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INSURANCE.



ASH ASSETS, JULY 1, 1861,
\$1,929,763.20.

LOSSES PAID, UPWARD OF
\$14,000,000.

For great public service, promptness and reliability,
the well-tried and sterling Company, recom-
mended by preference with the Hartford Insurance
Co. N. C. ARTHUR, Agt.

Hartford Fire & Marine Ins. Co.
PHILADELPHIA. \$315,723.05
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Hartford Fire & Marine Insurance Co.
of PITTSBURGH, PA. \$300,000

These Companies having appointed the under-
signed Agent for Wheeling and vicinity,
respectfully solicit the patronage of the public.
Companies are well known to be first class offices,
and promptly adjust claims.

Office over the Bank of Wheeling.

TO THOSE WHO WISH TO BE
INSURED
AGAINST ALL CONTINGENCIES.

THE HOME INSURANCE COMPANY
of New York.

Capital (paid in) \$1,000,000
Contingent Fund (over) 600,000
Total Cash Capital for the amount of risk \$1,600,000
in the United States.

W. F. PETERSON, Agent.

INSURANCE CO. OF THE VALLEY
OF VIRGINIA.

Capital (paid in) \$300,000
Contingent Fund (over) 375,000
Total Cash Capital for the amount of risk \$675,000
in the United States.

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THE LYNCHBURG HOSE & FIRE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital (paid in) \$100,000
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in the United States.

W. F. PETERSON, Jr., Agent.

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INCORPORATED IN 1837.

Buildings of all kinds, Steamboats, Furniture and
contents, and against all dangers attending the
navigation of Goods on rivers, seas, lakes, canals
and railroads.

R. W. HARRIS, Sec'y. HENRY GRANGE, Pres't
DIRECTORS.
John D. Brown, John D. Brown, Sam'l Ott.

Applications for Insurance will be promptly at-
tended to by the President and Secretary.

Saddles, Harness, Trunks &c
WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

J. SHEPARD No. 123 Main Street, corner
of Union, will continue to keep on hand a large and
complete assortment of all articles in his line, consist-
ing of Saddles, Harness, Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, Satchels, Cots
and Trunks, Whips, &c.
He will respectfully call attention to my stock, and
to the fact that he has been appointed by the Board of
Directors of the public patronage.

Kind of repairing promptly done, and in a pro-
fessional manner. J. B. SHEPARD
123 Main Street

CARBON OIL!

WE HAVE ESTABLISHED AN OIL REFINERY
in this city, on Linden street, below the day
where I keep constantly in hand and for
sale the quality of Illuminating and Lubricating
oil. Also a good article of Asphaltum, for pavements
and roofs. Dealers and others in want of any of the
above will find it to their interest to give me
a call before purchasing elsewhere.

JOHN COOK.

Savings Bank of Wheeling,
Ohio, Main St., between Monroe and Union.

INTEREST PAID ON TRANSFER DEPOSIT
Interest paid on Special Deposits. Collections
promptly attended to. Exchange on the East by
mail. THOS. H. LESTER, President.
WILLIAM HILBRETH, Treasurer. Jan 1-62.

W. B. LOGAN
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LIST, MORRISON & CO.,
Wholesale Grocers & Produce Dealers
No. 70 and 80 Main St., Wheeling, Va.

We desire to call the attention of the friends of the firm, to the fact that we have been appointed by the Board of Directors of the public patronage.

We are determined to keep on hand a large and complete assortment of all articles in his line, consisting of Saddles, Harness, Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, Satchels, Cots and Trunks, Whips, &c.

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COL. SAM. COLT'S
REVOLVING FIRE ARMS
Pistols, Rifles, Carbines & Shot Guns

PATENTS OF 1850, 1855, 1857, 1858.
THESE ARMS HAVE NO EQUALS IN QUALITY
and durability. They are adopted by the Army and Navy
of the United States, and the principal governments
of Europe. They are uniform in all their parts, are simple,
easy, serviceable and can be had in one hundred
calibers, as well as Cartridges of Powder, ball and
shot. Small parts for repairs, from all respect-
able gun dealers, and Hardware trade generally.

PATENT FIRE ARMS MAN'G CO.
Hartford, Conn.

ROBERT W. NORTON
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NESBITT & BRO.,
MANUFACTURERS OF
Copper, Tin & Sheet Iron Ware

WE WILL KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND
all kinds of the above ware, besides every
thing pertaining to our line of business. We particu-
larly invite all buyers to give us a call before
purchasing elsewhere.

