Notices.

THE QUAKER CITY INSURANCE COMPANY.—Office 408 WALNUT Street, PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 16, 1858.

STATEMENT of this business and condition of the Quaker City Insurance Company for the year ending December 31st, 1857:

Capital and Surplus	$277,065 85
Surplus, January 1, 1857	$31,671 75
Received for Premiums during the year 1857	192,807 03
Do do do	11,765 10
Interest received	8,961 43
Salvage and Reinsurance	214,496 24
LOSSES, EXPENSES, &c.	
Losses paid	$71,318 45
Dividends and Commissions paid	98,339 22
Reinsurance and return Premiums	20,047 45
Rent, Salaries, Taxes, Advertising, and Office Expenses	11,125 17
	196,830 29
ASSETS.	
Bonds and Mortgages, Ground Rents, Coupon Bonds, Bank and other Stocks	$190,660 00
Negotiable Bills Receivable	155,172 35
Cash in Bank and Due from Agts.	22,442 62
	$377,065 85

This Company continues to make Insurances against FIRE and MARINE Risks.

OFFICERS.

President—GEORGE H. HARP.
Vice-President—B. P. ROSS.
Secretary and Treasurer—H. R. COGGSHALL.
Assistant Secretary—S. H. BUTLER.

DIRECTORS.

E. W. Bailey,	
George H. Hart,	Andrew R. Chambers,
E. E. Ross,	J. L. Pomeroy,
A. G. Cattell,	Charles G. Imbrie,
Joseph Edwards,	H. R. Coggshall,
John G. Dale,	Samuel Jones,
Foster S. Perkins,	

H. M. Fuller,
jan15 H. R. COGGSHALL, Secretary.

INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.—STATEMENT of the Assets on January 1, 1858, published in accordance with the Act of Assembly.

First mortgages on real estate in City of Philadelphia	$71,600 00
Bills of Exchange and premium, notes not due	57,229 05
Accounts for Premiums not collected	5,936 26
Cash on hand and Loans on call	26,295 25
Loans, viz:	
Lehigh Coal and Navigation, common	5,000
Do do mortgage	5,000
City of Philadelphia	27,162
State of Pennsylvania 5's	15,000
Pennsylvania Central Railroad	15,000
City of Pittsburgh	20,000
Philadelphia, Wilm. and Balt. Railroad	10,000
Schuylkill Navigation	3,000
	110,163 00

Stocks, viz: shares. mkt. val.

Bank—Pennsylvania	50	$450
Northern Kentucky	180	19,800
Union Tennessee	40	3,600
Fire Ins. Co.—Franklin	200	6,000
Pennsylvania	15	2,250
Railroads.—Phil., W., & B.	200	4,000
Mount Carbon	140	2,268
Pa. Central	100	3,800
Clev. & Mah.	67	1,876
Beav. Meadow	100	5,400
Phil., Ger., & Nor.	100	5,400
Lehigh Coal and Nav. Co.	360	15,120
Turnpike stocks, various	90	2,370
Steam Tug Boat	20	100
		76,864 00
		$247,446 50

ja15-3t WILLIAM HARPER, Sec'y.

UNION MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.

STATEMENT of the affairs of the Company, in conformity with a provision of its Charter.

Premiums undetermined January 1, 1857	$81,462 91
Do. received during the year ending January 1, 1858	254,291 62
Total amount of Premiums	335,754 53
Earned Premiums during the year ending as above on Marine and Inland Risks	275,380 60
Received for Interest and Salvages	33,529 70
	308,910 00
Losses, Return Premiums, Expenses, Re-Insurances paid during same period	352,768 06

STATEMENT OF THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY, JANUARY 1, 1858.

