New York Stock Exchange—Dec. 20.

SECOND BOARD.

100 Tenn 6s	90¾	100 Mich S & N I G	17		
100 do	90	100 do	17		
2000 Virginia 6s c	83¾	100 do	17		
2000 do	83 83¾	74 Panama R	133¾		
1000 Golden Branch bd. 63		200 Ill Central R	83¾		
48 Am Ex Bank	93¾	50 Clev Col & Cin R	95¾		
650 N Y Central R	77¾	200 Chicago R	62¾		
200 Reading R	60 41	100 do	510 65		
100 do	41¼	200 Chicago & R I R	62¾		
300 Hud Riv R	40 41	100 do	62¾		
200 do	41	100 do	60 62¾		
100 do	40 40¾	100 do	510 62¾		
5 Mich Central R	84	100 do	60 62¾		
50 do	89	50 do	60 62¾		
100 Clev & Toledo R	158	100 do	60 62		

THE MARKETS.

ASHES are unchanged, and continue heavy at $5 12½ for Pots and $5 38@5 31 for Pearls.

FLOUR—The market for State and Western Flour is dull and heavy, with fair receipts. Sales of 7,000 bbls at $4 93@5.05 for superfine State. $5 10@5.25 for extra do. $5.35@5.10 for superfine Western. $5.10@5.90 for extra do. $5.25@5.70 for extra round hoop, Ohio. Southern Flour is dull and heavy. Sales of 500 bbls at $5.35@5.75 for mixed to good, and $5 10@7.25 for extra. Canada Flour is quiet. Sales of extra at $5.20@6 00.

GRAIN—Wheat is very dull and declining, with sales of 10,000 bus at $1.25@1.30 for Southern red. Corn is dull and unchanged, with small sales at yesterday's quotations. Oats are quiet, at 60@62c for Southern, Pennsylvania, and Jersey; and 45@47c for State, Canada, and Western.

PROVISIONS—Pork is dull and heavy, with sales of 100 bbls at $15.55@15.87 for Mess, and $11 37½ for Prime. Beef is quiet, with sales of 200 bbls at $14@.00 for country Prime; $15.50 for country Mess; $18@20 for repacked Western; and $10.50@11 for extra Mess. Bacon is unchanged. Cut Meats are steady at 6¾@7c for Shoulders, and 9¼@10c for Hams. Lard is more active, with sales of 300 bbls at 10¾@11c. Butter and Cheese are unchanged.

WHISKEY is dull and nominal at 27½c.

Celebration at Altoona.

ALTOONA, Pa., Dec. 16—Yesterday the introduction of gas and water was celebrated with great rejoicings and display on the part of the enterprising citizens of this mountain city. A large procession was formed, consisting of military companies, lodges of Masons, Odd Fellows, Red Men, Sons of America, soldiers of 1812, soldiers of the Mexican war, workmen in several branches of mechanics connected with shops of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, citizens of the town and vicinity, accompanied by eight excellent bands of music, in all, forming a line nearly a mile in length.

After passing over the route selected, they assembled in front of the Logan House, to listen to the rector of the day, L. W. Hall, Esq., Senator from this district. His speech, short and to the point, was well received.

In the evening the town was handsomely illuminated, including the extensive shops of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, making a magnificent display. It was a gala day for all that participated.

Gas and water works are now in full operation, and will add much to the attraction and comfort of the Mountain City.

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The same principle which has made the popularity of Mr. Spear's stove world-wide, has also been applied by him to cooking ranges, which he is manufacturing in all sizes, and which, we learn from intelligent and enterprising builders, are rapidly taking precedence of all others. There is a double advantage connected with these stoves and ranges which housekeepers know how to appreciate, and that is, *first*, their decided economy, and *secondly*, their wonderful convenience? In the latter particular they have well-nigh revolutionized the routine of the kitchen.

