NOTICES.

☞ THE OFFICIALS OF THE CUSTOM HOUSE.

MR. EDITOR: On the 6th instant an article appeared in *The Press*, over the signature of "A Friend to Justice," that deserves *serious consideration* from the *friends* of the *gentlemen, one and all*, who have been connected with the Custom House during the collectorship of Col. William B. Thomas.

It seemed almost an unnecessary undertaking for the writer to *show, so clearly*, that the attaches were honorable men, because this is a *fact doubted by no one. Upon this very hypothesis* the public is at a loss to understand how *one* man could be a rogue, *surrounded by such honorable gentlemen*. Therefore, it appears to the comprehension of the citizens that *no one in the Custom House could have been rascal enough* to have *planned* the *robberies* or *perpetrated* them. *There cannot be the shadow of a doubt* about *outside robbers*, when we consider *how easy* such could have entered the Custom House *during the making of the late alterations in the building.* [1t*] A FRIEND TO ALL.

☞ THE SEVENTH NATIONAL BANK OF PHILADELPHIA, PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 13, 1865.

At the annual election for DIRECTORS, held on the 10th inst., the following gentlemen were elected Directors of this Bank to serve for the ensuing year:

J. Z. DeHaven,	J. A. Waters,
H. G. Morris,	S. B. Coughlin,
Charles S. Close,	W. P. Clyde,
Jas. M. Preston,	Geo. W. Hill.
J. W. Souder,	

At the meeting of the Board, held THIS DAY, J. Z. DEHAVEN, Esq., was unanimously re-elected President, and E. S. HALL Cashier.

ja14-3t E. S. HALL, Cashier.

☞ THE LOCUST DALE COAL CO.—ANNUAL MEETING.—The stockholders of the Locust Dale Coal Company are hereby notified that their annual meeting, for the choice of Directors and such other business as may legally be transacted, will be held at the CONTINENTAL HOTEL, in the city of Philadelphia, on WEDNESDAY, the first day of February next, at two o'clock P. M.

THEODORE D. EMORY, Secretary.

PHILADELPHIA, January 14, 1865. ja14-13t*

☞ OFFICE OF THE CITY BOUNTY FUND COMMISSION, COMMONWEALTH BUILDING, No. 613 CHESTNUT Street.

PHILADELPHIA, January 14, 1865.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Commission for the payment of the City Bounty, under the provisions of the ordinance approved January 3, 1865, are now prepared to receive and adjust the claims of all new recruits.

Volunteers for One Year will receive warrant for ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Volunteers for Two Years will receive a warrant for TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS.

Volunteers for Three Years will receive a warrant for FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS.

The citizens of Philadelphia are earnestly called upon to encourage enlistments by every means in their power, for the purpose of procuring Volunteers to fill the quota of the city on the last call for 300,000 men.

ja14 3t JOHN BLAIR, Secretary.

☞ FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, FRANKFORD Road and MONTGOMERY Avenue, Rev. D. L. GEAR Pastor.—SABBATH 10½ A. M., continuation Sermons on "Joseph;" 7½ P. M., "Think of me when well with thee." 1t*

☞ THE REV. THOMAS SEWALL, D. D., of Baltimore, having been prevented by the interruption of travel from preaching in this city on last Sunday, according to announcement, will preach TO-MORROW, in TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, EIGHTH Street, above Race, at 10½ A. M., and 7½ P. M. 1t*

☞ THE PROGRESSIVE LYCEUM SOCIABLES will be held at SANSOM-STREET HALL THIS (Saturday) EVENING, January 14, at 7½ o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. A. JACKSON DAVIS, of New York, will be present. Tickets may be obtained of M. B. DYOTT, 114 South SECOND Street, and of the officers of the Lyceum. 1t*

☞ THE EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE OPENING OF THE CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH will be appropriately celebrated on next WEDNESDAY EVENING, the 18th inst., in the Church, VINE Street, above Twelfth, at 7½ o'clock. All the members and friends cordially invited to be present. 1t*

☞ THE ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF THE CHILDREN'S PROGRESSIVE LYCEUM will be held at CONCERT HALL on TUESDAY EVENING, January 17th. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. DAVIS, and other officers of the New York Lyceum, will participate in the exercises. Tickets 25 cents, for sale at M. B. Dyott's, 114 South Second street; Mr. Gould's, Seventh and Chestnut streets; Mr. Pugh's, Sixth and Chestnut streets; at the Hall, and by the officers and members of the Lyceum. Doors open at 7; commence at 7½ o'clock. ja14-3t*

☞ A GRAND PUBLIC TEMPERANCE MEETING will be held at CONCERT HALL, on THURSDAY, 26th instant. Eminent and interesting Speakers will be present on that occasion. Tickets can be had gratuitously by applying at T. B. PUGH'S, SIXTH and CHESTNUT Streets. 1t*

☞ CHILDREN'S CHURCH.—THE next Monthly Sermon to the Young, on BIBLE BLESSINGS, will be preached in the Church of the Epiphany, TO-MORROW AFTERNOON. Service at 3 o'clock. 1t*

☞ SECOND ADVENT MEETINGS.—CHARLES H. SUTTON will Preach TO-MORROW Morning, at 10½ o'clock, at Hall N. E. corner of NINTH and CALLOWHILL Streets. The Public are invited. 1t*

DIVIDENDS.

