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(JUNE) 9TH, 1892

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## FORM OF BEQUEST OF MONEY OR OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY.

*I give and bequeath to the Home for Aged and Infirm Colored  
Persons, now located on Belmont and Girard Avenues, Philadelphia  
(here insert the Legacy,) for the general purposes and use of the said  
Home.*

## FORM OF DEVISE OF REAL ESTATE.

*I give and devise to the Home for Aged and Infirm Colored  
Persons, now located on Girard and Belmont Avenues, Philadelphia  
all that (here describe the Ground-rent or other Real Estate), to them  
and their Assigns absolutely in fee forever.*

## OFFICERS

*Elected Sixth Month 9th, 1892.*

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WILLIAM STILL, 244 South Twelfth Street.

### Vice-President,

JOSEPH M. TRUMAN, JR., 1500 Race Street.

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SAMUEL EMLIN, 631 Market Street.

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HENRY M. LAING,	30 North Third street
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HENRY JUSTICE,	5014 Elm avenue
THOMAS C. IMES, M.D.	518 South Fifteenth street
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MARY A. CAMPBELL	1923 North Eleventh street
SARAH GORDON	255 South Twelfth street
SARAH PENNOCK	805 Franklin street
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HENRIETTA S. DUTERTE	838 Lombard street
SUSANNA W. LIPPINCOTT	460 North Seventh street



## COMMITTEES.

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BENJAMIN F. LEE      CORNELIUS T. SHAFFER, M. D.

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CORNELIUS T. SHAFFER, M. D.      JOSHUA B. MATTHEWS  
ELIZABETH COATES

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ALICE PENNOCK      THOMAS H. BOLING  
JOSHUA B. MATTHEWS.

### Matron,

CHARLOTTE L. RIKER

### Engineer,

CALVIN W. MITCHELL

### Physician,

DR. SAMUEL C. HENSZEY, 3320 Hamilton Street.

### Counsellors,

LEWIS D. VAIL      EDWARD HOPPER  
JOS. PARRISH,      J. SERGEANT PRICE  
J. WILLIS MARTIN      H. J. HANCOCK  
CARROLL R. WILLIAMS

### Auditors,

JOSEPH BACON      ALFRED H. LOVE

## ANNUAL MEETING

THE Twenty-eighth Annual Meeting of the Contributors to the Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons was held at the Home, corner of Belmont and Girard Avenues, Philadelphia, 6th mo. 9th, 1892. William Still, Presiding.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Mr. Phillips and the singing of the hymn "Rock of Ages".

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved.

The annual report submitted by the board of managers, was read by Anna C. Collins, which was accepted and referred to the incoming board of managers for publication.

On motion, the President appointed the following named contributors to bring forward the names of persons to serve as officers and managers for the ensuing year, viz: Lydia E. Pennock, Ruth K. Smedley, Henry H. Phillips, Hans Schadd, Sarah Bell, who reported the following named persons (see page 3,) who were duly elected to serve as officers and managers for the ensuing year.

The Treasurer's report was read, which on motion was referred to the incoming Board of Managers for publication.

The Physician Dr. Sam'l C. Henszey's report was read, which was also referred to the incoming Board.

The Rev. Dr. Wayland, Editor of the "National Baptist" was introduced by the President, and addressed the meeting in his usual interesting manner.

Dr. Johnson, late of Arkansas, was called upon and spoke encouragingly to all connected to continue in the good work and faint not, for "As ye do it unto the least of these my Brethern, ye do it unto me." He said there was no such Home out in his native state, indeed he knew of nothing to equal this Home anywhere and



suggested singing, "Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow."

Mrs. Fanny M. Coppin moved the following, which was carried: Resolved:—That this meeting records with deep regret, the declination of Israel H. Johnson, for re-election as Treasurer, who for 17 years, has faithfully and efficiently administered its financial affairs, during which time it must have been a labor of no little magnitude to attend to the legal transfer of the many bequests, large and small made to the Home and to the collection of the revenue arising therefrom. To his sterling character the Home is doubtless indebted for thousands of dollars, because people prefer to give money when they know that it will be honestly applied to the purpose it was given. He retires from his responsible office followed by the heart-felt gratitude of the Board of Managers and enriched with the blessing of the poor, the lowly and the oppressed of God's people, who, after many years of toil and hardship in this life, find their last days brightened by the comforts of this beautiful, Christian Home.

"And thou shalt be blessed; for they cannot recompense thee: for thou shalt be recompensed at the resurrection of the just."

Mrs. Coppin, then addressed the meeting as follows:—We stand to-day in the light of the fulfilled promise of our Heavenly Father and it is our loving duty to bear testimony to His faithfulness in providing for the physical as well as the spiritual comforts of the least of His little ones. It will revive our faith to refer for a moment to the small beginning from which sprang this commodious and comfortable Home.

A poor colored woman, for want of a better home, finding that the Almshouse was the only refuge for the declining years of one whose active life had been spent in faithfully serving others, a lady interested herself in promoting the establishment of a Home for Aged Colored Persons. The first contribution was 50 cents followed by 10 cents from a poor servant girl.

To mention this circumstance, does not detract from the one hundred thousand dollars with which Stephen Smith founded the present Home building nor from the thousands of dollars since contributed by other benevolent friends; but it goes to show that however weak and unprotected we may appear to be, there is a Divine

Providence above us that watches with equal tenderness over all His children. The most feeble efforts put forth in their behalf, become mighty through His blessing, and as surely as this Home has grown from so insignificant a beginning, just so surely will the iniquity of caste, cruelty and mob violence, be put down in this land, and we shall yet see righteous judgment executed between man and his brother man.

The annual Report of the Home, was never more interesting, how hopeful it is to hear that before long, there will be an addition made in the form of a large building which will accommodate many more aged and infirm persons. Dr. Wayland has referred to the work going on in the schools in the south, and it reminds me of the very interesting report which I heard not long since, of the work of Martha Schofield and the Laing School.

The educational work among the colored youth, represents those powerful, silent forces, which are slowly lifting to a higher level, thinking and living, in the south.

Miss Ida B. Wells, Editress of the paper called "Free Speech" published at Memphis, Tenn., addressed the meeting and gave a sad account of the lynching of her people in the south, and of her own exile from her native state, on account of the publishing of the outrages in her paper.

Frances E. W. Harper, made a few very interesting remarks and was followed by her daughter, Mary, who recited beautifully, a poem written for this occasion.

Thomas Walter, then addressed the meeting in his usual humorous style. After singing the hymn, "Jesus loves me", the meeting closed.

THOS. H. MCCOLLIN,  
Phila. Sixth month 9th, 1892. *Secretary.*



## ▲ ANNUAL REPORT. ▲

THE Managers of the Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons present their Twenty-eighth Annual Report, with renewed feelings of gratitude to the Giver of all good gifts for His manifold blessings, and thankfulness that we have escaped the calamities, famine, fire and flood, from which so many of our fellow beings have suffered.

At the close of the last Report, there were in the Home one hundred and fourteen inmates. During the year just ended, six men and thirteen women have been received. Twenty-six have been removed by death. Hannah Benson died at the Norristown Hospital for the Insane, and was brought back to the Home for burial. At present there are in the Home one hundred and seven inmates, ranging in age from sixty to one hundred and fourteen years.

Our Home, in common with other institutions for the care of the aged and infirm, suffered during the winter from the epidemic of Influenza, seven of our inmates dying in one month. In that number is included Keziah Jackson who became an inmate of the Home in 1883, having served as nurse as long as she was physically able to perform the duties of the position. After she became an inmate she continued to assist with such work as she was able for, ministering by both word and deed to the necessities and comfort of the sick and suffering around her. Many are the grateful recollections which cluster around the name of Nurse Jackson. We wish to record our grateful appreciation of Dr. Samuel C. Henszey's watchfulness and care, and feel that to his constant attention, under the Divine blessing, is largely due the comparatively few fatal results of the disease. To Elizabeth J. Helms, our seamstress, who so willingly and satisfactorily took charge of the house when both the Matron and the Assistant were suffering with La Grippe, to the inmates who so kindly cared for them, and to our nurses who so

faithfully met each additional duty, we tender our appreciative thanks.

Bishop Jabez Pitt Campbell, for more than twenty years a highly esteemed and respected Manager of the Home, and who had ever given it his warm sympathy and unfailing interest, died 8th month, 9th, 1891, in the seventy-sixth year of his age. There seemed a particular appropriateness in his remains resting in the Chapel of this Home, surrounded by those who had so often listened to his words of exhortation and prayer and that they should be the last to look a farewell upon their friend.—“He being dead yet speaketh, encouraging all to follow him as he followed Christ.”

It is with regret we report the resignation of the Treasurer, Israel H. Johnson, who has by earnest work and faithfulness in the discharge of the duties connected with the office, won the unanimous gratitude of Corporation, Board of Managers and such of the inmates as are capable of appreciating what his labors have meant to them. After seventeen years of service he asked to be released from the arduous responsibilities, but his interest in the Home remains and we continue to have the benefit of his experience and judgment in the meetings of the Board.

The domestic arrangements of the Home have continued under the care of Charlotte L. Riker as Matron and her assistant Elizabeth M. Lloyd. Their attention to the affairs of the household and their interest in the inmates give the best proof of their efficiency. To the watchfulness of our engineer, Calvin W. Mitchell, we are indebted. In addition to his regular duties he has given much attention through the house, thereby strengthening the hands of those in authority. To these and the entire corps of workers we extend our sincere thanks, as all have contributed a useful part in carrying out the objects of their appointment.

Many times during the year have the friends of the Home given substantial evidence of their desire that we continue to carry out the provisions of the Charter of the institution, “to afford relief to that worthy class of colored persons who have endeavored through life to maintain themselves, but who are from various causes finally dependent upon the charity of others.” The need of a special fund to aid those who are unable to furnish the admission fee, small as it is compared to the comforts secured by its payment, has been increasingly impressed upon us by cases requiring prompt action on our



part or privation and suffering to the aged ones knocking at our door. This great need will, we trust, commend itself to the practical sympathy of those interested in our work, and secure for us the means with which to assist deserving applicants. "Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of these my brethern, even the least, ye did it unto me."

Religious meetings have continued to be held regularly on each Sabbath and at stated times during the week, much to the comfort and satisfaction of our aged inmates. The different holidays were observed, the devotional services being conducted by ministers of various denominations. The Jubilee Singers from New Orleans, the House of Refuge Band and other interested friends entertained and delighted our old people with vocal and instrumental music, recitations and readings. To all who contributed to their pleasure we extend our thanks. A very pleasant incident New Year's Day was the presentation of portraits of the late Bishop and Mary A. Campbell. They occupy places on the Chapel wall and are acceptable reminders of their labors in behalf of the Home.