But we must not close this passing notice of a justly popular establishment without referring to another article of scarcely less merit than those already named; we allude to Mr Spear's highly-improved Silver's patent heating-stoves, for parlors, chambers, offices, etc., with the patent ornamental urn attachment. These beautiful stoves have been brought to the highest possible perfection, by the ingenuity of Mr. Spear; and as they are constructed in sizes varying to suit all situations and circumstances, we commend them to the public as worthy of the widest patronage, for reasons which none will fail to appreciate on examining for themselves. In conclusion, we may add, that as the present genial season is at hand, husbands would act wisely in embellishing the "home department" with either of the above-named articles. Such a gift would make a pleasant and utilitarian memento for years to come.

RICHARDSON'S CIGARS.—We invite attention to the advertisement of Mr. Richardson (No. 1015 Chestnut street) in another column. The lovers of prime HAVANAS, in all their choicest varieties, can here be suited to a nicety. His stock of meerschaum tubes and pipes is unsurpassed, and contains some beautiful novelties for presents.

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[Reported for The Press.]

NEW ORLEANS—Brig Lillian Barnard—129 bales cotton Thos Richardson & Co; 60 do H Hobins.n & Co; 140 do Knight & Bell; 24 hhds su ar 40 bbls molasses Harris Hart & Co; 24 bbls molasses D Salomon & Co; 50 do E C Knight & Co; 100 do 48 hhds sugar, White, Brothers 1 Co; 27 bbls molasses W Trucks & Co; 10 do Wade & Co; 8 do wheels Curtis & Hand; 20 do whiskey W J Hennessy 1 pkg mdse J B Lippincott & Co; 2 do J B Smith & Co; 3 do A W Harrison; 10 empty casks Massey, Co lins & Co; 99 bbls molasses 4 pkgs mdse order.

MOBILE—Schr Julia Fox—225 bales cotton R Patterson & Co; 375 do D Seldomon & Co; 67 empty casks Gilman & Suitz; 125 do Massey, Collins & Co; 3 boxes mdse A W Harrison

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MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

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ARRIVED.

Steamship State of Georgia Garvin, from Savannah 9th inst, with mdse and passengers to A Heron, Jr

Schr Wm Wallace, Small, 13 days from Boston, with sundries to Lewis Lee & Bro.

Schr Clara, Smith, 3 days from New York, with mdse to David Cooper.

Schr Phoebe Nelson, Hunt, 1 day from Salem, NJ, with corn to A G Cott 1 & Co.

Schr A B Russell, Pudsil, 2 days from Lewes, Del, with corn to Jas L Bewley & Co.

Schr Lucy Isabel, Kacy, 1 day from Salem, NJ, with grain to Jas L Bewley & Co.

BY TELEGRAPH.

(Correspondence of The Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.

Arrived, ship Admiral, from Havre; bark Hyphener, from Barbadoes; bark Honduras, from Belize.

HAVANA, Dec 20.

Arrived, brig Boadicea, from Malta; brig Rebecca Frances, from Boston.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec 20.

Arrived, ship Hesperus, from New York.

MEMORANDA.

Steamship Persia Judkins, for Liverpool, cleared at New York yesterday.

Steamship Atlantic, Pierson, cleared at New York yesterday for Aspinwall.

Steamship North Star, Jones, for Aspinwall, cleared at New York yesterday.

Steamship City of Washington, Petrie, from Liverpool 7th inst, arrived at New York yesterday.

Steamship City of New York, Boggs, for Philadelphia, sailed from Boston A M 19th inst.

Ship Indy Hampton, from Portland, via Halifax, arrived at Liverpool 17th inst.

Ship Washington, Johns, for Philadelphia, cleared at Liverpool 6th inst.

Ship Sea Serpent, Whitmore, from London for Hong Kong, sailed from Portsmouth 5th inst.

Ship Elwood Walter, Luce, for Sydney, cleared at London 5th inst.

