

The Friendship Fire Company was originally organized 10<sup>th</sup> December 1763 First meeting held at the house of Michael Hubley M Hubley first clerk Lodowic Lowman, first Trear. Wm Bickham, first Presdt last meeting under the first organization was had at Stephen Martins 12th July 1768, Presdt Wilton Atkinson, Treas John Hubley, Secy Thos Barton

Company reorganized 31<sup>st</sup> December 1791

## Constitution and By Laws For the Regulation of the Friendship Fire Engine and Hose

If apparatus be well managed at fires, it is indispensably necessary that there be method; that every member be not only acquainted with his own duty, but that of others, in order to produce unity of action, with this view, the following Regulations and By Laws have been adopted by the undersigned members. viz.

- Art. 1<sup>st</sup> For Transacting the affairs of this association, monthly stated meetings shall be held on the third Saturday of each month.
- Art. 2<sup>d</sup> The officers of this association shall consist of a President, Secretary Treasurer and Inspector, who shall be elected annually by ballot; also, of five Directors to be chosen every six months; and a Standing committee of seven to be nominated quarterly, in rotation by the President.
- Art. 3<sup>d</sup> The Duty of the President is to preside at the meetings of the company; to put motions to vote when seconded, and to see, after the majority have sanctioned them, that they be entered upon the minutes: to draw all orders upon the treasurer, after being approved of by the company. It shall also be the duty of the President, from time to time, to examine into the state of the engine, Hose, and other apparatus belonging to the company; that when deficiencies or neglect appear on the part of the Standing Committee, they may be duly reported to the company. To call for the quarterly reports of the Directors Standing committee and Inspector.
- Art. 4 The Duty of the Secretary is to keep a roll or list of members, which at the appointed time of meeting he shall call over, noting thereon the absentees; to perform the necessary reading; to keep regular minutes of the proceedings of the company, and to execute such other writings as they require. To write notices for all members, under the signature of the existing Inspector, at least three days previous to the meetings; and to read at quarterly meetings, that is to say, in January, April, July and October, these Articles and By Laws.
- Art. 5 The Treasurer, who shall give in trust for the company, his bond to the President in at least double the sum of the stock at such time in hand, is to receive all the fines which may be collected; to pay such sums out of the funds as the company shall order; and to account to the company or a committee there of, for all monies or effects in his hands.

- Art. 6 The duty of the Directors is to superintend and direct the operation of the engine, hose and other apparatus in time of fire; and in order to qualify themselves to discharge the important trust reposed in them with fidelity, they shall hold meetings every sixty days; report quarterly to the company, and communicate such other information or remarks, as they may think beneficial to the association.
- Art 7 The Duty of the Inspector shall be, to go in person to the house of each respective member, to deliver a notice of the intended meeting, at least six hours previous to the same; to see that his buckets and hat with a printed copy of the Regulations and By Laws be conveniently placed and kept in good order, and shall make a true report at the succeeding meeting.
- Art. 8 The Duty of the Standing Committee shall be to have in charge the engine, hose and other apparatus belonging to the company, when not in service, and shall see that they be kept in perfect order. They are to meet at the engine house every first and third week in each month, and report quarterly to the company.
- Art. 9 One fifth of the members composing this association, shall constitute a quorum; and in all transactions not otherwise directed, the majority of votes of those present (if a quorum, shall govern
- Art.10 The Election, or expulsion of members, shall require the concurrence of two thirds of those present, and be proposed at a preceeding meeting
- Art 11 The officers of this association, for improper conduct, shall, at the request of six members, be subject to impeachment and trial, and with the concurrence of two thirds, removed from office
- Art.12 The resignation, or removal of officers, shall be supplied by a special election. Notice of such election being given at the preceeding meeting.
- Art 13 The widows of formers members, provided they keep their buckets in good order, shall be entitled to the protection of the company
- Art.14 No Laws or Resolutions hereafter made, inconsistent with the principles herein declared, shall be binding
- Art.15 No Alterations shall be made in the Articles and By Laws unless the same shall be proposed at a previous meeting and receive the sanction of two thirds of the members present.

By Laws.  
Section 1.

Law.1. The engine, hose and other apparatus belonging to the company shall be kept, as much as possible, in a state ready for service and if at any time during the night in cases of fire, the hose be off its carriage, or the other apparatus in confusion, and unprepared for immediate service, the Standing committee shall be fined as hereafter directed.

L. 2<sup>d</sup> From the time the engine, hose &c leave the house, untill their return, they shall be exclusively under the superintendance of the five Directors.

Section 2. Of Members

1. Every person on being admitted to membership in this association, shall pay as an entrance contribution, the sum of two dollars; and shall ratify, by signing, these Articles and By Laws.

2<sup>d</sup>. Each member shall, within three months after his admission into the company, provide himself with two buckets, (unless the company, from particular circumstances, excuse certain members) marked with the owners name, and the word Friendship; and with a hat made as the company shall direct, with Friendship in front. He shall also be supplied with a printed copy of these Articles and Laws, by the Treasurer, on paying twenty five cents.

3<sup>d</sup>. In the Alarm of fire, it shall be the duty of each member to repair to the engine house, and assist in the conveyance of the engine and Hose to the fire, excepting those whose duty it shall be to repair to the different situations for ladders and hooks according to their stations.

4<sup>d</sup>. After the fire is so far extinguished, that a majority of the Directors shall consider the use of the engine and hose no longer necessary, the members shall assist in draining and repacking it, and shall return with it in regular order to the engine house; the roll being then called, the members shall be dismissed. Those stationed to ladders and Hooks will return them immediately after the fire, when ordered by one of the Directors, to their usual situations.

5<sup>d</sup>. Those members, who do not belong to the engine and hose shall be divided into different classes, as the company direct.

The classes shall be as follows, viz.

Class 1.

Formers of Rank

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Sam. Fahnestock        | 2. Leonard Eicholtz. dead |
| 3. John Hoff              | 4. Jacob Sherer           |
| 5. Samuel Carpenter       | 6. William Cooper         |
| 7. John Landis (merchant) |                           |

Class 2<sup>d</sup>

Protectors of Property, Deliverers of good

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|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Christopher Reitzel           | 1. John Riddle      |
| 2. John Michael                  | 2. Martin Foltz     |
| 3. <del>Jonas Metzger</del> dead | 3. George Hambright |
| 4. Mathias Zahm, Sen.            | 4. Benj. Gill       |
| 5. William Brown                 | 5. Longham Wood     |

Class 3<sup>d</sup>

Those belonging to the large Ladders

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|----------------------|------------------|
| 1. John Hatz         | 8. George Kleiss |
| 2. Jonathan Foltz    | 9. John Musser   |
| 3. Michael Metzger   |                  |
| 4. Henry Huffnagle   |                  |
| 5. Philip Foesig     |                  |
| 6. John [Upperman]   |                  |
| 7. Joseph Ehrenfried |                  |

Class 4

Those belonging to the small Ladders

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|----------------------------|--------------|
| 1. William Russel—Sherer's |              |
| 2. Peter Miller            | Miller's     |
| 3. David Lebkickler        | Ehrenfried's |
| 4. Jos Troutman            | Foltz's      |
| 5. John Culbert            | A. Klines    |
| 6. Godfrey Zahm}           | Hoffs alley  |
| 7. John Sheaff }           |              |

Class 5

Those belonging to Large Hooks

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|------------------|------------|
| 1. Daniel Zahm}  | Hoffs ally |
| 2. John Lechler} |            |

#### Class 6<sup>d</sup>

Those belonging to small Hooks

1. Andrew Keiss} Fordney's
2. Martin Miller }
3. Christian Smith Mayers
4. John Getz Landis

#### Class 7

Those belonging to the Axes

1. John Greiner
2. Stacy [Truein]
3. Fred. Kline
4. Anthony M'Glenn

#### By Laws

##### Section 3. Of the President

- L. 1 The President shall only have a casting vote except in those cases demanding the concurrence of two thirds.
2. The nomination of committees shall be vested in the President unless a ballot be required.
3. The President shall have power to fine a member for disorderly conduct, in a sum not exceeding one dollar; an appeal to the judgement of the company may be made.
4. In cases if the absence of the President, a President pro tempore may be chosen.
5. The President, as Censor of the Standing committee, shall endorse quarterly on their docket, his opinion of the state of the engine and hose and other apparatus.