☞ THE QUICKSILVER MINING COMPANY.

The Directors of the Quicksilver Mining Company have THIS DAY declared a semi-annually dividend of

FIVE DOLLARS

per share in UNITED STATES GOLD COIN, payable FEBRUARY 1, 1865, to shareholders of record January 31st, 1865.

Transfer Books will be closed from February 1st to 16th, inclusive.

WALTER E. LAWTON, Treasurer.

NEW YORK, January 4, 1865. ja10 18t

☞ THE CONSOLIDATION NATIONAL BANK. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 4, 1865.

The Directors have this day declared an Extra Dividend of TWENTY PER CENT., payable on MONDAY, January 16, 1865, clear of U. S. Taxes.

Stockholders will be required to surrender their Certificates of Stock, for which new ones will be issued in the name of "The Consolidation National Bank."

ja5-thstu16 JOS. N. PEIRSOL, Cashier.

☞ OFFICE WEST PHILADELPHIA PASSENGER RAILWAY COMPANY, Northwest corner of FORTY-FIRST and HAVERFORD Sts., PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 10, 1865.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on the Capital Stock of the Company, to 31st ult., clear of all taxes, payable on and after the 20th inst.

The Books for the transfer of Stock will be closed until that date.

ja12-thstu-12t* WM. MARTIN, Jr., Treasurer.

☞ PENNSYLVANIA HALL ASSOCIATION.—By resolution of the Board of Managers a final dividend of ONE DOLLAR AND A HALF PER SHARE will be paid UPON PRESENTATION AND SURRENDER OF CERTIFICATES OF STOCK to ELI DILLIN, Treasurer, corner of RIDGE avenue and GREEN Streets, between 8 and 10 o'clock in the morning. N. B.—Need not apply without the certificates of stock. ja7-sw6t*

☞ OFFICE OF THE LOCUST MOUNTAIN COAL AND IRON COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA, January 12, 1865.

At a Meeting of the Board of Directors of this Company, held this day, a Dividend of FOUR PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, clear of State tax, was declared, payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives on and after the 23d instant.

ja13 9t EDWARD ELY, Treasurer.

☞ OFFICE OF THE BRIGGS OIL COMPANY, No. 147 South FOURTH Street, JANUARY 11, 1865.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the seventh monthly dividend of ONE PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, payable on the 26th inst.

The Transfer Books will be closed on the 21st inst., at 3 o'clock, and opened on the 27th.

By a resolution of the Board of Directors, adopted this day, dividends will in future be paid quarterly.

ja13 12t CHARLES A. DUY, Treasurer.

☞ DIVIDEND.—THE DIRECTORS of the NOBLE AND DELAMATER PETROLEUM COMPANY have this day declared its ninth monthly dividend, SIX PER CENT., payable free of State tax, on the 20th instant. Books close on the 14th and re-open 21st. GEORGE W. HUNTER,

ja12-9t Secretary.

☞ MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK, PHILADELPHIA, January 10, 1865.

The Board of Directors of this Bank have this day declared an extra dividend of FIVE PER CENT., payable to Stockholders on and after MONDAY, Jan. 16, 1865.

ja11-5t J. W. EGANU, Jr., Cashier.

☞ OFFICE OF THE RESOLUTE MINING COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA, January 9, 1865.

Notice is hereby given that an instalment of ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE on each and every share of the Capital Stock of the RESOLUTE MINING COMPANY has this day been called in, payable on or before the 23d day of January, 1865, at the office of the Treasurer, No. 324 WALNUT Street, Philadelphia.

By order of the Directors! B. A. HOOPES,

ja10-tja23 Treasurer.

☞ OFFICE OF THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA, 232 WALNUT STREET, PHILADELPHIA, January 9, 1865.

The Directors have this day declared a dividend of ONE DOLLAR AND TWENTY CENTS per share—free from taxes, payable on demand.

ja10 12t CHARLES PLATT, Secretary.

☞ OFFICE OF THE FAME INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 406 CHESTNUT Street. PHILADELPHIA, January 7, 1865.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the FAME INSURANCE COMPANY, held this day, a dividend of THREE PER CENT. was declared, payable on demand, clear of all taxes. WILLIAMS I. BLANCHARD,

ja9 12t Secretary.

☞ THE PHILADELPHIA NATIONAL BANK, PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5, 1865.

