PITTSBURGH POST.

WEDNESDAY MORNING:.....FEBRUARY 20.

A Crazy Thane of Cawdor.

From the Cin. Commercial.

On Thursday night as Miss Heron was about leaving her dressing room for the purpose of "going on" in the fourth act of "Camille," she was suddenly seized by an insane actor named Joseph P. Terry, who grasped her with one hand by the arm, and the other clutching her throat, he began in a wild and incoherent style to rehearse a portion of "Macbeth." Miss Heron was of course much terrified, and her screams resounded through the theater. A young sister of the lady fled for assistance, and several of the Company coming up rescued her, not without difficulty, from the madman's grasp. Miss Heron was so badly frightened that she could scarcely proceed with her performance, and the incident becoming known to the audience, created considerable excitement. Mr. Terry soon left the National, and went up to the People's Theater, where his wife is playing an engagement; almost immediately on entering the green-room, he seized his wife, and throwing her across his shoulders, he rushed out into the street, closely pursued by Mr. Meeker and others of the Company, in their stage apparel. After a short struggle he was compelled to release her, and half dead with fright, she was taken back into the theater. Mr. Terry was at once taken into custody, and conveyed to the Ninth Street Station House. Yesterday morning he was brought before the Police Court, and the Judge, learning his unfortunate condition, sent him below until an *inquirendo de lunatico* could be held. It is said that he has become insane from spirit rappings.

CONDITION OF ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY, of HARTFORD, CONN., January 1, 1856, as presented to the Stockholders, and made out to comply with State laws of New York, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Pennsylvania.

STATEMENT.

The name of the Corporation is ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY, located at Hartford, Connecticut.

The Capital is Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, and is paid up.

ASSETS of the Company are—

Cash in hand and in Phœnix Bank	$ 50,939 60	
Cash on special deposit in Phœnix and Hartford Banks, bearing interest	100,000 00	
Cash in hands of Agents, balances, (good)	161,999 64	
		$ 311,968 24
Bills receivable, payable at Bank		98,025 15
Real Estate, unincumbered		18,145 75
74 Mortgages on first and 2 per cent. semi-annually	72,000 00	
10 Hartford Bonds, 7 per cent.	10,000 00	
29 State of Va. Bonds 6 do do	29,200 00	
5 State of N. C. do 6 do do	5,000 00	
10 Jer. City Water Bonds 6 do do	10,000 00	
6 Milwaukee city 1 do do	6,000 00	
10 Hartford city do 6 do do	10,000 00	
		152,200 00
Money due the Company, secured by mortgage		8,631 00
500 Shares Hartford and New Haven R. R. Stock	50,000 00	
100 Shares Hartford and Providence R. R. Stock, preferred and guaranteed 10 per cent.	9,150 00	
107 Shares Boston and Worcester R. R. Stock	10,630 00	
250 Shares Conn. River R. R. Stock,	11,000 00	
		97,000 00
54 Shares Conn. River Co. Stock		1,250 00
50 Shares Bedford Bank Stock		5,100 00
50 do. Citizens' do. Watertown		5,100 00
25 do. Eagle do. Providence		1,900 00
300 do. Shares do. Hartford	33,000 00	
280 do. Farm & Mec. do. do	27,000 00	
325 do. Exchange do. do	36,214 00	
200 do. State do. do	19,275 00	
100 do. City do. do	11,000 00	
75 do. R'k of Hfd. Co. Bank Stock, Hartford	7,187 50	
150 Shares Conn. River Bank Stock, Hartford	9,750 00	
244 Shares Hartford R'k Stock, Hartford	30,744 00	
		160,181 50
2.0 Shares Merchants' Ex. Bk Stock, New York	10,825 00	
200 Shares North River Bank Stock, New York	10,100 00	
403 Shares Mechanics' Bk Stock, N Y	12,000 00	
100 do. Bk N. Amer. do. N Y	10,500 00	
100 do. Bk America do. N Y	10,000 00	
150 do. Bk Republic do. N Y	15,750 00	
200 do. Bk Commerce do. N Y	21,750 00	
480 do. Bk Bradway do. N Y	48,000 00	
400 do. Peoples do. N Y	10,750 00	
200 do. Manhat. do. N Y	11,750 00	
200 do. Mechanics do. N Y	9,000 00	
200 do. Ocean do. N Y	8,000 00	
150 do. Metropolitan do. N Y	8,250 00	
200 do. Butchers & Drovers do. N Y	10,000 00	
200 do. Importers & Traders do. N Y	20,000 00	
100 do. Amer. Ex. do. N Y	10,000 00	
200 do. Merchants do. N Y	14,250 00	
100 do. U. S. Trust Co. do. N Y	11,000 00	
100 do. Nat. Life Ins. & Trust Co. do. N Y	10,000 00	
		277,875 00
1 0 Shares Ohio Life Ins. & Trust Co. Stock, Cincinnati		9,000 00
15 Shares Ohio Life & Trust Co. Bank Stock, Zanesville		1,500 00
		$1,074,396 24