SHOULDER. 10 cases, just received by
LIST, MORRISON & CO.
ONE dozen fine Watches for Ladies, just received
and for sale wholesale and retail by
T. SCOTT & CO.

Intelligencer.

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BUSINESS CARDS.

ALFRED HUGHES, M. D.
HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN
OFFICE AND RESIDENCE: Corner of Fourth and
Quincy streets, below the 1st Presbyterian Church.

OFFICE HOURS.
Morning, 7 to 9; Noon, 1 to 3; Evening, 7 to 9.

J. BOON M'LEURE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
OFFICE N. E. COR. MONROE & FOURTH STS.
(Opposite the Court House).

N. B.—Will practice in the several Courts of this
and the neighboring Counties.
Particular attention will be given to the col-
lection of claims.

A. M. ADAMS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
CLOTHING STORE,
WHERE always may be found SUPERIOR CLOTH-
ING; also makes to order, at the shortest
notice,
All Garments belonging to Gentlemen

No. 36, WATER STREET, Wheeling, Va.
Agents for W. Bingham's Shirts and Stocks
of every description. Also, for A. B. Howe's Excel-
lent Sewing Machine.

S. G. ROBINSON,
MANUFACTURER OF
WINDOW GLASS,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
PAINTS, OILS, SASH, DOORS, LIME,
CEMENT, PLASTER PARIS, &c.
No. 75 Main Street,
WHEELING, VA.

M. REILLY,
Wholesale Dealer in
GROCERIES,
Foreign and Domestic
Wines and Liquors,
Nos. 55 & 57 MAIN STREET,
WHEELING, VA.

J. A. METCALF,
COMMISSION MERCHANT AND
MANUFACTURER'S AGENT
FOR THE SALE OF
Nails, Window Glass, Cincinnati Soap,
Iron, Flint Glassware, Lead Oil,
Steel, Green Glassware, Lime,
Springs, Printing Paper, Plaster Paris,
Axe-handles, Wrapping Paper, Gun-
rosin, Wooden Ware, Starch,
Together with many articles of Pittsburgh and
Wheeling manufacture.

No. 56 Paxton's Row, Main St.,
Wheeling, Va.
JNO. S. CARLILE, MAXWELL FORBES.

CARLILE & FORBES,
Attorneys At Law,
WHEELING, VIRGINIA.
Practice in all the Courts of Ohio County, and
the adjoining counties.
OFFICE ON FOURTH STREET, No. 150 1/2 sept 21-1

CALDWELL & BOYD,
Attorneys At Law,
No. 60 Main Street,
WHEELING, VA.

C. L. ZANE & CO.,
Importers and Dealers in Foreign & Domestic
Wines and Liquors,
Pure Cattle Wine,
QUINCY STREET, BETWEEN MAIN & MARKET STS.
WHEELING, VA.

KEEP constantly on hand Brandy, Scotch and
Irish Whiskies, Jamaica Rum and Cordials,
Choice Old Rye and Bourbon Whiskies. sept 21-1

G. WILLIAM REESSING,
88 Market Street,
OLD POST OFFICE BUILDING
WHEELING, VA.
GROCERIES, LIQUORS, WINES, SEGARS, AND
FOREIGN PRODUCE GENERALLY.

W. T. NEEDS,
Book Binder,
AND
BLANK BOOK MANUFACTURER
Intelligencer Building, Cor. Quincy & Main Sts.
All descriptions of blank books, ruled
and made to order, printed heads, if required.
Magazines, Music and all kinds of printed matter
bound in the best and most substantial style at rea-
sonable prices. All work guaranteed. nov 26-1

NEW FIRM.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ASSOCIATED THEM-
selves together as a firm, under the style
Maxwell, Campbell & Tingle
FOR THE PURPOSE OF DOING A
Wholesale Grocery
AND
GEN'L COMMISSION BUSINESS
At No. 58 Main St., in the room formerly occupied by
Baker & Hopkins.