The Directors have this day declared a Dividend of TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT., payable on the 16th inst.

Stockholders are requested to bring or send their certificates to be exchanged for new ones of the Philadelphia National Bank. B. B. COMEGYS,

ja6 tja16 Cashier.

☞ DIVIDEND NO. III (3).—GREAT BASIN OIL COMPANY.—The Directors have this day declared a Dividend of TWO (2) PER CENT., payable on and after the 15th instant. Books close on the 10th instant. By a resolution of the Board of Directors, adopted this day, dividends will in future be paid quarterly. G. W. WILLIAMS, Treasurer.

January 5, 1865. [ja6-10t*] 14 FARQUHAR BDGS.

☞ THE MECHANICS' BANK, ST. LOUIS, Dec. 31, 1864.

The Board of Directors have declared a dividend of THREE AND ONE HALF PER CENT (3½ p. c.) payable to Philadelphia Stockholders at the Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, on and after Jan 16, 1865.

ja5-tja16* CHAS. EVERTS, Cashier.

☞ DIVIDEND NOTICE.—OFFICE OF THE TIOGA IRON COMPANY, No. 524 WALNUT Street, Room No. 25.

The Board of Directors have THIS DAY declared a DIVIDEND of FIVE PER CENT. (twenty-five cents per share) on the capital stock of this Company, payable at their office on and after January 16th, 1865, clear of state taxes.

The transfer books will be closed on the 13th and opened on the 16th.

ja5-tja16 D. R. JONES, Treasurer.

☞ OFFICE OF THE MINGO OIL COMPANY, No. 524 WALNUT Street, Room 20. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 3, 1865.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The Board of Directors have this day declared their second monthly dividend of TWO PER CENT. (twenty cents per share), out of the net earnings of the Company for the month of December, payable, clear of State tax, on and after January 20th.

Transfer Books close January 14th, at 3 o'clock P. M., and open January 21st. P. W. WILTBANK,

ja5 tja20 Secretary.

☞ OFFICE OF THE PHILADELPHIA CITY PASSENGER RAILWAY COMPANY, No. 2100 CHESTNUT Street. PHILADELPHIA, January 2, 1865.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, a dividend of ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS PER SHARE, subject to the United States and State taxes, was declared, payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the 12th inst.

The transfer books will be closed until the 12th inst.

ja4-10t WM. W. COLKET, Treasurer.

☞ OFFICE OF THE ENTERPRISE INSURANCE CO., 400 WALNUT ST. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 2, 1865.

The Directors have THIS DAY declared a dividend of THREE AND ONE HALF PER CENT. on the capital stock of the Company for the last six months, payable on demand, free of all taxes. B. LOCKWOOD,

ja3-12t Secretary.

☞ PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD COMPANY, Office No. 227 South FOURTH Street. PHILADELPHIA, November 30, 1864.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The transfer books of this Company will be closed on THURSDAY, December 15, and reopened on TUESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1865.

A Dividend of FIFTEEN PER CENT. on the common and preferred stock, clear of National and State taxes, has been declared, payable in common stock, on the 31st December next, on all stocks standing on the books of the Company, at the close of business on the 15th prox.

Stockholders whose names are registered on the New York books will be paid at the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company. S. BRADFORD,

del-tf Treasurer.

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I do therefore cause this notice thereof to be published in accordance with the provisions of the said eleventh section of the said act, and do declare that the charter of said bank by the terms of said act is deemed and taken to be hereupon surrendered, subject to the provisions of the first section of said act.

A. G. CURTIN.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, January, 9, 1865. ja11-18t

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For the sale of Cotton, Linen, and Jute Yarns, Wadding, Wick, Twines, and Carpets.

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Silks, Ribbons, and Dress Goods.
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Invites attention to his large assortment of

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in SLEEVES, COLLARS, SETS, HANDKERCHIEFS, &c., suitable for the present season.

1,000 YARDS OF 2-YARD WIDE

FRENCH MUSLINS,

bought *a bargain, and for sale low.*

Also, TARLETANS, ILLUSIONS, and other goods, suitable for BRIDAL AND PARTY DRESSES.

A very extensive assortment of HANDKERCHIEFS, VEILS, EMBROIDERIES, &c., all of which are offered at prices much below the present gold rates.

E. M. NEEDLES,

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JANUARY 13th, 1865.

CURWEN STODDART & BROTHER

Have arranged a large stock of SPRING AND SUMMER DRY GOODS, which are marked to sell at such prices as will induce persons to anticipate their wants, in view of the advantage in price of imported Goods this Spring.

Light Colors Alpacas,
Striped Mohairs,
Plaid do.,
Striped Necotas,
Printed Barege Anglaeis,
Woven Figures Grenadiers,
Silk Tissues,
Plain Bernanis,
Figured do.