6,000 Pennsylvania State 5's	cost	$5,955
117 shares Philadelphia Bank	"	14,700
7,000 City of Philadelphia 5's	"	6,580
7,000 " " 6's	"	6,790
14,610 Chesapeake and Delaware Canal Loan 6's	"	14,610
41,930 Camden and Amboy 6's	"	41,713
10,000 Philadelphia County Loan 5's	"	10,300
3,000 North Pennsylvania R. R. Bonds, 6's	"	3,760
100 shares North Pennsylvania R. R. Stock	"	2,500
40 " Delaware Railroad Co.	"	1,000
Sundry Stocks, Steamboat and Transportation Companies, Certificates of Stock and Profits in Mutual Insurance Companies		14,040
		123,038
Estimated present value of the above		$98,580
Cash on hand		8,365
Notes receivable for policies issued		35,581
Subscription notes for guaranteed capital		40,000
Due for policies issued, and unsettled salvages, and other debts due the Company		85,451
		337,027

DIRECTORS.

Richard S. Smith,	Charles Newbold,
S. Destouet,	Henry Lewis, Jr.,
Francis Tete,	W. C. Kent,
A. E. Borie,	Albert Worrell,
Samuel Grant,	Charles Verin,
Charles Dutilh,	G. P. Lougheed,
Hugh Campbell,	John S. Twells,
John J. Wilde,	Edward Clark,
N. A. Smith,	George Lewis,
O. W. Churchman,	D. Salomon,
John H. Irvin,	F. J. Steltz,
Godfrey Freytag,	H. F. Robinson.

RICHARD S. SMITH, President.
JOSEPH COLLISON, Secretary. ja14-2w

OFFICE OF THE NEPTUNE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 414 WALNUT Street. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11, 1858.

The first annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Neptune Insurance Company was held this day, when the following persons were unanimously elected to serve as Directors for the ensuing year:

Richard Shields,	Edward McClain,
George Minster,	Gustavus V. Town,
Theodore N. Town,	Thomas Heath,
W. C. Stotesbury,	J. Sharwood,
C. C. Butler,	George Scott.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the same day, the following officers were elected:

RICHARD SHIELDS, President.
GEORGE MUNSTER, Vice President.
GEORGE SCOTT, Secretary. ja13-tf

THE CLEVELAND, PAINESVILLE, AND ASHTABULA RAILROAD COMPANY.—The Semi-Annual Interest, due January 1, 1858, upon the Special Mortgage Bonds of the Cleveland, Painesville, and Ashtabula Railroad Company, issued to the Sunbury and Erie Railroad Company, will be paid at the office of JOSIAH RANDALL, Esq., No. 202 WASHINGTON SQUARE, in the City of Philadelphia, on presentation, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., and 12 o'clock noon, hereafter, until paid.

GEO. B. ELY, Treasurer.
January 12, 1858. ja13-6t

OFFICE OF THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD CO.

PHILADELPHIA, January 11th, 1858.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held on MONDAY, the 1st day of February, 1858, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the SANSOM-STREET HALL.

The Annual Election for Eight Directors will be held on MONDAY, the 1st day of March, 1858, at the office of the Company, No. 208 WALNUT Street.

ja12-dtoel EDMUND SMITH, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA,

PHILADELPHIA, January 11, 1858.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a Semi-Annual Dividend of SIX PER CENT., exclusive of the State Tax, out of the profits of the business of the Company for the first six months, payable to the Stockholders, or their legal representatives, ON DEMAND.

ja12-6t HENRY D. SHERRERD, Secretary.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD COMPANY, Office 227 South FOURTH Street,

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11, 1858.

"At an Election held this day, the Stockholders of this Company, the following gentlemen were unanimously elected as officers for the ensuing year:

President—R. D. CULLEN.
MANAGERS.

Saml. Norris,	John Ashhurst,
C. S. Boker,	David S. Brown,
G. W. Richards,	M. S. Richards, of Reading.

Treasurer—SAML. BRADFORD.
Secretary—W. H. MCILHENNEY. ja12-6t

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.—The ship STAGWART, Capt. Lucas, from Liverpool, is now ready to discharge at SHIP-PEN wharf. Consignees will please deliver their permits to the officers on board. All goods not permitted within five days will be sent to public store.

THOS. RICHARDSON & CO.,
ja7. 102 WALNUT street.

OFFICE OF THE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA, JANUARY 4, 1858.

The Directors of the said Company have this day declared a *Dividend of Four per cent (on the amount of the capital stock paid in)* which will be payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the 15th instant.

And in conformity with the Act of Incorporation, a general meeting of the Stockholders will be held on MONDAY, the 18th instant, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Office of the Company, No. 432 North THIRD Street, for the purpose of electing ten Directors for the ensuing years.

