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# Officers and Managers,

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PRESIDENT,

DILLWYN PARRISH, 1017 Cherry Street.

VICE-PRESIDENT,

STEPHEN SMITH, 921 Lombard Street.

SECRETARY,

MARCELLUS BALDERSTON, 902 Spring Garden Street.

TREASURER,

SAMUEL R. SHIPLEY, 1623 Filbert Street.

## BOARD OF MANAGERS.

WM. J. ALSTON, <i>Chairman</i> .....	532 Powell street.
MARCELLUS BALDERSTON, <i>Secretary</i> .....	902 Spring Garden st.
ISRAEL H. JOHNSON.....	119 Market street.
MAURICE HALL.....	1034 Lombard street.
WILLIAM STILL.....	107 North Fifth st.
JOSEPH M. TRUMAN, JR.....	413 Franklin street.
HENRY GORDEN.....	1015 Rodman street.
ABRAM FIELDS.....	424 South Seventh st.
CLAYTON MILLER.....	1716 Addison street.
JOSHUA BROWN.....	711 Lombard street.
JACOB C. WHITE, SR.....	485 York Avenue.
THOMAS MATHER.....	1106 Wallace street.
HENRY M. LAING.....	2009 Arch street.
SARAH M. DOUGLASS.....	661 N. Thirteenth st.
SARAH PARRISH.....	1626 Filbert street.
HELEN JOHNSON.....	1106 Fitzwater street.
MARY JEANES.....	1023 Arch street.
RACHEL T. JACKSON.....	141 N. Twentieth st.
ELIZABETH HARRIS.....	206 Dean street.
ANN LAWS.....	622 Ralston street.
GRACE MAPPS.....	661 N. Thirteenth st.
PRISCILLA H. HENSZEY.....	509 Green street.
MARY SHAW.....	1121 Callowhill st.
CATHARINE M. SHIPLEY.....	238 S. Tenth street.
ANN JESS.....	111 N. Fifth street.

AUDITORS.....ALFRED H. LOVE, JACOB C. WHITE, SR.

MATRON.....MILISCENT PARVIN.

COUNSELLORS.....EDWARD HOPPER, LEWIS D. VAIL.

## CONSTITUTION.

Adopted Tenth Month 25th, 1864.

For the relief of that worthy class of colored persons, who have endeavored through life to maintain themselves, but from various causes are finally dependant on the charity of others, an association is hereby organized under the name of THE HOME FOR AGED AND INFIRM COLORED PERSONS.

### ARTICLE I.

The officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall perform the duties usual to those positions; a Board of Managers of twenty-four, half of each sex; the twelve men constituting a committee to have charge of the real estate and financial concerns of the Home, and the women shall be a committee on its internal arrangements; unitedly, they shall make all needful rules and regulations, subject to the approval of the Association at its annual meeting, to which they shall submit a report of their proceedings. The officers shall be, *ex officio*, members of the Board.

### ARTICLE II.

A Quorum of the Association shall be fifteen, and of the Managers ten. The Managers shall meet, at least, once in each month.

### ARTICLE III.

At each annual meeting, two Auditors shall be appointed to examine the Treasurer's account previous to its presentation at the next annual meeting, and certify to its correctness.



## ARTICLE IV.

Respectable colored persons may be admitted into the Home, or boarded therein, with the consent of the Visiting Committee, in accordance with the rules which the Managers may adopt for the government of the Institution.

## ARTICLE V.

The terms of Membership of the Association, shall be an annual contribution of Two dollars. The payment of Twenty-five dollars shall constitute Life-membership.

## ARTICLE VI.

The Association shall meet annually for the Election of Officers and other business, on the second Fifth-day (Thursday) in the First month (January) of each year, at such time and place as may be agreed on; of which, two weeks' notice shall be given by the Managers.

## ARTICLE VII.

No alteration of this Constitution shall be made, except at an annual meeting of the Association by a majority of the members present and voting, each resident member being notified thereof, at least two weeks previous to the meeting.

## BY-LAWS.

## ARTICLE I.

The Managers shall meet on the second Fourth-day evening in every month, at 8 o'clock.

## ARTICLE II.

Special Meetings may be called by the Chairman, or at the request of any three members.

## ARTICLE III.

All Reports of Committees shall be made to the Board in writing.

## ARTICLE IV.

The meetings of the Board shall be conducted according to the Rules of Order usual in similar bodies.