CURWEN STODDART & BRO.,

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REDUCTION IN PRICES FOR ONE MONTH ONLY, PREPARATORY TO TAKING STOCK.

The following goods at low figures:
3,000 yards heavy red twilled Flannel at 62½ cents.
2,300 yards unbleached Canton Flannel at 60 cents.
1,500 yards 1¼ unbleached Muslin at 55 cents.
1,225 yards unbleached Muslin at 50 cents.
730 yards lead-colored Canton Flannel at 65 cents.

Poplins, Merinoes, and Dress Goods closing out less than cost of importation. We are selling the last bale of the celebrated 12¼-cent Crash.

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VERY RICH AND HEAVY COLORED Corded Silks, in Wine Colors, Browns, Greens, Blues, Modes, Whites, &c.

Very rich and heavy Plain Silks.
Very heavy Black Corded Silks.
Very heavy Plain Black Silks.
Fancy Silks of various styles.
Very rich Moire Antiques.
Black Watered Silks.
Silks for Evening Dresses.
36, 34, and 32-inch Pure Silk Velvets for Cloaks, real Lyons.

Also, very superior quality Frosted Beaver Cloths.

EDWIN HALL & CO.,

de12tf 26 South SECOND Street.

REP POPLINS.

Solid colors, extra fine quality, for $2.
Plaid Poplins of unusual beauty, at $2.
Good quality wide plaid Poplins, $1.25.
Figured reps, Mohairs, and Merinoes.
127 pieces newest unique American Delaines, some of them choice and neat, others very gay stripe.
Over 100 pieces American prints, 31, 35, 38, and 40 cts.
Black Mohairs and Alpacas, 65 cts to $1.75.
Balmorals, fresh lot for misses, maids, and matrons.
Cloaks and Shawls in Cloak room.
Cloak display unusually good. Sales rapid.

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BARGAINS! CLOSING OUT! BARGAINS!!

STOCK TO BE SOLD BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1865. GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES. DRESS GOODS, every variety, suitable for HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

Handsome Silks at low prices.
Silks of all kinds at low prices.
Plain Merinoes and Poplins.
RICH PLAID POPLINS
Dress Goods of all kinds at low prices.
BROCHE AND WOOLEN SHAWLS.
Linen Hdkfs, Lace Collars.
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MEDICAL.

THE DISCOVERY OF THE PROPERTIES OF KELP, OR SEA-WEED.

It has been discovered by the chemists of France that Kelp or Sea-weed has been found to contain the properties necessary to give tone to the Stomach and impart a vigorous and healthy digestion. By distillation and analysis it is found to contain Iodine, Potassium, Iron, Lime, and the Hypophosphites, and other very important chemical agents which act on the food in the stomach similar to the gastric juice, causing it to dissolve, and a perfect digestion is the result. It is remarkable how it produces strength and vigor to the system, making the most slender fleshy and robust, with a hale and hearty constitution.

In Ireland the Irish Moss has been used by physicians for many years with marked success, and it contains many properties similar to Kelp, but in such feeble proportions that the Sea-weed is destined to supercede it entirely.

Professor Faraday, of London, has discovered that the Kelp possesses also the Anthelmintic, or Worm-destroying property in an eminent degree, and, as it is perfectly safe under all circumstances, the day is rapidly approaching when the Sea-Weed will be the only remedy that will be used as a vermifuge for children and adults for Tape-worm, and all other kinds of worms that the human system is liable to.

Professor Faraday will prosecute his investigations still further on this interesting subject, and the public would do well to keep themselves posted as to the results of his labors.

"IRISH IODINE AND MARINE SALTS COMPANY."

The Galway *American*, of the 11th inst., and other Irish papers, have interesting articles on the establishment of this Company in the "City of the Tribes." From a Dublin contemporary's columns, we group some statements therein set forth as facts. They will show our readers the nature of the new discovery, which has led to the formation of a company which promises to be of immense value to Ireland, and over which, it is to be hoped, no English interest will have control.

"Hitherto sea-weed embraced no wider range of application than the burning of it into kelp in a few isolated places on the coasts of Antrim, Donegal, Galway, and the Isles of Arran, for a short period in summer, when the weather was fine, and the people had no other employment; and the use of it in a raw state as a manure by the poor tenants or cottier farmers living within a mile or two miles of the coast, who have no means of procuring farm-yard or other fertilizing substitutes. On these data its value was estimated. It served no purpose beyond these two appliances. But we have entered upon an age of discovery; and sea weed may have been destined in the economy of Providence to be the foundation of Ireland's prosperity. Mr. M'Ardle's analysis of sea weed, authenticated by the eminent chemists, Alcridge, Abjohn, Galloway, Sullivan, and Cameron, by showing it to have a value far exceeding what it was previously known or thought to possess, has attracted the attention of the commercial world.