Bark Crusader, Whitney, from Chili, was below Baltimore yesterday.

Bark Monmouth, Smith, for Philadelphia, was at Messina 19th ult.

Bark Mary Edson, Nickerson, for Messina, sailed from Eastport 9th inst.

Bark Rapid, Marshal, from Vera Cruz, arrived at N York yesterday.

Brig Brandywine, Harmon, which sailed from Rio de Janeiro 8th ult. for Philadelphia, returned same day, with loss of jibboom; would still be ready for repaired.

Brig Lounco, King, sailed from Manamaika 3d inst. for Philadelphia.

Brig Florist, Owen, hence, arrived at London 7th inst.

Brig Yankee Blade, Darling, from Rio de Janeiro Nov 3, arrived at New York yesterday.

Brig Ormus, Baker, hence for New Bedford, arrived at New York yesterday.

Brig Joseph Park Gilks, from Pernambuco, arrived at New York yesterday.

Brig Queen of the South, Chapman, from Rio Grande, arrived at New York yesterday.

Schr Clifton, Morris, cleared at New York yesterday for Brandywine, Del, to load for St Croix.

Schr Wm H Hazard, Larsen, from Montevideo Nov 2, arrived at New York yesterday. Left brks Westcumom, Whildin, for New York, 16d; J W Friend, for Falkland Islands, sailed 1st Nov, to take the cargo of ship Helen A Miller; brk Mary A Jones, Caulfield, for Salem, 15d. The U S brigs Perry and Dolphin sailed for Buenos Ayres 14 s.

Schr Mary Price, Blizzard, at Boston 19th inst. from Wilmington, Del.

Schr George Girdler, Paine, cleared at Boston 19th inst for Philadelphia.

Schrs C A Greiner, Weaver, Paugassett, Waples, and D S Merchon, Allen, hence at Boston 19th inst.

Schrs R Adams, Gifford, for Philadelphia, and J H Wainwright, Corson, for Richmond, via Boston, sailed from Salem 19th inst.

Schr Saco, Healey, for Bridgeton, NJ, sailed from N Bedford 19th inst.

Schr W P Cox, Houck, sailed from Newark 19th inst. for Philadelphia.

Schr Isabella Thompson, Corson, hence, arrived at Richmond 19th inst.

ARRIVALS AT THE PRINCIPAL HOTELS.

UP TO TWELVE O'CLOCK LAST NIGHT.

GIRARD HOUSE—Chestnut st., below Ninth.

Mrs Allen, Pall River
Jos Tra son, N Y
J A Hoagland, Lancaster co
S H Reynolds, Lancaster, Pa
W F Johnston, Pittsburg
G B Phelps, N Y
G G Speno r, Chicago
W G Silvester, Norfolk
Dr J Baxter, Norfolk
A C Wood, N Y
F W Hotchkiss & la, N Y
J L Marsh, Ill
M R Dentz, Cin O
A M Randell, N Y
Mrs Hobbs, St Louis
Es Stanford, Phila
J Hald man & Son, Pa
Mrs D H Miller, Balt
J A Reed & la, Va
R G Tippe, Boston
Jos Bird, Shamokin
John S Plummer, N Y
Mr Fowler & la, N Y
C W Gersey, Boston
H B Adams, N Y
T W Evans, Nashville
Mrs Gulick,
S Cusack, N Y
Dr Cohan, Balt
Geo M Mowbray, N Y
Edwin Hoyt, N Y
Robt Hamill, N J
Mr Train & la, Boston
R W Lasker & la, Wash
J M Spencer, N C
T F Bourdon, N Y
T Street, N Y
S S Garrett, Harrisburg
T F Fordney, Lancaster
S Frich, rd, N Y
Miss Johnston sis, Pa
N H Sackett, N Y
J H Richard, Omaha
Miss Silvester, Norfolk
N Herrick, N Y
R K Slaughter, N Y
Richard Vaiz-s, Ill
H A Muller, N Y
H Gormic, N Y
D Shepard & wife, Chicago
Miss Hobbs, St Louis
J B Bell, Reading
G P Whitaker, Md
Mrs E S Parso n, Balt
R H Evans, Balt
J G Wyman, N Y
Thos B Lumsardney, Lane
E D Griswold, N Y
E S Bailey, Boston
H K White, N Y
J B Samson & la, N Y
John K Gulick U S N
M P Dillon, Savannah
Thos U Walter, Wash, D C
A Baynum, Balt
M Bowie, N C
C L Imbert, N Y
W J Reynolds, N Y
W J Mercier, France
Robt Sherrard, Jr, Ohio
G W Hutton, Miss
Jos Hobart, Cal