To Prof. G. H. Riching for his instructive and entertaining lectures on the South as it was and as it is, to George Roegner for liberal donations of ice cream and cake, to the friends who made the visits to the Zoological Garden so pleasant, to the Belmont Flower Mission and many others to whom we are indebted for various attentions to our family, we wish to offer our due acknowledgments.

Early in the year it became evident that better laundry facilities were very much needed. A committee was appointed to thoroughly study the needs and the best way to meet them. As a result of their labors the Laundry has been fitted up with steam appliances, and we feel the machinery is so complete that with competent help the work can be done more economically and satisfactorily. The painting of the inside walls on the first floor has been continued, adding very much to the attractiveness of the rooms. A room near the center of the building on the second floor has been arranged and furnished for the use of the physician in charge, which adds greatly to his convenience as well as to the comfort of those requiring his aid.

During the year our treasury has been replenished by legacies from the following:

ELIZA BUTLER.	EMILY T. ECKERT.
EDWARD GREEN.	SARAH B. SUTTEN SPANG.
GEORGE M. HAVERSTICK.	

In conclusion, to each and every one who has lent a helping hand, we would extend heartfelt thanks in the name of our inmates. Trusting that the same All-wise and loving Father will continue to care for them and for us, this report is respectfully submitted.

By order of the Board,

THOMAS H. MCCOLLIN,

PHILA., 5 MO., 3RD, 1892.

*Secretary.*



## MEMORIAL.

## BISHOP P. JABEZ CAMPBELL, D. D. L. L. D.

Whereas it has pleased God our heavenly Father in His wise providence to remove from our midst, and his earthly activities, the Rt. Rev. Jabez P. Campbell, D. D. L. L. D., a most worthy and active member of the Board of Managers of the Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored Persons, of Philadelphia, and

Whereas; Death always has an element of sadness about it for the relatives, friends and those who have held pleasant social and business relations with the deceased. Therefore be it

Resolved; That while we, the members of the Board, bow with becoming reverence and submission to the Divine will, in the removal of our esteemed associate and co-laborer, we are nevertheless moved with emotions of sadness at our loss, and with the deepest sympathy for the bereaved widow and family, but we are filled with pleasurable emotions by the thought that he has passed to be with God and forever at rest. Therefore be it further

Resolved; That this Board extend to the bereaved widow and relations, our heartfelt sympathy, and commend them to the tender care of a loving Father. And that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the family and be spread upon the face of the minutes.

THOMAS H. MCCOLLIN,  
*Secretary.*

WILLIAM STILL,  
*President.*

## MEMORIAL.

## SARAH PENNOCK.

On hearing of the death of our beloved friend Sarah Pennock, these lines came so forcibly to mind that it seems fitting they should be the opening of this little testimony to her

"Gone before us, oh our sister,  
To the spirit-land,  
Vainly look we for another,  
In thy place to stand."

In her removal, the home and its inmates have lost a devoted friend and advisor. Her clear, cool and fearless judgment was never withheld when she thought it was needed. Ever true to her conviction of right, she was unfaltering in the performance of what she believed to be her duty. Her retiring, gentle and loving nature endeared her to those who were her associates and co-workers. Her wide-spread sympathy was extended to all suffering humanity, no matter what their condition in life might be, the poor were materially aided, the sick comforted and all in such a modest quiet way, exemplifying her obedience to the divine command, "Let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth." Her life was rich in all good works, and a beautiful example of love and charity to all who came within her influence, surely she in no small measure obeyed the scripture injunction, Bear ye one another's burdens and so fulfill the law of Christ."

It would not be just to the memory of our dear friend to close this little sketch without some mention of her interest in all reformatory and philanthropic work.

That which was the most unpopular seemed the more strongly to claim her interest and sympathy. The little white ribbon so constantly worn upon her breast, told of her faithfulness to the temperance cause.

"With that deep insight which detects,  
All great things in the small,  
And knows how each man's life effects,  
The spiritual life of all.

She walked by faith and not by sight,  
By love and not by law,  
The presence of the wrong or right,  
She rather felt than saw."



## EXPENDITURES OF COMMITTEE ON SUPPLIES.

Meat and Fish, . . . . .	\$2,279 41
Bread and Flour, . . . . .	971 11
Butter and Eggs, . . . . .	908 34
Groceries, . . . . .	1,724 72
Marketing, . . . . .	1,101 06
Milk and Ice, . . . . .	549 87
Medicines, . . . . .	190 93
Gas, . . . . .	303 60
Wages, . . . . .	4,170 40
Postals Cards, Car Fare, etc., . . . . .	71 58
Porterage, . . . . .	114 00
Society Dues, . . . . .	3 25
Dry Goods and Clothing, . . . . .	908 53
Furniture, . . . . .	229 78
Sundries, . . . . .	43 83
Repairs, . . . . .	121 80
Wood, . . . . .	10 00
Shaving, . . . . .	121 80
Boiler Inspection, . . . . .	6 60

\$13,708 81

Physician, . . . . .	\$200 00
Funeral Expenses, . . . . .	484 25
Annual Report and Advertising, . . . . .	99 97
Coal, Freight and Hauling, . . . . .	1,023 33
Repairs to Property, . . . . .	1,083 27
Water Rent, . . . . .	27 90
Sundries, Women Managers, . . . . .	25 00
Insurance, . . . . .	6 00
New Engine, . . . . .	810 00
New Laundry, . . . . .	1,021 70

\$4,781 42

\$18,490 23

Philad'a, Fifth Month 31st, 1892.

## INMATES RECEIVED 1891 AND 1892.

Sixth month 1st, 1891, to Fifth month 31st, 1892.

NO.	NAME.	AGE.	NATIVE STATE.	ENTERED.
443	Lavinia Snead .....	80	Kentucky .....	6th mo. 16th, '91
444	Ruth A. Hollingsworth ..	75	Maryland .....	6th mo. 18th, '91
445	George R. Henry .....	80	Pennsylvania .....	6th mo. 25th, '91
446	Eliza Jane Smith .....	81	.....	6th mo. 27th, '91
447	Perry Brown .....	67	Maryland .....	7th mo. 17th, '91
448	Thomas Jefferson Hall ...	65	New Jersey .....	8th mo. 12th, '91
449	Mary Jane Greene .....	80	Delaware .....	8th mo. 22d, '91
450	Richard Fetterman .....	83	Virginia .....	9th mo. 16th, '91
451	Anna Elizabeth Coleman	60	Virginia .....	10th mo. 10th, '91
452	Susan Bond .....	62	Pennsylvania .....	10th mo. 14th, '91
453	Anna B. Thompson .....	59	Virginia .....	10th mo. 30th, '91
454	Thos. Gray Thompson .....	69	West Indies .....	11th mo. 14th, '91
455	Milton Boram .....	80	Virginia .....	12th mo. 12th, '91
456	Martha Kinney .....	60	Virginia .....	12th mo. 18th, '91
457	Rosanna Cropper .....	80	Maryland .....	12th mo. 19th, '92
458	Amelia Davis .....	73	Pennsylvania .....	1st mo. 2d, '92
459	Lavinia Henry .....	65	Maryland .....	2d mo. 18th, '92
460	Lavinia Harvy .....	80	North Carolina .....	3d mo. 14th, '92
461	Nancy Graham .....	70	Pennsylvania .....	5th mo. 3d, '92

## DECEASED.

Sixth month 1st, 1891, to Fifth month 31st, 1892.

NO.	NAME.	AGE.	DIED.
316	Nancy Walker .....	78	6th mo. 26th, '91
317	Eliza Butler .....	75	7th mo. 10th, '91
318	Catharine Willmer .....	86	8th mo. 9th, '91
319	Ruthanna Hollingsworth .....	75	8th mo. 27th, '91
320	Rachel Johnson .....	84	8th mo. 13th, '91
321	Hannah Benson .....	75	9th mo. 15th, '91
322	Isaac Nadini .....	76	9th mo. 19th, '91
323	Rachel Lawrence .....	62	9th mo. 24th, '91
324	Lucinda Boyd .....	72	11th mo. 13th, '91
325	Michael Johnson .....	80	11th mo. 18th, '91
326	Eliza Jane Smith .....	81	11th mo. 28th, '91
327	Ann White .....	84	12th mo. 16th, '91
328	Ann Saunders .....	78	12th mo. 17th, '91
329	Mary Cornelius .....	82	12th mo. 21st, '91
330	Sarah Hopkins .....	81	12th mo. 28th, '91
331	Jane Woodland .....	86	12th mo. 30th, '91
332	Louisa Hall .....	86	1st mo. 1st, '92
333	Charlotte London .....	74	1st mo. 4th, '92
334	Sarah Pritchard .....	71	1st mo. 7th, '92
335	Ethalinda Loane .....	91	1st mo. 8th, '92
336	Rosanna Wiltbank .....	80	1st mo. 8th, '92
337	Keziah Jackson .....	72	1st mo. 12th, '92
338	Charlotte Smith .....	95	3d mo. 9th, '92
339	William D. Laws .....	79	4th mo. 14th, '92
340	Rachel Brown .....	78	4th mo. 16th, '92
341	John Williams .....	94	4th mo. 26th, '92



## SUMMARY OF ACCOUNT.

DR. *Israel H. Johnson, Treasurer, Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons, from Sixth month 1st, 1891, to Fifth month 31st, 1892, inclusive.*

1891.				
5th mo. 31st.	To Balance on hand	-	-	\$ 76 21
	" Admission Fees — Inmates	-	-	2 955 00
	" Interest and Income from Investments	-	-	5 780 46
	" Collections, Subscriptions and Life Memberships	-	-	2 055 34
	" Donation Boxes	-	-	28 83
	" Matron from Pockets of Deceased Inmates	-	-	13 00
	" Trustees under Will of Stephen Smith, dec'd	-	-	2 405 56
	" Income, Ann W. Ryer's Special Legacy	-	-	620 00
	" Gross Rents from Real Estate	-	-	2 786 70
	" Legacy of Eliza Butler, dec'd	-	-	451 65
	" " Emily T. Eckert, dec'd	-	-	5 000 00
	" Lapsed Legacy of Thomas Jones, dec'd \$500	-	-	
	Less Col. Tax	-	-	25 475 00
	" Legacy of Sarah B. Sutton Spang, dec'd 200	-	-	
	Less Col. Tax	-	-	10 190 00
	" Legacy of George M. Haverstick, dec'd	-	-	500 00
	" Principal of I.V.W. Ground Rent Exting'd	-	-	850 00
	" Interest on Deposit Provident Life and Trust Co.	-	-	31 00
	" William A Durnell paid on account Principal of Mortgage	-	-	25 00
	" No. 032736 Lombard Investment Co. on account of Principal	-	-	800 00
	" Samuel and Harriet Judd Sartain, Balance Principal of Mortgage	-	-	5 000 00
	" Trustee Estate of Ellen Dunbar, dec'd	-	-	712 21
				<u>\$30 756 06</u>