"The immediate and direct products of sea-weed are iodine, bromine, muriate of ammonia, sulphate of potass, sulphate of soda, chloride of potassium, chloride of sodium, carbonate of soda. From the quantity of each of these substances which sea weed is found to contain, its value and importance can hardly be over-estimated. But if one considers for a moment the uses to which the several products are applicable, in medicine, the arts, and various manufactures either as bases or agents, and the amount of skilled and unskilled labor that would be brought into requisition by the works they would create, the magnitude of the parent manufacture would appear to be diminished—the trunk to be imperceptible amid its many branches. The value of this long-neglected source of wealth is at length appreciated. A company is formed for its full development. The gentlemen who determined upon this have done well and wisely, both for themselves and their country; and at no very distant day, when seeing the success which shall have crowned their undertaking, the happy firesides they shall have created, the prosperity they shall have disseminated, and the impulse their example will have given to industrial and manufacturing enterprise, they shall feel with feelings of patriotic pride and gratified delight to that day on which they inaugurated a truly Irish manufacturing era, teeming with riches, with happiness, and peace."

The above extract is from a recent number of the Galway *American*, and claims to be a new discovery in the way of medicine. While the discovery may be new in Ireland, it is not so in this country, nor even in this city, for it is a well known fact here that Dr. J. H. SCHENCK has known and used all the materials named above for ten years past, or longer, in the preparing his SEA-WEED TONIC; and no doubt this is the reason of its great success in the healing art.

This great remedy has increased in demand so rapidly that it is impossible for Dr. SCHENCK to fill the orders. Every druggist thinks his orders should be filled first. The same way with SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS. Go where you will, city or country, East or West, you will find a box of SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS. These medicines are suited to every one, and should be in every family. One dissolves the food in the stomach, the other assists nature in carrying off the morbid matter. The SEA-WEED TONIC brings up the tone of the stomach, and gives at once an appetite. A little taken before breakfast will create an appetite. After eating a hearty dinner, a wine-glassful of it will digest the food and prevent any unpleasant feeling of fullness.

It is perfectly harmless, and very agreeable to the taste.

The SEA-WEED TONIC and MANDRAKE PILLS have done more to promote the health of the army than any other medicines before the public.

It converts the food into chyme. It contains no corn whisky or alcohol, but its stimulating properties are as pure as the best French brandy.

REMOVAL. REMOVAL.

Dr. SCHENCK has removed his office to his new store, No. 15 North SIXTH Street (corner of Sixth and Commerce), where he can be consulted every SATURDAY from 9 until 5 o'clock.

Price for Pulmonic Syrup and Sea-weed Tonic each $1 50 per bottle, or $7 50 the half dozen. Mandrake Pills 25 cents per box. 1t

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TEST THIS—BE YOUR OWN JUDGE.

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WILLIAM M. BROWN.

Richmond, Lincoln, Maine, May 16, 1864.

The above is verbatum, and but one of the many we receive. Dr. H. JAMES' CANNABIS INDICA is the only remedy known that will positively cure CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, and BRONCHITIS. We ask the trial of a single bottle, as it will satisfy the most skeptical. $2.50 per bottle. Three bottles, $6.50. Pills and Ointment, $1.25 each. Address

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INSURANCE.

GIRARD

FIRE AND MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY,

OFFICE 415 WALNUT STREET,

PHILADELPHIA.

CAPITAL..........$200,000.

INCOME IN 1864.

From Fire Premiums only, and interest	$113,512 59

DISBURSED.

On account of Losses, none remaining unpaid	$55,735 75
On account of Dividends, Expense Account, &c., including United States and State Taxes	33,933 97

ASSETS JAN. 1, 1865.

Cash in Philadelphia National Bank	$11,117 75
United States Loans, $51,980 00	61,989 03
Bonds and Mortgages	88,167 00
Philadelphia City Sixes	7,600 00
Camden and Amboy Railroad Bonds	3,000 00
Fourth National Bank of Pittsburg	5,750 00
Loans on Call, amply secured	14,300 00
Real Estate	7,000 00
Cash on hand and due from agents	8,600 00
Unpaid accrued interest	3,660 00
Bills Receivable	3,498 74
Girard Fire and Marine Insurance Co. Stock	40,400 00
Pennsylvania Railroad Stock	4,928 00
Total	$249,941 49
Other Stocks and Bills Receivable, held (only) as collateral	75,000 00

With the above ample means to indemnify our patrons, we shall, after this date,

ABATE PREMIUMS TEN PER CENT.

On all first-class merchandise risks coming direct from the insured. This sum will be deducted from the rates customary at this date.

Revenue Stamps *will be charged for*, and no commissions paid.

Parties holding Participating Policies in this Company, expiring on or before the 16th instant, will, on the surrender of their policy, receive a dividend of

SEVENTY-FIVE PER CENT.

New policies may be issued, but the old ones must be returned to the office.

DIRECTORS.