##### Section 4—Of the Secretary

- L. 1. Printed notices, with the signature of the Inspector, shall be directed and delivered when called for, to each member, apprising him of the time and place of meeting, and fines due. The Secretary is to be compensated, from time to time, as the company shall direct.
- 2<sup>d</sup>. The regular minute book of the transactions of the association, shall be subject to inspection, when called for by any member.
3. The attendance of the Secretary to every meeting, with the requisite books and papers shall be enjoined under the [penalty] here after mentioned.
4. Contributions shall be attested by the Secretary
5. The Secretary shall transfer all books and papers free of incumbrance on leaving his office, to his successor.

#### Section 5—Of the Directors

1. The Directors, in time of fire, shall be equipped at the expense of the company with a wrench, belt, speaking-trumpet and lantern at night. These badges shall be conveniently kept.
2. In case of absence of the Directors, their duties shall be executed by the members who arrive first at the engine house, who shall be equipped as Directors, but shall immediately relinquish them on their arrival.
3. After every removal of the engine and hose on account of fire, the roll shall be called; the absentees, and those present unequipped, noted by a Director, and a list presented to the company at the next meeting. If, while subject to the orders of the Directors, non-compliance, or other disorderly conduct be manifested by any member, his name, with an impartial detail of the case, shall be reported to the company.

#### Section 6. Of the Treasurer

- L. 1. The treasurer is required to keep his books in such an order that the state of the company's funds, may at anytime be ascertained.
2. Previous to the adjournment of every meeting, time shall be allowed him to collect fines and other monies due to the company.

#### Section 7. Of the Standing Committee

- L. 1. The Standing Committee upon their nomination to office, shall appoint one of their member to act as Secretary for them, whose duty it will be to record their transactions, in order to report quarterly to the company. It will be his duty also to notify the committee of the time of meeting, by sending them a written note.
2. Three members shall be able to transact business. For absence, or want of punctuality to meetings, the members shall be fined as at stated meetings of the company.
3. The expenses incurred by the committee in the repair and preservation of the engine, hose and other apparatus shall be supplied by the company's funds.
4. A correct list of fines shall accompany their quarterly report of expenses.
5. No alterations shall be made in the construction of the engine, hose &c. without the special instruction of the company.

#### Section 8. Of Elections

- L. 1. The election of President, Secretary, Treasurer and Inspector, shall be held annually in December, and the duties of offices commence at the ensuing meeting.
2. The Directors shall be chosen every six months at stated meetings in December and June. The Standing Committee shall be nominated quarterly in rotation by the Secretary.
3. Candidates for membership shall be chosen by ballot.

### Section 9. Of Meetings

At the appointed time of meeting the roll shall be called; and a quorum being formed, business shall proceed in the following order, viz.

1. Minutes of the preeceeding meeting read.
2. Elections.
3. Candidates for membership proposed.
4. Deferred business.
5. New Business. Except at special meetings, when the business for which the the meeting was called, shall be first determined.

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Section 10. Of Fines.

	\$	cts
1. The President shall be fined for omitting to perform any of the duties specified in Article 3 <sup>d</sup> .		50
For neglecting to endorse the docket of the Standing Committee.		50
2. The Secretary shall be fined for neglecting to keep regular and correct minutes.		50
For neglecting to direct notices in the required time		25
For omitting notices entirely	1	00
For neglecting to notify elections		50
For neglecting to attend meetings		25
For want of punctuality to enjoined time		12 ½
For refusing to deliver his books free of incumberance	1	00
3. The Treasurer shall be fined for neglecting to keep his books correct	1	00
For refusing to deliver his books free of incumberance	2	00
4. The Inspector shall be fined for not delivering notices six hours before the time of meetings; for each member so neglected		6 ¼
For neglecting to examine into the state of each member's apparatus and reporting to the company; for every omission		12 ½
For neglecting to attend meetings		25
5. A Director shall be fined for neglecting to attend the engine and other apparatus to the fire	1	00
For attending unequipped without a reasonable apology		50
For neglecting to report quarterly, as secretary of Directors		50
For neglecting any other duties of office		25
L.6. The Standing Committee, shall be fined for neglecting to keep all the apparatus belonging to the company in good order	2	00
For neglecting to report quarterly		50
For neglecting any other duties of office		25
L.7. A special committee shall be fined for not reporting in due time		50
L.8. A member shall be fined for non-attendance at the meeting succeeding his elections, and neglecting to sign these Articles and Laws		25
For neglecting to equip himself as required by section 2. Law 2.		25
For non-attendance at meetings		12 ½
For want of punctuality at meetings		6 ¼
For non-attendance at their particular stations in time of fire		25
For neglecting to wear his badge		12 ½
For non-observance of a reasonable command of a Director		50

John Hoff  
Christoff Reitzel  
Saml Carpenter  
William Brown  
Christopher Kurtz  
John Kreiner  
Joseph Ehrenfried  
Anthony McGlinn  
John Kling  
George Hoff  
John Simpson  
William Simpson  
William Heitshu  
David [Lepkicher]  
William Russel  
Daniel Zahm  
F. Muhlenberg  
[Peter Walter]  
John L. Voight  
Henry Keffer  
John Jungling  
Math. Zahm  
Math. Zahm, Jnr.

John Culbert  
John Musser  
Jno. Riddle  
Jonathan Foltz  
Jacob Sherer  
John [Getz] Jnr.  
B. S. Gill  
Godfried Zahm  
~~John Lechler~~  
Chri Smith  
Matthias Hoak  
[Johannes] [La\_\_ ]  
John Sheaff  
John Landis  
Wm Cooper  
G Ziegler  
[George Irwin]  
Saml. Fahnstock  
Godlieb Walbach  
A. F. Osterloh  
Thomas Cox  
Neil [ \_\_\_grew]  
Wm. Hensel

James Nugent  
 [ ] [Dayle]  
 John W. Jackson  
 John W. Eichholz  
 Benjn F Keller  
 Geo. Musser  
 Alexander Wiley  
 Wm. [ ] Berry  
 John Getz  
 Daniel May  
 William Bennet  
 Chrestean [D\_\_e]  
 George Yeisley  
 John M. Wentz  
 H D Michael  
 William Bowman  
 Christian [Heleli]  
 Michael S. Metzger  
 Georg [Dars]  
 John Kahl  
 George Metzger  
 [Beryn] [Benchet]  
 Andrew Wind  
 David Hitch  
 John Sommers  
 Phlp Deichler

Samuel H Baker  
 Wm Weidler Jr  
 Theodoer Miller  
 Henry Brenneman  
 Joseph Peall  
 Samuel Benedict  
 Christian Frailey  
 George Zahm  
 John Metzger  
 Edward Shubrook  
 Wm Cox  
 Franci [Trotzman]

