Here is a delicious little song, from an old poet. Read it, girls, and act accordingly. 'Tis leap year, recollect:—

SONG.

Gather ye rosebuds while ye may,
Old time is still a-flying;
And this same flower that smiles to-day,
To morrow may be dying.

The glorious lamp of heaven, the sun,
The higher he's a-getting,
The sooner will his race be run
And nearer he's to setting.

That age is best which is the first,
When youth and blood are warmer;
But being spent, the worst
Times will succeed the former.

Then be not coy, but use your time,
And while ye may, go marry;
For having lost but once your prime,
You may forever tarry.

A FRAGMENT.

Amid the crowd there walked a youth,
Whose heart seemed charged with wo;
His eyes were bent upon the deck,
His step was sad and slow;
It was not unrequited love,
Nor disappointment's fruits,
That marked with care the cheek of youth—
He couldn't find his boots!

Wit and Humor.

☞ *Got no Friend.*—We were travelling through Canada, says a cotemporary, in the winter of 1839, and after a long day's ride, stopped at the Lion Inn; and the contents of the stage, numbering about nine persons, soon gathered round the cheerful fire. Among the occupants of the room, we observed an ill-looking cur, who had shown his wit by taking up his quarters in so comfortable an apartment. After a few minutes, the landlord entered, and, observing the specimen of the canine species, remarked:

"Fine dog, that! Is he yours, sir?" appealing to one of the passengers.

"No, sir."

"Beautiful dog! Yours, sir?" addressing himself to a second.

"No!" was the blunt reply.

"Come here, pup!" He is yours, sir!"

"No," was the reply.

"Very sagacious animal! Belongs to you, I suppose, sir?"

"No, he dosen't" was the reply.

"Then he is yours, and you have a treasure," (throwing the animal a cracker.)

"Nothing of the kind."

"Oh! (with a smile,) he belongs to you as a matter of course?" addressing himself to the last passenger.

"Would'nt own him as a gift."

"Then you infernal, dirty, mean, contemptible whelp, get out!" and with that, the host gave the poor dog such a kick, as sent the animal yelling into the street, amid the roars of the company.

☞ *How to make a Horse Drink.*—"It is a great pity," said Judge Edmonds recently while expostulating with a casual acquaintance in one of the river counties of New York, "for so shrewd and intelligent a man as you seem to be, to have acquired such a habit of drinking. What has done it?"

"Oh! you see, Judge, I was constable five or six years, and then deputy sheriff three years, and then sheriff three years, and then constable again; and so I've been about a good deal among the boys, and got to drinking, and now I can't stop.—Judge, I'll tell you what," he continued, with an apparent change of the subject that no one could account for, "I'm the universal horse-doctor down in the Highlands, where I live, and if any body's horse gets sick, they come to me. The other day a fellow came to me and said his horse was sick. I asked him what was the matter with his horse? He said he wou'dn't drink, and he asked me what he should do to make him drink? I told him to elect him constable, by thunder!—he'd drink *then* fast enough I'd *tried* it, you see, and knew!"

☞ *No Advantage Whatever.*—"Ah! here you are, my good fellow, how d'ye do? Upon my honor, it does my heart good to see you once more. How's your family, and the old woman, we haven't seen her this long time; when is she coming down to see my wife?"

"I am quite well, I thank you, but indeed, sir, you have the advantage!"

"Advantage, my good fellow! what advantage?"

"Why really, sir, I do not know you!"

"Know me! well I don't know you; where in the duce is the advantage?"

☞ *Root and Branch.*—Sarah, Duchess of Marlborough, was accustomed to give an annual feast, to which she invited all her relations, many of whom were expected legatees in case of her demise. At one of these family gatherings, she exclaimed, in allusion to her numerous progeny and descendants, "What a glorious sight it is to see such a number of branches flourishing from the same root!"

"Aha!" sighed Jack Spencer, to a first cousin near him, "the branches would flourish better if the root was under ground."

☞ *Sharp Shooting.*—A shallow-headed coxcomb having received a premptory *nay* in an answer from a young lady to whom, in spite of the most significant hints that his attentions were not agreeable, he had "popped the question"—declared that he would'nt live—he would blow his brains out!"

"Twill be a glorious shot if you hit them!" said she, as she turned upon her heel contemptuously and left the room.