## ARTICLE V.

Standing Committees on the following subjects shall be appointed by the Chairman at the first meeting in each current year:

- 1st. A Committee of Management.
- 2d. A Committee on Property and Finance.
- 3d. A Committee on Supplies.

## ARTICLE VI.

The Committee of Management shall consist of the female members of the Board. They shall have a general supervision of the internal arrangements of the Home, and shall propose to the Board any regulations or measures which may be needed for its government. They may draw on the Treasurer for sums not exceeding fifty dollars per month. They shall divide themselves into the following sub-committees:

- 1st. A Visiting Committee of four, to be appointed monthly in rotation; any two of whom shall visit the Home twice in



each week, and endeavor to be present once during meals. They shall make themselves acquainted with the situation and wants of the inmates, generally direct the concerns of the family, and report their observations in a book provided for this purpose. They shall receive and enter applications for admission, and make the necessary inquiry in regard to the applicant, previous to the action of the Board thereon.

2d. A Reading Committee of four, to be appointed monthly, to visit the Home frequently, and read to the inmates from the Scriptures, or other suitable book, and also furnish reading matter for the Institution, and supervise any arrangements of an educational character.

3d. A Clothing Committee of four, who shall superintend the making and distribution of clothing, and give directions in regard to any industrial employments for the inmates.

#### ARTICLE VII.

The Committee on Property and Finance shall consist of the male members of the Board, and shall have charge of the real estate and financial affairs of the Home.

#### ARTICLE VIII.

The Committee on supplies to consist of three persons, who, in conjunction with the Matron, shall make all necessary purchases for the Home.

#### ARTICLE IX.

The Board shall appoint annually two physicians, to look after the health of the inmates.

#### ARTICLE X.

Order of Business :

1. Calling the Roll.
2. Reading the Minutes.
3. Report of the Treasurer.
4. Unfinished Business.
5. Reports of Standing Committees.
6. Reports of Special Committees.
7. New Business.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE HOME.

#### RULE 1.

The Matron shall have the entire charge of the Home, and keep it in neat order under the direction of the Committee of Management. She is to enforce the Rules, be present at the meals, see that they are properly served up, that everything is on the table before the family are seated, that suitable nourishment is provided for the sick, and proper order observed at the table. She must be respectful and kind to every one in the Home, and attentive (without partiality) as their circumstances require. She shall promptly check any quarrelling or other improper conduct in the inmates, and, if necessary, report the same to the Visiting Committee. She shall keep a record of all articles sent to the Home, whether purchased or otherwise, and an exact account of all expenditures, and furnish the Committee with a monthly account thereof. She will be expected to go through the house about 9 o'clock, P. M., and see that all unnecessary fires and lights are extinguished.

#### RULE 2.

No person will be admitted into the Home but such as bring satisfactory testimonials of the propriety of their conduct and the respectability of their character.

#### RULE 3.

Those received into the Home must be at least fifty years of age, and shall pay to the Treasurer the sum of 30 dollars, and furnish a good bedstead, bedding, and furniture for a room; or shall pay 40 dollars without furniture. This Rule may be varied from if so directed by the Managers.



## RULE 4.

Any colored persons being life members of this Association, who shall become so far reduced in their circumstances and physically disabled as to be fit subjects for admission into the Home, shall have the preference over all others; and the sums which they may have paid into the Treasury shall be credited to them and deducted from the full charge for admission.

## RULE 5.

Any property or personal effects which an applicant may be possessed of must be made over for the benefit of the Home prior to their admission therein; and if any inherit property whilst in the Home, and prefer remaining, the said property must likewise be transferred to the Managers for the use of the Institution: all such transfers being recorded in a book kept for the purpose.

## RULE 6.

Colored persons over the age of 50, of respectable character, and furnishing satisfactory references, may be boarded in the Institution, upon such terms as the Managers may decide; but shall be subject to the same rules, and have no privileges different from the other inmates. Satisfactory security must be given for the regular payment of the board previous to their admission.

## RULE 7.

No boarder shall be received or continued in the Home to the exclusion of those entirely dependent. Two weeks' notice, however, must be given for the removal of any boarder.

## RULE 8.

A register shall be kept of the names of all applicants, the persons by whom they are recommended, their place of residence, and the report of the Visiting Committee thereon, and any other information that may be deemed important.