Thomas Craven,	John W. Claghorn,
Furman Sheppard,	N. S. Lawrence,
George H. Ashton,	John Supplee,
Charles I. Dupont,	Henry W. Gray,
Joseph Klapp, M. D.,	Silas Yerkes, Jr.
Alfred S. Gillett,	

THOMAS CRAVEN,

PRESIDENT.

A. J. GILLETT, Vice President.

JAMES B. ALVORD, Secretary. ja14-stuth6t

SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

PENN MUTUAL

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF PHILADELPHIA.

OFFICE No. 921 CHESTNUT STREET.

Published in conformity with the Charter.

RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1864.		
Life premiums for term of life	$192,431 42	
Limited premiums for short terms	235 37	
War risks	4,096 32	
Extra risks, &c	874 00	
Interest on investments	134,166 60	
		$331,793 71
Scrip dividends received from policies purchased and cancelled		4,300 00
Amount		$336,093 71
LOSSES AND EXPENSES DURING THE SAME PERIOD.		
Thirty losses, amounting to	$72,600 00	
Expenses, salaries, advertising, stamps, medical examinations, &c	15,962 02	
Rent and taxes—City, State, and National	5,042 67	
Commission to agents, advertising, taxes, licences, &c	13,312 79	
		106,917 48
		229,176 23
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Premiums returned and policies purchased	7,092 92	
Interest, dividend	27 60	
United States Sanitary and Christian Commissions, &c	1,850 00	
		8,970 52
Surplus		220,205 71
Accumulated capital, December 31, 1863	1,221,289 61	
Deduct scrip of 1850 to 1859, received	65,060 00	
		1,156,229 61
Accumulated capital, December 31, 1864		$1,376,435 32

ASSETS OF THE COMPANY LIABLE FOR LOSSES.

$100,000 00 U. S. 5 per cent. transferrable loan. 1871	$100,212 50
160,000 00 U. S. 5-20 6 per cent. loan	150,000 00
75,000 00 U. S. 6 per cent. transferrable loan, 1881	79,987 50
45,000 00 U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness	43,235 66
35,892 39 Pennsylvania 5 per cent. taxed loan	31,842 69
20,000 00 Pennsylvania 5 per cent. coupons	18,535 00
88,100 00 Philadelphia 6 per cent. loan, free	81,481 25
13,800 00 Philadelphia 5 per cent. loan, taxed	11,087 75
10,000 00 Pittsburg 6 per cent.	8,325 00
26,000 00 Allegheny 6 per cent. bonds	19,895 00
12,000 00 Allegheny 5 per cent. compromise bonds	9,000 00
10,000 00 Washington county 6 per cent. bonds	7,525 00
21,000 00 Pennsylvania R. R. 1st mortgage 6 per cent. bonds	20,990 00
12,000 00 Pennsylvania R. R. 2d mortgage 6 per cent. bonds	9,796 25
10,000 00 Harrisburg Railroad 6 per cent. bonds	10,700 00
10,000 00 Louisville City 6 per cent.	7,141 40
558 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Stock	39,342 77
150 shares Lehigh Coal and Navigation Stock	7,517 26
212 shares Girard Life Insurance, Annuity, and Trust Company	5,575 88
180 shares Western Bank Stock	6,862 50
259 shares Commercial Bank Stock	11,035 25
76 shares North America Bank Stock	10,168 00
100 shares Manufacturers' and Mechanics' Bank Stock	2,784 00
50 shares Mechanics' Bank of St. Louis	4,950 50
250 shares Delaware Mutual Safety Insurance Company Stock	6,250 00
50 shares Girard Bank Stock	2,000 00
35 shares Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank Stock	1,820 00
425 shares Corn Exchange Bank Stock	21,250 00
	$720,555 56
Bonds and Mortgages, all first liens	318,919 22
Ground Rents	11,955 00
Real Estate held by the Company	34,529 19
Premium Notes secured by Policies	98,806 62
Loans on Collaterals	10,285 61
Balances in hands of Agents	15,876 66
Quarterly Payments due Company	11,657 30
Scrip Dividends purchased	72,931 92
Cash on hand and in Bank	28,185 19
Deposit in U. S. Sub Treasury	20,000 00
Office Furniture	2,452 23
Life Interest and Annuity	548 95
Interest on Stocks and Loans to December 31, 1864	20,714 97

Market value, $1,485,685 32. Cost, $1,376,435 32

At an Election, held at the Office of the Company, on Monday, 2d instant, the following-named gentlemen were unanimously chosen Trustees for three years:

Samuel C. Huey,	Thomas W. Davis,
Theophilus Paulding,	Joseph M. P. Price,
Edmund A. Souder,	Samuel A. Bispham,
Samuel E. Stokes,	Elliston Perot.
Henry C. Townsend,	

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees, held on the 10th instant, the following officers were unanimously elected:

JAMES TRAQUAIR, President.
SAMUEL E. STOKES, Vice President.
JOHN W. HORNOR, A. V. P. and Actuary.
HORATIO S. STEPHENS, Secretary.