☞ *Shakspeare's Knowledge of Human Nature.*—A Frenchman, to prove that Shakspeare was not only an actor, but a manager—quoted the lines from Macbeth: "And like a rat without a tail, I'll do, I'll do, I'll do." "Mais!" said the Frenchman, "he no tell you what he do—he leave you in de suspense—se you com de nez sight to see what he do—dis put l'argent in his poche, and shew de great knowledge of human nature."

☞ *A Bright Boy.*—A teacher had been explaining to his class the points of the compass and all were drawn up in a front toward the north.

"Now what is before you, John?"

"The North, sir."

"And what behind you, Tommy?

"My coat tail, sir," said he, trying at the same time, to to get a glimpse at it.

☞ *"How Fortunate* I am in meeting a *rain beau* in this storm," said a young lady who was caught in a shower the other day to her *"beau of promise,"* who *happened* along with an umbrella.

"And I," said her gallant, "am as much rejoiced at the poor Laplander when he has caught a *rain deer*." These are the *beau ideal* of wet weather compliments.

☞ *A Client's Gratitude.*—O'Connell had obtained an acquital for one of his clients; the fellow's joy know no bounds. "Och, counsellor," said he, "I've no way here to show you my gratitude! but I wish'i saw you knocked down in my own parish, and maybe I would'nt bring a faction to the rescue!"

☞ *Lucky Escape.*—A Dutchman was relating his marvellous escape from drowning, when thirteen of his companions were lost by the upsetting of a boat, and he alone was saved.

"And how did you escape their fate?" asked one of his hearers.

"I did not go in to boat," was the Dutchman's placid answer.

☞ *"John, can you tell* me the difference between attraction of gravitation and attraction of cohesion?"

"Yes, sir; attraction of gravitation pulls a drunken man to the ground; attraction of cohesion prevents his getting up again."

☞ *A Definition.*—Lorenzo Dow defined a death-bed repentance to be burning out the candle of life in the service of the devil, and blowing the snuff in the Lord's face.

☞ *"That Sir,* is the Spirit of the Press," said Mrs. Bigelow, as she handed a mug of cider to her neighbor, Mr. Brown.

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40	1 69	1 83	2 20
50	1 66	2 09	4 50
60	4 35	4 91	7 00

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BENJAMIN BANNAN.

Pottsville Feb. 8th. 2—

GREAT AMERICAN REMEDY

WESTERN NEW YORK COLLEGE OF HEALTH
207, *Main street, Buffalo.*—NEW-YORK.

DR. G. C. VAUGHN'S Vegetable Lithontriptic Mixture, a celebrated medicine which has made GREAT CURES in all DISEASES, is now introduced into this section. The limits of an advertisement will not permit us to do justice to the extended notice of this remedy; we have only to say it has for its agents in the United States and Canadas a large number of educated MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS of the highest professional standing, who make a general use of it in their practice in the following diseases:

DROPSY, GRAVEL,

And diseases of the Urinary organs; piles and all diseases of the blood, derangements of the Liver, &c., and all general diseases of the system. It is PARTICULARLY requested that all who contemplate the use of this article, or who desire information respecting it, will obtain a PAMPHLET of 32 pages, which agents whose names are below will gladly give away; this book treats upon the method of cure—explains the properties of the article, and the diseases it has been used for over this country and Europe for four years with such perfect effect. Over 1000 cases of testimony from the highest quarters will be found, with NAMES, PLACES, and DATES, which can be verified by any one interested and the parties will answer post paid communications. Be particular and ASK for the PAMPHLET, as no other such pamphlet has ever been seen. The evidence of the power of this medicine over ALL diseases is guaranteed by persons of well known standing in society.

Put up in 30 oz. and 12 oz., bottles. Price $2, 30 oz.; $1, 12 oz.; the larger being the cheaper. Every bottle has the "DR. G. C. VAUGHN" written on the directions, &c. See pamphlet page 28. Prepared by Dr. G. C. Vaughn, and sold at Principal Office, 207, Main street, Buffalo, N. Y. Agents are desired to the sale of this article exclusively, 132, Nassau, New York, and corner of Essex and Washington, Salem, Mass., and by all Druggists throughout this country and Canada as agents.