## RULE 9.

Those that are pensioners on any benevolent Institution or Society, it is expected will have their pensions continued to

assist in their support, and that their funeral expenses shall be paid.

## RULE 10.

Those received into the Home will be cared for without other expense during their lives, provided the Managers have the funds.

## RULE 11.

The inmates are prohibited from soliciting aid outside of the Institution.

## RULE 12.

After rising in the morning, and again before retiring at night, all who are of ability shall be assembled in a suitable room, and a chapter from the Bible read to them, after which an opportunity shall be afforded for silent or vocal worship.

## RULE 13.

Religious meetings shall be held in the House on the first day of the week, at 10½ o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock, P. M., for those unable or not desirous of attending elsewhere.

## RULE 14.

Any one of the inmates may be visited (with their consent) for religious purposes at any suitable time, but if a religious opportunity is desired with all of the family, it must be first approved by at least two of the Managers.

## RULE 15.

A bell will be rung ten minutes before each meal, when all who are able will repair to the dining room. When seated, a suitable pause shall be observed before eating.

## RULE 16.

The sick or infirm will be accommodated with meals in their own rooms, but all others will be expected to take them at the general table.

## RULE 17.

It will be expected that all who are capable will make their own beds, and sweep their rooms early every morning; such as are not, will have it done for them.



## RULE 18.

The inmates are expected to sew, knit or do any other service for the benefit of the Home of which they are capable.

## RULE 19.

Any of the inmates desiring to visit their friends, must give information to the Matron as to the length of their stay, and where they may be found, so as to prevent any uneasiness on their account.

## RULE 20.

If any of the friends of the inmates present articles for individual use or for general distribution, the same must be placed in charge of the Matron and furnished at her discretion.

## RULE 21.

No stimulants or liquors to be used in the Home unless ordered by a physician, and then to be administered only by the Matron.

## RULE 22.

No person will be permitted to interfere or find fault with the Matron. Any complaint should be made to the Managers for their action.

## RULE 23.

All visitors shall be properly treated and shown through the Home, especially those visiting for religious purposes. Visitors will not be admitted before 10, A. M., or after 5, P. M., except in special cases.

## RULE 24.

The strictest attention must be paid by each one of the family to these Rules. For the first and second offence the Matron will admonish the offender; for a third, she will complain to the Visiting Committee; and for a fourth, removal from the Home, if so directed by the Board.

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

The first Annual Meeting of the Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons was held First month 12th, 1865, in the west room of National Hall. The President in the Chair.

The President of the Association stated that the Constitution required the Board of Managers to report their proceedings to the contributors at the Annual Meeting—that the Board have had five meetings since their appointment, and he had been requested to furnish some account of their proceedings.

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS.

A little more than three months ago, a few individuals came together to consider the propriety of adding to the benevolent institutions of our city, a Home for aged and infirm colored persons. They were impressed with the fact that there are in this community a class of worthy and exemplary colored people, who through a long life have maintained themselves by their own industry, but who in their old age, from sickness or other infirmity, have become more or less dependent upon the charities of the benevolent. For a small pecuniary compensation, they have labored faithfully, and contributed largely to the comfort of many wealthy families; and, while their sacrifices and self-denying exertions entitle them to respect, it was felt to be a duty to provide for them a comfortable home, where they could be shielded from destitution and poverty.

Our favored city has within its limits a large number of charitable institutions, which are admirably conducted, and which diffuse their blessings to almost every class of the sick and afflicted; but for those whom it was proposed to provide with a Home, there was no place left but the cold charities of the Almshouse.

For these reasons, this Association was organized. A Board of Managers (consisting of twelve of each sex,) was appointed, who were authorized to collect funds, and, when a suitable house presented, to purchase it for the uses intended. The Managers have now the satisfaction of informing the contributors that soon after their appointment, a desirable property presented at a moderate price, and in an excellent state of preservation. It is situated at No. 340 South Front Street, above Pine, and was purchased for the sum of \$5000, of which \$2500 was paid in cash, and the balance remains on mortgage.

The house until recently has been occupied by a private family, is 3½ stories in height, with two-story back buildings, is furnished with the modern conveniences for heating, lighting, and cold and warm bathing, and it is computed will comfortably accommodate 25 inmates. By direc-



tion of the Board, it is held in trust by our Treasurer till an Act of Incorporation can be procured, when it will be transferred to Trustees who may be appointed to hold the title.

