

THE COURIER.

A Popular Paper of Modern Times.

Saturday Evening, March 10, 1888.

The Courier Can be Found At
Windsor Hotel News Stand,
Capital Hotel News Stand,
Odell's Dining Hall News Stand,
Chason & Fletcher's, 1130 O Street,
A. T. Lanning & Co's, 1106 O Street,
The Gotham News Stand, 118 South 11th St.
Keith Bros., 111 North 11th Street.
Ed. Young, 1030 O Street.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers are requested to send in their favors as early as possible, not later than four o'clock Friday afternoon, as the COURIER goes to press that evening. When ordering your advertisement out drop the business manager a card. The collector is apt to forget such orders, and compliance with this request will save us trouble and yourself annoyance. We are daily adding to our list of subscribers, employing a man especially for that sole purpose, and claim that as an advertising medium the COURIER is unexcelled.

Dunlap Hats Spring Style.



SPRING STYLES.

W. R. DENNIS,

Hatter and Furnisher.

1137 O Street.

Whitebread Coal and Lime Company.
Leavitt's Domestic \$7.65.
Lace curtains at Oakley & Co.
Delicious lunches at Brown's Café.
Oysters, fresh, fat and fine at Brown's.
Ask your grocer for home made bread.
Smoke Club Room cigar. Burr block.
Fifty cent glove sale at Oakley & Co.
Party mitts and gloves at Oakley & Co.
Carpets at bottom prices at Oakley & Co.
Kern & Roberts, dentist 23 Alexander Bldg.
Embroideries in fancy edgings at Oakley's.
Don Cameron, 1030 O street, for lunches.
Black silk mitts just received at Oakley & Co.
Muslin underwear, new line, at Oakley & Co.
Call for 18c flat regular hose at Oakley & Co.
Get the best. It is Leavitt's Domestic \$7.65.
All the latest wraps and jackets at Oakley & Co.
Thirty-two inch satin 12 1/2c at Oakley & Co.
Jeta, jeta, jeta, in trimming and panels at Oakley's.
Broadcloths \$1.25 and amazon cloth at Oakley & Co.
Hot rolls and tea biscuit at the City bakery every day.
Thousand mile tickets for sale at 115 South Tenth street.
Pure, first-class goods at Betts & Sewell's, 30 O street.
Oysters in every style, fine and fresh, at Don Cameron's.
Go to the City bakery for home made bread.
Cor. 10th and N.
Try Hutchins & Hyatt's Mendota lamp for domestic purposes.
Our best families all use no other coal but Leavitt's Domestic.
Our May Lee 5c cigar is the best in the city.
Try it. Burr block.
Canon City Coal again at the Whitebread Coal and Lime Co.
Oakley & Co. have the fast black hosiery for ladies and children.
After the club parties, go to Brown's new café for a delicious lunch.
Canned goods of every description at Betts & Sewell's, 1130 O street.
Betts & Sewell are headquarters for fine groceries, at 1130 O street.
Smoke the Club Room cigar made by Havana cigar factory, Burr block.
Before insuring look up the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.
The Missouri Pacific railroad new free reclining chair cars on all through trains.
Hutchins & Hyatt make a specialty of seasoned hard and soft wood, cut to order.
Roast Turkey, Goose and all kinds of meats at Don Cameron's every day for dinner.
Finest line of smokers' meerschaum articles at the Havana cigar factory, Burr block.
Monarch and Lincoln brands of canned goods at Betts & Sewell's, 1130 O street.
Fifteen cents a yard will buy a choice French gingham at Ashby & Millsbaugh.
Doctor B. F. Bailey, office and residence cor. of Thirteenth and G streets. Tel. 617.
Seasonable fruits of all kinds are specialties at Betts & Sewell's, grocers, 1130 O street.
Imported smoking tobaccos, finest made, to be had only at Havana cigar factory, Burr block.
Tickets to points in Kansas, Missouri and tickets via Omaha on sale at Elkhorn office, 115 So. 10th St.
Prof. F. M. Gibault's instructions are valuable. Studio in the Ledwith block, corner 11th and P streets.
All sizes of best grade hard coal, nicely screened and always on hand at Hutchins & Hyatt, 1040 O street.
The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York. W. B. Hastings, District Agent, room 53, Burr block.
Betts & Sewell keep the freshest groceries to be had in the city. Everything in the family supply line at their store, 1130 O street.
If you want some of those 6c gingham you must get them quickly, as they will only last a few days longer.
ASHBY & MILLSAUGH.