MERCHANTS' HOTEL—Fourth street, below Arch.

W D Kline Ky
Rev J Alder, Pa
J M Adsmin, Phila
W D Kline, Pa
A Grady, Luzerne
Thos W Molloy, Toronto
Jas McGovern, Jr., Pa
J Cantnell, Conway, N H
J C Freeland, Mendville
Miss Adams Reading
Gen W Bradly, N Y
Jacob D Newlinger, N Y
Sherman D Phelps, N Y
H G Fisher, Huntingdon
Mrs Livingston, Pa
H S Vansteid, Mass
W A Knight, Phila
Miss Grady Luzerne
J S Tyler, Esq, Pa
G Kimmell, Pa
J H Westbrook & la, N Y
Isaac Adams, Reading
G Mckinney, Pa
Gen W Shelton, Conn
Jas Clark & la, Carlisle

AMERICAN HOTEL—Chestnut st. above Fifth.

S M Hewhart, N Y
J Lovett, N Y
Conrad Kober, St Chunk
M James & son
F Evans, Washg, D C
John Dotson, N Y
S P Wilbur, M'nchk
Jos Jones, Chester co
S R Gridley, Bristol
John P Cox & la, Bethlehem
R Humphrey, Conn
N Marsh Newark, N J
B P Pearsons, R I
E Smith, N H
R B Jameson, N Y
D Mellon's'd, Del City
Thos R Cullin, St Chunk
M B Green, Md
Jas G Jack, Del
Alex Colton, N Y
D J Easterly, Newburgh
Jos Sanger, Meadville
Nelson Hal, Conn
W F Nolle, N Y
E Francis, Newark, N J
W H Morrise, N Y
M Molon, Savannah, Ga

JONES' HOTEL—Chestnut street, above Sixth.

Wm P Hilliard, Ala
Geo Davis, Pa
D Hill, Pa
H Roanoke, Pa
W A Arnold, N Y
C Bradley, Louisville
Hon W L Dewart, Pa
A Murfey, N Y
P O Lambe, Pa
F Annera, Pa
S R Gumerill, N J
D D Hubbard, Va
John Parsel Pa
Chas Woodberry, Boston
A J Fulmer, N J
David Dodd, N Y
J W Morgan, Seaford, Del

THE UNION HOTEL—Arch street, above Third.

Geo A Rocker, Chester co
R H Evans Holmesburg
G L Read, Tamaqua
J Wells Cincinnati
H L Hartshorn Pittsburg
J K Wolliver, Bloomsburg
D H Hazen, Pittsburg
Mr Miller, N J
A Rutter, New Holland
A M Rey, Ohio
S Saylor, Easton
J R Scofield, Port Carbon
D W Hale, N Y

STATES UNION HOTEL—Market st. above Sixth.

