless, A. W. Loomis.
PITTSBURGH, November 27th, 1854. nov27:tf

Doane's Patent Rock Drilling Machines,
WEIGHING ABOUT 300 POUNDS; can be worked and moved by two men, and do the work of five or six in the ordinary way. S. S. Fowler & Co., Manufacturers.
The subscriber has been appointed sole agent in the United States, for the sale of *rights* to use these Machines.
MOSES F. EATON, 19 Sixth street.
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W. Milnor Roberts, Esq., Chief Eng. A. V. R. R.;
Gen. Wm. Larimer, Jr., President P. & C. R. R.;
O. W. Barnes, Esq., Chief Eng. P. & C. R. R.;
Messrs. Manfull & Nicholson, Contractors for the P. & S. R. R. [mh26

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Increase of Cash Capital
TO HALF A MILLION DOLLARS!
ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY,
HARTFORD, CONN.—CHARTERED 1810.
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, under oath.

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	126,227 35
Railroad Stocks in Connecticut	97,515 00
Bank Stocks in the city of Hartford	142,896 00
Bank Stocks in New York city	98,050 00
Cash on hand, in Bank, and in hands of Agents and others	212,505 08
	$773,278 53

The amount of liabilities due or not due to Banks or other creditors—nothing.
Losses adjusted and due,—none.
Losses unadjusted and in suspense, waiting for further proof, $61,257 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, Jan. 1st, 1855.
Hartford county, }
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 time 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. 87 Water street, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Jan11 H. K. TEN BYCK, Agent.

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MUTUAL SAFETY INSURANCE COMPANY.
OFFICE in the North Room of the Exchange, on Third street, *PHILADELPHIA.*
MARINE INSURANCES,
On VESSELS, Cargoes, } To all parts of the World.
Freights, }
INLAND INSURANCES
On goods by river, canals, lakes and land carriages, to all parts of the Union.
FIRE INSURANCES
On merchandise generally.
On stores, dwelling houses, &c.
ASSETS OF THE COMPANY, November 7, 1853.

Bonds and Mortgages	$24,300 00
State of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia city, Spring Garden, Southwark, and other loans	181,553 42
Stocks in banks, railroads and insurance companies	24,012 26
Bills receivable	159,825 94
Cash on hand	16,071 36
Balances in the hands of Agents and premiums on Marine Policies recently issued	121,767 67
Subscription Notes	100,000 00
	$627,476 53

DIRECTORS:
Wm. Martin, Joseph H. Seal, Edmund A. Souder, John C. Davis, Robert Burton, John R. Penrose, George G Leiper, Edward Darlington, H. Jones Brooke, J. G. Johnson, James C. Hand, Theophilus Paulding, James B M'Farland, W. C. Ludwig, Dr. R. M. Huston, Hugh Craig, Spencer M'Ilvain, Charles Reily, Samuel E. Stokes, Henry Sloan, James Traquair, Wm. Syre, Jr., Joshua L. Price, James Tennent, John B. Semple, Charles Schaffer, J. T. Logan, Pittsburgh, B. T. C. Morgan, do.
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Of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
DIRECTORS: Charles W. Sanders, Thomas Hart, Tobias Wagner, Samuel Grant, Jacob R. Smith, Geo. W. Richards, Mordecai D. Lewis, Adolphe E. Borie, David S. Brown, Morris Patterson, Chas. N. Bancker, Thomas Hand.
CHAS. G. BANCKER, *Secretary.*
Continues 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	$918,120 00
Real Estate	84,577 78
Temporary Loans	85,066 17
Stocks	43,550 00
Cash, &c	64,346 81
Total	$1,212,708 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.
J. GARDINER COFFIN, Agent,
mh8 Office, north east cor. Wood and Third sts.

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.
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Allegheny City—R. B. Mercer, M. D.
GEO. E. ARNOLD, Agent,
mar15:y No. 74 Fourth street, Pittsburgh.

PENNSYLVANIA INSURANCE COMPANY
FOR INSURING IN PITTSBURGH.
CORNER OF FOURTH AND SMITHFIELD STREETS.
Authorized Capital, $300,000.
INSURE BUILDINGS and their property against loss or damage by Fire, and the perils of the Sea and Inland Navigation and Transportation.
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REELY PATTERSON, Vice President.
A. A. CARRIER, Secretary and Treasurer.
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