Membershp Names Ano. 1817.	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Arrearages Untill Jany ano. 1817.
1. Christoph Reitzel	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	
2. John Michael	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	<del>2.</del> \$ 1.25 cents
3. Sam Fahnestock	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	<del>3.</del> \$ 3.00
4. John Hatz	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	-	a	<del>4.</del> 37 1/2 cents
5. John Riddle	-	a	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	
6. Johnas Metzger	a	a	a	a	dead	-							
7. Mathias Zahm	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	a	a	

8. John Hoff	-	a	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
9. Lenord Eicholtz	a	a	a	a	dead								9. :12 ½ cents
10. Peter Miller	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	10. \$1.87 ½ cents.
11. Martin Miller	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	11. \$1.87 ½ cents
12. Jacob Sherer	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	12. :50 cents. paid
13. William Brown	a	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	
14. Christopher Kurtz	a	-	-	a	a	-		-	-	-	-	-	
15. Jacob Eicholtz	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	15. \$1.37 ½ cents
16. John Yost	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	16. \$2.12 ½ cents
17. Mathias Hoke	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	17. \$3.67 cents \$3.29 ½ ct .37 ½ cents.
18. Henry Keffer	-	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	
19. Jonathan Foltz	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	
20. Sam. Carpenter	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	
21. George Kleiss	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	21. \$3.25 cents
22. John [Greiner]	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	-	-	a	a	a	
23. Josph. Troutman	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	23. \$4.37 ½ cents
24. Josph. Ehrenfried	a	a	-	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	24. 62 ½ cents
25. George [Hambright]	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	25. \$2.37 ½ cents
26. Peter Kline	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	26. \$2.50 cents
27. Wm Cooper	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	
28. Henry Huffnagle	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	28. \$2.50 cents
29. Godfreid Zahm	-	-	a	a	-	-	a	-	-	-	a	a	



52. John Getz	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	52. \$4.12 ½ cents <u>\$3.75 ct</u> 37 ½ cts
53. Danel. Haines	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	
54. Martin Foltz	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	54. 12 ½ cents
55. John Jungling	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	55. \$3.75 cents <u>3.37 ½</u> 37 ½ cts
56. Thgham Wood	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	
57. John Culbert	-	-	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	
58. Wm. Simpson	-	a	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	
59. Henry Heinitsh	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	59. \$1.50
60. Wm. Heitshu	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	a	
61. Wm Russel pd	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	<del>61. 50</del> cents
62. Danel. Le Fevre	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	62. \$2.50 cents
63. F. A. Muhlenberg	-	-	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	a	-	a	
64. Jacob Weitzel	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	64. 62 ½ cents.
65. Wm Glenn	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	
66. John Musser	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	66. 12 ½ cents
67. Benjn. Gill	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	67. 25 cents
68. John Landis [Inkeap]	-	a	a	a	a	-		a	a	a	a	a	
69. John Sheaff	a	a	a pd	a	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	<del>69. 75</del> cents-P
70. Michael Galliger	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	70. 12 ½ cents
71. Daniel Zahm	-	-	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	
72. David Lebkuchler	a	-	-	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	

73. Michl. Metzger	a	a	a pd	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	
74. Der. Fahnestock	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	
75. Christian Smith				a	-	a	a	a	-	-	a	a	
76. John Lechler	-	-	-	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	
77. George Bigler	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	a	a	
78. Emanuel Schaffer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
79. Henry Laux									-	-	-	a	

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At a meeting of the Friendship Fire Company at the house of Wm Cooper on the 18<sup>th</sup> of January Anno Domini 1817 at 7 O'clock P.M. The following fines were received by the Treasurer. vis.

	\$	cts
Wm Brown paid		.12 ½
Wm Cooper pd	1.00	
Godfried Zahm pd		.12 ½
George Hoff pd		.12 ½
Mathias Zahm pd		.12 ½
Stacy Swem pd		.50
Peter Forney pd		.37 ½
Daniel Haines pd		.12 ½
Wm Simpson pd		.12 ½
Wm Glenn pd		.37 ½
John Landis Innkeepe pd		.12 ½
Henry Keffer pd		.12 ½
	\$ 3.25	

The President being absent, Wm Brown was unanimously appointed President pro temporé on motion of F. A. Muhlenberg, seconded by Anthony M'Glenn, the company resolved to consider the unfinished parts of the new Articles and By Laws. They were accordingly read, and passed without amendment. The committee appointed for that purpose, received orders to have them printed in duodecimo pamphlet form.

The annual term of service of the President, Secretary Treasurer and Inspector, having expired, the company proceeded to nominate and elect.

John Hoff and Mathias Zahm were nominated as candidates for the office of President, Samuel Carpenter Esq having declined being reelected.

The votes were as follows. vis.

President	
John Hoff	20
Mathias Zahm	1

John Hoff having the greatest number of votes was consequently declared President for the year 1817.

The candidates for the office of Secretary were Mathias Zahm and F. A. Muhlenberg.

The votes were the follows. vis.

F. A. Muhlenberg	17
Mathias Zahm	3

F. A. Muhlenberg was consequently elected Secretary for one year.

Christopher Reitzle being the only candidate for Treasurer, was unanimously elected.

The candidates for Inspector were Anthony M'Glenn, Peter Forney and Daniel Zahm

Anthony M'Glenn had 13 votes

Peter Forney had 4 votes

Dan. Zahm had 3 votes

Anthony M'Glenn having the greatest number of votes was duly elected Inspector for one year.

According to the New Articles of association five Directors shall be chosen every six months the following candidates were proposed

John Landis merchant had 8 votes

George Mayer had 6 votes

Perter Kline had 5 votes

John Riddle had 3 votes

John Landis Innkeeper had 17 votes

Christopher Kurtz had 18 votes

John Ihling had 11 votes

Peter Forney had 9 votes

Henry Keffer, John Landis Innkeeper, Christopher Kurtz, John Ihling and Peter Forney having the majority of votes were duly elected Directors for six months.

On motion of F. A. Muhlenberg, the company resolved that the Secretary Treasuerer and Inspector should be allowed to apply to the President for an order upon the Treasury for their usual annual compensation, and that the President have power to execute such order. The Company then adjourned to meet at the house of John Michael on the third Saturday in Febuary at 7 Oclock P.M.

At a meeting of the Friendship Fire Company at the house of John Michael on the 15<sup>th</sup> of Febuary at 7 Oclock P.M. The President being absent, Mathias Zahm was appointed President pro tempore. a quorum being present, the company proceeded to business.

Fines received

From Frederick Voigt \$2.12 ½ cents

George Mayer 12 ½

David Lebkeicher 12 ½

John Michael 1.37 ½

Christopher Kurtz 12 ½

John Musser 25

\$4.12 ½

Two Bills presented and paid 3.00

\$ 1.12 ½ pd into the Treas.

On motion

The company instructed the Secretary to call upon John Landis and Samuel Carpenter, and request them to report on the subject for which they were appointed, on the third Saturday in March.

The report of the committee appointed to examine into the Treasurer's accounts was read, recommitted as imperfect.

Mr. Christopher Reitzle proposed Christian Smith as a candidate for membership.

Adjourned to meet at Peter Walters on the fifteenth of March seven oclock P.M.

At a meeting of the Friendship Fire Company at the house of Peter Walter on the fifteenth of March anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, a quorum being present the company proceeded to business. The following members paid the fines annexed to their names. viz.