J McCroland, Pottsville
J P Delaven, Pa
W S Richardson, Del
C Rohrer, Paradise, Pa
Calvin Cooper, Pa
J B Owens, Harrisburg
Jas Peters, Pa
C Wright, Pa
J L Brown, Nebraska Ter
J Custard, Perry co, Pa
J L Debenbaude, Pa
G W Harvey & wife, Pa
W H Wert, Latrobe, Pa
J H Pearsol, Lancaster
J S Rohrer, Pa
S Q Rose Pa
D L Rabenshade, Pa
J Speakman, Coatesville
D Neff, Reading, Pa
E Baldwin, Coatesville
E P Lewis, Pa

ST. LOUIS HOTEL—Chestnut st., ab. Chestnut.

Dr J Rogers & la, Pittsburg
N Petty & wf N J
M T Greenwood, Boston
F Goodhue, Conn
J W Salley, Galena, Ill
Fred Lauer, Reading
D N Barney, Jr, N Y
F P Hemenway, Boston
Davis & la, Richd, Va
C V Clickener, N Y

NATIONAL HOTEL—Race street, above Third.

Wm H Wolle & la, Ga
Jesse Harrison, Luzerne co
A J Schoch, Carlisle
J S Hitsins, Reading
Gina Clark, Annville
Jos A Hitaker, St Clare
W Bolody, Al Chunk
W F Vutter, Pottsville
Wm A Peter, Pa
H P Huber, Columbia
Jacob Miller,
John B Seidel, Lebanon
Ezra Hunt, Lane co, Pa
Jos J Gr en, Doylestown
John Meily, Lebanon

BARLEY SHEAF HOTEL—Second street, bel. Vine

A Packer, New Jersey
W T Hisson, New Jersey
Sir E Sarcourt, England
J C Rich, Pa
J R Simpson, Pa
A Knight, Newtown
J P Corson, Pa
A Snyder, Pa
T Walton, Pa
J F Hredhead, Pike co
J A Kirk, Pa
A D Snyder, Pa
W J Baugh, Pa
J Nickersham, Pittsburg
C Kugler, New Jersey
C R Swanlow, New Jersey
C Prettr, Pa
W M Large, Pa
J W Simpson, Pa
T S Smith, Newtown
E Walton, Pa
R H Janney, New Hope
J Backhouse, Pa
J Streeper, Montgom'y co
S Reite, Pa
J H Endrickson, Pa
W Davison, Pa
T Ent, Lambertville N J

BLACK BEAR HOTEL—Third, above Callowhill.

H Hillsman, Canon
H Bey, Sumneytown
W H rmer, Pennsburg
L Roads, Berry
Wm Thompson, Pa
Chas B Knight, Pa
Jacob K Hill, Earlville
John Lands, District
Reuben Fryer, Milltown
Jas M Webb, Pendburg
Casper Roads, Byberry
Wm Gooden, Reading
Jacob Bechtel, Berks co
Nathan Lands, District
Benj Schroyer, Pughtown

COMMERCIAL HOTEL—Sixth st., above Chestnut.

W Really, Md
Jos Reed Md
Jos Roman N J
Henry Strawbridge, Pa
Isaac S Oberholtzer, Pa
Isaac Eachos, Chester co
H C Nesbitt, Md
John Kerr, Md
E M Masters, Chester co
L Paxson, Wilm'n, Del
W Tor ert & la, Chester co
S B McClanahan & la, Pa
G M Bechtel, Pottstown
Thos Pomeroy, Roxbury
Robt H Strawbridge, Pa
Frank Strawbridge, Pa
Amos K Hevns, Chester co
Chas Gamble & son, Md
C W Maxwell, Elkton
E N Burrough, Balt
Jas Wright Green, Pa
John Greenier Franklin co
S Harvey & la, Chester co
Dr L L Brooks, Pa

MOUNT VERNON HOTEL—Second st., above Arch

Jas Wood, Jr N Y
John B Venald, N J
Lewis Heck, Dauphin co
R M Potter, Pittsburg
H Conklin, N Y
C Forsuco, West Chester
J Wood, N Y
E A Roderock, N J
E M Rindolph, Lewisburg
M Tomlinson, Wayne co
Thos Struthers, Monroe co

MERCHANTS' HOUSE—Third st., above Callowhill

E Saeger, Allentown
F Allbright, Reading
Lewis Buehler, Tamaqua
J S Hess, Hellertown

BALD EAGLE HOTEL—Third st., above Callowhill.