Also for sale by J. S. C. MARTIN, Pottsville; E. J. FRY, Tamaqua; E. & E. HAMMER, Orwigsburg; LEVAN & KAUFMAN, Schuylkill Haven; WM. S. HEISLER, Port Carbon; WM. PRICE, St. Clair; GEO. REIFSNYDER, New Castle; JAS. B. FALLS, Minersville.

Feb 14, 1846. 7-1y

DR. McLANE'S VERMIFUGE

A MEDICINE which is perfectly safe, and may be given to children, from tender infancy to advanced age, without the restraint as to cold water, or any kind of food. Purges mildly, subduing fever,—destroys and expels worms with invariable success—and is easily administered to children.

This it possesses these valuable properties, is fearlessly asserted—still claiming the additional advantages of being given in small bulk, and requiring none of the drenching which Worm Teas and other supposed Vermifuges demand. During its brilliant career, it has been introduced into many families, where every other known and accessible Vermifuge has been tried without the least success, where it has promptly expelled Worms to an almost incredible amount.

As evidence of the surprising effects of Dr. M'LANE'S WORM SPECIFIC, we give the following:—

On Saturday, February 7th, 1846, Mr. James Richardson called at the Drug store of J. Kidd & Co. corner of Wood and Fourth streets, Pittsburg, Pa. and made the following statement:—"A child of mine had been very sick for some ten days—we had given her purgative medicines, but it had done her no good. One of our neighbours came in, and said he was troubled with worms; procured a vial—gave one teaspoonful, and the child discharged *forty two worms*. Then gave another teaspoonful, which brought forty-six more, making in all *eighty-eight* Worms. I do, sir, only I owe to you, and the community at large—I freely make known these facts. My child is now well. What is almost remarkable, the *Worm Specific* expelled the Worms alive, in about four hours after I gave it to the child."

For sale in Pottville by John S. C. Martin, & John G. Brown Druggists. [Jnl 48-1-6m

Abdominal Supporters, &c.

The subscriber has made an arrangement for a supply of HOODS ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, also his HERNIAL APPARATUS, which he will supply to physicians, and those requiring them, at Philada. prices. These instruments are now generally used in the hospitals of Philadelphia, and are highly recommended by all who have used them. F. SANDERSON.

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PURE WHITE LEAD.

Wetherill & Brother,

MANUFACTURERS, No 65, North Front street, Philadelphia, have now a good supply of their warranted pure WHITE LEAD, and those customers who have been sparingly supplied in consequence of a run on the article, will now have their orders filled.

No known substance possesses those preservative and beautifying properties, so desirable in a paint, to an equal extent with unadulterated white lead; hence any admixture of other materials only marks its value. It is therefore, been the steady aim of the manufacturers, for many years, to supply to the public a perfectly pure white lead, and the unceasing demand for the article, is proof that it has met with favor. It is invariably branded on one head: WETHERILL & BROTHER in full, and on the other, *warranted pure*, all in red letters.

Coal Screens! Coal Screens!!

THE auscriber is extensively engaged in the manufactory of WOVEN WIRE SCREENS upon an improved and entirely new principle, for which he has secured LETTERS PATENT, and which he confidently believes will be found upon trial, superior to every other screen in use for durability and all the qualities of a good screen. They are woven entirely of wire, and can be made with meshes and threads of any required size and strength.

WIRE WEAVING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION will be executed at the shortest notice, and screens made to every pattern, adapted to all the uses for which screens are required.

N. B. The subscriber has recently removed his establishment to Coal Street, near the corner of Norwegas street.

HENRY JENKINS.

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Pottsville Steam Planing and TURNING MANUFACTORY.

THE undersigned have made complete and permanent arrangements for the manufacturing of Floor Boards, Window Sashes, Sawed Laths, Bed Posts, Table, Crib, and Washstand Legs, Awning and Hitching Posts, Banisters, Stump Feet, Rolling Pins, Potato Smashers, Bench and Hand Screws, Porch and Newel Posts, Bed Pins, and a general variety of turning of all kinds. They will keep constantly on hand Yellow and White Pine Floor Boards, Sashing and Laths, and other finished work worthy the attention of builders. They have circular saws for slitting stuff to any dimension required for building or other purposes.