At the last meeting of the Board of Managers, Miliscent Parvin, the Assistant Matron of the Pennsylvania Hospital, was elected to the responsible position of Matron in our Institution. It now only remains to secure the necessary funds and furniture to open the Home to the class for whose benefit it is designed.

By the report of our Treasurer, it will be seen that the funds collected have been used to secure the purchase of the property, and that the treasury is nearly exhausted. In this state of affairs, the Board would recommend to their successors in office the propriety of taking immediate steps whereby the treasury may be replenished, the mortgage on the Home paid off, and sufficient means procured to enable our Lady Managers to carry forward the enterprise.

Similar Institutions are in existence in Boston and New York, which are supported by the liberality of the citizens; and we cannot doubt that our citizens will promptly respond to the want which is felt to exist among us.

It is one of the requirements of Christianity to administer to the necessities of the poor and destitute. The poor we have always with us; and it is wisely ordered that in the attempt to benefit them, our own happiness is increased, and we experience that it is more blessed to give than to receive.

Let us, then, not forget those who by physical infirmity are unable to provide for themselves, but, placing our souls in their souls' stead, let us go forward in faith that an appeal to our fellow citizens will supply the necessary means, and that, with the Divine blessing, we shall be instrumental in adding to the benevolent Institutions of Philadelphia a "Home for aged and infirm colored persons."

The Secretary read the By-Laws adopted by the Board of Managers for their government, which were commented upon and approved.

The Rules for the government of the Home, as proposed, were then read, and, after consideration, adopted.

The Treasurer reported as follows:

Receipts up to 11th inst.,	\$2,584 10
Loss by counterfeit note,	\$2 00
Paid Joseph Forster on account of House, including conveyance,	2,552 00
Stamps, acknowledgments and searches,	1 97
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Balance on hand,	\$28 13

As Auditors to examine and report on the Treasurer's account at the next annual meeting, Alfred H. Love and Jacob C. White, Sr., were appointed.

A Committee of five were separated to propose and bring forward a list of officers and managers for the ensuing year. The Committee withdrew, and, on re-appearing, produced a list of names, for which, on motion of Alfred H. Love, the Secretary was directed to deposit one vote, as the voice of the Association, and they are accordingly elected to the respective positions.

On motion of Joseph M. Truman, Jr., the Managers elect were directed to apply for the incorporation of the Home.

Interesting remarks were made on behalf of the organization by H. Ryland Warriner, Samuel R. Shipley, Wm. J. Alston, Maurice Hall, and others, and there was in the meeting a strong feeling of determination to prosecute the enterprise vigorously.

Contributions and pledges were made by those present, which, with sums previously reported, would amount to \$3700.

It was decided that the Board of Managers should have printed, in pamphlet form, the Report as read this evening, the Constitution of the Association, the By-Laws of the Managers, the Rules for the government of the Home, and a list of the Officers and Managers.

Then adjourned.

M. BALDERSTON, *Secretary.*



## LIFE MEMBERS.

David Scull.....	\$ 25 00	Joseph Bacon.....	\$ 25 00
David Scull, Jr.....	25 00	Joshua Francis Fisher.....	50 00
Lemuel Coffin.....	25 00	Joseph G. Henszey.....	25 00
Sarah Phipps.....	130 00	Henry M. Laing.....	25 00
M. C. Cope.....	50 00	Anna T. Laing.....	25 00
Stephen Smith, (annually)...	50 00	Mary Ann Morris.....	50 00
Israel H. Johnson.....	25 00	George D. Parrish.....	50 00
Joshua B. Howell.....	25 00	Hannah W. Richardson.....	50 00
Seth B. Stitt.....	50 00	Rebecca White.....	50 00
Mary D. Brown.....	100 00	William Still.....	100 00
Mary Jeanes.....	25 00	Mrs. Mifflin Wistar.....	50 00
Phillips Brooks.....	50 00	Thomas Williamson.....	50 00
Israel Morris.....	25 00	Dr. Geo. B. Wood.....	100 00
A. D. Jessup.....	25 00	Dillwyn Parrish.....	25 00
A. M. Kimber.....	25 00	Susan M. Parrish.....	25 00
Eliz. W. Parrish.....	25 00	John Welsh.....	100 00
Lewis R. Ashurst.....	25 00	Mary Ann Derbyshire.....	25 00
R. W. Ryerss.....	25 00	Elizabeth Horner.....	50 00
Lucy Taylor.....	25 00		