J T Berger, Quakertown
M Schock, Pennsburg

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MARRIED.

GASKILL—COWPERTHWAIT.—On Tuesday, Dec. 20 by Rev. J. F. Gaskill, D. D. W. C. Gaskill, of Portstown, California, to Anna Everett daughter of Amb. one Cowperthwait Esq. of Camd n, N. J.

BARBER—McFARLAND.—On the 17th inst., by Rev. Saml E. Smith, Mr. Joseph Barber, of Hanselem town ship, Bucks county, Pa., to Miss Cath'e McFarland, of Philadelphia.

GIVE—PATTON.—On Tuesday evening, 18th inst., by Rev. J. B Dales Mr. Alex. W. Given to Miss Annie, second daughter of Richard Patton, both of Spring township.

KINSMAN—RAINELL.—On the evening of Oct 19, 1859, by Rev. J. M. Tax or H. J Kinsman, of Florence, N. J., to Miss S. Julia Darnell, of this city.

DIED.

REX.—On Sunday afternoon, the 18th inst., George Rex, in the 75d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from the residence of his son-in-law, Harmon Shoemaker, three miles east of Willow Grove, in Moreland township, Montgomery count on Thursday next, at 10 o'clock A. M. Funeral to proceed to Jenkintown.

ADAMSON.—Suddenly, on the 17th instant, of congestion of the brain, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of Mr. Wm. Adamson, in the 37th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her husband, No. 1621 North Second street, above Oxford, this (Wednesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, without further notice. Proceed to Laurel Hill.

CAMAC.—On the 19th instant Mrs. Margaret wife of James Camac, in the 60th year of her age.

Funeral from the residence of her husband, Franklin avenue, below Vienna street, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

BUCKLEY.—On the 19th instant Elizabeth, wife of Wm Buckley, in the 54th year of her age.

Funeral from the residence of her husband, Button wood street below Twenty-third st., on this (Wednesday) afternoon at 2½ o'clock.

MILLER.—On the 17th inst., Mrs. Rebecca Murray, aged 55 years and 1 month.

Funeral from her late residence, at the Bridesburg Arsenal this (Wednesday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

LEA.—On the 19th instant, Mrs. Sarah Lea, wife of Charles Lea, in the 48th year of her age.

Funeral from her late residence on Frankford road, above Harrowgate lane, on Thursday afternoon, at 1 o'clock.

KANE.—On the 19th inst., Mrs. Elizabeth Kane, wife of John Kane, in the 60th year of her age.

Funeral from the residence of her son, Bernard Kane, corner of Ninth and Hippen streets, this (Wednesday) afternoon at 1 o'clock.

TWENTY-FOURTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY of Philadelphia at the MUSICAL FUND HALL, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 27 at 7½ o'clock.

Addresses by Rev. Wm. T. Beantly, D. D., Rev. Ezra E. Adams, and Rev. John W. Cracraft.

Music under the direction of Mr. C. Lewis, assisted by Misses Dunni on and Louisa and Josephine Myers, and Messrs. Irwin and Old Vet.

Professor Staughton S. Doyle will preside at the Piano Forte, which has been kindly loaned for the occasion, by Messrs. Gherkering & Sons No. 307 Chestnut street.

THOMAS T. MASON,
GEORGE H. STUART,
M. NEWKIRK,
J. B. RODGERS,
S. MILLIKEN,
Committee on Public Meetings.