A DEBUTANTE.

I saw you stand smiling as many another
Has stood before now in a soft blaze of light.
Receiving your friends by the side of your mother,
A beautiful thing all apperelled in white;
And as you stood looking so happy together,
Behind you the scroll of your gentle past
Furled,
I couldn't help wondering curiously whether
Would win in the struggle—your soul or the world.

I couldn't help casting a glance up the vista
Of time, and endeavoring, in vain, to surmise
How the future will seem when you taste,
Like your sister,
The fruit of experience that makes one so wise.

Do you think you'll be crushed 'neath the
load of attractions
That drag you to earth from your heaven
above?

Do you think you'll find time 'mid your thoughts
and distractions
To hallow a few happy moments with love?

Child! when the trial in store for you dashes
Your day dreams to fragments, shall you
also pray,
Like many before you, that out of the ashes
Of joys that are past you may still think to-day

Was a day whose remembrance will brighten
The ages
You'll pass ere another seems like it?

And yet
It hardly seems fair on the first of the pages
Of your Book of Life to emblazon—Regret.
—E. HERON-ALLEN in March Home Knowledge.

Mrs. Angie Newman has returned to Salt
Lake City.
Mrs. J. J. Butler left Thursday evening for
Cincinnati.

Mr. Geo. Cook and family have returned
from their California trip.
Dr. Gerth and his able assistant, Mr. Ab-
by, left Thursday for New York.

Messrs. Geo. Lowrey and C. W. Harvey
left Monday night on an extended southern
trip.

Chancellor Manatt left Wednesday on a
tour of inspection to Falls City and other
points.

Messrs. Frank Sheldon and Al. Hargreaves
leave for Chicago via the Northwestern to-
morrow.

Messrs. C. E. Montgomery and Frank Polk
went to Salt Lake Tuesday on a prospecting
tour.

A dance will be given at Temple hall Tues-
day evening under the management of Mr.
S. E. Warner.

Bishop Worthington, of the Episcopal
church, arrived in the city Tuesday on a
pastoral visit.

The republicans of the city are moving
very easily in the campaign, and each ward
is represented by a club.

By all means let us have a hospital, and not
allow sectarian intolerance prevent us from
accomplishing that end.

S. B. Briery and W. C. Blackmore of Mad-
rid, Perkins county, Nebraska, spent the past
week in the Capital City.

A party of young folks who were pupils of
Mr. Mahler, will give a dancing party at
Temple hall Friday evening.

Boils, pimples, hives, ringworm, tetter, and
all other manifestations of impure blood are
cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Prof. E. O. Schwagerl, the landscape archi-
tect, is happy once more, his wife and child
having arrived in the city this week.

Ex-Senator Ben Harrison, the son of "old
Tippecanoe," addressed a large audience
Wednesday evening in Bohannon's hall.

This being the first week of the children's
column it will necessarily, not be as complete
as hereafter, when more fully established.

Mrs. Gaylord of Bridgeport, Conn., after a
pleasant visit with the family of Mr. Thos.
Fitzgerald, returned to her home Thursday.

Interesting revival services are being held
at the Christian church. Rev. Ira Chase is
conducting the meetings, and much good has
resulted.

A number of young folks from the Univer-
sity, together with several couples of resi-
dents, will trip the light fantastic at Masonic
Temple Wednesday evening.

Mr. F. M. Woods, the live stock auction-
eer, superintended a sale of Percherons at St.
Marys, Kas., Thursday. The Colonel is in
great demand in that capacity.

Mr. C. E. Waite was called to Auburn
Sunday by the serious illness of his sister,
Miss Cora, who has since died. The bereaved
ones have the sympathy of numerous friends
in Lincoln.

Miss Fannie Barnard of Richmond, Ky.,
and Miss Hattie Haas of St. Joseph, Mo., who
has been visiting Mr. Oppenheimer on N street
for the last four weeks, returned to St. Joseph
Monday.

Mrs. Manatt was summoned by telegraph
Thursday to the bedside of her mother, who
took suddenly ill at her home in Grinnell, Ia.

Mrs. Monatt left on the afternoon train and
will be gone about two weeks.

A. C. Hight left Thursday for Denver on
a real estate transaction. Mr. Hight recently
returned from California and stopped at
Denver, where he reports the boom as being
on. He will remain about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jansen, after spending
the winter in California, returned home Sun-
day and speak of the trip and visit as having
been very enjoyable from beginning to end.