	\$	cts
John Hoff	50	
William Brown	12	½
Samuel Carpenter	25	
Joseph Ehrenfried	87	½
George Hoff	12	½
John Simpson	37	½
William Simpson	12	½
William Heitshu	12	½
Daniel Zahm	6	
Christopher Kurtz	6	
William Russel	<u>81</u>	
	\$3.43	¾ Paid to the Treasurer

On motion the fines of Mr. Peter Walter were remitted.

Mr. Christian Smith was unanimously elected a member of the Friendship fire company and the Secretary empowered to furnish him with a notice

Mr. John Hoff proposed John Lechler as a candidate for membership

The committee for collecting fines; report, that they have been unsuccessful i the object of their appointment, and beg that they may be discharged It was moved and seconded that this committee be discharged, and that the Inspector be empowered to collect all arrearages due to the company which was agreed to.

Twenty one books containing the Regulations and By Laws of this company were disposed of to members at twenty five cents each, amounting to the sum of \$5.25 cents. which was paid into the Treasury.

On motion It was resolved that a committee be appointed to regulate the stations of the different members and that the committee consist the following named persons Mr. Christian Kurtz Sam. Carpenter, F. A. Muhlenberg, John Simpson and John Ihling and [that] they may be requested to report at next monthly meeting. Adjourned to meet at Jacob Sherer on the 19<sup>th</sup> of April 1817.

At a meeting of the Friendship Fire Company, at the House of Jacob Sherer on the 19<sup>th</sup> of April 1817, the [roll as] being a quorum was present

Fines collected

Jacob Sherer pd	87 ½
John Riddle pd	25
Mathias Zahm pd	12 ½
Henry Keffer pd	25
Jonathan Foltz pd	37 ½
Mathias Zahm jun pd	12 ½
John Culbert pd	12 ½
John Musser pd	12 ½
Christopher Kurtz pd	6 ¼
William Russel pd	6 ¼
Seven Books	<u>1.75</u>
Paid into Treasury	\$4.12 ½

The votes on the application of John Lechler for membership were as follows.  
vis.

yes 13  
no 5

John Lechler was consequently elected, and the Inspector authorized to serve him with a notice.

The Inspector authorized to collect fines reported that

John Sheaff had paid	\$1.12 ½
Michael Metzger	<u>37 ½</u>
paid into the Treasury	\$1.50

The Directors report: that they have organized themselves and numbered themselves as follows.

Christopher Kurtz No 1. Henry Keffer No 2.  
John Landis No 3. John Ihling No 4.  
Peter Forney No 5.

signed by Henry Keffer Secretary.

The report of the Standing Committee signed by their Secretary John Riddle report as follows that the engine, hose, large ladder, ladder at Hoffs alley, a ladder at Jonathan Foltz, a large hook at John Landis's, small ladders at Peter Klines, Martin Foltz, Peter Miller's, Peter Forney's, marked no's. 6.8.9.5 all in good order also that they found in Hoff's alley a large hook without a rope, in widow Fordney's a small hook without a rope, at George Mayer's a hook without a rope, at Joseph Ehrenfrieds a small ladder without a mark. The report accompanied with a list of fines for which see page 12.

The Committee appointed to regulate the station report, that they have arranged the members to the best of their judgement; for arrangement see page 4. All those names omitted in the arrangement, are intended for the Engine and Hose. Mr. John Ihling proposed George Büchler

The Standing Committee for April, May and June are William Brown, Jacob Eicholtz, John Yost, Mathias Hoke, Jonathan Foltz, Sam. Carpenter, George Kleiss.

Moved to adjourn

Adjourned to meet at the house of Christian Smith at 8 o'clock

At a meeting of the Friendship Fire Company at the house of Christian Smith on the 17<sup>th</sup> of May 1817 a quorum being present the Company proceeded to business

Mathias Hoke	Paid	87 ½
Godfried Zahm	Do	25
Benj. Gill	Paid	75
John Getz	Do	87 ½
Christian Smith}		
and John Lechler}	Paid entrance	<u>4.00</u>
	Paid into the Treasury	\$6.75

The Members proceeded to the election of the candidate proposed George Büchler who was duly elected.

Anthony M'Glenn proposed Emanuel Schaffer, William Simpson proposed Henry Laux

Adjourned to meet at John Hatz's at 8 O'clock P.M. on the 21<sup>st</sup> of June 1817.

At a meeting of the Friendship Fire Company, at the house of John Hatz on the 21<sup>st</sup> of June 1817, the roll being called it appeared that there were not a sufficient number of members present to form a quorum

John Hatz Paid Fines	\$1.00
Christian Kurtz	12 ½
Henry Keffer	12 ½
John Greiner	12 ½
John Landis Inkeeper	50
Christopher Reitzel	12 ½
John Sheaff	25
F. A. Muhlenberg for absence from meeting	25
For neglecting to notify elections	<u>50</u>
	\$3.00
Two books of Rules and Regulations	<u>50</u>
Paid into the Treasury	\$3.50

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Landis on the 19 of July 1817, at 8 O'clock P.M.

At a meeting of the Friendship Fire Company at the house of John Landis, on the 19<sup>th</sup> of July 1817, the roll being called, it appeared that there was not a sufficient number of members present to form a quorum

John Simpson paid fine	\$ 37 ½
Wm Simpson	12 ½
Wm Brown	37 ½
George Bigler paid entrance	<u>2.00</u>
Paid into Treasury	\$2.87½
Bigler paid for constitution	<u>25</u>
	\$3.12 ½

Adjourned to meet at the same house on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday in August.

At a meeting of the Friendship Fire Company at the House of John Hatz on the 16<sup>th</sup> of August, the roll being called a quorum of members was present

Emanuel Schaffer and Henry Laux having been proposed at a previous meeting as candidates for membership, were unanimously elected, and the Secretary ordered to serve them with a notice

Fines collected

Henry Keffer paid	\$ 12 ½
John Hatz	12 ½
Godfried Zahm	12 ½
George Hoff	50
A. M'Glenn	25
F A. Muhlenberg	25
John Musser	37 ½
Benj. Gill	<u>25</u>
paid into Treasury	<u>\$ 2.00</u>

Adjourned to meet at the house of Wm Cooper on the 20<sup>th</sup> of September 1817

At a meeting of the Friendship Fire Company at the house of Wm Cooper on the 20<sup>th</sup> of September 1817, the following named persons paid fines viz.

Mathias Zahm	12 ½
John Greiner	remitte
Wm Cooper	87 ½
John Getz	37 ½
Wm Heitshu	12 ½
Christian Smith	37 ½
Henry Laux entrance money	2.00
Samuel Fahnestock	4.00
Ditto one book of Constitution	25
John Getz Ditto	25
Henry Laux Ditto	25
Wm Cooper Ditto	25
Christian Smith Ditto	<u>25</u>
	\$9.12 Paid into Treasury

Moved and seconded that the Secretary be requested to notify those members who are in arrears to the amount of five dollars or upwards, to call and discharge the same, either to the Company or to the Inspector, or their names, i case of neglect, would be erased from the list of members, provided three days previous notice of this resolution was given to them  
Adjourned to meet at the house of Christian Smith on the third Saturday in October at 7 Oclock in the evening.

At a meeting of the Friendship Fire Company at the house of Christian Smith on the 18<sup>h</sup> of October 1817, the names being called a quorum of members were present.

The following persons paid fines: viz

Wm Brown	25
John Simpson	25
Daniel Haines	1.00
John [F] Voight	87 ½
Wm Russel	<u>75</u>
Paid into Trearury	\$3.12 ½

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Sherer on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1817, at 7 Oclock P.M.