N. B. Tickets of Admission may be procured at Mason & Co's, 434 Market street; T. M. Kinney, Arch below Fifth, and at the Home Mission office, 265 North Street, from 2 to 4 o'clock, P. M. d21wam-3t

CHRISTMAS DINNER TO THE POOR.—The Young Men's Central Home Mission of the Presbyterian Episcopal Church, located at Bedford and Baker streets, and their vicinity, intend giving their usual CHRISTMAS DINNER to the children of the Poor and Sabbath Schools, gathered in their charge, on MONDAY, December 26th, at the Mission Building, BEDFORD street, above Sixth. Dinner at 12 o'clock noon. Donations in Money, Poultry, Provisions, &c., thankfully received at the Mission House, or by the undersigned, members of the Committee of Arrangements.

EDWIN S. YARD, 209 Spruce St.
JACOB R. BIRKINBINE, 632 Chestnut St.
JAS. L. BIDDLE, 710 S. Second St.

d21-4t

FATHER CHINIQUY.—THE WELL-known converted Romanist, Rev. Mr. CHINIQUY, will preach in the EVENING FREE ARMINIAN CHURCH, Broad street, above Chestnut, South Penn square, THIS (Wednesday) EVENING, 21st inst., at half past seven o'clock. 1t*

HOLIDAY GIFTS.—GIVE YOURSELF. In a Photograph or Ambrotype, made at the simple and extensive Photographic Gallery of SNOWDEN'S, Second above Green, where none but good pictures are made. 1t*

OFFICE OF VAN DYKE & CO., No. 52 SOUTH THIRD STREET.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20th, 1859.

TO THE SECOND MORTGAGE BONDHOLDERS OF THE WILLIAMSPORT AND ELMIRA RAILROAD COMPANY.—It is deemed proper to announce to those who desire to participate in the advantages of the proposed reorganization of the Company—advantages which, if secured in manner and—is obvious—say, that they execute the power of attorney, now lying at our office, and thus become, as in the ownership of this road when newly organized.

F. A. VAN DYKE, Jr.,
Attorney for Second Mortgage Bondholders.

N. B.—An assessment of $1 per thousand has been laid to meet present or limited expenses. d21-12t

OFFICE SHILLELAGH CITY PASSENGER RAILWAY COMPANY,

152 SOUTH FOURTH STREET, Dec. 21, 1859.

The annual election of the stockholders of the Philadelphia City Passenger Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 152 SOUTH FOURTH Street, on MONDAY, January 9th, 1860, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time an election will be held for a President and six Directors to serve the ensuing year.

WILLIAM SINGERLY,

d21-dja9 Secretary.

MOURNING MOUSSELINES DE LAINE, 15 CENTS—BESSON & SON have reduced 10 000 yards of imported Black and White Mouselines Delaine to only 15 cents.

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BLACK THIBET LONG SHAWLS.—Now in Store, a full assortment of Lupin's Black Thibet Long Shawls. Also, Lupin's black Cashmeres, Merinos, Satin Bechenes, Velvet Poplins, Tamises, Velour Reps, Mousseline de Laines, Bombazines, &c.

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REMOVALS.

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THE FAME INSURANCE COMPANY

HAVE REMOVED THEIR OFFICE TO

NO. 406 CHESTNUT STREET,

(LATELY OCCUPIED BY THE COMMONWEALTH BANK.)

d19 6t W. I. BLANCHARD, Sec'y.

REMOVAL.—E. & F. C. YARNALL & CO. have removed from 123 Market street to 418 SOUTH WHARVES and 419 PENN St. d2 1m*

SALES BY AUCTION.

JAMES HUNT, AUCTIONEER, S. W. corner of FIFTH and SOUTH Streets.

BANKRUPT SALE OF 1000 CASES BOOTS AND OTHERS.—POSITIVE SALE OF THE LARGE STOCK PREPARED AND GOOD WILL OF AN OLD ESTABLISHED GROCERY STORE, the owner declining business.

On Thursday Morning,

Dec. 22, at 11 o'clock, at the N. E. corner of Second and Noble, comprising a large and well-assorted stock of

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