They report Mrs. McMurry's daughter,
Miss Tote, as being in good health and still in
California.

The Badger Lumber company have several
new wagons made specially for hauling
heavy loads of lumber. Al. says they are
the "canary bird" lumber wagons and as the
Badger always leads it is but but justice to
say they are the most attractive wagons for
that line in the city.

Miss Gretchen Marquette leaves this after-
noon for a trip east. On her return from
Greenwood early next week Miss Marquette
anticipates a visit to her friend, Miss McCon-
niff, who is at present sojourning in Denver.

The Modern Woodmen will entertain their
friends at Masonic Temple hall Thursday eve-
ning.

The COURIER has now in course of transit
from New York among other fine stationery,
several kinds of leap year novelties for par-
ties and entertainments, announcements, pro-
grams, etc. bearing illuminated designs ap-
propriate for such occasions. As soon as the
goods arrive notice will be given in these col-
umns, and we shall be pleased to have the la-
dies call and see them.

The following item which will prove interest-
ing to Lincoln friends of the lady, ap-
peared in the Omaha Excelsior of last Sat-
urday, under the heading of "The Army":

"The news drifts to us from Washington
that Miss Jennie L. Hayden, of Omaha, who
has been spending the winter there, has been
caught by an army officer, Lieutenant C. A.
Bennett of the Third artillery. The wedding
is dated for the first week in April. Miss
Hayden is at present with her brother, Mr.
Kath. Hayden, in Lincoln, Neb. We have
every reason to congratulate her, not only
upon her happy future, but upon being allied
to such a popular regiment as the Third ar-
tillery.

Installation of the Elks.

The lodge of benevolent protective order of
Elks recently organized in this city, will be
initiated this afternoon at Knights of Pyth-
as Castle hall. At one o'clock the initiatory
ceremonies will be opened by Mr. Jack Fran-
cis of Omaha, District Deputy Grand Exalted
Ruler, and it is expected that if no unforeseen
accident occurs, with the aid of members of
the Omaha lodge, the work of showing the
boys the mysteries of the order, will be com-
pleted by about half-past nine this even-
ing.

The city at this writing contains over half
of the membership of the Omaha Elk lodge,
also a large number of Elks from Kansas
City, and it is anticipated that "our boys"
will be shown much fun before the sun rises
tomorrow, but it is confidentially expected
that the visitors will have the bulk of the
amusement. However, on behalf of those of
our young men who are troubled with heart
disease, the COURIER earnestly requests Mr.
Francis to be easy on such as look timid and
weak.

The officers to be installed after the initia-
tion including the appointive officers, are as
follows:

F. C. Zehrung, Exalted Ruler.
R. H. Towler, Esteemed Loyal Knight.
M. McKinnon, Esteemed Loyal Knight.
C. E. Magoon, Esteemed Loyal Knight.
H. P. Heiskell, Tyler.
E. E. Sisson, Inner Guard.
G. W. Bonnell, Esquire.
Trustees—C. C. Burr, J. H. Harley and F. L.
Sheldon.

After the ceremonies at at Knights of Pyth-
as hall to-night, a grand banquet such as
is popular with the Elk fraternity, will be
spread at the Windsor hotel at ten o'clock.

To the members of the Elk fraternity now
in the city from abroad the COURIER extends
greetings of welcome, wishing them a pleas-
ant time while in the Capital City of Ne-
braska, and although unable to follow Kan-
sas City's hospitality in presenting the Omaha
Elks with the keys to the metropolis, we
grant them the freedom of the city with open
doors.

To our own new lodge of Elks we
wish a life of prosperity and an existence full
of usefulness, profit and enjoyment.

"Casualties (?)"
The firm of Huffman & Richter have been
on the sick list for a few days this week.

Mr. Huffman indulging in the fashion-
able and "well" complaint called Gout.

Mr. Richter satisfied himself in a humble
way by having the measles. He is a most
amiable invalid, but requires much petting
and six meals a day. Mr. R. is around again
but we are pained to mention that silk hand-
kerchiefs were used in place of collars.

Born.
Mr. H. M. Bushnell, Lincoln representative
of the Omaha Bee, is rejoicing over the ar-
rival of a handsome pair of twins—daughters
—at his home. Here's to you, Bush.

To Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Hawkins, former-
ly of Lincoln, a nine pound boy. The Congra-
tulations. The above event makes
Rev. Mr. Hawkins a grandpa once more.