1891.	PER CONTRA.	CR.
6th mo. 1st.	By Orders to H. M. Laing for Supplies, Wages, etc.	\$13 708 81
" " " " " "	" Repairs, Plumbing, etc., at the Home	573 77
" " " " " "	" Orders to Wm. Still for coal, freight and hauling	1 023 35
" " " " " "	" Repairs to Steam Boiler	266 80
" " " " " "	" Inspector " " "	5 00
" " " " " "	" Ground Rent, 611 Pine St., \$32 and 1014 Vernon St., \$20	52 00
" " " " " "	" Expenses Annual Report for 1891, Advertising Annual Meeting and Donation Day.	99 97
" " " " " "	" Expense on account of Western Mortgages	17 00
" " " " " "	" Women Managers for Contingencies	25 00
" " " " " "	" Orders for M. A. S. Annuity	30 00
" " " " " "	" Carpenter work, paper hanging & sundry repairs	268 00
" " " " " "	" Water Rents on various properties of the Home	129 90
" " " " " "	" Taxes for 1892 on Real Estate " " "	399 42
" " " " " "	" Constable Costs ejecting bad Tenants	5 00
" " " " " "	" Investment in Bond and Mort., 1423 Vine St.	5 000 00
" " " " " "	" New Steam Laundry at the Home	1 021 70
" " " " " "	" City Mission Directory	6 00
" " " " " "	" Fire Insurance on shed and stable	6 00
" " " " " "	" Admission Fee returned to John Brown for Rosanna Wallace, dec'd	150 00
" " " " " "	" Dr. Samuel C. Henszey, medical attendance	200 00
" " " " " "	" Henrietta S. Duterte, undertaker for funeral exp.	484 25
" " " " " "	" New Steam Engine at the Home	810 04
" " " " " "	" Cash Balance in Provident Life and Trust Co.	6 474 07
		<u>\$30 756 06</u>

E. & O. E. Philadelphia, 6 mo. 2d, 1892.

ISRAEL H. JOHNSON, *Treasurer.*

*Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons.*

We, the undersigned having examined the account of Israel H. Johnson, Treasurer for The Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons, with the vouchers find it correct, leaving a balance on hand due the Institution of \$6,474.07 in his hands, deposited as Treasurer with the Provident Life and Trust Co. of Philadelphia. \$6,474.07 to 5th mo. 31st, 1892. And have also examined the securities and found them correct.

JOSEPH BACON, } *Auditors,*  
ALFRED H. LOVE, }

Philadelphia, 6 mo. 7th, 1892.



## CHARTER OF INCORPORATION.

WHEREAS, the undersigned citizens of this Commonwealth have, together with other citizens, associated for the purpose of establishing in the City of Philadelphia a Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons, and are desirous of being Incorporated agreeably to the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to Confer on Certain Associations of the Citizens of this Commonwealth the Powers and Immunities of Corporations, or bodies politic in law." They therefore declare the following to be the objects, articles, and conditions of their said association, agreeably to which they desire to be incorporated, viz:

### TITLE.

1st. This Association shall be called "THE HOME FOR AGED AND INFIRM COLORED PERSONS."

### OBJECT.

2d. The object of this Association shall be the relief of that worthy class of colored persons who have endeavored through life to maintain themselves, but from various causes are dependent upon the charity of others.

### ARTICLES AND CONDITIONS.

3d. The officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer, who shall perform the duties usual to those positions, and a Board of Managers, twenty-four in number, who will 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 the proceedings. The officers shall be *ex-officio* members of the Board.

4th. A quorum of the Association shall be fifteen, and of the Managers, ten. The Managers shall meet at least once in each month.

5th. 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 report as to its correctness.

6th. Respectable colored persons may be admitted into the Home, or board therein, with the consent of the Visiting Committee, in accordance with the rules which the Managers may adopt for the government of the Institution.

7th. The terms of membership of the Association shall be an annual contribution of two dollars. The payment of twenty-five dollars shall constitute a life membership.

8th. The Association shall meet annually, for the election of officers and other business, on the second Fifth-day (Thursday) in the Sixth month (June) of each year, at such time and place as may be agreed upon, of which two week's notice shall be given by the Managers.\*

9th. The clear yearly income of real and personal estate held by the Association shall not at any time exceed the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

10th. The Association shall have the power to make By-Laws, not inconsistent with this Charter nor the laws of the land, and to alter and annul the same at pleasure, and a failure to elect officers at any time shall not dissolve this Corporation.

11th. If any member shall die or resign, the vacancy may be filled by an election, at a stated meeting of the Board of Managers, of one to serve in his stead until the next annual meeting of the Association.

(Signed)	STEPHEN SMITH,	WM. C. LONGSTRETH,
	SAM'L R. SHIPLEY,	HENRY M. LAING,
	JOS. M. TRUMAN, JR.,	JACOB C. WHITE, SR.,
	DILLWYN PARRISH,	THOMAS MATHER,
	HENRY GORDON.	

\*The Association formerly met on the second Fifth day of the First month, but was changed by an order of the Court as above.



IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, IN AND FOR  
THE COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

*In the matter of the Incorporation of "The Home for Aged  
and Infirm Colored Persons."*

And now, this second day of December, A. D. 1867, the Articles of Incorporation of "The Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons" having been heretofore, to wit, on the thirteenth day of November, A. D. 1867, filed in the office of the Prothonotary of said Court, and due notice having been inserted in a newspaper printed in said County, in due conformance to law; on motion of Edward Hooper, it is declared and decreed that the persons so associated under such articles shall, according to the articles and conditions in said instrument set forth and contained, become and be a Corporation or body politic in the law.

And it is further ordered and directed that the said Charter of Incorporation shall be recorded in the Office for the Recording of Deeds in and for the said County of Philadelphia. And on the said instrument being so recorded, the persons so associated or meaning to associate, shall according to the objects, articles and conditions in said instrument set forth and contained, become and be a Corporation or body politic in law and in fact, to have continuance by the name, style, and title in said instrument provided and declared.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, this thirteenth day of December, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

{ SEAL }

(Signed)

T. O. WEBB,

*Pro-Prothonotary.*

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

The Managers shall meet on the second Fourth-day in every month, at such time as may be agreed upon.

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 on Management.
- 2d. A Committee on Admissions.
- 3d. A Committee on Property.
- 4th. A Committee on Supplies.
- 5th. A Committee on Religious Meetings.
- 6th. A Committee on Interments.
- 7th. A Committee on Finance.

ARTICLE VI.

The Committee of Management shall consist of the women 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 shall divide themselves into the following sub-committees:

- 1st. A House Committee of two, to be appointed monthly in rotation; to visit the Home 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.



2d. A Clothing Committee of four, who shall superintend the making and distribution of clothing, and give directions in regard to any industrial employment of the inmates.

#### ARTICLE VII.

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

#### ARTICLE IX.

The Committee on Supplies, in conjunction with the Matron, shall make all necessary purchases for the Home.

#### ARTICLE X.

The Committee on Interments shall make all needful arrangements for the funerals of our inmates, and at least one of them shall be present on such occasions.

#### ARTICLE XI.

The Board shall appoint annually one or more Physicians, to look after the health of the inmates.

#### ARTICLE XII.

##### ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. Calling the Roll.
2. Reading the Minutes.
3. Report of the Treasurer.
4. Report of Standing Committees, viz:
  - Committee on Supplies.
  - " Management.
  - " Admissions.
  - " Property.
  - " Finance.
  - " Religious Meetings.
  - " Interments.
5. Special Committees.
6. Unfinished Business.
7. New Business.

## RULES.

RULE 1.—The Matron shall have the general charge of the Home, and keep it in neat order, under the direction of the Committee of Management. She is to enforce the rules, see that suitable nourishment is provided for the sick. She must be respectful and kind to every one in the Home, and attentive (without partiality) as their circumstances require. She will promptly check any quarreling or other improper conduct in the inmates, and if necessary, report the same to the Visiting Committee. She shall keep a record of all clothing sent to the Home, and furnish the Committee with a monthly account thereof. She will be expected to go through the house about 10 o'clock P. M., and see that all unnecessary fires and lights are extinguished.

RULE 2.—No person shall be admitted to the Home but such as bring satisfactory testimonials of the propriety of their conduct and the respectability of their character.

RULE 3.—Those received in the Home must be at least 60 years of age, and shall pay to the Treasurer the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars. All who are admitted will be on probation for a period of six months. If their conduct during that time is not satisfactory, they will be retained no longer, but will be charged board for the time they may be residents in the Home, at the rate of two and a half dollars per week, which is to be deducted from the sum paid for admission, the balance of which is to be returned to the party paying the same.

RULE 4.—Any property or personal effects which an applicant may be possessed of must be made over for the benefit of the Home, prior to admission therein; and if any inherit property whilst in the Home, and prefer remaining, the said property must likewise be transferred to the institution; all such transfers being recorded in a book kept for that purpose.

RULE 5.—Colored persons, over the age of sixty, of respectable character, and furnishing satisfactory references, may be boarded in the institution upon such terms as the Managers may decide; but shall



be subjected to the same rules and have no privileges different from other inmates. Satisfactory security must be given for the regular payment of the board, previous to their admission.

RULE 6.—No boarder shall be received or continued in the Home to the exclusion of those entirely dependent. Two week's notice, however, must be given for the removal of any boarder.

RULE 7.—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 Committee on Admissions thereon, and any information they may deem important.

RULE 8.—Those who are pensioners on any benevolent institution or society, it is expected, will have their pensions continued to assist in their support, and at their death the funeral expenses shall be paid by said societies.

RULE 9.—None but the Physician of the institution or his substitute, shall attend the inmates, unless he should request a consultation with another practitioner. If any of the inmates or their friends desire other than the regular Physician of the Home, they may, with the consent of the attending Physician, be at liberty to employ such; providing the same shall be without expense or any responsibility on the part of the institution.