BENJAMIN F. HOECKLEY,
ja5-dt18 Secretary.

NOTICE.—Office of the Beaver Meadow Railroad Company,

PHILADELPHIA, December 14, 1857.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Beaver Meadow Railroad and Coal Company will be held at their office, No. 222 WALNUT Street, on MONDAY, the 18th of January next, at 12 o'clock, at which time an election will be held for President and ten Directors for the ensuing year.

de15-dt18 H. CHAMBERLAIN, Sec. and Treas.

OFFICE OF THE LOCUST MOUNTAIN COAL AND IRON CO.—PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16, 1857.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at their office, No. 83 S. FOURTH Street, on MONDAY, the 18th January, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which time there will be an election of Directors to serve for the ensuing year.

de29-d18j18 WM. C. LUDWIG, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE UNION CANAL CO.,

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 11, 1858.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Union Canal Company of Pennsylvania will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 223 WALNUT Street, (Farmers Building,) on TUESDAY, February 2d next, at 12 o'clock M., at which time an Election for Officers and Managers will take place.

ja12-tf02 O. THOMPSON, Secretary.

AT A MEETING OF THE HOLDERS of FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the PHILADELPHIA AND SUNBURY RAILROAD COMPANY, held on the 13th inst., pursuant to public advertisement, Mr. C. D. ROSENGARTEN was called to the Chair, and Mr. J. L. MOSS was appointed Secretary.

The Committee of holders of the Second Mortgage Bonds, who have now become the proprietors of the Road, having laid before the meeting its present condition and prospects, it was resolved that, in order to aid the proprietors in equipping the Road, the holders of the First Mortgage Bonds should agree to accept for their coupons due August 1st, 1857, and February 1st, 1858, obligations of the Company, payable on or before the expiration of five years, (at the option of the Company,) bearing interest from 1st February, 1858, and convertible into Stock, at the option of the holders; interest payable thereon semi-annually on 1st August and 1st February.

The holders of First Mortgage Bonds are requested to call at the Office of Messrs. E. S. WHELEN & CO., and sign the agreement to carry out such an arrangement. ja11-mwf1w5d

OFFICE ANTHRACITE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 311 WALNUT Street, January 4, 1858.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Directors, a second instalment of FIVE DOLLARS per share on the stock, notes, and subscription to the capital stock of the Company, is required to be paid at the office of the Company on or before MONDAY, the first day of February, 1858.

jy6-sod1Feb1 M. SMITH, Secretary.

Dissolutions & Copartnerships.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm of RIEGEL, LAMB, & CO. is this day dissolved by the death of G. B. LAMB.

The business of the late firm will be settled by the surviving partners, who have associated with them JOHN WIEST, W. D. SPONSLER, and D. B. ERVIN, under the firm of RIEGEL, BAIRD, & CO., and will continue the Dry Goods jobbing and importing business as heretofore, at No. 47 North THIRD street.

PETER SIEGER,
JACOB RIEGEL,
WM S. BAIRD,
JOHN WIEST,
W. D. SPONSLER,
D. B. ERVIN.

December 31, 1857. ja1-1m*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the special partnership, between HENRY T. STANDBRIDGE and HENRY L. ELDER, is renewed and continued for three years from January 1st, 1858.

HENRY T. STANDBRIDGE,
General Partner.
HENRY L. ELDER,
Special Partner.

PHILADELPHIA, January 1, 1858. ja1-law6w

EDWARD H. LADD will have charge of our business in this city from this date, at No. 820 CHESTNUT Street. HUNT, WEBSTER, & CO.,
Manufacturers of Sewing Machines.
January 1, 1858. ja1-3m

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE, IN PURSUANCE of Act of Assembly, formed a limited copartnership under the name of LESLEY G. MORROW, in the Coal business, in the city of Philadelphia, wherein LESLEY G. MORROW is the general partner, HUGH MORROW being special partner, and has contributed the sum of fifteen hundred dollars as capital to the common stock; said partnership to continue five years from the 8th January, 1858.

LESLEY G. MORROW.
Ja14-law5w* HUGH MORROW.