Through an oversight last week we re-
gretted to make mention of the new addi-
tion to the happy family circle of Mr. and
Mrs. M. A. Newmark on M street. Their
cozy home has been enlightened by the ar-
rival of a handsome girl baby of the regular
size and weight. The little stranger will
hereafter be known as Miss Nellie Newmark,
and the COURIER wishes her a long life full
of happiness.

Sam Hudson was landing out Havana to
his friends on O street as he came down
Wednesday. Information as to the cause of
supplying the public with this fragrant weed,
revealed the fact that a brand new boy had
arrived at his home, 1613 R street. Sam was
on the road when the stranger arrived, but
he arrived home by the lightning express to
welcome the newcomer, and says he is a
beauty—looks just like his pa. Mother and
son doing well, and if proper treatment and
care is given the father it is expected he will
yet recover. However, the COURIER extends
congratulations to all concerned.

Death of Gen. Wilson.
Gen. Alex. Wilson, father of Mrs. D. D.
Muir, died at the residence of his daughter,
1238 R street, on Monday evening last. Mr.
Wilson arrived in Lincoln last autumn on his
way to Colorado, but on account of ill health
could not proceed further, and gradually
sank until death came to his relief. The fu-
neral occurred Thursday afternoon. The
COURIER extends its sincerest sympathy to
the bereaved friends and relatives.

Something Novel.
Our many friends will please notice in this
edition of the COURIER that one column is
being devoted to the children of the city.
Everything contained therein has been writ-
ten for the COURIER by children of Lincoln,
under the age of fourteen years, they choos-
ing their own subjects, notes, etc. The ar-
ticles are printed exactly as sent in by the
little ones, and are quite interesting and
funny. They have received no aid from any
one, or even any suggestions, excepting the
request that they write something for the
COURIER. One of the mothers said to us,
"What is it that my little boy is trying to do?"
He came the other day from what he called
the "CAPITAL CITY COURIER CLUB," saying
that he must write something for the "Inter-
ior" (meaning COURIER).

The little ones have organized themselves
into a club, elected a president and secretary,
and are ready for work. When we remem-
ber that they are all under fourteen years,
and many under ten, their little place in the
COURIER is not without interest. Any child
under this age is requested to contribute to
the children's column, and all communica-
tions may be sent to the secretary, care
COURIER.

Emmett Anniversary.
Temple hall was filled to overflowing Mon-
day evening on the occasion of the Emmett
anniversary by the Celtic club of this city.
Hon. Patrick Egan presided, opening the
meeting with one of his soul-stirring speeches.
Excellent renditions were given by Mrs. Weber
and Mr. Lawlor were followed by a speech by
Hon. M. V. Gannon, of Omaha. The gifted
speaker paid an elegant tribute to Emmett as
a patriot and an Irishman, following with a
strong plea for Irish independence and recog-
nition as a nation.

Miss May Flanagan added greatly to the
enjoyment of the evening by her excellent
singing of "The Idle Man's Crowned With
Shamrock." She was followed by Mr. N. J.
Coyle, who recited one of Emmett's poems,
and by Miss Lottie Eckhard in a solo, "The
Exile's Lament." Remarks were also made
by Hons. P. O. Cassidy and O. P. Mason, the
meeting closing with the singing of "Shall
Erin's Harp Strings Croak no More" by M.
M. Corcoran.

A Progressive Euchre Party
was given by Miss Kierker at her beautiful
home, 626 South Seventeenth street Saturday
evening. Those present were: Misses Louise
Fountain, May Thilly, Edna Hyatt, Julia Lip-
pincott, Annie Weigwood, Mabel Tuttle and
Messrs. J. B. McDonald, A. E. Perrin, Roscoe
Fountain, H. C. Cope, Burt Bonnell and John
Lyons.

The royal prize was won by Miss Lippin-
cott, and the booby prize by Mr. McDonald.
At 10:30 p. m. tables were cleared of cards,
and elegant refreshments were served.

The remainder of the evening was spent in
dancing.

ONE OF THE FINEST.

The New Fashion Emporium of Messrs.
Huffman & Richter.

For some time past the new and well and fa-
vorably known merchant tailors, Messrs. Huffman
& Richter, have been busily engaged arranging
and fitting up their elegant new quarters, 1204
and 1206 O street, in the new Burr block, and it
may now be said that they are certainly owners
of the finest stock of high grade tailoring goods
and one of the finest establishments in the entire
west. To compare either their stock or their
place of business to that of any other house in the
city would be folly, for in this instance it may be
truthfully cited that "comparisons are odious."