H. STRAUCH & Co.

Feb 5 45-6

New Store at Brockville.

THE Subscriber has just received from Philadelphia and New York, and now opened at Brockville, a large and general assortment of seasonable goods, such as Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, and Queensware. In addition to which will be found constantly on hand, Fish, smoked and fresh Meat, as well as a good supply of usual produce. Call and examine our stock, and you will find, we prepared to sell goods at as low a rate as they have ever been sold at any place, in Schuylkill county.

N. B.—Country produce of all kinds wanted, for which the highest price will be paid.

GEO. H. POTTS.

Philadelphia Golden Saddle.

No. 38, Market Street.

SADDLES, Bridles, Martingales, Horse Collars, Blind Bridles, Back Bands, Harness, Trunks, Whips, &c. manufactured in large quantities and sold at the lowest prices.

E. P. MOYER.

Sign of the Golden Saddle, No. 38, Market street, Philadelphia.

April1-14 1845 5m

Gold Pens at $1,37 1-2.

THE subscriber has just received a lot of *good* Gold Pens, which he will sell as low as $1,37½, with Congress Pens, &c.—all of which will be sold at Manufacturers' prices.

A superior lot of Gold Pencil cases and Pens, Gold Pencils, &c., which will be sold at less than city prices

BANNAN'S

april 15,'48.] Cheap Fancy and Variety Stores.

ICE CREAM,

MADE of pure Cream, and highly flavored, always on hand and for sale at the Drug and Confectionary store of the subscriber, which will be served to customers during every day and evening. Families parties and pleasure excursions furnished at short notice. Give me a call. We are always ready and much pleased to wait on our friends and customers generally. JOHN S. C. MARTIN.

June 17

FEATHERS.—300 lbs. Superior Feathers for sale by J. M. BEATTY & Co.

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PIONEER FIRE BRICK MANUFACTORY.

ANDREW J. MAUL, Respectfully informs those who are engaged in Building, that he is prepared to fill orders for any quantity of a very superior article manufactured under his immediate supervision, of the very best material and which are warranted to give satisfaction. He has on hand

Blast and Puddling Furnace Fire Bricks, of all shapes and sizes.
Grate Fixtures.
Fire Cement and Fire Mortar.
Fire Sand and Fire Clay; all of Superior qualities.

Articles of every description made to order at moderate prices. Those who entrust their orders to the subscriber, may depend on having them executed at the shortest notice and on the most favorable terms. Being a practical Manufacturer, he knows that he can furnish articles in his line which will favorably compete with any thing in the Market.

Reference is made to the following parties, who have tested the Fire Brick Manufactured at the Pioneer Fire Brick Manufactory.

E. W. McGinnis, Pottsville; Burd Patterson, do.; Wm. DeHaven, Minersville; Edward E. Bland, Pottsville; James B. Patterson, do.

Pottsville, July 27, 0t-

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JOHN F. JAMES, Actuary.

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BENJAMIN BANNAN.

Pottsville Feb. 8th. 2—

HEALTH INSURANCE
[of Philadelphia.]

Or Provision against the expense and loss occasioned by Sickness or Accident.

COMPANY incorporated March 2, 1848, (MUTUAL,) with a Capital of $100,000. Insures all persons between the ages of 18 and 55, an *immediate* allowance of $3, $4, $5, $6, $8 or $10 per week, for one, two, three, or five years, by paying a certain yearly sum.

Thus a person under thirty-five, insuring for one year, by paying $4 a year, is allowed $3 per week; for $5 22, $4 per week; and in the same proportion, one of a like age by paying $9 55 a year, gets $5 per week; for $7 90, $6, $11 23, $8; and for $14 85, he gets $10 for every week of disability occasioned by sickness or accident, during the year. By paying a fraction more yearly, a weekly allowance can be insured of from $2 to $10 for two, three or five years. The rates are to be paid yearly in advance, and are in proportion to the age and the weekly allowance. In case of permanent disability, occurring after an insurance for, say five years, at a weekly allowance of $10, a person would be in the yearly receipt of $520 a year, for the entire five years.