Medicinal.

LYON'S PURE CATAWBA OHIO BRANDY.—As this article is manufactured from the PURE JUICE of the Catawba Grape, cultivated in the vineyards of the Great West, it has a special claim to our notice. The proprietor guaranties this brandy to be STRICTLY PURE and FREE FROM ALL ADULTERATION, which is corroborated by the analyses of Dr COX, State Inspector for Ohio; also, the celebrated Analytical Chemist, Dr. CHILTON, of New York, to which we invite attention:

ANALYSIS OF LYON'S PURE CATAWBA BRANDY.

OFFICE CHEMICAL INSPECTOR,
CINCINNATI, May, 1856.

I hereby certify that I have this day inspected a large lot of fine Catawba Brandy for Mr. I. Jacob, No. 143 Third street, and after a careful examination I find it pure, of high chemical standard, and free from all foreign or poisonous substances, and have so marked it as the law directs.

(Signed) HIRAM COX, M. D.

NEW YORK, July 28, 1857.

I have analyzed a bottle of Lyon's Pure Catawba Brandy, furnished by Mr. A. Halston, Jr., of Lockport, N. Y., for analyzation, and find it to contain only the ingredients which exist in pure Brandy. The proportion of alcohol obtained from it is 47 per cent. I believe this sample to be pure Brandy, without adulteration. The flavor of it is delicate and peculiar.

(Signed) JAS. R. CHILTON, M. D., Chemist.

For Medicinal purposes Lyon's Catawba Brandy has no equal, and has long been needed in our cities the poisonous compounds sold under the name of Brandy. As a beverage, the pure article is altogether superior, and a sovereign, sure remedy for Dyspepsia, Flatulency, Low Spirits, Languor, General Debility, &c.

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Reference: The Rt. Rev. ALONZO POTTER.

For particulars, address
Rev. PINKNEY HAMMOND, RECTOR, or
ja9-dtFeb17 Prof. L. ANGELE, Principal.

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Proposals.

STEAM MACHINERY FOR SCREW PROPELLER SLOOP-OF-WAR.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
December 16, 1857.

SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposals for Steam Machinery for Screw Propeller Sloop-of-War," will be received at this department until 3 o'clock, the 20th January, 1858, for the complete construction of the steam machinery and appendages, and placing it on board a screw propeller sloop-of-war building in the United States navy yard at Boston.

The offers must be for a specific sum for putting the whole in successful operation; must include all mutual fees for any arrangements that may be proposed; state the time in which the work will be completed, and be accompanied by the usual guarantee required by law. The name of the establishment in which the work is to be executed must be stated.

The details of the design and arrangement of the machinery will be left with the party whose proposition may be accepted as combining the greatest number of advantages, keeping in view simplicity of construction, readiness of access to adjustments when in operation, and not being subject to derangement in the working parts; *it being the object of the department to obtain* the most speed and power with the most economical consumption of fuel, and the greatest weight of ten power which the space available for that purpose will admit.

The boilers to be of iron, with telescopic smoke pipe, which must be placed at the greatest practicable distance from the machinery; the propeller, with the connections for hoisting to be of composition; the machinery for hoisting, for pumps, apparatus for ventilating, and appurtenances of all kinds necessary for the perfect working of the whole, to be of the most approved kinds. The coal-bunkers, shaft passage, two athwartships iron bulkheads, a distilling apparatus for fresh water from which can be made not less than 500 gallons per day, all the tools and duplicate pieces necessary and satisfactory for an efficient cruising steamship-of-war, must be included in the proposition, and a list of them must be furnished, on the usual credit.

The wood and carpenter work (except the boring out *the deadwood for the shaft) necessary to adapt the ves*sel for the reception of the machinery, boilers, and appendages, will be provided at the expense of the Navy Department, and it will permit the use of such facilities as it may have for hoisting the heavy machinery on board.

For the accommodation of the entire steam machinery and the fuel, there will be allowed in the body of the ship the entire space, under the berth deck, commencing at twenty feet abaft the aftermost mast, and thence extending forward a distance of 56 feet. Within this space it is expected to carry coal for 11 days' full steaming, the daily consumption of which the bidder will state in his specifications; and the weight of the machinery, water in boilers, shaft, propeller, and appendages, with the tools and spare work, must not exceed 320 tons, of 2,240 pounds.