The Board declared a Return Premium Dividend in Scrip of FIFTY PER CENT. upon the Premiums paid in 1864 on all Policies in force December 31, 1864, and decided to receive the Certificates of the Extra Scrip Dividend of September, 1859, in settlement of Premiums, on and after the 20th instant, and to credit those indebted for Premium Notes or Loans on Policies with the amount of said Scrip on their Notes or Loans on that date.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Rodolphus Kent,	Joseph H. Trotter,
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Pierre V. Duflon, N. Y.,	Theophilus Paulding,
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Frederic A. Hoyt,	Samuel E. Stokes,
C. J. Hoffman,	Henry C. Townsend,
John G. Brenner,	Thomas W. Davis,
Benjamin Coates,	Joseph M. P. Price,
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William P. Hacker.	

MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

EDWARD HARTSHORNE, M. D., 1439 WALNUT Street.

FRANCIS GURNEY SMITH, Jr., M. D., 1501 WALNUT Street.

In attendance at the office of the Company, from 1 to 2 P. M., daily.

JAMES TRAQUAIR, President.
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HORATIO S. STEPHENS, Secretary. ja14 stuth6t

FIRE INSURANCE EXCLUSIVELY.—THE PENNSYLVANIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated 1825. CHARTER PERPETUAL. No. 510 WALNUT Street, opposite Independence Square.

This Company, favorably known to the community for nearly forty years, continues to insure against Loss or Damage by Fire, on Public or Private Buildings, either permanently or for a limited time. Also, on Furniture, Stocks, Goods, or Merchandise generally, on liberal terms.

Their capital, together with a large Surplus Fund, is invested in the most careful manner, which enables them to offer to the insured an undoubted security in the case of loss.

DIRECTORS.

Jonathan Patterson,	Daniel Smith, Jr.,
Alexander Benson,	John Devereux,
Isaac Hazlehurst,	Thomas Smith,
Thomas Robins,	Henry Lewis,
	J. Gillingham Fell.

JONATHAN PATTERSON, President.

WILLIAM G. CROWELL, Secretary.

AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Incorporated 1810. CHARTER PERPETUAL. No. 310 WALNUT Street, above Third, Philadelphia.

Having a large paid-up Capital Stock and Surplus invested in sound and available Securities, continues to insure on Dwellings, Stores, Furniture, Merchandise, Vessels in port and their Cargoes, and other Personal Property. All losses liberally and promptly adjusted.

DIRECTORS.

Thomas R. Maris,	James R. Campbell,
John Welsh,	Edmund G. Dutilh,
Samuel C. Morton,	Charles W. Poultney,
Patrick Brady,	Israel Morris.
John T. Lewis,	

THOMAS R. MARIS, President.

ALBERT C. L. CRAWFORD, Secretary. fe22-tf

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INSURANCE.

OFFICE OF THE

UNION MUTUAL

INSURANCE COMPANY.

PHILADELPHIA, JANUARY 9, 1865.

The following statement of the affairs of the Company is published in conformity with a provision of its charter:

Premiums written from January 1, 1864, to January 1, 1865	$201,005 86	
Premiums undetermined Jan. 1, 1864	52,509 43	
	$253,515 29	
Premiums earned during the year to Jan. 1, 1865	$187,892 08	
Interest on investments	20,550 10	
	$208,442 18	
Losses paid during the year	$101,968 64	
Return premiums	14,368 60	
Reinsurances	14,319 65	
Expenses and commissions	16,377 11	
U. S. Taxes	3,851 84	
		$149,915 84
		$58,526 34
Less amount paid to customers in lien of scrip	$22,342 22	
Amount reserved to pay losses not adjusted	13,000 00	
		$35,342 22
Balance remaining with the Company		$23,184 12

STATEMENT OF ASSETS OF THE COMPANY JANUARY 1, 1865.