RULE 10.—After rising in the morning, and again before retiring at night, all who are able shall be assembled in a suitable room, and a chapter from the Bible read to them, after which an opportunity shall be offered for silent or vocal worship.

RULE 11.—Religious meetings shall be held in the Home on the First-day of the week, for those not desirous of attending elsewhere.

RULE 12.—Any of the inmates desirous of visiting their friends (on their written invitation) must obtain permission from the Matron, nor absent themselves at any time without permission.

RULE 13.—No stimulants or liquors to be used in the Home unless ordered by the Physician, and then to be administered by the Matron.

RULE 14.—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., nor after 5 P. M., except in special cases.

RULE 15.—All that is necessary for the comfortable support of the inmates of the Home will be furnished from the funds of the institution; no individual, therefore, will, on any account, be permitted to solicit assistance.

RULE 16.—All inmates are expected to render themselves generally useful, as far as their strength will admit.

RULE 17.—Smoking and the use of tobacco in any form is strictly prohibited, except in such place as designated by the Matron.

RULE 18.—The bell will be rung ten minutes before each meal, and all who are able will promptly repair the dining-room. When seated, a suitable pause shall be observed. No inmate will be allowed to carry food from the table. The sick and infirm only will be accommodated with meals upstairs.

RULE 19.—No inmate will be permitted to interfere or find fault with Matron or assistants; but if they think they have cause for complaint they must apply to the Monthly Committee, who will receive their statement and take such action thereon as may be proper.

RULE 20.—To preserve harmony in the family the strictest attention should be paid to the rules of the Home. For the first and second offence, the Matron will admonish the offender. For the third, she will report them to the House Committee; and for the fourth, removal from the Home, if so approved by the Board of Managers.



## LIFE MEMBERS.

## DECEASED MEMBERS IN ITALICS.

Charles F. Abbott,  
Sarah Adams,  
Thos. M. Adams,  
William Arrott,  
*Thomasine Ashbridge,*  
Lewes R. Ashurst,  
*Jas. Augustin,*  
Mary Bacon (Marshall  
Street),  
Joseph Bacon,  
*Charles E. Baeder,*  
*Jos. L. Bailey,*  
*Jos. L. Bailey,*  
*Jos. A. Bailey,*  
Joel J. Bailly  
Mary L. Baird,  
*Mark Balderston,*  
Mary L. Baldwin,  
*Sarah C. Baldwin,*  
*Samuel Bancroft,*  
Abraham Barker,  
*B. H. Bartol,*  
*Isaac Barton,*  
*Dr. J. Rhea Barton,*  
Mary Bayard,  
Samuel Bell,  
Sarah Bowers Bell,  
Harriet S. Benson,  
*Rosalie Benson,*  
*William Bettie,*  
*Sarah T. Betts*  
Miriam D. Bickley,  
Clement M. Biddle,  
Robert Biddle,  
*William Biddle,*  
*Wm. C. Biddle,*  
Sarah S. Blackburn  
Harriet Blanchard,  
Priscilla M. Bohlen,  
Thomas H. Boling,  
*Adolph E. Borie,*  
*Charles Borie,*  
*John C. Bowers,*  
*Ellis Branson,*  
*James Bromley*  
Phillips Brooks,  
Francis M. Brooke,  
Alexander Brown,  
Mrs. John A. Brown,

*Mary D. Brown,*  
*Mary F. Brown,*  
Thomas Wistar Brown,  
Martha M. Brown,  
*William Bucknell,*  
John C. Bullitt,  
*Rebecca W. Burr,*  
*Wm. H. Burr,*  
Richard Cadbury,  
*Bishop J. P. Campbell,*  
Mary A. Campbell,  
*John Carter,*  
John E. Carter,  
*Mary Ann Carter,*  
George W. Childs,  
*James L. Claghorn,*  
Edward W. Clark,  
Rebecca Clyde,  
*Benjamin Coates,*  
Sarah Coates,  
Lemuel Coffin,  
A. M. Collins,  
*Eliza C. Collins,*  
*Joseph B. Conrow,*  
Jay Cooke,  
*Alfred Cope,*  
Annette Cope,  
Francis R. Cope,  
*Henry Cope,*  
James B. Cope,  
Marmaduke C. Cope,  
*Ruth Anna Cope,*  
Sophia G. Cox,  
*James H. Cresson,*  
*Samuel J. Cresswell, Jr.,*  
J. Lewis Crozier,  
*John P. Crozier,*  
*Sarah L. Crozier,*  
Samuel A. Crozier,  
Robert H. Crozier,  
Eliza Dales,  
Cecillia A. Darley,  
Alice P. Darlington,  
Jane S. Darlington,  
*Edward M. Davis,*  
Maria M. Davis,  
*Mordecai L. Dawson,*  
Ann Derbyshire,  
Mary Ann Derbyshire,

*Henry Disston,*  
Mary Disston,  
R. J. Dodd, M. D.  
*Thomas J. Dorsey,*  
*Caroline E. Davis,*  
F. J. Dreer,  
A. J. Drexel,  
Henrietta S. Duterte,  
Jonn J. Dutton,  
*Thomas Earp,*  
Rebecca S. Elkinton,  
Thomas Elkinton,  
*Anna M. Ellis,*  
*Charles Ellis,*  
*Jacob M. Ellis,*  
*George W. Emlen,*  
James Emlen,  
Samuel Emlen,  
Sarah Emlen, Jr.,  
*Ann Emsley,*  
Rebecca Emsley,  
*Catharine W. Evans,*  
*Dr. Charles Evans,*  
Charles Evans (Vine St.),  
Charles Evans (6th St.),  
Eleanor T. Evans,  
Hannah B. Evans,  
*J. Wistar Evans,*  
L. J. Evans,  
Elizabeth H. Farnum,  
*John Farnum,*  
*J. Gillingham Fell,*  
Henry Fisher, Jr.,  
*Joshua Francis Fisher,*  
Sophia G. Fisher,  
Edwin H. Fitler,  
*Hannah C. Flickwir,*  
*Wm. B. Fling,*  
John E. Fox,  
Mary D. Fox,  
Charles Franklin,  
Susan Franklin,  
*Betsy Freeman,*  
Samuel H. French,  
B. B. Fuller,  
J. C. Fuller,  
*Alexander Fullerton.*  
Sarah A. Fullerton,  
*Sarah S. Furnas,*

Elizabeth W. Garrett,  
*Henry L. Gaw,*  
*Jesse George,*  
*John M. George,*  
Jane Gibbons,  
Martha P. Gibbons,  
Harriet Gibson,  
Rebecca Gibson,  
Miss Rebecca Gibson,  
Elton B. Gifford,  
*John F. Gilpin,*  
*Louis A. Godey,*  
*Henry Gordon,*  
Sarah Gordon,  
J. L. Grandin,  
S. L. Grandon,  
*Elizabeth Greaves,*  
*Edward Green,*  
Lavinia J. Griffin,  
*Eliza P. Gurney,*  
Annie S. Haines,  
Deborah B. Haines,  
Henry Haines,  
Josiah L. Haines,  
Margaret W. Haines,  
*Rachel Haines, (Fallston,*  
Md.),  
Robert B. Haines,  
John Hall,  
Sarah Hall,  
George W. Hancock,  
J. Campbell Harris,  
Mary Powers Harris,  
Mary C. Hart,  
Lewis G. Heins,  
*Joseph G. Henszey,*  
*Mary S. Hinchman,*  
*Catharine A. Hoffman,*  
Mrs. S. Stockton Horner,  
*Edward Hoopes,*  
*James Hopkins,*  
Sarah Hopkins,  
Edward Hopper,  
Elizabeth Horner,  
Rebecca Horner,  
George Howell,  
Joshua B. Howell,  
Thomas J. Husband,  
Abram E. Huston,  
Addison Hutton,  
Eben C. Jayne,  
Anna T. Jeanes,  
Joseph Jeanes,  
*Joshua T. Jeanes,*  
*Mary Jeanes,*  
Samuel Jeanes,  
*A. D. Jessup,*  
Israel H. Johnson,  
*Mary M. Johnson,*  
*Rachael Johnson,*  
*Jacob P. Jones,*  
Margaret Jones,  
Mary T. Jones,  
*Ann Kaighn,*  
*Mary Kaighn,*  
Rebecca Kaighn,

A. M. Kimber,  
M. C. Kimber,  
T. W. Kimber,  
*Edward C. Knight,*  
*Mary P. Ladner,*  
Anna T. Laing,  
*Catharine R. Laing,*  
George T. Laing,  
Henry M. Laing,  
Kate M. Laing,  
*Mary Landell,*  
James Lane,  
E. C. K. Latimer,  
*Ann Leamy,*  
*Henry Lewis,*  
Mary Lewis,  
*Isabella J. Lippincott,*  
*Joshua Lippincott.*  
*John Livezey,*  
Sarah Lloyd,  
*Sarah W. Lloyd,*  
*Mary Ann Longstreth,*  
Susan Longstreth,  
Martha M. Lord,  
*Joseph S. Lovering,*  
*E. J. Maginnis,*  
*Caleb H. Malin,*  
George Malin,  
Harriet W. Marshall,  
*Richard M. Marshall,*  
*Sarah Marshall,*  
*Sarah Mason,*  
*Annie K. Massey,*  
*Wm. Massey,*  
*Daniel Maule,*  
*Israel Maule,*  
*Joseph Maxfield,*  
*Wm. R. Maxfield,*  
H. Pratt McKean,  
*Thomas J. Meager,*  
*Thomas Mellor,*  
John C. Mercer,  
J. Imbrie Miller,  
Anne Elizabeth Milne,  
*Beulah T. Milne,*  
Caleb J. Milne,  
Clyde Milne,  
David Milne, Jr.,  
Francis F. Milne, Jr.,  
Frank Milne,  
Mrs. Richard A. Mont-  
gomery.  
Clara J. Moore,  
Eliz. B. Montgomery,  
Clarence B. Moore,  
James Moore,  
Anna Morris,  
*Caroline Morris,*  
Elizabeth Morris,  
Elliston P. Morris,  
Jos. R. Livezey,  
Hannah Morris,  
*Henry Morris,*  
Israel Morris,  
*Martha Morris,*  
Mary Morris,