The distance from the aft-side of the mainmast to the *aft-side of the forward stern-post*, will be about 95 feet, and the distance between the forward and after side of the post will be 7 feet; the depth from the load water line to the top of the keel under the propeller will be 14½ feet.

Steam-engine manufacturers who desire to bid can obtain a copy of the section of the vessel upon making application to the department.

The proposals must be accompanied by full specifications and general drawings, having the position of the centre of gravity of the machinery, boilers, &c., marked on them; giving also the capacity of the steam cylinders and area of foot and delivery valves, and of air pump, and outboard delivering valves, space for steam above the water line in boilers, the fire and grate surface; also the diameter, pitch, surface, and kind of propeller, and other principal points, that comparison can readily be made. There will also be given the estimate of *the weight of engine, boilers*, water, bunkers, appendages, tools, and spare work, in tons of 2,240 pounds.

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The terms of payment will be that when one-fourth of the materials and labor provided for in the contract shall have been completed to the satisfaction of the department, there will be made a payment of one-fifth part of the whole amount of the contract; when one-half the work shall in like manner be completed, there will be a further payment of one-fifth; when three-fourths the work shall have been completed a further payment of one-fifth; when the whole shall have been completed, and have made a satisfactory trial of one week, then a further payment of one-fifth; and when the ship shall have performed satisfactorily at sea for a period of three months, then the remaining sum shall be paid.

The repairs necessary during this period from defective workmanship or materials will be at the expense of the contractor.

The proposals must be explicit, and no qualified or conditional offer will be considered.

ISAAC TOUCEY,
de21-mth tja20 Secretary of the Navy.

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Legal Notices.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

In the matter of the Estate of GEORGE W. SMICKS, a lunatic.

The Auditor appointed by the Court to audit, settle, and adjust the account of the committee of the said lunatic, and to report distribution of the cash balance, and other property in the hands of the committee, will meet the parties interested at his Office, at the southeast corner of EIGHTH and LOCUST streets, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, January 26, at 4 o'clock.

DANIEL DOUGHERTY,
ja15-fmw5t Auditor.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Estate of HENRY MEYER, deceased, sur account of Executrix.

The auditor appointed to audit, settle, and adjust the account of ANNA M. MEYER, Executrix of the last will, &c., of said decedent, and to report distribution of balance, will meet the parties interested at his office, No. 203 South FIFTH street, on MONDAY, January 18, 1858, at 4 o'clock P. M.

ja8-eod5t JOHN SAMUEL, Auditor.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH L. PARKER, deceased.—Whereas, Letters Testamentary on the Estate of the late JOSEPH L. PARKER, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment thereof, and those having claims are requested to present them to

CECILIA P. PARKER, Executrix,
ja4-mw5w* No. 914 LOMBARD St., above Ninth.

MUNICIPAL CLAIMS.—NOTICE IS hereby given to the owners of premises mentioned in the appended memoranda of Claims for Paving, that writs of *Scire Facias* will be issued on said claims in three months from the date hereof, unless the same shall be paid at the office of the undersigned, 212 South FIFTH Street, below Walnut, at or before that time.

WILLIAM M. SMITH,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

City of Philadelphia to the use of George W. Stroud vs. Charles Reynold. C. P., June T., 1857, No. 90. Claim $293 39. Paving south west corner Twenty-second and Green streets.

Same vs. John P. Titus. C. P., September T., 1857, No. 69. Claim $10.17. Paving north side Clayton street, 62 feet west of Twenty-second.

Same vs. Jesse Coulston. C. P., September T., 1857, No. 68. Claim $43.03. Paving north side of Clayton street, 62 feet west of Twenty-second. no3-m-3m

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN WILLIAMS, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of JOHN WILLIAMS, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned.

All persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make payment, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same, without delay, to EMMOR S. LEEDOM, No. 253 MARKET st. ELIZABETH WILLIAMS, No. 419 South SIXTEENTH street. or DANIEL DOUGHERTY, their Attorney, S. E. corner EIGHTH and LOCUST streets.

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