United States 5-20 Coupon Bonds	$11,600 00
" " Registered	6,000 00
" " 1881	11,000 00
State of Pennsylvania 6 per cent. Coupons	5,000 00
" " 5 " Registered	15,000 00
City of Philadelphia 6s	16,000 00
City of Pittsburg 6s	7,000 00
" " 5s	7,000 00
Camden and Amboy 6 per cent. Coup. Bonds '83	3,500 00
" " 6 " '75	17,000 00
" " 6 " consol'd	21,200 00
Pennsylvania Railroad 1st Mortgage	1,000 00
" " 2d "	10,000 00
Philadelphia and Erie Railroad	10,000 00
North Pennsylvania Railroad	10,000 00
Chesapeake and Delaware Canal	14,610 00
Schuylkill Navigation Company	10,000 00
Wyoming Valley Canal	11,000 00
Pennsylvania Railroad, 166 shares	8,300 00
North Pennsylvania Railroad, 100 shares	5,000 00
Delaware Railroad, 48 shares	1,200 00
Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank, 160 shares	8,000 00
Philadelphia Bank, 68 shares	6,800 00
Union Mutual Insurance Co., 1,474 shares	29,480 00
Delaware Mutual Insurance Co., 88 shares	2,200 00
Scrip North Pennsylvania Railroad	2,425 00
Sundry Insurance Companies' Scrip	2,190 00
Estimated present value	$270,000 00
Bills receivable	42,096 28
Cash on hand $21,729 39	
Cash deposited U. S. Treasury 20,000 00	
Cash on Collateral 10,000 00	
	$51,729 39
Due the Company for unsettled premiums, salvages, and other accounts	42,970 44
	$406,796 11

The Directors have declared a dividend of EIGHT PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, and SIX PER CENT. on the Outstanding Scrip of the Company, free of all taxes.

DIRECTORS.

RICHARD S. SMITH,	H. F. ROBINSON,
S. DESTOUET,	SAMUEL C. COOK,
A. E. BORIE,	JAMES R. CAMPBELL,
FRANCIS TETE,	G. W. BARNADOU,
JOHN H. IRWIN,	HENRY SAMUEL,
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EDWARD L. CLARK,	SOL. TOWNSEND,
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ELLIS YARNALL,	JOHN MOSS.

RICHARD S. SMITH,

PRESIDENT.

JOHN MOSS, Secretary.

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It is a HOME COMPANY, and profits divided annually, thus aiding the assured to pay future premiums. Last dividend 50 per cent.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

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Albert C. Roberts,	Henry K. Bennett,
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Geo. Nugent,	John Aikman,
Wm. J. Howard,	Isaac Hazlehurst,
	Samuel Work.

ALEXANDER WHILLDIN, President.

SAMUEL WORK, Vice President.

no21-3mif JNO. S. WILSON, Sec'y and Treasurer.

THE RELIANCE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Incorporated in 1841. Charter Perpetual.

OFFICE No. 308 WALNUT STREET.

CAPITAL, $300,000.

Insures against loss or damage by FIRE Houses, Stores, and other Buildings, limited or perpetual; and on Furniture, Goods, Wares, and Merchandise, in Town or Country.

LOSSES PROMPTLY ADJUSTED AND PAID.

ASSETS, $400,068 71.

Invested in the following Securities, viz:

First Mortgages on City Property, well secured	$108,600 00
United States Government Loans	141,000 00
Philadelphia City 6 per cent. Loans	60,000 00
Pennsylvania $3,000,000 6 per cent. Loan	15,000 00
Pennsylvania Railroad Bonds, first and second Mortgages	35,000 00
Camden and Amboy Railroad Company's 6 per cent. Loan	6,000 00
Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company's 6 per cent. Loan	5,000 00
Huntingdon and Broad Top 7 per cent. mortgage bonds	4,560 00
County Fire Insurance Company's Stock	1,050 00
Mechanics' Bank Stock	4,000 00
Commercial Bank of Pennsylvania Stock	10,000 00
Union Mutual Insurance Company's Stock	380 00
Reliance Insurance Company of Philadelphia's Stock	1,000 00
Accrued Interest	5,455 42
Cash in bank and on hand	13,123 29
	$400,068 71
Worth at present market value	414,393 71

DIRECTORS.

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Statement of the affairs of this Company on the 31st day of December, 1864:

CAPITAL.

Authorized	$200,000 00	
Paid up in full	200,000 00	

ASSETS.

Bonds and Mortgages, all first liens on real estate in the city of Philadelphia	209,550 00	
Ground rents, on property in the city of Philadelphia	8,000 00	
Girard Bank Stock	2,525 00	
United States Securities	34,870 65	
Deposited in U. S. Mint, at six per cent per annum	40,000 00	
Philadelphia City six per cent. loan	4,080 00	
Real estate, office building, and furniture	10,406 96	
Cash in bank and on hand	10,177 22	
Due by agents	424 63	
Interest on investments accrued but not due	$3,420 37	
Interest on investments due and unpaid	382 00	
		3,802 37
		$323,836 83

RECEIPTS IN 1864.

Premiums on Fire risks	$56,379 86
Interest	21,036 78
Policy and transfer fees	289 50
On canceled perpetual policies	49 38
	$77,755 52

PAYMENTS IN 1864.

Dividend, January and July, three per cent. each on the Capital Stock for the preceding six months	$12,000 00
Losses by Fire	8,685 68
Return Premiums and Reinsurances	4,782 10
Taxes United States and State	2,650 13
Donations, Commissions, Salaries, Legal Expenses, Printing, Advertising, Fire Marshal, and other expenses	14,239 12
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