## ANNUAL MEMBERS AND CONTRIBUTORS.

Wm. J. Alston.....	\$ 5 00	Cash.....	\$ 5 00
Margaret Allen.....	2 00	".....	1 00
Jas. Augustine and sister.....	10 50	" per Wm. J. Alston.....	1 00
George Atlee.....	5 00	" " M. B.....	5 00
H. H. Ashurst.....	5 00	".....	2 00
Richard Ashurst.....	5 00	" per M. A. Shaw and S.	
Elizabeth Armstrong.....	2 00	S. Truman.....	7 10
John C. Bowers.....	5 00	" per D. Parrish.....	50 00
Joshua Brown.....	2 00	" " Wm. J. Alston.....	3 00
T. W. Brown.....	5 00	" " M. A. Shaw and S.	
Letitia Burr.....	2 00	S. Truman.....	10 00
Elizabeth Bias.....	2 00	" per C. Miller.....	5 00
S. W. Black.....	1 00	".....	1 00
Wm. H. Bacon.....	5 00	" Collection in African	
Thomas Bowers.....	5 00	Episcopal Church, per	
Catharine Brown.....	5 00	Wm. J. Alston.....	21 00
Rachel Brown.....	2 00	".....	2 00
Martha Brooks.....	3 00	" per H. Gordon.....	13 00
Hannah Brown.....	10 00	Richard Cadbury.....	5 00
Ann Boulden.....	4 00	Joel Cadbury, Jr.....	5 00
Frederick Brown.....	5 00	Rachel Cutchins.....	2 00
Susan Baily.....	2 50	Sarah W. Cope.....	5 00
Mrs. Wm. Bucknel.....	5 00	Ellen M. Child.....	1 00
Hannah M. Bickley.....	2 00	T. E. Chapman.....	2 00

Sarah Chapman.....	\$ 2 00	Helen Johnson, annually.....	\$ 10 00
Mary Craig.....	2 00	S. L. Iredell.....	2 00
C. Chur.....	2 00	E. S. Iredell.....	2 00
Eliza Carey.....	2 00	Mary Jane Jackson.....	2 00
Martina Dickinson.....	2 00	Jane Johnson (4th street).....	5 00
Henrietta S. Dutier.....	3 00	Esther S. Justice.....	5 00
— Davis.....	1 00	Rachel T. Jackson.....	2 00
Sarah M. Douglass (annually)	5 00	Frances Jones.....	2 50
Wm. Dorsey.....	10 00	Harriet D. B. Keim.....	2 00
Isaac Dickens.....	5 00	Mary Koelner.....	2 50
Dawson Fund.....	500 00	Dr. Lundy.....	5 00
Thos. Dorsey.....	10 00	Wm. C. Longstreth.....	5 00
Rachel Duff.....	3 00	Mary Logan.....	2 00
Jane Debity.....	2 00	Ann Laws.....	2 00
Esther Davis.....	1 00	Sarah Lloyd.....	1 00
Mrs. John Drew.....	10 00	Isabella J. Lippincott.....	20 00
Martha Dodgson.....	5 00	Alfred Lawrence.....	2 00
Elizabeth R. Evans.....	2 00	John T. Lewis.....	5 00
Rebecca Embree.....	2 00	Wm. Longstreth.....	5 00
Rebecca Embree.....	2 00	Hannah Lippincott.....	2 00
Jacob M. Ellis.....	2 00	Wm. M. Levick.....	2 00
John B. Ellison & Sons.....	25 00	Joshua Lippincott.....	10 00
Chas. Ellis.....	20 00	A. H. Love.....	5 00
Evan T. Ellis.....	5 00	Rachel Love.....	5 00
R. Fausset.....	5 00	S. Laney.....	2 00
Edward B. Ferris.....	2 00	Elizabeth J. Morris.....	2 00
Abram Fields.....	5 00	James and Lucretia Mott,	
Susan Fogg.....	1 50	annually.....	10 00
Mary B. Field.....	2 50	Clayton Miller.....	2 00
Margaret A. Griscom.....	2 00	Thos. Mather.....	10 00
John B. Garret.....	5 00	Deborah Marot.....	2 00
Sarah Good.....	5 00	Mrs. I. C. Morris.....	10 00
Lydia Gillingham.....	2 00	John McAllister.....	15 00
Abigail Goodwin.....	5 00	Miss Morris.....	2 00
Peter Gardiner.....	2 00	Saml. C. Morton.....	5 00
Henry Gordon.....	5 00	Jas. Needham.....	2 00
P. H. Henszey.....	2 00	Dr. Chas. Noble.....	2 00
W. P. Henszey.....	5 00	Lucretia Mott.....	2 00
Elizabeth Harris.....	2 00	Merrihew & Son.....	5 00
Emma L. Hetler.....	5 00	T. M. Perot & Co.....	5 00
Sol. Hubert.....	2 00	Oliver Parry.....	5 00
Maurice Hall.....	3 00	C. Newlin Pierce.....	2 00
Elizabeth Howell.....	2 00	Sarah Parrish.....	5 00
Caroline Harding.....	5 00	Elizabeth J. Pike.....	1 00
Beulah Hacker.....	5 00	Bishop Potter.....	15 00
Wm. Heacock.....	2 00	Samuel Parry.....	10 00
Thos. Hilsen & Co.....	100 00	Francis Powell.....	2 50
Joseph Harrison.....	20 00	Dr. Jos. Parrish.....	5 00
Ann Huston.....	2 00	Thos. Roberts.....	1 00
Hannah Hall.....	5 00	Jas. Robinson.....	5 00
Sarah S. Hankins.....	2 00	Mrs. Ryerss.....	10 00
Charlotte Harding.....	2 00	Francis Sebastian.....	5 00
Isaiah Hankinson.....	2 00	Samuel R. Shipley.....	10 00
Benjamin Hopper.....	2 00	Harriet Stockly.....	2 00
Hannah Jackson.....	1 00	Eleanor H. Stroud.....	10 00
Jane Johnson.....	2 00	Ellen L. Smith.....	2 00
Ann Jess.....	2 00	Mary Shaw.....	2 00
Geo. Jenkins.....	2 00	Wm. Scott.....	2 00