There are no weekly or monthly assessments to pay, or attendance of meeting required; and by the charter the insured receive a share of the net profits, without liability for losses. There is ample security for the insured, as can be shown, and promptness and liberality is exercised in the payment of benefits. For particulars, inquire at the office, No. 69 South Seventh-st., above Walnut. All letters must be post paid.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel D. Orrick, Iron Merchant, No. 109 North Water-street.

Calvin Blythe, Attorney and Counsellor, Sixth below Market-street.

Charles B. Hall, Wholesale Commission Merchant, 34 Church Alley.

William F. Boone, Attorney and Counsellor, 51 South Seventh-st.

Jacob Snyder, Jr., Wine Merchant, No 76 Walnut-st.

John Thomason, Tinsmith, 65 N. Sixth-st.

Daniel C. Lockwood, Tax Collector, Cherry-street, near Schuylkill Seventh street.

James E. Bruner, Wholesale Wool Dealer, No. 6 Willow-street.

Edward Duff, Merchant, No. 39 N. Wharves.

Edward J. Crane, Clerk, No. 52 S. Fifth-street.

Charles P. Hayes, Coal Merchant, Willow-st. Wharf.

Charles O. P. Campbell, Iron Merchant, Water, above Race-street.

SAMUEL D. ORRICK, President.

W. W. BOONE, Secretary.

Governor Emerson, M. D., 167 Walnut-street, Consulting Physician.

☞ The subscriber has been appointed Agent for this Institution in Schuylkill County, and is prepared to give any information on the subject, and effect insurances on the terms of the company, at the office of the Miners' Journal. B. BANNAN.

June 24, 1848. 26-1y

EQUITABLE LIFE INSURANCE ANNUITY AND TRUST COMPANY.
Office 74 Walnut Street.—Capital $250,000.
CHARTER PERPETUAL.

A. RUSSEL, agent for Schuylkill County, office corner of Mahantongo and Second Streets.

GEORGE HALBERSTADT, Examining Physician for Schuylkill County.

THE Company are now prepared to transact business upon the most liberal and advantageous terms.—They are authorized by their charter (sect. 3) "to make all and every insurance appertaining to LIFE in whatever kind or nature, and to receive and execute trusts, make endowments, and to grant and purchase annuities." The Company sell annuities and endowments, and act as Trustees for minors and others.

Table of Premiums required for the Assurance of $100 for the whole term of Life:

Age.	Prem.	Age.	Prem.	Age.	Prem.
16	1 30	32	2 09	46	3 36
17	1 33	33	2 15	47	3 46
18	1 36	34	2 20	48	3 62
19	1 39	35	2 27	49	3 72
20	1 60	35	2 33	50	3 94
21	1 63	36	2 40	51	4 13
22	1 66	37	2 46	52	4 29
23	1 69	38	2 54	53	4 51
24	1 72	39	2.63	54	4 71
25	1 76	40	2 70	55	4 91
26	1 85	41	2 81	56	5 21
27	1 89	42	2 92	57	5 33
28	1 94	43	3 01	58	5 54
29	1 98	44	3 13	59	5 78
30	2 01	45	3 23	60	6 03

The premiums are less than any other company, and the policies afford greater advantages. Tables of half yearly and quarterly premiums, half credit notes, indemnium, short terms, joint lives, survivorships, and endowments; also, *form of application* (for which there are blank sheets,) are to be had on application at the office, or by letter to the agent.

TRUSTEES.

President, JOHN W. CLAGHORN.

Vice President, PETER CUDLIPP.

Robert F. Walsh, Clayton B. Lamb,
Wm. G. Alexander, Alve E. Laing,
Edw. C. Markely, R. E. Loper,
Peter Cullen, William Craig,
Peter Rambo, George N. Diehl,
Wm. W. Haly, Robert Morris,
Joseph T. Thomas, William M. Baird,
Stephen Crawford, Harry Conrad.

CONSULTING PHYSICIANS, Francis West, M. D., J. D. Biddle, M. D.

TREASURER, Francis W. Rawle.

H. G. TUCKETT,
Secretary and Actuary.

Phila. Sept 16 '48.-38-1y]

National Loan Fund Life Assurance Society of London.

A SAVINGS BANK for the Benefit of the Widow and the Orphan.—Empowered by Act of Parliament—Capital £200,000 or $1,000,000—Invested in Government Securities—Profits divisible annually.