LIABILITIES—

Unsettled claims for Losses and Reinsurance $27,000 00

The Ætna Insurance Company present as parts of its sworn statement, in addition to the above, the following assets, for the purpose of security of their policies, all moneys being placed at the immediate disposal of the Company in the cities mentioned, in which the business is done, viz:

Two hundred thousand dollars in the Ætna Fire Insurance Company's office in the city of New York, consisting of bonds and mortgages, stocks, and cash deposited in bank.

One hundred thousand dollars in the Ætna Fire Insurance Company's office in the city of Cincinnati, consisting of bonds and mortgages, stocks, and cash deposited in bank.

Fifty thousand dollars in the Ætna Fire Insurance Company's office in the city of Chicago, consisting of bonds and mortgages, stocks, and cash deposited in bank.

Fifty thousand dollars in the Ætna Fire Insurance Company's office in the city of Indianapolis, consisting of bonds and mortgages, stocks, and cash deposited in bank.

Fifty thousand dollars in the Ætna Fire Insurance Company's office in the city of Pittsburgh, consisting of bonds and mortgages, stocks, and cash deposited in bank.

Total $1,401,396 24

Which, first quite from the sales of the stock a year ago, is 100 per cent, which is re-paid in the course, and by means of assets, stocks each part is contributed enough a part to approximate known, which completes the whole, in time 24 ship-ing two shingles at every twenty-four.

Total this home will five and share from the block three thousand shingles per hour, of uniform thickness and taper, superior to nobody and durability) to those made by hand or any other process.

Its operations are by no means confined to pine and other soft wood, but works to equal advantage, oak, walnut, and every other description of timber that can be split.

The working of the machine can be examined at H. H. Ivans Furniture Buildings, Fifth street, Pittsburgh.

To timber workers, shingle dealers, and men of enterprise, this opens a new field for speculation, as there is no similar machine extant.

The machine occupies but a small space, is of durable construction, and costs but about two hundred dollars, and a man and two boys can make from 25,000 to 30,000 shingles per day.

For right of territory, or machines, inquire at No. 31 Fifth street, at the City Hotel.

☞ All needed information will be forwarded by letter, when desired. C. K. CHAMBERLIN, Agent.

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TRUSSES—I have on hand a large assortment of Trusses. To me wishing anything in this line should call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. JOS. FLEMING.

ja12 Corner Diamond and Market street.

LARD—13 bbls. No. 1 Extra Lard:

5 kegs do do do

Just received on consignment; for sale by

ja29 ATWELL, LEE & CO.

2 CASKS OLIVE OIL, in store and for sale by [fe18] FLEMING BROS.

LOVERING'S SUGARS—Crushed, Coarse Pulverized, and Pulverized just received by

fe16 S. JAYNES, Pekin Tea Store, No. 38 Fifth street.

RAILROADS.

1856.

ONLY ROUTE WITH THREE DAILY TRAINS

FROM PITTSBURGH TO CINCINNATI.

ONLY ROUTE WITH THREE DAILY TRAINS

FROM PITTSBURGH TO DAYTON AND INDIANAPOLIS.

OHIO AND PENNSYLVANIA

AND

LITTLE MIAMI RAILROADS.

VIA CRESTLINE AND COLUMBUS.

Quickest Route from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati.

CONNECTING at Cincinnati with L. S. Mail Line Steamers, Covington and Lexington Railroad, Ohio and Mississippi Railroad, and the Lawrenceburgh Route. Connecting via Columbus and Xenia, with the Dayton and Xenia, and Indiana Central Railroads.

THROUGH TICKETS, via Columbus and Cincinnati, to Lexington, Louisville, St. Louis, Indianapolis, &c., &c. Via Columbus and Xenia, to Dayton, Indianapolis, Lafayette, Terre Haute, St. Louis, &c., &c.

