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Main street, between Monroe and Quincy.

Incorporated March, 1851. Capital Stock $300,000.

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No. 192, Main st.

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Corner of Main and Fourth streets, Centre Wheeling.

Incorporated 1851. Capital $16,000.

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MASONS.

Lodge Room, No. 114, Main st., over Robb's Chair Factory.

Ohio Lodge, No. 101, meets the first Monday night of every month.

Wheeling Union Chapter, No. 19, meets the second Monday night of every month.

Wheeling Lodge, No. 128, meets on the third Monday night of every month.

Wheeling Encampment of K. T., meets on the fourth Monday night of every month.

ODD FELLOWS.

Lodge Room, No. 123, Market street, near the Post Office.

Virginia Lodge, No. 3, meets every Thursday evening.

Franklin Lodge, No. 13, meets every Monday evening.

Wm. Tell Lodge, No. 33, meets every Wednesday eve.

Wheeling Lodge, No. 69, meets every Saturday evening.

Pangola Lodge, No. 82, meets every Friday evening.

Abram's Encampment, No. 1, meets 1st and 3d Tuesday of each month.

Wheeling Custom House.

Established in 1831. E. B. SWEARINGEN, Surveyor and Collector of Customs, office No. 49, Union street.

Importations to this port are made by way of New Orleans, New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

CITY OFFICERS FOR 1851.

MORGAN NELSON, Mayor.
JAMES S. WHEATE, Clerk.
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J. L. Sangston, Sergeant.
Sergeant's Deputies.—1st ward—Isaac M. Pearl. 2d ward—Abm. W. Clemens. 3d ward—John Bowers. 4th ward—Henry P. Chapline. 5th ward—James S. Campbell.
John Moore, Superintendent Water Works.
Jacob E. Bier, Wharf Master.
Jacob Amick, Street Commissioner.
James M. Ewing, Assessor and Collector of Water Rents.
Joshua C. Wiley, Lumber and Coal Measurer, and Guager of Wines and Liquors.
Daniel Murray, Market Master.
Thomas Campbell, Collector of Assessments.
Wm. J. Stoddart, City Surveyor.
James F. Melvin, Flour Inspector.

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First Ward.—John McLure, Jr.; John Hughes; S. D. Woodrow; Isaac Cotts.

Second Ward.—John Bishop; Geo. E. Wickham.

Third Ward.—S. Brady; J. J. Yarnall; John M. Mathews; Daniel Lamb.

Fourth Ward.—Dr. James Tanner; E. C. Jeffers; A. S. Hallowell; D. V. Tharp; David Hammond.

Fifth Ward.—George Forbes; John W. Gill; Lorenzo D. Wait; Jacob Hornbrook; Henry Echols.

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On Finances.—Messrs. Brady; Gill and Lamb.

On Accounts.—Messrs. Wickham; Hornbrook and Woodrow.

On Streets and Alleys.—Messrs. Forbes; Bishop; McLure; Hammond and Mathews.

On Water Works.—Messrs. Tanner; Echols; Hughes; Mathews; Wickham and the Superintendent of Water Works.

On Market House.—Messrs. Wickham; Jeffers; and Wait.

On Coal Banks.—Messrs. Gill; Brady; Lamb and the Superintendent of Water Works.

On Landings.—Messrs. Hallowell; Cotts and Yarnall.

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ASSESSORS.

1st Ward—F. A. Brentlinger. 2d Ward—Geo. Robinson. 3d Ward—Sam'l Smith. 4th Ward—David Hammond. 5th Ward—Alex. Taylor.

ALDERMEN.

1st Ward—David Maclane. 2d W.—James McConnell. 3d W.—Geo. Duty. 4th W.—John L. Newby. 5th W.—H. M. Jamison.

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1st Ward.—H. W. Phillips. 2d Ward.—Wm. S. Wickham. 3d Ward.—Dr. W. J. Bates. 4th Ward.—John Gilchrist, Sr. 5th Ward.—Josiah Powell.

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1st Ward—Wm. George, John Moore.
2d " Thos. Johnston, P. B. Taylor.
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4th " D. V. Tharp, P. Scatterday.
5th " Matthew B. Reed, James Wilson.

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St. Matthews, *Episcopalean*, corner Monroe and Byron streets, Rev. William Armstrong, Rector; Morning service 10½, evening 7½.