Stepping in at this popular beehive of fashion
yesterday we found Messrs. Huffman and Rich-
ter both busy waiting on patrons, and after a
wait of several minutes conversed with one of the
firm, regarding the change, if there be any, in
the style of cutting for spring wear.

"Well," said he, "I don't know as the change
are very great ones, nothing great enough in fact
to create a social sensation, but of course as the
styles always vary from one season to another,
there are, of course, some changes noticeable for
the spring of 1888."

"The cut of garments which are now fashionable
are in every sense of the word artistic. There is
not an exaggerated feature popular, everything
is in accord with the lines of the body without
following them so closely as to suggest the
"paper-on-the-wall" style of fit. The coloring of
fabrics is almost marvelous in its subdued rich-
ness and pleasing effects, and the weaves and
patterns which are popular are delicate and beau-
tiful."

"All coats are made soft, so as to roll free when
thrown open. Shoulders are wider than they
were last season. Sacks are looser with wider
backs. On single breasted coats the roll is about
the same as it was last fall, ranging from 4 1/2
to 6 inches deep, a fair average being 5 inches.
Sleeves and trousers are larger, and the tendency
is towards a still more pronounced increase in
size. Vests are larger, open lower, and those of
the curved crease form do not have the crease so
greatly curved as last year. The tendency is to-
ward plaids, but stripes and checks will be chiefly
worn, and in overcoats the Chesterfield will be
in demand."

In looking over their elegant stock, which is
undoubtedly the finest assortment and the largest
in the state, we notice such fine goods as have
never before been shown in Lincoln. The variety
to select from embraces everything that could desire,
from the most fastidious taste could desire, from
the customary business suit to the finest dress
suit for evening wear, for the party, reception or
the most fashionable ball.

A feature that Huffman & Richter have, and
an extraordinary advantage over their competi-
tors, is that of being direct importers of foreign
fabrics. This class of goods are received in Lin-
coln by them in the original packages, giving ex-
clusive styles of patterns and material to the cus-
tomer. This in itself is a great feature, and by
leaders of fashion is a great inducement.

Mr. Wiley, the firm's fine cutter, was seen at
his post of duty "head over heels" in work. Mr.
Wiley, during his short sojourn in Lincoln as
cutter for this establishment, has gained a repu-
tation for artistic work that characterizes him as
a master of the art.

It is not necessary for the COURIER to go into
detail regarding the various merits of the work
turned out by Messrs. Huffman & Richter, or
the line of goods they carry, for everyone that
has lived in Lincoln 30 days knows who the lead-
ing tailors are and where they may be found. It
is but necessary for us to add that you should visit
their elegant new quarters to inspect their spring
goods and styles.

A Reception.
Gov. Thayer and staff were given a very
pleasant reception Wednesday evening by the
Uniform Rank K. of P. at Castle hall. The
governor recently appointed two members of
the division to his staff, a recognition of the
boys desired to show their appreciation of
the evening was very pleasantly passed in
listening to short talks and speeches from the
visitors, as well as from the Knights, Apollo
division displaying its excellence in the sword
drill for the entertainment of the guests. It
was an occasion long to be remembered.

An Unfortunate Fall.
While on the way to school last Thursday
little Pearl Bonnell, daughter of J. C. Bon-
nell, fell and broke her wrist. The fracture
is quite serious but it is hoped that time and
careful treatment will make it right again.

At the Dancing School.
It has been remarked that Miss Hawkins
pays particular attention to politeness in her
Saturday afternoon dancing school for chil-
dren, having certain rules which are strictly
obeyed.

Pupils are never allowed to run across the
hall. The young gentlemen are not allowed
to leave their partner without excusing them-
selves or visa versa. Gum is not allowed to
be used.

Gentlemen are obliged to use their hand-
kerchief in holding the waist of a lady.
"Thank you" and "Please" are uppermost
in the minds of the little ones. All are obliged
to say good night to their instructor. We
might mention numerous other good rules,
but suffice to say that visitors are always wel-
come who can easily see for themselves.

White Goods.
Checked and striped nainsook, fifty pieces,
worth from 15 to 25 cts a yard, all to be sold
at 10 cts a yard for three days only, begin-
ning Monday, March 11.