We respectfully solicit the attention of the Trade
JAS. MAXWELL, late firm Paxton, Donlon & Co.
Main Street, Entrance, next door to Baker
and Hopkins, late with List & How-
ell. GEO. R. TINGLE, late with List & How-
ell. JAS. CAMPBELL, late with List & How-
ell. jan 5-62

R. W. PAXTON. JOHN DONLON. C. OGLEBAY
PAXTON, DONLON & OGLEBAY,
Wholesale Grocers,
PRODUCE & COMMISSION
MERCHANTS.
Nos. 52 and 54, Main St.,
Wheeling, Va.
J. O. HARBOUR,
Wholesale & Retail Dealer in
CARPETS, RUGS, OIL CLOTHS,
Wall Paper, Curtain Materials,
[And Upholstery Ware of every description]
1-13 Main Street,
WHEELING, VA.

500 Gilt and Mahogany Framed Looking Glasses
a hand and made to order. sept 21-1

T. H. LOGAN & CO.,
WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
WHEELING, VA.
HAY removed to their NEW WAREHOUSES, No
41 Main Street, and No. 8 Quincy Street.
Hopkins, Quincy Street entrance, next door to Baker
& Co. Depot, and wharf.

DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS,
MEDICINES, VARIETIES, BRUSHES,
WINDOW GLASS, PERFUMES, WHITE LEAD,
PATENT MEDICINES, &c.
Offered to the trade, in city and country, at low prices
and of the best quality. Cash and prompt
customers are invited to call. sep 21-1

WOOL HATS.—100 doz. Men and Boys' Wool
Hats just opened, and offered uncommonly
low, wholesale and retail. HARPER & BRO.
oct 20

SALT.—500 bbls. Pittsburgh and Ohio River,
for sale at low price. PAXTON, DONLON & OGLEBAY.
nov 19

Daily Intelligencer

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LESS, MAKE A SQUARE.

One Day, 1 sq. \$0.75
Two Days, 1 sq. 1.00
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Four Days, 1 sq. 1.50
Five Days, 1 sq. 1.75
Six Days, 1 sq. 2.00
One Week, 1 sq. 2.50
Two Weeks, 1 sq. 4.00
Three Weeks, 1 sq. 5.00
Four Weeks, 1 sq. 6.00
Five Weeks, 1 sq. 7.00
Six Weeks, 1 sq. 8.00
Seven Weeks, 1 sq. 9.00
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Special Notices Double the above rates.
Early Advertising on reasonable terms, accord-
ing to the space occupied and the number of changes
made.

Advertisements from transient persons or stran-
gers, to be paid for in advance.
Business Cards not exceeding five lines, \$10 per year,
or \$5 for six months, but for a shorter period nothing
will be counted less than a square.

The privilege of Annual Advertising is limited to
the Advertiser's own Intelligence, and all
advertisements for the benefit of other persons or
well as all legal advertisements, and advertisements
of auction sales and real estate, sent in by them must
be paid for at the usual rates.

Advertisements not accompanied with written
directions, will be inserted until forbid, and charged
accordingly.

Notices for Political Meetings to be charged in all
cases full rate.

Marriages, Notices of Funerals, and announcements
of sermons, 50 cents each. nov 11-59

From Camp Buchanan.
CAMP BUCHANAN, Jan. 13, 1861.

Editors Intelligencer:
GENTS.—As many absurd reports have
got abroad in reference to the attack and
burning of Sutton, in Braxton county, by
the bushwhackers, I thought I would give
a true and full account of the whole affair.

On Monday night, December 20th, a
courier arrived at Col. Hewes' head-
quarters, from Sutton, with the intelligence
that Sutton had been taken, and the cavalry
stationed there driven out and the town
burned by a large party of rebels, from the
glades in Webster county. The number of
rebels being variously estimated at from
five to fifteen hundred. Acting on the in-
formation, our gallant Colonel immediately
issued orders for company I, with por-
tions of companies B, F, and E, of the 3rd
Virginia regiment, to proceed to Sutton
and retake it at all hazards, the force to
be under the immediate command of Capt.
W. J. Pindy.

The force, paraded at 11 o'clock, and
at 11 o'clock near the Court House were
escorted to the outer limits of the town by
the splendid band attached to this regim-
ent.

The force on its march through snow,
were repeatedly cheered by the Union la-
dies, who had gathered at various points
to see us pass.

After bidding farewell to our friends, we
commenced one of the hardest forced marches
on record. We made twelve miles the
first day, and after encamping, we were
visited by two cavalry of Col. Anisanel's
command, requesting us to push on with-
out delay, as the enemy were committing
all kinds of outrages.

We made twenty-five miles the next day
over the most horrible roads that men ever
marched, and encamped at Bull Town,
within seventeen miles of Sutton.