THE LITTLE MIAMI via COLUMBUS, connecting with the Covington and Lexington Railroad, the U. S. Mail Line Steamers, the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad, and the Lawrenceburgh Route, offers facilities no other route can give, as through tickets by all the above routes can only be procured via Columbus and the Little Miami Railroad.

The route from Crestline via Columbus being the shortest to Cincinnati, enables a *uniform and safe speed.* Connections are certain, and passengers have full time for meals. By the Forest and Bellefontaine route from Crestline, *a dangerous and break-neck speed is required, and compelled* to overcome distance.

By the route via Columbus to Cincinnati and Indianapolis, passengers ride over roads ballasted and smooth. By the Forest and Bellefontaine route, passengers ride over the roughest roads in Ohio.

THREE DAILY TRAINS, VIA COLUMBUS AND CINCINNATI.

FIRST TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 2.30 o'clock A. M. for Crestline, Columbus, Xenia, Cincinnati, Louisville, St. Louis, Lexington and Indianapolis. Passengers by this train breakfast in advance of the Forest and Bellefontaine route.

SECOND TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 8 o'clock A. M. for Crestline, Columbus, Xenia and Cincinnati. This train makes connection only via Columbus to Cincinnati.

THIRD TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 12 o'clock P. M. for Crestline, Columbus, Xenia, Cincinnati, Louisville, St. Louis, Lexington and Indianapolis, via Lawrenceburgh Route.

THREE DAILY TRAINS, VIA COLUMBUS, DAYTON, AND INDIANAPOLIS.

FIRST TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 2.30 o'clock A. M. for Crestline, Columbus, Xenia, Dayton, Indianapolis, Lafayette, Terre Haute, Vincennes, St. Louis, Cairo, Evansville, &c.

SECOND TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 3 o'clock P. M. for Crestline, Columbus, Xenia, Dayton, Indianapolis, Lafayette, Terre Haute, Vincennes, St. Louis, Cairo, Evansville, &c.

THIRD TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 2 o'clock P. M. for Crestline, Columbus, Xenia, Dayton, Indianapolis, Lafayette, Terre Haute, Vincennes, St. Louis, Cairo, Evansville, &c.

☞ Passengers by our Night Express Trains, will note the following time, viz: Leave Pittsburgh at 2 o'clock A. M., arrive at Columbus at 7.30 A. M., at Dayton at 9.30 A. M., at Indianapolis at 2 P. M., at Lafayette at 4.30 P. M., at Terre Haute at 6 P. M., at St. Louis at 7.30 A. M. next morning.

Stopping only at principal stations. Leave Pittsburgh at 2 o'clock A. M., arrive at Cincinnati at 7.30 A. M., and at Louisville at 2 P. M.

Leave Pittsburgh at 8 o'clock A. M., arrive at Cincinnati at 7 P. M.

Leave Pittsburgh at 12 o'clock P. M., arrive at Cincinnati at 7 A. M.

Through Tickets are procured at the Office of the Company, corner of Clark and Lake streets, in the Granite Building, at the Depot of the Galena Railroad, and at the Michigan Central Railroad office, corner of Lake and Dearborn streets, opposite Tremont House, Chicago.

FREIGHT consigned by the Company's Agents, Forwarding despatch.

C. G. HAMMOND, Supt.

C. K. FOLLETT, Agent.

General Ticket Agent, Chicago.

☞ TICKETS can be procured at the principal Railroad Offices of the country. mh19

NEW AND DIRECT ROUTE,

FROM PITTSBURGH TO

Columbus, Indianapolis, Chicago,
Cincinnati, Terre Haute, Rock Island,
Louisville, Vincennes, Iowa City,
St. Louis, Lafayette, Burlington,
Dayton, Cairo, Davenport,
Springfield, Evansville, Galena,
Xenia, Memphis, Peoria,
Zanesville, New Albany, Keokuk,
Newark, New Orleans, Fort Madison,

AND THE PRINCIPAL CITIES IN THE WEST AND SOUTH.

THROUGH TICKETS to the above points can be procured at the Railroad Office in the East; at the office of the Company, corner of Clark and Lake streets, in the Granite Building, at the Depot of the Galena Railroad, and at the Michigan Central Railroad office, corner of Lake and Dearborn streets, opposite Tremont House, Chicago.

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Steubenville & Indiana Railroad!

Which is now completed and in successful operation between Steubenville and Columbus.