Physician.—J. Elliotson, M. D., F. R. S. *Actuary.*—W. S. B. Woolhouse, Esq., F. R. A., S. *Secretary.*—F. P. Cazenove, Esq.

The following are among the advantages offered by this institution:—

The guarantee of a large capital, in addition to the accumulations arising from the premiums paid secured to the assured by the principle of the loan department. The payment of premiums half-yearly, or quarterly, by parties insured for whole term of life, at a trifling additional charge. The conditions are extensive and liberal. Persons insured for life, can at once borrow half amount of annual premium, and claim the same privilege for five successive years, on other from interest and deposit of policy. Part of the Capital is permanently invested in the United States, in the names of three of the Local Directors, as Trustees—available always to the assured in case of any calling upon them, (should any such arise) or otherwise. Thirty days allowed after each payment of premium becomes due without forfeiture of policy. No charge for medical examination.

The Society being founded on the Mutual and Joint Stock principle, parties may participate in the profits of the Society; two-thirds of which are allotted annually among those assured for life on the participation scale.

Persons who are desirous to avail themselves of the advantages offered by this Institution, by addressing the General Agent, Capt. Leander Starr, No. 112 Wall St., New York, can obtain the requisite information and the necessary papers for effecting an insurance.

☞ Any further information relative to this Company can be obtained at the office of the Miners' Journal.

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INDEMNITY.

THE FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.
OFFICE No. 163, Chesnut street, near Fifth street.

DIRECTORS.

Charles N. Bancker, George W. Richards,
Thomas Hartz, Mordecai D. Lewis,
Tobias Wagner, Adolphe E. Borie,
Samuel Grant, David S. Brown,
Jacob R. Smith, Norris Patterson

Continue to make Insurance, permanent or limited, on every description of property, in town and country at rates as low as are consistent with security.

The Company have 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, 1848, as published agreeably to an act of Assembly, were as follows, viz.:

Mortgages,	$590,558 65	Stocks,	51,563 25
Real Estate,	108,358 00	Cash, &c.,	45,157 87
Temporary loans,	125,459 00		$1,220,097 67

Since their incorporation, a period of eighteen years, they have paid upwards of *one million two 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. CHARLES N. BANCKER, President.

CHARLES G. BANCKER, Secretary.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for the above mentioned Institution, and is now prepared to make insurance, on every description of property, at the lowest rates. ANDREW RUSSEL, Agent.

Pottsville, June 19, 1841 25 [Feb 19-8

SPRING GARDEN MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.

THIS Company having organized according to the provisions of its charter, is now prepared to make Insurances against loss by Fire on the mutual principle, combined with the security of a joint stock capital.—The advantage of this system is, that efficient security is afforded at the lowest rates that the business can be done for, as the whole profits (less an interest not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum on the capital) will be returned to the members of the institution, without their becoming responsible for any of the engagements or liabilities of the Company, further than the premiums actually paid.

The great success which this system has met with wherever it has been introduced, induces the Directors to request the attention of the public to it, confident that it requires but to be understood to be appreciated.

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Waterloo,	P.R.Allen,	" 11	" 11	" 11	
Sheridan,	Cornish,	" 26	" 26	" 26	
Henry Clay,	Nye,	Feby. 6	June 6	Octr. 6	
New Ship,		" 11	" 11	" 11	
Garrick,	Hunt,	" 26	" 26	" 26	
New World,	Knight,	March 6	July 6	Novr. 6	
John R. Skiddy,	Luce,	" 11	" 11	" 11	
Roscius,	Moore,	" 26	" 26	" 26	
Ashburton,	Howland,	April 6	Aug. 6	Decr. 6	
West Point,	W H Allen	" 11	" 11	" 15	
Siddons,	Cobb,	" 26	" 26	" 21	

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Sheridan,	Cornish,	Mar. 11	July 11	Nov. 16	
Henry Clay,	Nye,	" 21	" 21	" 21	
New Ship,		" 26	" 26	" 26	
Garrick,	Hunt,	April 11	Aug. 11	Dec. 11	
New World,	Knight,	" 21	" 21	" 21	
John R Skiddy,	Luce,	" 26	" 26	" 21	
Roscius,	Moore,	May 11	Sept. 11	Jan. 11	
Ashburton,	Howland,	" 21	" 21	" 21	
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