At a meeting held at the house of Jacob Sherer the third Saturday in November 1817

John Hatz	P	\$0.25
Jacob Sherer	P	.75
Samuel Carpenter	P	.87 ½
John Landis	P	1.25
Peter Forny	P	1.12 ½
John Culbert	P	62 ½
F A Muhlenberg	P	25
Henry Laux	P	6 ¼
<del>declined and</del> Martin Foltz	P	<u>75</u> declined
		\$5.93 paid the Treasurer

Moved and Seconded, and unanimously resolved that the word "Present" be added to the last word in the 15<sup>th</sup> Article of the Constitution of the Friendship Fire Company.

Moved and Seconded, and unanimously agreed that the present Constitution and Bye Laws be suspended for an indefinite period and that the former Articles of Association be again carried into effect.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Michael Metzger on the 20<sup>th</sup> Decr next at 7 P.M.

At a meeting at, Michael Metzgers the 20<sup>th</sup> Decr 1817.

John Ihling	pd	.25
Ingham Wood	pd	1.37 ½
Daniel Zahm	pd	.75
Michael Metzger	pd	1. ~
John Lechler	pd	.50
Emanuel Sheaffer		2. ~ entrance
Geo Mayer		1.12 ½
Peter Kline		3.75
John Jungling		<u>1.75</u>
		\$12.50 paid the Trear.

Daniel Zahm, proposed George Yung, Saml Kling as members

Adjourned (no quoram being present) to meet at the house of Wm Cooper the 17<sup>th</sup> Janry at 7 P.M.







Landis													25
43. George Mayer	a	a	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	25 pd
44. Henry Carpenter	a	a	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	3.12 ½ 25
45. Philip Foesig	a	a	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	2.37 ½ 25
46. George Messencope	a	refused to attend any longer & wont pay										3.75 Cr. 75 cents	
47. Isaac Heiney	a	a	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	4.25 25
48. Peter Forney	-	a	a	a		-	a	a	a	a	-	a	.12 ½ pd 25 pd
49. John Getz	a	a	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	.25 25
50. Daniel Haines	-	a	-	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	.25 pd 25 pd
51. John Jungling	a	a	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	25
52. Ingham Wood	a	a	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	25
53. John Culbert	a	-	-	a		a	a	a	a	-	a	a	.12 ½ pd 25 pd
54. William Simpson	-	a	-	a		-	-	-	a	a	-	a	25 p
55. William Heitshu	a	a	a	a		-	-	-	a	-	-	-	.12 ½ 25 pd
56. William Russel	-	a	-	a		-	a	a	a	a	-	a	.12 ½ pd 25 pd
57. F. A. Muhlenberg	-	a	a	-		a	-	a	a	-	-	a	.12 ½ pd 25 pd
58. Jacob Weitzel	a	a	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	2.12 ½ 25
59. William Glenn	a	a	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	1.37 ½ 25
60. John Musser	-	a	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	.50 pd 25 pd
61. Benjamin Gill	a	-	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	.50 pd 25 pd
62. John Landis (Innkeeper)	a	-	a	-		a	a	a	a	a	a	-	.62 ½ pd 25 pd
63. John Sheaff	a	-	a	a		a	a	a	a	a	a	a	.62 ½ pd 25 pd
64. Daniel Zahm	-	-	a	-		a	a	a	-	a	a	-	25 pd



At a meeting held at the house of William Cooper, the 17<sup>th</sup> January 1818, The following members paid their fines viz.

Christopher Reitzel pd fine	12 ½	& Contribution	0.25
William Brown	“ .25	ditto	.25
Henry Keiffer	“ 50	ditto	25
Samuel Carpenter Esqr.	“ .25	ditto	25
William Cooper	.37 ½	ditto	25
Henry Huffnagle	4. “		
Godfried Zahm	25	ditto	25
John Simpson	25	ditto	25
Peter Forney	12 ½	ditto	25
Daniel Haines	25		
William Russel	12 ½	ditto	25
F. A. Muhlenberg	12 ½	ditto	25
John Musser	50	ditto	25
Christian Smith	25	ditto	25
George Bigler	25	ditto	25
George Messencope	75	& declined being a member	
John Hoff		Contribution	25
Willm John Simpson		ditto	25
Anthony McGlin		ditto	25
Christopher Kurtz		ditto	25
John Ihling		ditto	25
Daniel Zahm		ditto	<u>25</u>
	<u>8.37 ½</u>		4.75
			<u>8.37 ½</u>
		paid the Treasurer	<u>\$13.12 ½</u>

pursuant to nomination, George Young & Samuel Kling were duly elected members of the company.

The members also proceeded to the Election for Officers of the Compy. to serve the ensuing year; when Christopher Kurtz, for President Christopher Rietzel for Treasurer; John Hoff for Secy & Anthony McGlinn for Inspector were duly elected

Moved seconded and unanimously agreed that each member of the company contribute the sum of 25 Cts. towards defraying the expences of the preceeding year, also agreed that the compensation for the Secy services for the last year be eighteen dollars.

Resolved that the following names be erased from the list of members they refusing to pay their fines, to wit 1. Peter Miller, 2. John Yost, 3. Joseph Troutman, 4<sup>th</sup> Fredrick Kline, 5 John Upperman, 6 David Nelson, 7 George Messencope, 8. Hy Heinitch, Adjourned to meet on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of Feby next at 7 P.M. at the House of Christian Smith.

At a Meeting held at the House of Christian Smiths Feby 21<sup>st</sup> 1818. the following members paid

John Riddle	pd	1.00	Contribution	0.25
Mathias Zahm	"	.37 ½	"	.25
John Greiner	"	.50	"	.25
George Hoff	"	.25	"	.25
Stacy Swem	"	1.50	"	.25
John Landis	"	.75	"	.25
John Culbert	"	.25	"	.25
Benjamin Gill	"	.62 ½	"	.25
John Sheaff	"	.75	"	.25
Emanuel Sheaffer	"	.12 ½	"	.25
Samuel Cling Entrance		2.00	"	.25
George Mayer		<u>.12 ½</u>	"	<u>.25</u>
		<u>\$8.25</u>		3.00
				<u>8.25</u>
		paid the Treasurer		\$11.25

Christopher Kurtz, Daniel Zahm, John Ihling were appointed a committee to collect the property of the company from the persons who have declined the company the Inspector to attend with the sd committee.

The President to have the big ladder repaired and the expences thereof charged to John Hatz.

George Mayer, Mathias Zahm, John Hoff, Benjamin Gill, Christopher Reitzel are appointed a committee to fix the stations of the members.

Adjourned to meet again on Saturday the 21<sup>st</sup> March next at the House of John Hatz at 7 Oclock in the Evening.

At a Meeting held at the house of John Hatz on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March 1818

John Hatz	pd	0.37 ½	Contribution	0.25
Daniel Haines		12 ½		25
William Simpson		12 ½		
Wm Russel		12 ½		
Henry Laux		37 ½		25
J. A. Keiss		<u>1.75</u>		<u>25</u>
		<u>2.87 ½</u>		1.00
				<u>2.87 ½</u>
		paid the Treasurer		\$3.87 ½

Mr. Bigler proposed Mr. Benedict who wishes to become a member of the Compy.

No quorum being present, Adjourned to meet at John Landises on the 18<sup>th</sup> April next at 8 O'clock in the evening

At a Meeting held at the House of John Landis the 18<sup>th</sup> day of April 1818.