Combining unrivalled and permanent facilities, this route offers to the traveling public a degree of reasonable favor not found elsewhere. WM. PATTERSON,

President of Steubenville & Indiana Railroad Co.

Fall Arrangement.

On and after MONDAY, November 26th, a DAILY LINE of elegant and swift Coaches, Stages, connected by Cars between Steubenville and Columbus, will leave Pittsburgh every day at 7 o'clock, A. M.

THROUGH TICKETS

Can be procured at the office of the Company in Steubenville, and at the Railroad Office in Pittsburgh, where all information can be had, and arrangements made for the transportation of baggage, freight and passengers.

For further information, apply at the office of the Company in Steubenville, or to

J. DEVENNY, General Agent.

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PITTSBURGH & CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.

OPEN FROM PITTSBURGH TO CONNELLSVILLE.

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Great United States Mail and Express.

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THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

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THE GREAT CENTRAL ROUTE connecting Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and the West.

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Rates between Philadelphia & Pittsburgh.

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☞ The shipping goods from any point East of Philadelphia, by parts of the Pennsylvania Railroad, to Pittsburgh, or Pittsburgh to Philadelphia, will be forwarded without detention.

FREIGHT AGENTS—Messrs. Fuller, Bancker & Elliott, New York; J. J. Sumner, Philadelphia; Magraw & Reese, Baltimore; C. C. Fraser, Pittsburgh; Shoppington & Bryan, Cincinnati; Hall & Co., Wheeling; Lansville, Ky.; R. S. Meldrum, Madison, Ind.; Ratcliff, Ayres, St. Louis, Mo.; Mitchell & Rose, Evansville, Indiana.

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Great American and U. S. Express and Mail Route.

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TO

CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS,

VIA CHICAGO, ALTON AND ST. LOUIS

RAILROAD,

Formerly Chicago and Mississippi.

CHICAGO TO ST. LOUIS IN 12½ hours. Trains leave the Illinois Central Depot, foot of Water street, Chicago, at 9 A. M. and 5 P. M. Arrive at St. Louis at 9.30 P. M. and 7.15 A. M. Illinois Night Express daily, Saturdays excepted, 9.30 P. M.

St. Louis Freight and Emigrant daily, sundays excepted, 6.30 A. M.

Baggage checked through to St. Louis.

Trains run direct to Alton, 250 miles, without change of cars or baggage, and connect with the Company's splendid steamers WM. HENRY and HENDERSON, running daily between Alton and St. Louis, landing at the Company's Depot in St. Louis, and *nowhere else.* These boats, for speed, convenience and safety, are unsurpassed on the Western waters, being fitted up with Bathe and spacious Washing-rooms, affording to passengers the opportunity of enjoying the first unavailable in summer rail-road traveling, and reaching St. Louis refreshed from the effects of a long ride.

TO KANSAS and NEBRASKA this is the most direct route, and passengers destined for Bloomington, Springfield, Jacksonville, Naples, and all points on the Mississippi, Missouri, Kansas, Cumberland and Tennessee rivers, will note the important saving in distance, being seventy-two miles less to St. Louis, thirty-seven miles less to Bloomington, and fifty-eight miles less to Springfield, than by any other route.

Through Tickets over this route can be procured at the various Railroad Ticket offices in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Albany, Buffalo, &c., and at all Through Ticket offices throughout the States, and in Chicago at the Company's Office, No. 18 Dearborn street, opposite the Tremont House—and at the depot of the Illinois Central Railroad, foot of Water street.

Responsible Baggage Men will always be at the Depots of the various Roads going into Chicago, to Check Baggage through to any point desired on the line.

H. F. MORGAN, Jr., Superintendent.

H. J. D. SCHERMERHORN,

General Passenger Agent.

CENTRAL OHIO RAILROAD.

THREE DAILY TRAINS EACH WAY, (SUNDAY EXCEPTED.)