*Mary Ann C. Morris,*  
Naomi Morris,  
*Wistar Morris,*  
*Samuel C. Morton,*  
*Lucretia Mott,*  
Thomas Mott,  
Daniel Neall,  
*Emma Newbold,*  
*Mary H. Newbold,*  
Mary P. Norris,  
Edward H. Ogden,  
*Sarah C. Parke,*  
*Dilwyn Parrish*  
*Elizabeth W. Parrish,*  
*George D. Parrish,*  
Sarah L. Parish,  
*Susanna M. Parish,*  
Mary F. Paschall,  
Mrs. C. L. Patten,  
*Morris Patterson,*  
*Charles W. Peirce,*  
*Abraham L. Pennock,*  
*Caroline Pennock,*  
George Pennock,  
Isabella L. Pennock,  
J. Sellers Pennock,  
*Sarah Pennock,*  
T. Morris Perot,  
Mary Peters,  
*Nancy B. Peters,*  
*Sarah Phipps,*  
*Thomas Potter,*  
*Charles W. Poultney,*  
Anna M. Powers,  
Thomas H. Powers,  
*Eli K. Price,*  
J. Sergeant Price,  
*Lucy S. Price,*  
Thomas W. Price,  
Jenkins Purnell,  
*Mary W. Perot,*  
*Evan Randolph,*  
*Juliana Randolph,*  
*Charles D. Reed,*  
*Annie Rhoads,*  
*Annie G. Rhoads,*  
Beula M. Rhoads,  
Charles Rhoads,  
Elizabeth Rhoads,  
Joseph R. Rhoads,  
*Robert Richards,*  
*Hannah W. Richardson,*  
*Richard Richardson,*  
*Sarah P. Ridgway,*  
*Thomas Ridgway,*  
*Salome W. Rockhill,*  
Fairman Rogers,  
Edward Rowland,  
*Elizabeth Russell,*  
*Annie W. Ryerss,*  
*Mrs. J. W. Ryerss,*  
R. W. Ryerss,  
*Joseph Scattergood,*  
Mary Scattergood,  
Sarah Scattergood (W.  
Chester,)



Anna D. Scott,  
Thomas A. Scott,  
David Scull,  
David Scull, Jr.,  
Edward L. Scull,  
John Sellers,  
John Sellers, Jr.,  
William Sellers,  
Henry Seybert,  
Hans Shadd,  
Ann P. Sharpless,  
Charles L. Sharpless,  
Enos Sharpless,  
John Sharpless, Jr.,  
John M. Sharpless,  
Samuel J. Sharpless,  
Wm. P. Sharpless,  
Mary Ann Shaw,  
Susanna W. Shaw,  
Isaac A. Sheppard,  
Samuel R. Shipley,  
Matthias Shoemaker,  
Benj. H. Shoemaker,  
Robert Shoemaker,  
Ellen H. Simpson,  
Maria Simpson,  
Wm. Simpson,  
C. S. Singerly,  
Cath. S. M. Singerly,  
M. Singerly,  
Harriet I. Smedley,  
Samuel L. Smedley,  
Daniel Smith, Jr.,  
George P. Smith,  
Harriet Smith,  
Jemima R. Smith,  
John F. Smith,  
Joseph P. Smith,  
Mary D. Smith,  
Nellie Smith,  
Rebecca W. Smith,  
R. Morris Smith,

Stephen Smith,  
Wm. B. Smith,  
Wm. C. Smyth,  
Emily B. Smyth,  
William Stapler,  
Hannah W. Sterling,  
Wm. Still,  
Seth B. Stitt,  
Wm. P. Tatham,  
Amy P. Tatum,  
Charles S. Taylor,  
Lucy Taylor,  
Sarah M. Taylor,  
Jos. F. Temple,  
Jane Thomas,  
Eliz. H. Thompson,  
George Thompson,  
John J. Thompson,  
J. Edgar Thompson,  
Dr. M. R. Trevor,  
Alexander S. Truman,  
Cath. H. Truman, Sr.,  
Dr. George Truman,  
Jos. M. Truman, Jr.,  
Fliz R. Turnpenny,  
Joseph C. Turnpenny,  
Ann Tyler,  
George Vaux,  
Wm. S. Vaux,  
Mrs. T. Wagner,  
Annie Waln,  
Phebe L. Waln,  
S. Morris Waln,  
Martha Ann Warner,  
Redwood F. Warner,  
George Watson,  
Phoebe M. Way, M. D.,  
Maria Wallace,  
Robert S. Walter,  
John J. Weaver,  
John Welsh,  
Samuel Welsh,

Wm. Welsh,  
George D. Wetherill,  
Andrew Wheeler,  
Charles Wheeler,  
Susan F. Wheeler,  
Alexander Whildin, Sr.,  
James Whitall,  
John M. Whitall,  
Mary Cope Whitall,  
Jacob C. White, Sr.,  
Rebecca White,  
Asa Whitney,  
George Whitney,  
James S. Whitney,  
John R. Whitney,  
David Milne Willard,  
Dwight Willard,  
Frank Milne Willard,  
Helen Willard,  
Isabella Milne Willard,  
Louis Willard,  
Fielding L. Williams,  
Isabella Williams,  
Edward H. Williams,  
John Williams,  
Mercy K. Williamson,  
Passmore Williamson,  
Thomas Williamson,  
Franklin S. Wilson,  
Rathmell Wilson,  
Wm. L. Wilson,  
Anna H. Willstach,  
Esther F. Wistar,  
Lydia J. Wistar,  
Ann H. Wood,  
Mrs. Alan Wood, Jr.,  
Geo. A. Wood,  
Dr. George B. Wood,  
Mary H. Wood,  
Miss E. Baker,  
Mrs. Isaac J. Wistar,  
Mrs. Moses Brown,  
Mrs. Dr. Louis Rodman,  
Mrs. S. Fox,

## COLLECTIONS.

## Collection by Mary B. Breed.

Jane M. Platt.....\$ 2 00  
Mrs. H. M. Thomas..... 2 00  
Mrs. Gideon Stoddart..... 2 00  
Mary J. Breed..... 2 00  
Mary B. Breed..... 2 00

## Collection by Mary A. Campbell.

From Rev. J. P. Campbell, Beneficial Society Death Claim, Ethalinda Loan.....\$20 00  
Mary A. Campbell..... 5 00

## Collection by Martha B. Chambers.

Henry Justice.....\$ 5 00  
Myra Baker..... 5 00  
Margaret A. Griscom..... 3 00  
Cynthia S. Green..... 2 00  
E. W. Scarlett..... 1 00  
Joseph Scarlett..... 1 00  
Martha B. Chambers..... 1 00

## Collection by Sarah Gordon.

Margaret W. Haines.....\$ 5 00  
Jane R. Haines..... 5 00  
Frances E. Jones..... 2 00  
Miss Mary Baker..... 5 00  
Miss E. Baker..... 5 00  
Mrs. Isaac J. Wistar..... 5 00  
Mrs. Moses Brown..... 5 00  
Mrs. Dr. Louis Rodman..... 5 00  
Mrs. S. Fox..... 5 00

## Inadvertently omitted from Annual Report, 1891.

Mrs. Mazier..... 2 00  
Isaac Dickson..... 2 00  
Mrs. Wood..... 1 00  
Jane R. Haines..... 10 00  
Margaret W. Haines..... 5 00  
Frances E. Jones..... 2 00  
Misses Baker..... 10 00  
Mrs. Dr. Rodman..... 5 00  
Mrs. & Misses Brown..... 5 00  
Mrs. I. J. Wistar..... 5 00  
Mrs. Frazer..... 2 00  
Wm. F. Jones..... 5 00  
Mrs. S. Fox..... 5 00

## Collection by Israel H. Johnson.

Sarah P. Morris.....\$20 00  
Elizabeth Anderson, an Inmate of Mr. Ingersale..... 5 00  
S. P. M., donation..... 10 00

Wm. H. Woodward..... 2 00  
Sarah P. Morris..... 3 00  
Jenkins Purnell..... 2 00  
Sarah P. Morris..... 20 00  
Elizabeth B. Montgomery,  
Bryn Mawr..... 25 00  
R. H. Young, 1400 S. 2nd St..... 5 00  
Annabella E. Winn..... 10 00  
Mrs. M. J. Reynolds,  
1212 Green Street..... 1 00  
Martha Hoskins..... 2 00  
Sarah P. Morris, donation..... 10 00  
Mary Bayard, 1612 Locust St..... 20 00  
Joseph C. Turnpenny..... 10 00  
Wm. H. Woodward..... 3 00  
M. A. Collins..... 2 00  
Esther F. Wistar..... 20 00  
Harriet W. Marshall..... 10 00

## Collection by Caroline G. Lewis.

Enoch Lewis.....\$10 00  
Edward Lewis..... 5 00  
Elizabeth Lewis..... 5 00  
Wilfred Lewis..... 2 00  
Caroline G. Lewis..... 1 00  
Anna A. Spooner..... 4 00  
Harriet B. Fox..... 5 00  
Elizabeth J. Ferris..... 2 00  
Joseph Griffith..... 1 00  
Anna J. Ferris..... 1 00  
Lydia I. Brown..... 1 00  
Cash..... 10 00  
E. H. Halloway..... 2 00  
Caroline Lewars..... 1 50

## Collection by Henry M. Laing.

Caroline Woody.....\$ 2 00  
Rebecca T. Webb..... 1 00  
Mrs. Thos. N. Taylor..... 10 00  
DONATION DAY.  
George Frances Fox..... 20 00  
Mount Oliver S. School..... 2 00  
Cash \$1, cash \$1, from several \$4 6 00  
Mrs. Thos. N. Taylor..... 10 00

## Collection by Emily T. Longstreth.

Emily T. Longstreth..... 2 00

## Collection by Matron.

From Pocket of  
Rachel Johnson, dec'd.....\$ 3 00  
Lady's Relief Corps of G. A. R. 4 33  
From Pockets of Deceased Inmates:  
Rose Willbank, dec'd..... 3 00  
Louisa Hall, dec'd..... 2 00  
Charlotte London, dec'd..... 5 00



## Collection by Joshua B. Matthews.

Cesar J. Evans.....	\$ 5 00
Joshua B. Matthews.....	5 00

## Collection by Mary C. Maris.

Hannah W. Sterling.....	\$10 00
Anna C. Miller.....	2 00
Elizabeth J. Pike.....	2 00
Rachel Johnson.....	5 00
Mary W. Garrett.....	2 00
Thomas Scattergood.....	5 00
Joel J. Bailly & Co.....	10 00
Baldwin Locomotive Works.....	25 00
Lydia Pike.....	2 00
Mary C. Maris.....	2 00
Rachel P. Leys.....	1 00
Rebecca S. Conard.....	2 00
Sallie E. Garrett.....	2 00
Samuel Emlen.....	5 00
Hannah S. Marot.....	2 00
Emeline L. Moore.....	2 00