Next morning we pushed on to Salt Lick
Bridge where we were joined by Col. Anisanel,
with three hundred cavalry and forty
infantry of Company A, 10th Virginia
regiment. We then marched on without
any rest or change of position, until
within three miles of Sutton. The infantry
were formed by companies and ordered to
take a circuitous road through the woods,
and attack the enemy in the road, who
were said to be occupying the entrench-
ments left by an Ohio Regiment. While
the Cavalry took the pike strait into town
to attack them in front, the infantry who
up until this time were drooping with the
most excessive fatigue appeared to be in-
stantly inspired with the utmost enthusi-
asm, they dashed up the hill, Capt. W. J.
Pindy leading the advance in person, every
officer at their post, and the men quarrelling
for a position in front. On we went at
double quick, dashing through the woods
at a tremendous pace, now we came in
sight of the breastworks, the men could be
restrained no longer, down the hill they
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works but they found the enemy had in-
gloriously fled. The men fairly gnashed
their teeth with rage, to think the cow-
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On the next day Col. Anisanel detached
company K, with company A, of the 10th,
and 100 cavalry to scout up through the
Glades some thirty miles distant, the rally-
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thieves and murderers. They proceeded on
their arduous duty and succeeded in killing
eight of the gang, and burned twenty-six
dwellings, together with a large amount of
hay, corn, salted meats, &c., which had
been gathered together for the use of the
rebels, and they also captured a large lot of
cattle. During their absence com-
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to take the oath again, in fact they kept
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In fact all the officers acquitted themselves
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nex one for your edification. After having
done all the service we could find to do,
we started on our return and arrived at
this place Jan. 11th, all safe with the ex-
ception of bad colds contracted by expo-
sure. I will now give you the letter.

Yours Respectfully, WILD CAT.

HEADQUARTERS, MONTEHEY July 20, '61.
My Dear Mollie:
I promised to write you every chance
when I left home of course I must comply
with my promise. Dearest Mollie I have just
arrived here after a long and disastrous re-
treat from Laurel Hill I have not got time
to give it to you in full and Jack Corley is
writing to let you know that we are not
all killed or captured we all started in
quick time with about 3800 men you can
imagine how we travelled we marched ten
miles and camped for the night and the
next morning we marched 8 miles more
when the damned Yankees overtook us on
the Cheat River about fifteen thousand of them
when the Georgians turned and gave them
a round and killed them off very fast for a
while and we retreated for the next four
days and they overtook us again and two
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We had to throw everything out of the
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From Marshall County.
BELTTON, VA. Jan. 16, 1862.

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at a tremendous pace, now we came in
sight of the breastworks, the men could be
restrained no longer, down the hill they
dashed and over the ditch on to the breast-
works but they found the enemy had in-
gloriously fled. The men fairly gnashed
their teeth with rage, to think the cow-
ardly scoundrels had left without stand-
ing a single volley. Well we found quar-
ters as possible and rested com-
fortably through the night.

On the next day Col. Anisanel detached
company K, with company A, of the 10th,
and 100 cavalry to scout up through the
Glades some thirty miles distant, the rally-
ing place of this abominable gang of
thieves and murderers. They proceeded on
their arduous duty and succeeded in killing
eight of the gang, and burned twenty-six
dwellings, together with a large amount of
hay, corn, salted meats, &c., which had
been gathered together for the use of the
rebels, and they also captured a large lot of
cattle. During their absence com-
panies J, K, and B, scouted continually in
parties of six and eight for many miles
around Sutton, and it is said they swore
several of the scoundrels, who will not need
to take the oath again, in fact they kept
continually on the move, and proved themselves
to be excellent on the scout. They were
generally accompanied by their Lieutenants
who as well as their captain are very effi-
cient officers, and pay every attention to
the comfort of the men under their charge.
In fact all the officers acquitted themselves
admirably. They were very efficient order-
ly sergeants captured several letters from the
rebels in the army to their friends; I an-
nex one for your edification. After having
done all the service we could find to do,
we started on our return and arrived at
this place Jan. 11th, all safe with the ex-
ception of bad colds contracted by expo-
sure. I will now give you the letter.

Yours Respectfully, WILD CAT.

HEADQUARTERS, MONTEHEY July 20, '61.
My Dear Mollie:
I promised to write you every chance
when I left home of course I must comply
with my promise. Dearest Mollie I have just
arrived here after a long and disastrous re-<