And but one Change of Cars between Columbus and Baltimore.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Jan. 28th, 1856, Trains will run as follows:

GOING EAST.			
Leave	*Express Train.*	*Mail Train.*	*Night Train.*
Newark	4.15 A M	1 P M	11.45 P M
Zanesville	6.50 P M.	4.11	2.12 A M
Concord	7.25 "	4.41	2.47 "
Cambridge	8.10 "	5.26	3.32 "
Washington	9.15 "	6.31	4.36 "
Belmont	9.51 "	7	5.12 "
Arrive Bellaire	10.30 "	7.40	5.50 "
GOING WEST.			
Leave	*Express Train*	*Mail Train*	*Night Train*
Bellaire	4.45 A M	1.15 P M	11.45 P M
Belmont	5.24 "	1.54 "	12.24 A M
Barnesville	6.24 "	2.54 "	1.24 "
Cambridge	7.10 "	3.40 "	2.10 "
Concord	8.15 "	4.45 "	3.15 "
Zanesville	8.50 "	5.20 "	3.50 "
Newark	10.35 "	7 "	5.35 "
Arrive Columbus	11.30 "	7.55 "	6.30 "

The Express Train leaves Bellaire on arrival of the Express Train from Baltimore and Wheeling, and arrives at Columbus in time for passengers to take the Express Train for Cincinnati, at Newark with the Express Train from Sandusky, Michigan City, Chicago and Mansfield, and at Zanesville with the Express Train for Wheeling and Baltimore. The Mail Train connects at Newark with the Express Train for Sandusky, Michigan City, Chicago and Mansfield, and at Zanesville with the Express Train for Wheeling and Baltimore. The Night Train connects at Newark with the Express Train for Sandusky, Michigan City, Chicago and Mansfield, and at Zanesville with the Express Train for Wheeling and Baltimore.

Passengers by the Express Train reach Columbus in time to take the Express Train for Cincinnati, and arrive at Cincinnati at 7 P. M.

The Mail Train connects with the Express Train from Cincinnati, and arrives at Columbus at 7.55 A. M., in time for passengers to take the Express Train for Baltimore, arriving at Baltimore at 4.30 P. M.

The Night Train connects with the Express Train from Cincinnati, and arrives at Columbus at 6.30 A. M., in time for passengers to take the Express Train for Baltimore, arriving at Baltimore at 3.30 P. M.

Passengers by this route will find it the most direct route to Washington City, Annapolis, Philadelphia, New York, Boston and the East.

Baggage checked through to Cleveland and Chicago.

FARE VIA ALIANCE AND CLEVELAND.

	1st class.	2d class.
To Alliance	$2 50	$2
" Cleveland	4 50	3 50
" Toledo	6 50	5
" Chicago	12	9 50
" Indianapolis	10	8
" St. Louis	18 50	15 50

Passengers are limited to 150 pounds of baggage free.

FARE VIA CRESTLINE.

	1st class.	2d class.
To Crestline	$2 50	$2
" Cleveland	4 50	3 50
" Toledo	6 50	5
" Chicago	12	9 50
" Indianapolis	10	8
" St. Louis	18 50	15 50

Passengers are limited to 150 pounds of baggage free.

Through Tickets can be procured at the Company's office on the corner of Fifth and Wood streets, Pittsburgh, and at the office of the Company, in the Monongahela House, at the door below the corner.

J. DURAND, Supt. Cleveland

J. A. CAUGHEY, Agt., Pittsburgh

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OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILROAD.

BROAD GAUGE.

THE SHORTEST, QUICKEST, CHEAPEST, AND ONLY ROUTE by which Passengers can have all Railroad direct to St. Louis. Time to St. Louis, 22 hours, from Pittsburgh.

THE SIX FEET GAUGE of this Road save immediate whole cars—eleven feet inside—with roomy seats, unattainable on narrow gauge roads.

By the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad from Pittsburgh to Crestline, passengers connect with Railroads for Indianapolis, Lafayette, Terre Haute and Richmond Railroad for Vincennes. No change of cars at Terre Haute. Baggage checked to Indianapolis, thence to St. Louis.

Trains leave Pittsburgh as follows:

FAST TRAIN leaves at 2 A. M.

MAIL TRAIN leaves at 8 A. M.

EXPRESS TRAIN leaves at 3 P. M.

Passengers make close connections at Crestline for Indianapolis, and there make close connections with Railroad for Vincennes, without a change of cars; and at Vincennes take the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad direct for St. Louis—through in 12 hours, connecting at Sandoval with the Illinois Central Railroad for Cairo, where first-class Steamers can at all times be had for Memphis, Vicksburg, New Orleans, and all points on the lower Mississippi river. Passengers can always find at St. Louis, steamers for the Upper Mississippi, Illinois and Missouri rivers.

This is one hundred miles the shortest route to St. Louis.

FARE—FIRST CLASS.

To St. Louis via Bellefontaine and Union	$18 50
To " " Columbus, Xenia and Dayton	15 50
To " " Columbus, Cincinnati and Lawrenceburg	19 00
	12 00

SECOND CLASS FARE.