Christopher Reitzel	pd	0.12 ½	
Godfried Zahm	pd	“.25	
F. A. Muhlenberg	pd	“.25	
John Landis Inn.	pd	“.12 ½	
Daniel Zahm	pd	“.12 ½	
John Lechler	pd	“.25	& contribution 25
Samuel Cling	pd	“.12 ½	
		1.25	<u>25</u>
		<u>25</u>	

\$1.50 paid the Treasurer

The members proceeded to the Election of Philip Benedict, who was declared duly Elected a Member

Adjourned to meet on the 16<sup>th</sup> May next at 8 P.M. at the house of Jacob Sherer.

At a Meeting the 20<sup>th</sup> June 1818 at the House of Jacob Sherer.

Jacob Sherer	pd	0.62 ½	Contribution	.25
George Hoff	pd	.25		
John Simpson	pd	37 ½		
Stacy Swem	pd	25		
Peter Forney	pd	37 ½		
William Simpson	pd	12 ½		
William Heitshu	fine remitted		Contribution	25
George Bigler	pd	12 ½		
Emanuel Sheaffer	pd	25		
Henry Laux	pd	12 ½		
William Russel	pd	12 ½		
John Michael	pd	2.00	and declined membership	
Philip Benedict	pd	<u>2.00</u>	Entrance	
		\$6.62 ½		<u>.50</u>
				<u>6.62 ½</u>
		paid the President		<u>\$7.12 ½</u>

The Inspector neglected to serve the Notices for the last meeting. for which he was fined \$2. to be deducted from his Salary.

It is ordered and directed by the company that Philip Benedict take a small ladder in his care and attend to the same at a fire and that he be charged with the said ladder.

John Ihling also to take a small ladder on the same conditions as Mr. Benedict

Stacy Swem to get a new fire axe at the expence of the company and also upon the same conditions as the ladders.

George Young declined membership.

Adjourned to meet at the House of Michael Metzger on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup> July next.

At a Meeting held at the House of Michael Metzger the 18<sup>th</sup> July 1818

Christopher Reitzel	pd	12 ½	
F. A. Muhlenberg	pd	12 ½	
Michael Metzger	pd	62 ½	& Contribution 25
John Lechler	pd	<u>12 ½</u>	
		1.00	
		<u>.25</u>	
		\$1.25	paid the Trear.

No quorum being present. Adjourned to meet at William Coopers the 15<sup>th</sup> August next at 8 Oclock P.M.

At a meeting held at the house of William Cooper the 15<sup>th</sup> of August 1818

John Riddle	pd	50
George Hoff	pd	12 ½
John Simpson	pd	12 ½
Godfried Zahn	pd	25
William Brown	pd	50
William Cooper	pd	<u>62 ½</u>
		\$2.12 ½

No quorum being present Adjourned to meet at the House of Christian Smiths at 7 Oclock P.M 19<sup>th</sup> of September 1818.



At a meeting held at the house of Christian Smith, September 19<sup>th</sup> 1818

Chirstopher Reitzel	pd	12 ½	Daniel Zahm	37 ½
Samuel Carpenter, Esq.	pd	75	Christian Smith	75
Anthony McGlinn	pd	12 ½	Samuel Kling	12 ½
Stacy Swem	pd	<u>25</u>	Philip Benedict	<u>12 ½</u>
		1.25		1.37 ½
				<u>1.25</u>
			Paid to the Treasurer	\$2.62 ½

No quorum being present, adjourned to meet at the house of John Hatz, October 17 at 7 o'clock P.M.

At a meeting held at the house of John Hatz, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 1818.

John Hatz	pd	62 ½	John Greiner	pd	37 ½
George Hoff	pd	12 ½	Joseph Ehrenfried		2.12 ½
John Culbert		62 ½	John Ihling		12 ½
William Heitshu		12 ½	William Russel		43
F.A. Muhlenberg		25	Frederick Voigt		<u>1.56</u>
Emanuel Scheaffer		<u>37 ½</u>			\$4.61 ½
		\$2.12 ½			<u>2.12 ½</u>
			Paid to the Treasurer		\$6.74

At an election held for Secretary, the candidates were F. A. Muhlenberg, Geroge Hoff, and Joseph Ehrenfried. The votes were as follows:

Joseph Ehrenfried had	10 votes
George Hoff	5
F. A. Muhlenberg	2

Joseph Ehrenfried was consequently elected Secretary for one year.

Mr. Voigt proposed as a member George B. Porter Esq.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Scherer, Nov 21, 1818.

At a meeting held at the house of Jacob Sherer, on the 21<sup>st</sup> of November, 1818

Mathias Zahm, sen. paid	\$ .75	John Simpson	\$ .25
Jacob Sherer	.50	Peter Forney	.50
Henry Keffer	1.	William Simpson	.25
Peter Kline	1.37 ½	Henry Laux	<u>.50</u>
Godfrey Zahm	<u>.12 ½</u>		\$1.50
	\$3.75		<u>3.75</u>
		Paid to the Treasurer =	\$5.25

Moved, seconded and agreed, that a committee be appointed to assign to the members their respecting stations, and report to the next meeting and that the committee consist of three, viz. Henry Keffer, F. A. Muhlenberg, and Joseph Ehrenfried.

Mathias Zahm, jun. wishes, on account of ill health, to discontinue being a member, and desires his name struck off In case of his recovery to be admitted without being liable to pay entrance.

The members present proceeded to the election of George B. Porter, Esq. who was unanimously elected a member of this company.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Landis, Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>, 1818.

At a meeting held at the house of John Landis, December 19, 1818.

John Landis, innkeeper, pd 75/100 Danl. Zahm pd 25/100 A. McGlenn, pd 12½ /100 John Sheaff, pd \$1.00

Paid into the hands of the Treasurer \$2.12 ½

Mr. Frederick Heinitsh was proposed as a member, by Mr. George Hoff.

No quorum being present, Adjourned to meet at William Coopers, January 16<sup>th</sup> 1819.



20. William Cooper	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	50 pd a
21. Henry Huffnagle	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	1.62 ½ a
22. Godfried Zahn	-	a	-	-	a	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	12 ½ pd
23. Frederick Voigt	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	25 a
24. George Hoff	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	-	-	a	-	-	25 pd
25. John Ihling	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	
26. Anthony McGlenn	-	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
27. Jacob A. Keiss	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1 pd a
28. Jonathan Hinkle	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	3.25 pd a
29. John Simpson died	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	died		12 ½ pd
30. Stacy Swem	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	37 ½ pd a
31. Christian Fick	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	3.50 pd 4 months sick a
32. John Landis, merchant	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	1.50 pd a
33. George Mayer	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	1.12 ½ pd 5 mo. sick
34. Henry Carpenter	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	4.75 a
35. Philip Fesig	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-		\$4
36. Isaac Heiney	a	declines being a member										-	5.87 ½ paid
37. Peter Forney	-	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	12 ½ pd a
38. John Getz	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	1.87 ½ a
39. Daniel Haines	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	\$1 pd
40. John Jungling	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	1.62 ½ pd a
41. Ingham Wood	a	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	-	-	a	-	1.62 ½ pd
42. John	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	-	25 pd