St. John's, *Episcopalean*, Main street, between First and Second, Centre Wheeling; Rev. Jas. D. McCabe, Pastor; Morning service 10½, evening 7½ o'clock.

First Presbyterian, *Rev. R. H. Weed*, Pastor, Fourth street, between Monroe and Quincy; Service Morning and afternoon.

Second Presbyterian, *Rev. Cyrus Dickson*, Pastor, Webster Street, between Main and Market; Centre Wheeling; Service morning and evening.

Third Presbyterian, *Rev. Mr. Paull*, Pastor; First Ward Hose Hall, Main street, above Washington, North Wheeling; Service morning and afternoon.

Fourth Street Methodist Episcopal, *Rev. S. B. Dawson*, Pastor, Fourth Street, between Monroe and Quincey, Service morning and evening.

North Street Methodist Episcopal, *Rev. Wm. Wilson*, Pastor, corner Market and North sts., North Wheeling; Service morning and evenings.

Chapline St. Methodist Episcopal, *Rev. R. G. Nichols*, Pastor; Chapline street, between First and Second, Centre Wheeling; Service morning and evening.

German Methodist Episcopal, *Rev. Mr. Broadbeck*, Pastor; Chapline street, between Webster and Third, Centre Wheeling.

St. Joseph's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, *Rt. Rev. Bishop Hoemenon*, Fifth Street, corner of Hampden, service morning and afternoon.

Associate Reformed, *Rev. J. T. McClure*, Pastor, corner Market and Nineteenth streets; service morning and afternoon.

Baptist, *Rev.* [illegible] Fifth and Sixth streets, Pastor, Clay street, between [illegible] morning and afternoon.

First Independent, Rational, Unitarian, Rev *G. W. Webster*, Pastor, [illegible] and Third, Centre Wheeling, [illegible] Webster, morning and evening.

Evangelical Lutheran, [illegible] Clay street, above Sixth, East [illegible] morning and evening.

Zion's Evangelical Lutheran, [illegible] Pastor, corner Market and Monroe [illegible] service 10, 6 o'clock A. M.

New Jerusalem, 'Swedenborgian,' No. [illegible] Union street, over the Hope Hose house.

Jewish Synagogue, No. 58, Monroe street.

Disciples, First Hose company Hall, Market street.

CITY DIRECTORY.

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JACOB S. SHRIVER, P. M.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS—(NEW ARRANGEMENT.)

Great Mail—arrives at 6 p. m., from the East.
" " departs at 7½ p. m., to the West.
Great Mail—arrives at 6½ a. m., from the West.
" " departs at 8 a. m., to the East.
Wellsville—arrives daily (Sunday excepted,) at 10 p. m., departs at 5 a. m.
Piltonsville—arrives Tuesday and Friday, at 11½ a. m.; departs same day, same time.
Parkersburg—arrives Monday, Wednesday and Friday; departs at 10 a. m., on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
Steubenville—arrives daily (Sundays excepted) at 11 P M. Departs at 6, A. M.
Wooster—arrives Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 5, a. m. Departs Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 7, a. m.
Morgantown—*via* Waynesburg, Pa., arrives Thursday at 6 p. m. Departs Friday at 6, a. m.
Morgantown—*via* Blacksville arrives Tuesday at 6, p. m. Departs Wednesday at 5, a. m.
Bethany and West Liberty—leaves at 1 o'clock on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

RATES OF POSTAGE.

The new Post Office law, passed March 3d, 1851, fixes the rates of Postage as follows:

On Letters.—Any distance within the U. S., not exceeding 3000 miles, per half ounce or less, 3c prepaid, or 5, unpaid. Exceeding 3000 miles, 6c prepaid, or 10c unpaid.

Every halfounce or less, additional, to be charged extra, according to the above rates.

Drop letters 1 cent; advertised letters, 1 cent additional to any other charges.

On Circulars, &c.

Unsealed circulars per one one ounce or less,

For any distance not exceeding	500 miles,	-	1 cent.
" " "	1500 miles,	-	2 cents.
" " "	2500 miles,	-	3 cents.
" " "	3500 miles,	-	4 cents.
" " exceeding	3500 miles,	-	5 cents.

This includes handbills, pamphlets, engravings, magazines, books and every other description of printed matter on which there is no writing other than the address—also bound books not exceeding 2½ lbs. in weight. All printed matter other than newspapers to *bona fide* subscribers, and periodicals published at no longer period than 3 months, to be prepaid or charged with double the above rates.