## Collection by Lydia E. Penneck.

Isabella L. Penneck.....	\$ 5 00
J. Jacob Shannon.....	5 00
Herbert A. Penneck.....	1 00
Cash.....	1 00
E. P. Aikin.....	1 00
Mahlon Bryon.....	1 00
Alfred P. Shannon.....	1 00
E. Eldridge Penneck.....	1 00
Mrs. Jos. Wilde, balance of fund for Louisa Hall's Funeral Expenses.....	6 80

## Collection by Sarah Penneck.

James Whitall.....	\$20 00
Maria Simpson.....	25 00
Joseph Jeanes.....	50 00
Samuel Jeanes.....	50 00
Anna T. Jeanes.....	50 00
Samuel L. Smedley.....	10 00
Coffin, Altemus & Co.....	10 00
Dr. D. Jayne & Co.....	10 00
Henry C. Townsend.....	10 00
E. W. Clarke & Co.....	10 00
J. B. Ellison & Sons.....	10 00
Daniel S. White.....	10 00
George Vaux.....	10 00
Frances R. Cope.....	10 00
Thos. P. Cope.....	10 00
W. W. F.....	10 00
Beauveau Borie.....	10 00
Charles W. Trotter.....	10 00
James Watson.....	10 00
Isaac W. Jeanes.....	10 00
Wm. C. Jeanes.....	5 00
Joseph G. Jeanes.....	5 00
Mary Cope Whitall.....	5 00
G. C. Purves.....	5 00
Margaretta S. Hinchman.....	5 00
Lydia S. Hinchman.....	5 00
Sarah S. Taylor.....	5 00
Emanuel Hey.....	5 00
Sarah Lloyd.....	5 00
Caroline A. Corlies.....	5 00

Rebecca Horner.....	5 00
William H. Allen.....	5 00
Hannah Tatum.....	5 00
Clement M. Biddle.....	5 00
Alfred M. Collins.....	5 00
Wm. Potter.....	5 00
James F. Hope.....	5 00
Wm. A. Lippincott.....	5 00
Joseph Fussell.....	5 00
Wood, Brown & Co.....	5 00
Henry L. Gaw.....	5 00
Margaretta Smith.....	2 00
J. T. Griffin.....	2 50
Daniel G. Evans.....	2 00
Ellis D. Williams.....	2 00
George H. Earle.....	2 00
F. Gutekuntz.....	2 00
Ellwood Baker, M. D.....	2 00
Hannah A. Leedom.....	2 50
Hannah H. Bartem.....	1 00
Frund Webster.....	1 00
Joseph Bishop.....	1 00
Elizabeth B. Taylor.....	1 00
Mary Worrell.....	1 00
Ellen R. James.....	1 00
Edw. T. Steele & Co.....	10 00
Joseph B. Townsend.....	10 00
Granville B. Haines.....	5 00
Mary D. Allen.....	5 00
I. Wistar Brown.....	5 00
Henry Norris.....	5 00
Joseph Trotter & Co.....	2 00
Hannah Morris.....	10 00
Wm. Sellers & Co.....	10 00
James Moore.....	10 00
S. & J. Welsh.....	10 00
Rachel A. Beeder.....	10 00
J. Sergeant Price.....	10 00
William Weightman.....	10 00
William Aarott.....	10 00
S. J. G.....	10 00
Rebecca Clyde.....	10 00
Raymond Claghon.....	10 00
Samuel H. French.....	10 00
Joshua L. Bailly.....	5 00
J. F. Brickel.....	5 00
Wm. Henry Trotter.....	5 00
Samuel L. Fox.....	5 00
Horace J. Lippincott.....	5 00
Thos. Robert & Co.....	5 00
Susan L. Bailly.....	5 00
Hoopes & Townsend.....	5 00
Mellvaine & Brother.....	5 00
F. R. S.....	5 00
Biddle Hardware & Co.....	5 00
Mary L. Brooke.....	5 00
James A. Wright.....	5 00
Ellwood Johnson.....	5 00
Philip J. Walsh.....	5 00
Joseph L. Jones.....	5 00
Abbie Furman.....	5 00
Mary Reeder.....	5 00
S. L. Smith.....	5 00
Thos. T. Tasker.....	5 00
Catherine K. Tatham.....	5 00
Joseph H. Gillinham.....	5 00
Emily Norris.....	5 00

Beulah M. Hacker.....	5 00	Sophia R. Wing.....	3 00
Joseph Tomlinson.....	5 00	Hannah B. Evans.....	2 00
Martha K. Tomlinson.....	5 00	Charles Hacker.....	2 00
Wm. H. Nicholson.....	5 00	Hannah R. Lea.....	2 00
John Ashurst.....	5 00	C. L. T. King.....	2 00
Cecelia A. Darby.....	5 00	Sarah A. Ritchie.....	2 00
Mary L. Baldwin.....	5 00	Sarah Ritchie.....	2 00
A. M. Newhall.....	5 00	Mary E. Jones.....	2 00
Charles Santee.....	5 00	Alice Penneck.....	2 00
Perkins & Co.....	3 00	H. Perot Richardson.....	2 00
Sharpless Brothers.....	3 00	Charles H. Alexander.....	2 00
Charles J. Walton.....	3 00	Eliza W. Reeve.....	2 00
Harris Brothers.....	2 50	Anna N. R. Smedley.....	2 00
Wm. P. Walter's Sons.....	2 00	Mary Scattergood.....	1 00
Almira L. Peterson.....	2 00	Isabella L. Penneck.....	1 00
Hettie P. Baird.....	2 00	Richard Boyer.....	50
Rudolph Watson.....	2 00	A. J. Drexel.....	25 00
Mary Strawbridge.....	2 00	Catharine S. C. Singlerly.....	20 00
Charles Hartshorne.....	2 00	Mary B. Baines.....	5 00
Margaret Clyde.....	2 00	Elizabeth L. Devine.....	5 00
Caroline Sheppard.....	2 00	Harriet De B. Keim.....	5 00
James T. Shinn.....	2 00	John Williams.....	5 00
Wm. D. Rodgers.....	2 00	Wm. H. Jenks.....	5 00
Mrs. Friebe.....	2 00	John S. Jenks.....	5 00
Jase C. Heyl.....	1 00	David Scull.....	5 00
John Stilz & Son.....	1 00	James G. McCollin.....	5 00
Rene Guilliou.....	1 00	Mary Smith.....	5 00
Anna P. Cox.....	1 00	Thos. E. Bacon.....	5 00
Rachel S. Johns.....	1 00	Mrs. Landell.....	5 00
Susanna Newman.....	1 00	Catherine M. Brown.....	5 00
Mrs. Davis.....	50	Margaret McCollin.....	2 00
Mary Powers Harris.....	10 00	Francis B. McCollin.....	2 00
Edwin A. Landell.....	10 00	John H. Catherwood.....	2 00
Harriet Blanchard.....	10 00	Esther E. Stokes.....	2 00
Emma L. Horstmann.....	10 00	Priscilla E. Lippincott.....	1 00
F. Oden Horstmann.....	10 00	Caroline McCurdy.....	1 00
Walter Horstmann.....	10 00	Mrs. Pearce.....	1 00
Samuel Biddle.....	10 00	Samuel T. Fox.....	1 00
Martha D. Allen.....	5 00	Caroline M. Jeanes.....	10 00
George B. Robert.....	5 00	John W. Biddle.....	5 00
S. & T. Child.....	5 00	Cash F. F.....	5 00
Samuel Bell.....	5 00	Susan F. Wheeler.....	5 00
Massey & Janney.....	5 00	Mary D. B. Roop.....	5 00
James V. Watson.....	5 00	F. S. Kimball.....	5 00
John Baird.....	5 00	Sarah H. Dutton.....	5 00
Mary Disston.....	5 00	W. H. Carpenter.....	5 00
E. Crozier Griffith.....	5 00	Mary Bacon.....	5 00
Mary A. Bancroft.....	5 00	Rachel S. Brown.....	2 00
Daniel Neal.....	5 00	Anna M. Thomas.....	2 00
George W. Allen.....	5 00	Susan Harper.....	2 00
Richard Woods.....	5 00	Annie Davis.....	2 00
Rebecca S. Elkinton.....	5 00	Rachel C. Bunting.....	2 00
Dr. Joseph C. Guernsey.....	5 00	Sarah Penneck.....	2 00
Mary W. Seeds.....	5 00	M. M. Morrison.....	1 00
Anna W. Fry.....	5 00	E. M. Patterson.....	1 00
Charles Rhoads.....	5 00	George W. Childs.....	25 00
Beulah M. Rhoads.....	5 00	Josiah L. Haines.....	10 00
James Spear.....	5 00	Morris Wheeler.....	10 00
Lavinia J. Griffin.....	5 00	Mr. & Mrs. E. A. Sibley.....	10 00
Edward Hopper.....	5 00	Wm. S. S. White.....	5 00
B. F. Clyde.....	5 00	Edward Penneck.....	1 00
Ann Kirkbride.....	5 00	Mary Morris.....	5 00
Strawbridge & Clothier.....	5 00	Emily W. Taylor.....	5 00
Mrs. J. Edgar Thomson.....	5 00	Wm. Weightman.....	5 00
Elizabeth W. Garrett.....	5 00	S. S. White.....	5 00
Sarah Shallcross.....	2 00	Amanda S. Montior.....	1 00
Isabella L. Tatham.....	2 00	Mary Jane Johnson.....	1 00



## Collection by Ruth K. Smedley.

Susan J. Yerkes.....	\$ 2 00
Charles T. Holmes.....	1 00
Mary Ada Holmes.....	1 00
Anna C. Collins.....	2 00
Ruth K. Smedley.....	2 00

## Collection by William Still.

Allen Ricketts .....	\$ 1 00
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## Collection by Joseph M. Truman, Jr.

Wm. R. Chapman.....	\$ 2 00
Joseph M. Truman, Jr.....	2 00

## Collection by Catharine T. Townsend.

Casper S. Garrett.....	\$ 5 00
Elizabeth W. Garrett.....	5 00
Lydia W. Evans.....	1 50
Mary M. Truman.....	2 00
Catharine T. Townsend.....	2 00

34th &amp; Hamilton St.

Philad'a, 4, 30, '92.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND MANAGERS OF THE HOME FOR  
AGED AND INFIRM COLORED PERSONS.