Culbert													a
43. William Simpson	-	a	a	a	a	-	-	-	a	-	a	a	12 ½ pd
44. William Heitshu	-	-	-	a	a	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	
45. William Russel	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	12 ½ pd a
46. F. A. Muhlenberg	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	12 ½ pd a
47. Jacob Weitzel	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	3.75 a
48. William Glenn	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	died		\$3
49. John Musser	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	1.25 pd a
50. Benjamin Gill	a	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	1.12 ½ pd a
51. John Landis, innkeeper	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a
52. John Sheaff	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
53. Daniel Zahm	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	-a	a	a
54. Michael Metzger	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	62 ½ pd a
55. Christian Smith	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	25 pd a
56. John Lechler	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	62 ½ a
57. George Bigler	-	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	25 pd a
58. Emanuel Scheaffer	a	a	a	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	25 pd a
59. Henry Laux	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	12 ½ pd a
60. Derick Fahnstock	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-		2.75 \$2 entrance
61. Samuel Kling	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
62. Philip Benedict	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	a	-	-	-	25 pd
63. George B. Porter	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	
64. Frederick Heinitsh		-	a	-	a	-	a	-	-	a	a	-	

65. Benjamin Bowman		-	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	-	-	a
66. John Wind					a	a	-	-	a	-	a	a	a
67. William Buck							-	-	-	-	a	-	
68. John F. Steinman									a	a	-	-	
69. John Michael jun.									a	a	a	-	a
70. Peter McDonough									-	-	-	-	a
71. Peter McGrath									-	-	a	-	

At a meeting held at the house of William Cooper, January 16<sup>th</sup> 1819 the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Jacob Sherer	\$ .12 ½	William Simpson	\$ .12 ½
William Cooper	.50	William Russel	.12 ½
Godfried Zahn	.12 ½	Christian Smith	.25
John Simpson	.12 ½	Philip Benedict	.25
Peter Forney	.12 ½	Mathias Zahn	<u>.12 ½</u>
John Culbert	<u>.25</u>		\$ .87 ½
	\$1.25		<u>1.25</u>
			\$2.12 ½
		Geo. B. Porter paid his entrance	<u>2</u>
		Paid into the hands of the Treasurer	\$4.12 ½

Messrs. Smith and Sherer were appointed a committee to examine the Treasurer's accounts of the preceding year, and report, that they find a balance of \$2.36 in favor of the treasurer, after it had been moved and agreed to, that the treasurer shall be allowed \$4.00 per annum, for the years 1817 & 1818.

Moved, seconded and agreed to, that the Secretary's salary for the year 1818 be \$15.00 and that the Inspector's salary for the year 1818 be \$15.00.

The members proceeded to the election of Officers the president and secretary being appointed to superintend the same when it appeared that the following perosns were duly elected, viz.

- Chrisopher Kurtz, president.
- Christopher Reitzel, treasurer.
- Joseph Ehrenfried, secretary.

Moved, seconded and agreed to, that the Inspector be henceforth no more elected, but that the duties of said office shall be performed by the members in rotation.

The Committee, appointed to assign to the members their respective stations, report as follows

Formers of Rank.

Samuel Fahnestock,	Jacob Sherer,
Samuel Carpenter,	William Cooper,
John Landis, merchant.	George Hambright,
George B. Porter	

Protectors of property and Deliverers of Goods.

Christopher Reitzel,	Benjamin Gill,
Mathias Zahm, sen. staff	Ingham Wood,
William Brown, staff	John Musser,
John Riddle, staff	Jacob Eichholtz staff
Joseph Ehrenfried	

Big Ladders. / Jonathan Foltz's /

John Hatz,	Philip Fesig
Jonathan Foltz,	George Kleiss, larger hook
Michael Metzger,	Samuel Kling,
Henry Huffnagle,	Jacob Weitzel

Large Hook. / hook & ladder Hoff's alley

Daniel Zahm,	John Lechler.
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Small Ladders.

John Culbert,	John Sheaff,
Peter Forney,	John Ihling,
Godfrey Zahm,	Philip Benedict.

Small hook at Fordney's. Frederick Voigt, Martin Miller.

Small hook at Meyer's. George Meyer, John [Turance]

Small hook at Landis'. John Getz.

Axe- Men

~~John Greiner, Stacy Swem,~~ Anthony McGlinn, Wm. Russel

Directors of the Engine. Henry Keffer, Christopher Kurtz

Directors of the Hose. Peter Kline, John Landis, innkeeper.

Hose.

Engine.

Hose.

Andrew Keiss, ~~John Simpson,~~ Henry Carpenter, ~~Wm. Glenn,~~ John Wind, Wm. Simpson, Wm. Heitshu, F. A. Muhlenberg, ~~Geo. Biegler,~~ Emanuel Sheaffer. Frederick Heinitsh. Jno. F. Steinman. John Michael, jun. J. Getz Engine. John Mimm, B. [I]. Schipper. Mathias Hoke, George Hoff, Jonathan Hinkle, Christian Fick, Daniel Haines, John Jungling, ~~Henry Laux,~~ ~~Derick Fahnestock,~~ Jacob

[Seibely], Christian Smith. Peter McDonough Benjamin Bowman. Peter McDonough McGrath, Wm. Buck.

It is recommended, that all those members, whose services at their respective stations are not immediately wanted, attend to the Engine and Hose.

Ordered that the Secretary shall note the station of each member on the next ticket, and where their implements may be had.

Moved, seconded and agreed to, that the Secretary's compensation for the current year 1819, be fixed this day, whereupon it was decided, that it shall be \$12.00.

Moved, seconded and agreed to, that a committee of two be appointed to collect all outstanding debts above 75 cents, and to report to the next meeting.

The Committee are Anthony McGlinn, Daniel Zahm.

The company proceeded to the election of Frederick Heinitsh and Benjamin Bowman, the latter having been proposed by Mr. C. Kurtz when it appeared that they were unanimously elected members of this company.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Christian Smith, February 20<sup>th</sup>, 1819  
Chr. Reitzel next Inspector.

At a Meeting held at the house of Christian Smith, February 20<sup>th</sup> 1819, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

John Riddle	\$ .31 ¼	Benjamin Bowman	\$ 2.
William Brown	.37 ½	Frederick Heinitsh	<u>2.</u>
George Hoff	.37 ½	paid their entrance	\$ 4.
F. A. Muhlenberg	.25	George B. Porter, for	
Jonathan Foltz	<u>2.75</u>	late attendance	<u>.6</u>
	\$4. 6 ¼		\$4. 6 ¼

The committee appointed to collect all outstanding debts above 75 cents, report that they have collected the following sums:

from	Martin Miller	\$3.25	from	John Yungling	\$1.75
"	George Hambright	5.62 ½	"	Ingham Wood	1.75
"	John Landis, merchant	1.62 ½	"	John Musser	1.37 ½
"	Isaac Heiney	<u>6.</u>	"	Benjamin Gill	<u>1.25</u>
		\$16.50			\$ 6.12 ½
					16.50
					4. 6 ¼
					<u>4. 6 ¼</u>
					Paid into the hands of the Treasurer \$30.75

Mr. Isaac Heiney having declined being a member, his name was ordered to be erased from the list.



Moved and agreed to, that all members sending their respective fines, shall not be marked as absentees

Moved and agreed to, that Anthony McGlenn's fine shall be remitted for in consideration of two months service in 1818.

Mr. John Wind was proposed as a member by Mr. F. A. Muhlenberg.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Hatz, March 20<sup>th</sup>, 1819 Samuel Fahnestock next Inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Hatz, March 20, 1819, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

John Hatz	paid	\$ 50
Samuel Carpenter		62 ½
Godfried Zahm		12 ½
George Biegler		<u>12 ½</u>
pd to the treasurer		\$1.37 ½

Resolved, that three hundred copies of the Articles of Association be printed, and that a committee of three be appointed to contract for the printing of the same.