These rates include, in addition to the matter specified, all *transient newspapers* not sent to actual subsrribers.

On Newspapers not exceeding 3 ounces in weight, and sent from the office of publication, per quarter, for WEEKLIES:

Distance from county of publication not exceeding			50 m. 5c.
" " "	"	"	300 m. 10c.
" " "	"	"	1000 m. 15c.
" " "	"	"	2000 m. 20c.
" " "	"	"	4000 m. 25c.
Any distance exceeding			4000 m. 30c.

SEMI-WEEKLY papers *double* the above rates.		
TRI-WEEKLY " *treble* "		
MONTHLY " *one-fourth* "		
SEMI-MONTHLY " *one-half* "		

DAILY, or oftener than *Tri-weekly* 5 times the above rates.

In rating the distance on newspapers to subscribers, the office of publication, and not the county line, is to be the starting point.

FOREIGN POSTAGE.

Canada, &c.—Letters to and from Canada and the British N. American Provinces, for not over 3000 miles, 10 cents per half ounce; over 3000 miles, 15 cents. Prepayment optional.

Great Britain and Ireland.—On letters between any office in the United States, (California and Oregon excepted,) and any office in Great Britain and Ireland, 24 cents per half ounce; 48 cents for one ounce or under, and 96 cents if over one ounce, the rate being doubled after the first ounce. Prepayment optional. On newspapers the rate is two cents each—to be prepaid. On newspapers to any foreign country through Great Britain, 4 cents each—to be prepaid.

Germany, Prussia, &c.—Letters to the following countries, via England, must be prepaid, if by a British steamer, 5 cents, if by an American steamer, 21 cents.

Alexandria, via Marseilles.	Malta, do do
Algeria.	Mecklenburg Schwerin.
Austria, and Austrian States.	Mecklenburg Strelitz.
Baden.	Moldavia.
Bavaria.	Naples, via Marseilles.
Belgium.	Norway.
Bremen.	Oldenburg.
Brunswick.	Poland.
Beyroot, via Marseilles.	Prussia.
Dardanelles, the, do	Roman, or Papal States.
Denmark.	Russia.
France.	Saxony.
German States.	Scutari, via Marseilles.
Gibraltar.	Smyrna, do do
Greece, via Marseilles.	Sweden.
Hamburg and Cuxhaven.	Switzerland.
Hanover.	Turkey in Europe.
Holland.	Tuscany, via Marseilles.
Hong Kong.	Venetian States.
Ionian Islands.	Wallachia.
Lubec.	Wurtemburg.

By the Bremen Line, letters can be sent to Germany by pre-paying the Foreign postage and the United States postage of 20 cents; or they may be sent wholly unpaid.

To Central America, &c.—Letters from the United States to the following named countries and places must be pre-paid at the rate of 50 cents per half ounce, which includes also the foreign postage of 25 cents. On those received, the foreign postage is required to be paid in advance, leaving the United States postage of 25 cents to be collected on delivery. On newspapers from the United States 8 cents must be pre paid, and on those received four cents to be collected.

Africa,	Peru,	Islay	"		
Bogota,	N. Granada,	Iquique,	"		
Buenaventura,	"	Lanzhayque,	"		
Cassaca,	Peru,	Lima,	"		
Caltao,	"	La Paez,		Bolivia,	
Cobija,	Bolivia,	Payta,		Peru,	
Copiapo,	Chili,	Pisco,		"	
Coquimbo,	"	Quito,		Ecuador,	
Guayaquil,	Ecuador,	St. Lago,		Chili,	
Huaco,	Chili,	Valparaiso,	and	"	
Huanchaco,	Peru,	S. W. Coast of S. America.			

Rates of Toll of Wheeling and Belmont Suspension Bridge.

For foot passengers over both bridges,	1 reg.	trav.	trans
or to Island and back,	3 cts.	5 cts.	5 cts
" man and horse,		10	15
" 1 horse carriage or wagon,		15	25
" 1 horse dray,		25	
" 1 horse cart,		25	
" 2 horse carriage or wagon,		20	30
" 2 horse dray,		35	
" 2 horse cart,		25	40
" 3 horse wagon,		25	
" 4 horse wagon,		40	60
" 6 horse wagon,		60	80
" 6 horse wagon,		75	100
" 4 horse mail of passenger coaches,		100	125

" For walking to Island and back per month 30 cts; per year, $5,00.