*Friends:*—In presenting my report for the past year, I would remark that the inmates have passed through a trying ordeal. The epidemic that has been traversing a great portion of the civilized world, again visited the family. Among those who were effected were some of the oldest inmates, viz:—Mary McDowell, aged 111 years, and John Gibson, 114 years old, both of whom recovered. The number of cases were Sixty, out of which seven succumbed. At present the family are doing well. The sanitary affairs are in an excellent condition, and court an investigation.

No contagious or infectious disease exists. The house through the exertion of those having charge, has been, and is in a meritorious condition. The matron and house-keeper have been untiring in their devoted interests for the welfare of the inmates.

During the year I have received as donations in Drugs, Medicines, Etc. from

W. H. Schieffelin &amp; Co., New York.

Charles Phillips, New York.

Wm. Weightman, (Powers and Weightman) Philadelphia.

Rosengarten Sons, Philadelphia.

Charles H. Clark, Philadelphia.

All of which I have respectfully acknowledged.

Number of deaths, for the year,	. . . . .	26
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Amount paid for drugs, medicines, etc.,	. . . . .	\$150 99
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Respectfully Yours,

SAMUEL C. HENSZEY, M. D.



## DONATIONS.

## JUNE 1891.

Cynthia E. French, several pairs Spectacles.  
 Policeman A. N. Smith, package of Christian Heralds.  
 Mrs. Baker, 7 jars of spiced apples.  
 Miss Nettie Taylor, 3 lbs. sponge cake, for "Little Grandma."  
 C. L. Riker, 2 vines for lawn.  
 A friend, 4 bonnets.  
 Fanny J. Coppin, reading matter.  
 Mrs. A. E. Thompson, 1 bbl. bread, 1 bbl. rolls and cinnamon buns.  
 " " 40 loaves bread and 62 buns.  
 " " 44 loaves bread.  
 E. A. Winnemore, 50 quarts of milk.  
 M. S. Powell, a pair of knitted slippers.  
 M. S. Brown, 20 lbs. of cut carpet rags.  
 S. Pennock, carpet rags.

## JULY.

Geo. Roegner, 60 lbs. of cake and 50 quarts of ice cream.  
 S. Pennock, bag of carpet rags.  
 21 N. 27th St., reading matter.  
 A friend, 7 pieces women's undergarments.  
 A. E. Thompson, 38 loaves of bread and 40 cinnamon buns.  
 " " 27 loaves of bread and  $\frac{1}{2}$  bbl. of buns.  
 " " 17 loaves of bread and 81 buns.  
 " " 30 loaves of bread.  
 " "  $1\frac{1}{2}$  bbls. of bread.  
 " " 1 bbl. of bread and sweet cakes.  
 Roller & Shoemaker, 2 lbs. of beeswax.  
 Samuel Fox, 2 dozen pairs Spectacles.  
 Thos. Potter & Sons, 1 roll of oil cloth.  
 Sarah H. Pierce, carpet rags.

## AUGUST.

A. E. Thompson, tea buns.  
 " " 104 loaves of bread and 205 buns.  
 E. W. Heston, 3 baskets pears, 2 baskets apples, 25 heads cabbage.

Mrs. Haines, 3 baskets peaches, 3 baskets apples.  
 Goodell & Waters, repairing lawn mower.  
 John Stiltz, bag of cloth pieces.  
 M. W. Garrett, pieces of patchwork.

## SEPTEMBER.

E. W. Heston, 6 baskets apples, 3 baskets pears.  
 E. A. Winnemore, 1 gallon of milk.  
 A. E. Thompson, bread.  
 Ladies' Relief Corps, G. A. R. of R. I., 4 dollars, 33 cents.  
 Anna T. Jeanes, 12 pairs stockings, 16 undershirts, 8 pairs drawers,  
 44 yards gingham.

## OCTOBER.

Harriet W. Paiste, 2 pairs shoes, 1 pair boots, 7 coats, 5 vests,  
 4 pairs pants, 2 shirts, 6 hats, 4 pairs drawers, 5 under-  
 shirts, etc.  
 Margaret J. Burleigh, 2 bedsteads.  
 Mrs. Thompson, reading matter.  
 Chas. Franklin, 4 pairs pants, 6 coats, 2 vests, 5 collars, 1 cloak.  
 Mrs. F. G. Wolbert, 1 cot.  
 James Corcoran, 4 quarts of oysters.  
 A friend, feather cushions, 1 down cushion and rubber air pad.  
 Mrs. Ogden, reading matter.  
 E. A. Winnemore, a gallon of milk.  
 Sarah Parrish, 6 pairs pulse warmers.  
 Thomas Walter, 1 overcoat.  
 Edward Sharpless, shoes and clothing.  
 Emeline L. Moore, 15 holders.  
 Flower Mission, Belmont Baptist Church, bouquets of flowers.  
 S. D. W. & A. C. C., lot of cut carpet rags.

## NOVEMBER.

A. E. Thompson,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  bbls. of bread.  
 P. A. Dutrienille, 6 turkeys, 76 lbs., and 6 quarts. cranberries.  
 Mary Campbell, 1 turkey, 14 lbs.  
 H. B. Stiles, 1 turkey,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  lbs., and 16 lbs. fresh cod fish.  
 1019 43d St., 1 rocking chair.  
 A friend, bonnet and neckties.  
 A. C. Collins, 1 dozen collars.



Margaret Jones, 2 baskets of grapes and 1 basket pears.

#### DECEMBER.

S. Cromwell, 2 rocking chairs, 1 straight chair, 2 hats, 1 coat and vest, stockings, gloves, neckties and mittens.

A. F. Thompson,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  bbls. of bread.

Belmont Avenue Baptist Mission,  $4\frac{3}{4}$  dozen rolls.

Mrs. Large, 1 large turkey.

A. E. Winnemore, 17 quarts of cream.

Ebenezer Adams, 2 turkeys.

Margaret Jones, 1 goose, 4 dozen eggs.

Belmont Ave. Baptist Mission, 125 oranges.

Mrs. Isaac Jeanes, 3 boxes oranges.

Mrs. Tomlinson, reading matter.

Jos. A. Stein, 5 neck ties.

Charles J. Field, 1 doz. knives.

#### JANUARY.

##### DONATION DAY.

Jos. A. Stein, 3 neckties.

Thos. H. Boling, 1 case tomatoes, 1 box candles,  $\frac{1}{2}$  dozen pails.

H. S. Duterte, 45 mince pies, 2 pound cakes, 1 dozen oranges, 1 can of salmon and 1 can of mackerel.

Mrs. Haas, 6 lbs. of sugar.

Sallie Williams, 3 lbs. of sugar.

Infant Class Olivet Presbyterian S. S., 93 packages of groceries, 7 lbs. of soap, 7 packages of corn starch, 6 cans of tomatoes, 3 cans of corn, 1 of pears, 1 of bartlett pears, 1 of cherries, 1 of plumes, 2 glasses of Jelly, 9 potatoes, 8 bananas, 16 apples, 2 lemons and 155 oranges.

Infant Class, Mt. Olive Mission S. S., \$2.00 (two dollars).

Miss Blanchard, 100 undergarments.

A friend, reading matter.

Alfred H. Love, 10 dozen white cotton and 1 table cover.

Mrs. Ogden, reading matter.

Wm. Imes, 1 bbl. of apples.

New Jerusalem Church, reading matter, 3 dozen table knives.

S. Pennock, carpet rags and 2 shirts.

King's Daughters, Central Presb'y Church, caps and handkerchiefs.

Four friends, \$6.00.

#### FEBRUARY.

A friend, 2 vases, pepper, salt and mustard boxes.

Frymier & Edwards, 2 dozen tea plates, 4 pitchers, 6 bowls, 4 platters, and 2 pudding dishes.

Mrs. James, 2 bonnets, 2 pairs of shoes, dress, underclothing, neck handkerchief and ties.

C. W. Ritchie, 3 tumblers of quince jelly, 1 peach, 1 currant, and 1 can of pears.

Mrs. Coleman, 1 pair of boots, 4 pairs of stockings, 2 pairs of corsets. 400 N. 42nd St., carpets.

Thos. P. Bacon, 2 blank books.

Miss Blanchard, 100 undergarments.

Mrs. Franklin, reading matter.

S. W. Miller, 2 night gowns, 7 pairs of men's red flannel drawers, 4 pairs of women's red flannel drawers, 4 pairs of grey drawers, 10 pairs of men's canton flannel drawers.

E. C., 5 lbs sewed carpet rags.

#### MARCH.

E. L. Moore, reading matter, gas pipes, 3 chairs, 1 foot cushion, 1 clock, vases, card reciever, dishes, curtain rings, and 2 bags of carpet rags.

F. J. Coppin, reading matter.

R. K. Smedley, cut carpet rags.

Mary S. Brown, 20 lbs. cut carpet rags.

H. D. Marot & S. H. Pierce, cut carpet rags.

#### APRIL.

Margaret Jones, 7 dozen eggs.

Thaddeus Stevens School, 10 dozen eggs.

W. N. Moses, 20 quarts of sour kraut.

H. B. Skiles, 5 quarts of curds.

F. J. Coppin, reading matter.

Mrs. Atkins, reading matter.

Miss Georgia Sturges, 1 pair boots, 3 hats, 4 canes and 1 hand bag.

H. M. Laing, weekly papers.

Margaret A. Boling, cut carpet rags.

Sarah Pennock, carpet rags.

Marian K. Stein, large lot cut carpet rags.



## MAY.

A friend, 3 bonnets, 2 caps.  
 W. F. Jenks, 1 pair quilting frames.  
 Mrs. H. P. Taylor, 1 coat, 3 pairs of pants, 2 pairs of drawers,  
 2 night shirts, 1 night dress, 2 skirts, 2 hats, etc.  
 Mrs. Isaac Jeanes, 1 coat and 1 pair of pants.  
 Home for Aged Couples, 1 bundle of carpet rags.  
 Ballinger, 5 shirts, 1 umbrella, 2 canes, 1 bed gown, 5 coats, 1 duster, 2 vests, 4 pairs of boots, etc.  
 A friend, 2 dress waists, 1 bonnet, 1 skirt, 1 jacket.  
 A. E. Thompson, 45 loaves of bread.  
 H. M. Laing, flowers.  
 Christian Recorder, during year.  
 Jos. A. Stein, 8 neckties.  
 Mrs. M. B. T., pieces for patchwork.  
 Mary Campbell, cut carpet rags.  
 Wanamaker & Brown, woolen carpet rags.  
 Sarah M. Bains, part worn slippers.  
 Mrs. Jenks, carpets rags, cushion covers, etc.  
 Ann Trimble, 9 night caps.  
 Mrs. Cook, bundle of clothing.  
 Friend's Bible Association, 6 testaments and Psalms.  
 Margaret Jones, 7 dozen eggs.  
 Sarah Parrish, 12 neckties and fancy articles.  
 Mrs. M. B. Brown, carpet rags and pieces for patchwork.  
 Mrs. M. E. Wistar, carpet rags and pieces for patchwork.  
 Mrs. Willoughby, carpet rags and pieces for patchwork.  
 Advertising and notices—Friend's Intelligencer, Friend's Review,  
 Public Ledger, Press, Times, Inquirer and North American.