Harriet Shorter.....	\$ 10 00	U. B. Vidal.....	\$ 2 00
Harriet Smith.....	2 00	U. B. Vidal.....	2 00
Abigail Scull.....	10 00	Adelia Van Brakley.....	2 00
Scipio Sewell.....	2 00	Deborah F. Wharton, ann'y..	10 00
M. A. Shaw.....	10 00	Dr. Jas. H. Wilson.....	5 00
Mary Smith.....	5 00	Jacob White, Sen.....	5 00
Susan Silsey.....	2 00	Mrs. Charles S. Wood.....	10 00
Chas. L. Sharpless.....	5 00	Wm. Whipper.....	20 00
Sarah Smith.....	5 00	Mrs. Julianna R. Wood.....	20 00
Wm. Sellers & Co.....	50 00	Maria Wallace.....	2 00
Hannah Sterling.....	5 00	Sarah Williams.....	2 00
Rachel Sadler.....	2 00	Samuel Williams.....	2 00
Mary D. Sharpless.....	2 00	Charles Wheeler.....	15 00
Sarah Stokes.....	2 00	A. Whitney & Sons.....	50 00
M. A. Shaw.....	2 00	Susanna Williams.....	5 00
Adelina Thomson.....	2 00	Isabella Williams.....	10 00
Jos. M. Truman, Jr., annually	10 00	Thomas Williams.....	5 00
Rebecca Thomas.....	5 00	Mr. Willing.....	20 00
Alex. S. Truman.....	20 00	Susanna Williams.....	5 00
Lydia S. Truman.....	5 00	Eliza T. Wayne.....	2 00
Eliza S. Turner.....	3 00	Martha Ann Warner.....	20 00
Mary S. Truman.....	2 00	Jacob C. White, Jr.....	2 00
Sarah S. Truman.....	2 00	Cath. Wilmer.....	2 00
Joseph C. Turnpenny.....	20 00	Sarah Wilkins.....	2 00
Rosanna Thompson.....	2 00	Elizabeth White.....	2 00
Lewis D. Vail.....	5 00	Lydia White.....	2 00

NOTE.—Donations of groceries, provisions, dry goods, clothing and other necessary articles, will be very acceptable, and should be sent to the Home, 340 south Front street.