Excursion West and Northwest.
Daily excursions have been arranged for
over the Union Pacific Railway to San Fran-
cisco, San Diego, Colton, Los Angeles, San
Bernardino and San Jose, California, also to
Portland, Oregon, at \$80.00 for the round
trip. Tickets are good 60 days for going pas-
sage and good for the return trip for six
months from date of sale with the usual stop-
over privileges in both directions within these
limits.

These tickets are also good by way of Den-
ver and Salt Lake City in each direction. The
agent, Mr. E. B. Slosson, tells us quite a num-
ber of our townsmen are thinking of making
the trip soon, and it would be well for those
intending to go in select parties to see him
and arrange for their accommodations.

Mr. John B. Frawley, traveling agent,
Union Pacific, at Omaha, Neb., will give you
any further information in regard to these
excursions. Parties who prefer an accom-
panied with Mr. J. S. Tebbets, G. C. & T. A.,
Omaha, Neb.

Don't Get Caught
This spring with your blood full of impuri-
ties, your digestion impaired, your appetite
poor, kidneys and liver torpid, and whole
system full of bile, get yourself into good con-
dition, and ready for the changing and warmer weather,
by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. It stands un-
equalled for purifying the blood, giving an
appetite, and for a general spring medicine.

Removal of Crystal Laundry Office.
On Thursday next the Crystal Steam Lau-
ndry will move to its new and elegant up-
town office on Twelfth street in the Burr
block. The office has been fitted up in
first class style, and as the location is central
and one of the most prominent in the city,
the change will be beneficial to both the lau-
ndry company and its patrons.

STATEMENT

OF THE

Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York,

RICHARD A. McCURDY, President.

For the Year ending December 31st, 1887.

ASSETS, \$118,806,851.88.

Insurance and Annuity Account.

Insurance and Annuity Account.					
	No	Amount		No	Amount
Policies and Annuities in force, Jan. 1, 1887	129,927	383,809,202 88	Policies and Annuities in force, Jan. 1, 1888	140,943	427,628,932 51
Risks Assumed, - - -	22,305	69,457,498 37	Risks Terminated, - -	11,289	35,637,738 74
	152,232	453,266,701 25		152,232	463,266,701 25

Revenue Account.

Dr.	Cr.
To Balance from last account \$104,719,734.31	
" Premiums - - - - -	17,110,901.02
" Interest, Rents and Prem- ium on Securities Sold - -	6,009,090.84
	\$127,839,626.77
By Endowments, Purchased In- surances, Dividends, An- nuities and Death Claims	14,128,423.60
" Commissions, Commutats, Taxes, and all other Ex- penses - - - - -	3,649,514.49
" Balance to new account -	110,061,718.68
	\$127,839,626.77

Balance Sheet.

Dr.	Cr.
To Reserve for Policies in force and for risks terminated, \$113,480,096.00	
" Premiums received in ad- vance - - - - -	82,314.36
" Surplus after four per cent. -	6,294,441.52
	\$118,806,851.88
By Bonds Secured by Mortgages on Real Estate, - - - - -	\$49,615,268.06
" U. S. and other Bonds, - -	43,439,877.81
" Real Estate and Loans on Collaterals, - - - - -	30,159,173.37
" Cash in Banks and Trust Companies at Interest - -	2,619,362.66
" Interest accrued, Premiums deferred and in transit and Sundries, - - - - -	2,973,169.98
	\$118,806,851.88

I have carefully examined the foregoing statement and find the same to be correct.
A. N. WATERHOUSE, Auditor.

From the Surplus above stated a dividend will be apportioned as usual.

Year.	Risks Assumed.	Risks Outstanding.	Surplus.
1884 - - - - -	\$34,681,430	\$351,789,285	\$4,743,771
1885 - - - - -	46,507,139	368,981,441	5,012,634
1886 - - - - -	50,832,710	393,809,203	5,643,508
1887 - - - - -	69,457,498	427,628,933	6,294,442

New York, January 25, 1888.

ROBERT A. GRANNISS, Vice-President.
ISAAC F. LLOYD, 3d Vice-President. WILLIAM J. EASTON, Secretary.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Samuel E. Sproulls, F. Hatchford Starr, Julien T. Davies, Nicholas C. Miller,
Lucius Robinson, Lewis May, Robert Sewell, Henry H. Rogers,
Samuel D. Babcock, Oliver Harriman, S. Van Rensselaer Cruger, J. W. Auchincloss,
George S. Coe, Henry W. Smith, Charles R. Henderson, Theodore Morford,<