## EVENTS DURING THE YEAR.

JUNE 3rd, 1891.

Wm. Bond of West Grove, Penna. preached to the inmates.

JUNE 24th.

Service by Mr. Alfred Herbert from Africa.

JUNE 26th.

Service by Rev. J. A. Brown. Singing and reading by "King's Daughters" of St. Thomas P. E. Church.

JUNE 30th.

Mr. Alfred Herbert lectured to inmates. Subject "Africa, people and customs".

JULY 8th.

Seven ladies from Strasburg, Lancaster Co., visited the Home.

JULY 6th.

Mrs. J. H. Smith, Supt. Bethany Mission S. S., and Miss Julia D. Moore, Assistant Librarian, visited the Home.

JULY 10th.

The Matron and twenty-five inmates visited the Zoo, and were treated to ice-cream by Mr. Hartz.

JULY 24th.

John W. Thomas of Plymouth, Pa., visited the Home.

JULY 28th.

Judge E. M. and Mrs. Paxson, visited the Home.

JULY 30th.

The "King's Daughters" of St. Thomas Church, assisted Rev. J. A. Brown in the service for the inmates.

AUGUST 2nd.

Rev. Dr. Reeve preached at the 11 A. M. service.

AUGUST 7th.

E. M. Lloyd and twenty-five inmates visited the Zoo, and were treated to ice cream by Mr. Hartz.

AUGUST 19th.

Addie Morris spoke to the inmates of her work in the South, among the people in Winston, S. C.

AUGUST 20th.

Concert given by Union Baptist Church Choir.



## AUGUST 27th.

The "King's Daughters" from St. Thomas P. E. Church, assisted Rev. J. A. Brown in the service for the inmates.

## SEPTEMBER 15th.

Hannah Benson died at Norristown Asylum. Her remains were brought to the Home for interment.

## SEPTEMBER 16th.

Mrs. Dr. McLeod of State Board of Charities, visited the Home.

## SEPTEMBER 17th.

Mrs. S. M. Trenckle of the Methodist Home, visited Home.

## SEPTEMBER 20th.

Mrs. Nancy Washington, visited the Home.

Mrs. Douglass, S. P. Beattie, L. P. Redmond, assisted by 13 boys from the House of Refuge, assisted in the service conducted by Wm. Still.

## SEPTEMBER 21st.

Mrs. J. H. Evans, assisted by 19 young ladies and gentlemen of Mantua Baptist Mission, entertained the inmates with singing, speaking, etc.

Mrs. Rads, matron of a Home in Rhode Island, visited the Home.

## SEPTEMBER 23rd.

Post 13, G. A. R. of R. I., John H. Francis, commander, visited the Home. Addressed by Wm. Still, J. Buchanan and Mr. Wampel, who presented a small donation.

## OCTOBER 18th.

Rev. N. R. Johnson, preached at 11 A. M.

## NOVEMBER 1st.

Mrs. L. A. J. Morgan, from Liberia, addressed the inmates.

## NOVEMBER 3d.

The Jubilee Singers from the University, New Orleans, entertained the inmates.

## NOVEMBER 26th.

Thanksgiving day. There was the usual abundant turkey dinner, with vegetables, desert, apples, oranges, bananas and grapes. A religious service was held by Rev. Eben Adams—Lecture in the evening by T. G. Thompson and singing by friends of the Home.

## DECEMBER 1st.

Visited by a representative of State Board of Charities.

## DECEMBER 3rd.

Rev. Samuel Harrison, Pastor of Second Cong. church, of Pittsfield, Mass. visited the Home.

## DECEMBER 5th.

Thos. Walter and wife visited the Home. Mr. Walter addressed the inmates.

## DECEMBER 11th.

Choir from Eastern Penitentiary visited the Home.

## DECEMBER 12th.

"King's Daughters" from Baptist Church in Bryn Mawr entertained the inmates by singing and recitations.

## DECEMBER 25th.

Religious services conducted by Mr. Samuel Jones. Dinner, chicken pot-pie and accompaniments, dessert of fruits. Jubilee Singers from N. O. entertained inmates.

## JANUARY 1st, 1892.

Donation Day—Donations of money, groceries, etc.

Dinner, fresh pork, vegetables and dessert of fruit.

Music and recitations by "House of Refuge" Band.

Addresses by Messrs. Embry and Gibbons. Reading of Emancipation Proclamation by Dr. C. V. Anderson. Short address and singing by Miss Brown, and presentation of portraits of Bishop and Mrs. Campbell by Dr. Schaffer.

## FEBRUARY 18th.

The remains of Deacon Shields of Shiloh Baptist Church rested in the Chapel; to be viewed by inmates. "King's Daughters" of St. Thomas P. E. Church, assisted Rev. J. A. Brown in service for the inmates.

## FEBRUARY 27th.

Magic Lantern exhibition and lecture by G. F. Richings.

## MARCH 3th.

Inmates entertained by Happy Thought Circle from Ardmore.

## MARCH 17th.

Rev. Dr. Reeve assisted by Dr. Imes and others administered Holy Communion to members of his church.

## MARCH 24th.

"King's Daughters" assisted Rev. J. A. Brown in his service for the inmates.

## APRIL 2d.

Magic Lantern entertainment by G. F. Richings.

## APRIL 13th.

H. M. Laing entertained the inmates with an interesting account of his visit in Florida and other places South.



APRIL 19th.

Singing, reading and recitations by Mt. Olive S. S.

APRIL 28th.

The "King's Daughters" of St Thomas P. E. Church, assisted Rev. J. A. Brown in his service.

MAY 1st.

Miss Lulu E. Fleming, missionary from Africa, addressed the inmates. Singing by several members of Central Presbyterian Church and remarks by William Still and Margaret Jones.

MAY 6th.

Mrs. Emily Herbst and Miss Ella Smith from Wyoming, Del., visited the Home. Rev. Mr. Hutchins, of Charleston, S. C., held service for the inmates.

MAY 8th.

Rev. Mr. Low, from Georgia, spoke at afternoon service.

MAY 9th.

Home visited by Messrs Biddle and Dickenson of State Board of Charities.

MAY 10th.

The "Christian Home Association" and forty members of Monumental Baptist Church, Y. P. S. C. E., visited the Home.

MAY 13th.

Rev. Mr. Calemon and Jeffries held service for inmates.

MAY 19th.

Bishop Grant, of Texas, held service for inmates.

MAY 22nd.

Addresses by Rev. Mr. Alexander, Rev. Joseph A. Brown, Rev. Mr. Webb, Rev. Mr. Jones and Professor Mitchell, President of Wilberforce University. Remarks and recitations by Miss Hallie Brown, of Allen University. Home visited by large numbers from the A. M. E., Conference.

MAY 23th.

Miss Eliza A. Garland, a missionary from Petersburg, Va., visited the Home, and addressed the inmates. The Home was also visited by the wife and daughter of Bishop Brown, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Deaver of Baltimore.

MAY 29th.

Friends' meeting, large and interesting. Edwin Sellew, Hannah Arnot, Allen Flitercraft and a number of other Ministers present.

MAY 30th.

Decoration day, a large crowd. Inmates much interested.

## HOME FOR AGED AND INFIRM COLORED PERSONS.

ORGANIZED, NINTH MONTH 14TH, 1864.

FIRST ANNUAL MEETING, FIRST MONTH 12TH, 1865.

First Inmate (Susan Silvey) admitted Third month 7th, 1865.

Last Inmate (Rachel Warne) from Front St. Home,

Died, Twelfth month 27th, 1887.

INCORPORATED, TWELFTH MONTH 2ND, 1867.

Corner Stone of the new Home laid, Tenth month, 13th, 1870.  
(Birth-day Anniversary of Stephen Smith).

DEDICATED, SIXTH MONTH 29TH, 1871.

The inmates, 25 in number, were removed from the old Home, 340 South Front St., to the new building at Girard and Belmont Avenues, Eighth month 7, 1871. Fire-proof Infirmary built, 1884. Boiler House built, 1888.

STEPHEN SMITH, Born 10 mo. 13th. 1795. Died 11 mo. 14th, 1873.  
HARRIET SMITH, Born 12 mo. 25th, 1797. Died 8 mo. 17th, 1880.

Whole number received,	99 men and 362 women,	461
Died,	65 " " 276 "	341
Left voluntarily,	4 " " 9 "	13
Present number in Home,	30 " " 77 "	107



# RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

## FIRST SUNDAY IN THE MONTH.

WM. STILL, . . . . .	10 A. M.
BETHEL CHURCH COMMUNION DAY (Methodist),	3 P. M.
LOCAL PREACHERS' ASSOCIATION, . . . . .	7½ "

## SECOND SUNDAY

Mrs. Henrietta Duterte, (Episcopal), . . . . .	10 A. M.
[Shiloh Baptist Church], . . . . .	3 P. M.
LOCAL PREACHERS' ASSOCIATION, . . . . .	7½ "

## THIRD SUNDAY.

WM. STILL, . . . . .	10 A. M.
REV. JAS. DAVIS, [Union Church, Methodist], . . . . .	3 P. M.
LOCAL PREACHERS' ASSOCIATION, . . . . .	7½ "

## FOURTH SUNDAY.

F. M. DUTY, [Episcopal], . . . . .	10 A. M.
Big Wesley Church [Leonard Stamford], . . . . .	3 P. M.
LOCAL PREACHERS' ASSOCIATION, . . . . .	7½ "

## FIFTH SUNDAY (When it occurs).

Friend's Day, . . . . .	3 P. M.
LOCAL PREACHERS' ASSOCIATION, . . . . .	7½ "

## LOCAL PREACHERS' ASSOCIATION,

Every Sunday Evening, except July, Aug. and Sept.

PRAYER MEETING, . . . . . Every Wednesday Evening.

CLASS MEETING, . . . . . " Friday "

REV. H. R. HUTCHINS, Baptist, . . . . . " Monday, 3 P. M.

F. M. DUTY, . . . . . Episcopal, every 1st and 3d

Thursdays, except July and August, 8 P. M.