Passengers and Baggage transferred from Depot to Depot free of charge.

For Through Tickets, or further information, please apply to J. G. CURRY, Ticket Agent, O. & P. Railroad Company, corner office, Monongahela House, Pittsburgh, or to GEO. PARKIN, Ticket Agent, Federal Street Station, Allegheny City.

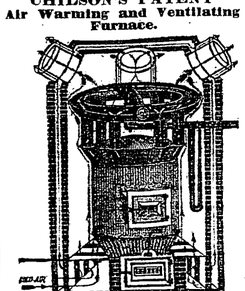
JAMES M. WARD,

Superintendent O. & M. Railroad.

F. KNOWLAND, Agent, Pittsburgh, Pa. [oct19

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHILSON'S PATENT Air Warming and Ventilating Furnace.



THE subscriber offers for the consideration of the public, the above named FURNACE, designed for Warming and Ventilating Buildings, combining in itself all the desirable qualities required in a perfect Heating Apparatus, insuring perfect comfort, without any of the disagreeable sensations or sources of annoyance so common in heating arrangements. While the occupants of a room or building experience all the comforts arising from a warm summer atmosphere, they also inhale pure life-giving and health-sustaining air, not contaminated by being derived from the impure, unhealthy sources, or its power to sustain life being impaired by coming in contact with an over-heated surface.

These results are produced, in part, by constructing the furnace in such a manner that the heat is diffused at a lower temperature than is usual with any other furnace now known to the public. In producing this result, another object of great importance is obtained, on the score of economy, the heating surface is so great that the heat is almost entirely abstracted from the gases before they are driven off into the chimney, thereby economizing fuel. The fuel chamber is so lined with soapstone and fire-brick that the fuel cannot come in contact with the iron, thereby preventing the burning of the air, and destruction or injury to the Furnace.

The joints of the Furnace are so constructed as to effectually prevent the escape of smoke and clay pipe, preventing the escape of noxious and sooty gases into the room, so annoying to the occupants, and so injurious to the health and furniture.

The air to be warmed is taken directly from the outside of the building in all cases, thus insuring a supply of pure, wholesome air for the dwelling, and the other important functions required by the human system—the oxygen is not at first robbed, nor the organic matter in the air carbonized by coming in contact with an over-heated surface, as with other furnaces; and headaches and other disagreeable sensations are prevented by this means—and the consequence of the warm air not making too large demands upon the lungs and evaporating surface of the skin, to supply the moisture which it has lost in passing over a hot surface. In proof of this, attention is called to the certificates of Prof. Silliman, of Yale College, New Haven, and to those of other scientific persons who have examined this subject.

If public and universal approval is any test of merit, the proprietors of this valuable Furnace can point to the fact in testimony of thousands, to the press, and to public exhibitions in all parts of the world, it having received the Prize Medal at the World's Fair, and the highest premiums at Fairs in New England, New York, and a Silver Medal at the State Agricultural Fair in Pennsylvania. We add two or three late testimonials.

This winter is the fourth in which one of Chilson's Furnaces has been in the living house, and I take pleasure in bearing testimony to its many excellent qualities, giving an abundant supply of pure, warm air, with a degree of comfort indescribed, and requiring scarcely any repairs, in all that period.

I feel no hesitation in recommending it, with the improvements adopted by Messrs. Williams & Allen, as the best furnace for the wants of this community, now in use.

Pittsburgh, December 8, 1855. WM. SHAW

From Rev. Joseph P. Taylor, Rector of Trinity Church, New Brighton, Proprietor and Principal of Renwood School for Boys:

Messrs. Williams & Allen have put up at Renwood a Chilson's Furnace No. 6, which in operation exceeds my most sanguine expectations. It successfully warms seven large rooms, gives no more trouble than a single grate, and consumes such stock in it, is supplied with fuel at a cost of ten cents per day.

We have placed in the First Presbyterian Church three of Chilson's Furnaces, which were put up by Messrs. Arnold & Williams; and with the improvement made by Messrs. Williams & Allen, we think they are the best Furnaces now in use. The work well, but our Church will and the heavy [illegible] high encomiums placed upon them. We have selected these after a careful examination of all the Furnaces now in use, and give them the decided preference.

Pittsburgh, December 1, 1855. JOHN D. McCORD.

Manufactured and sold by

WILLIAMS & ALLEN,

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