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For cattle per head,	6cts.
" horses per head,	8
" hogs per head,	2
" sheep per head,	1

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With the previege of passing either bridge singly.

For a single foot passenger, per month,	30 cts; per year, $3,00
" Families, (exclusive of servants) not exceeding six persons,	6,00
" Families, do do 10 persons,	7,50
" both bridges, single foot passenger per year,	6,00
" family,	10,00

☞Funeral processions exempt from toll.

BURNER'S WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS,

POWELL'S FORT, SHENANDOAH COUNTY, VA.

THE proprietors of these Springs are prepared to receive and accommodate visitors. This delightful Watering place is situated eight miles east of Woodstock, between the Fort and Mansanutten Mountains. The new Building (one hundred feet in length,) commenced last season, has been completed, and is ready for the reception of BOARDERS; and a number of Cottages, (or the use of families,) have been erected convenient to the boarding apartment.

These SPRINGS consist of White, Blue and Black Sulphur, Chalybeatte, Limestone and Slate, all having their fountains within a circumference of thirty yards—the work of Nature's own laboratory. They send forth a sufficient quantity of pure water to supply many thousands of persons daily. They are situated in a flat, or rather basin, the ground gradually rising to the south and east until it reaches the western base of the Mansanutten, from which is presented to the eye of the beholder one of the most enchanting landscapes to be met with in the country. To the south, south-east, and east, there are a number of mounds, rising up at distances of from 25 to 100 yards, and from 25 to 100 feet above the level bottom in front and to the north-west of the Springs. Many of these elevations can be approached from the east or west by a gentle ascent. The Fort Mountain, with its picturesque scenery, its lutting spurs, its deep ravines, and its lofty peaks, presents a panorama, which, for bold outline and pleasing variety, is is unsurpassed by any mountain scenery in Virginia. Indeed, the scenery presented to view from the summits of the Mansanutten and Fort Mountains, embracing the Page and Warren and Shenandoah Valleys, must be seen to be appreciated.

In addition to the Springs proper, there are a number of others in the vicinity, the principal of which are: 1. The celebrated Mountain Spring, 150 yards distant; 2. The Cold Spring, a short distance from this; 3. Immediately above is a Chalybeate, sending forth a limpid stream; 4. To the south from the Springs, about three-quarters of a mile, gushing from the mountain side, is the Sweet Chalybeate Spring. The new Spring recently opened amid the beautiful group of willows that shade the Sulphur Springs, and which is believed to possess peculiar medicinal qualities, completes the list.

Visiters coming from the North or East, can enter the picturesque valley through the narrow passage formed by the proximity of the mountains, about twelve miles to the north-east from the Springs. The rugged grandeur of this natural defile, the rocks towering to the very clouds, strikes the traveller with awe and admiration.

On arriving at the Springs, the invalid has at once withdrawn from the cares and perplexities, toils and monotony of the busy world, and may recuperate his exhausted energies by quaffing the pure waters that incessantly flow around him, and partaking of the rich viands that are daily prepared for the nourishment of his frail body.

We will state, for the benefit of those who may not be aware of the fact, that we own a large farm attached to the Springs, where persons can have their horses pastured or stabled as they may prefer.

The Bar will be furnished with the choicest Liquors, Cigars, Tobacco, &c.

An attentive ostler will be in attendance, and servants to the different departments of the house; and everything shall be done that can contribute to the comfort of the guests.

Persons visiting the Springs from the North, can leave Baltimore in the morning, and arrive here the next morning, by the way of Winchester and Woodstock. Persons from the South, will leave Staunton in the morning, arrive at Woodstock to dinner, and the Springs to tea.

For the amusement of those who may wish to participate in such exercises, a Ten Pin Alley has been erected.

A Bath House, with every requisite convenient for Bathing, has been erected for the accommodation of visiters.

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" Woodstock,	8	"
" Edinburg,	12	"
" Mount Jackson,	19	"
" New Market,	24	"
" Harrisonburg,	46	"
" Luray,	16	"
" Front Royal,	18	"
" Washington, Rappahannock,	36	"
" Milford,	4	"
" Bentonville,	6	"
" Alexandria,	80	"
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