The committee are Christopher Reitzel, Ingham Wood, Jos. Ehrenfried.

The company proceeded to the election of Mr. John Wind, when it appeared that he was duly elected a member of this company.

Mr. William Buck was proposed by Mr. Wm. Heitschu.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Michael Metzger, April 17<sup>th</sup> 1819 John Hatz next Inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Michael Metzger, April 17, 1819 the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

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William Brown paid	\$ .12½	Michael Metzger	\$1. ~
Henry Keffer	50	John Simpson	.25
Jonathan Foltz	12½	Christian Fick	3.37½
George Hoff	12½	Peter Forney	25
Jacob Sherer	25	George B. Porter	<u>12½</u>
Frederick Heinitsh	<u>12½</u>		\$5.00
	\$1.25		<u>1.25</u>
			\$6.25
		Mr. John Wind pd entrance	<u>2. ~</u>
		Paid to the treasurer	\$8.25

Ordered, that two additional keys to the Engine-house, and three new staffs for farmers of rans, be purcured.

Moved and agreed so, that a committee be appointed, to obtain all necessary information in the coty of Philadelphia, concerning the purchase of a substancial engine. The committee are: Jacob Sherer, George B. Porter, and Henry Keffer.

Moved and agreed so, that a committee be apponited, to examine the engine house and to report what repairs are wanting to it. The committee are: Jonathan Foltz, Philip Benedict, John Wind.

Moved and agreed so, that a committee be apponited to collect subscriptions for a new and complete Engine. The committee are: Jacob Sherer, George B. Porter, Henry Keffer, George Hambright, Peter Kline, William Cooper, John Hatz, Ingham Wood, Samuel Carpenter, and Frederick Voigt.

A committee of the Union Fire – Company waited upon this meeting and requests the appointment of a committee, to meet similar committees of the other fire- companies, at a meeting held at the house of William Cooper, September 18, 1819 – the following members paid their respective fines viz.

Mathias Zahn \$ .62½  
 William Cooper 87½  
 Daniel Haines 2.00  
 Ingham Wood 50  
 Daniel Zahn 25  
 J.T. Steinman, late attendance 6  
 Paid to the treaser \$4.31

On motion a committee was appointed, to have the House oiled and putin complete order. Committee:- Emanuel Sheaffer, George Biegler, Frederick Heinitsh.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jonathan Hinkle, October 16, 1819- Christopher Kurtz, next Inspector. Hour of meeting 1 o Clock

At a meeting, held at the house of Jonathan Hinkle, October 16, 1819, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Jonathan Hinkle \$ 4.37½ deduct 2.87½ balance = \$1.50  
 William Simpson 12½  
 Philip Benedict .25

Benjamin Bowman 25

John Wind 12½

Paid to the treasurer \$2.25

On motion, Resolved that Mr. Hinkle's fine accrued since his residence in the Poor house, shall be forgiven. 23 months.

On motion, Resolved that the names of Derick Fahnestock and Philip Fesig be erased from the list.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Landis, November 20<sup>th</sup> 1819-  
Jacob Eicholtz, next inspector.

At a meeting, held at the house of John Landis, November 20<sup>th</sup> 1819, the following members paid their several fines, viz.

George Hoff \$ .12½

Daniel Haines 12½

John T. Steinman 12½

John Landis 1.25

Henry Keffer 56½

F.A. Muhlenberg 1.6½

paid to the treasurer \$ 3.37½

Resolved, that it shall be the duty of the secretary, henceforward to notify every Inspector, that he is to conform exactly to his duty, as laid down in the constitution of this society, or expect that the fines will be enforced.

Resolved, that the same notice be given to the President.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Michaels December 18<sup>th</sup> 1819 –  
Mathias Hoke next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Michael, December 18<sup>th</sup> 1819, the following member paid their respective fines, viz.

John Riddle 12½

John Musser 1.12½

William Broson 12½

Fred. Heinitsh 25

Saml Carpenter 1.00

John Michael 37½

Peter Forney 62½

Peter McGrath 12½

Ingham Wood 12½

1.87½

John Culbert 37½

2.37½

2.37½

paid to the treasurer \$4.25

Resolved, that the Big Hook, appertaining to this society, and one fire – bucket, marked "John Hoff", be advertised as lost; in all the papers withing the city.

Resolved, that a committee be appointed to examine the accounts of the treasurer, and report to the next meeting – the committee are – (messrs.) Ihling, Muhlenberg, Wood, Hiff and Gottfried Zahn.

Adjoured to meet at John Hatz's, January 15<sup>th</sup> 1820 – Henry Keffer, next inspector.

Resolved, that Mr. Mathias Hoke's fine be remitted.

Members' Names 1820	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Remarks and Arrearages
1. Christopher Reitzel	-	-	-	a	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	
2. Samuel Fahnestock	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$3.50
3. John Hatz	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	-	-	-	
4. John Riddle	-	a	-	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	-	-	
5. Mathis Zahn	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	12 ½ pd
6. Martin Miller	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.25pd
7. Jacob Sherer	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	
8. William Brown	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	-	-	
9. Christopher Kurtz	-	a	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
10. Jacob Eichholtz	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$6.12 ½
11. Mathis Hoke	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	
12. Henry Keffer	-	a	a	-	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	-	
13. Jonathan Foltz	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	62 ½ pd
14. Samuel Carpenter	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	
15. George Kleip	a	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$7.87 ½ paid
16. xxxxxxxx	a	a	a	-									62 ½ pd
17. Joseph Ehrenfried	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
18. George Hambright	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	75 pd
19. Peter Kline	a	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.62 ½ pd
20. William Cooper	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	37 ½ pd
21. Henry xxxxxx	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-			\$3.12 ½ ded. 1.12 ½ = pd

22. Godfrey Zahn	-	-	a	a	a	a	-	-	-	a	a	-	
23. John T. Voigt	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	
24. George Hoff	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	-	-	
25. John Ihling	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
26. Anthony Mc Glinn	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	-	a	-	-	-	\$1.12 ½ pd Owes 25 pd
27. Jacob A. Keifs	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	87 ½
28. Jonathan Hinkle	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	25 pd
29. xxxxx xxxx	a	a	a	a	a	a	Re sig ns						75 forgiven
30. Christian Fick	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.00
31. John Landis, merchant	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.25 pd
32. George Mayer	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	
33. Henry Carpenter	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	\$6.25 ded. 3.37 ½ = pd owes 3.50 May 20
34. Peter Forney	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	-	a	
35. John Getz	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$3.37 ½
36. Daniel Haines	-	a	-	-	-	a	-	-	a	-	-	a	
37. John Jungling	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	
38. Ingham Wood	-	a	-	-	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	
39. John Culbert	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	
40. William Simpson	-	a	-	-	a	a	-	-	-	a	-	a	
41. William Keitshu	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	



62. William Buck	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	-		
63. John T. Steinman	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	
64. John Michael, jun.	a	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	a	
65. Peter McDonough	a	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	a	
66. Peter McGrath	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	a	-	-	
67. Benedict J. Schipper	"	"	"	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
68. John Mumm	"	"	"	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	
69. Jacob Leibely	"	"	"	-	a	a	-	a	a	-	-	-	
John Smith	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	-	"	-

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At a meeting held at the house of John Hatz, January 15, 1820 the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

John Hatz \$ .62½	Daniel Haines \$ 12½
Jacob Sherer .62½	William Simpson 25
Henry Keffer 12½	George B. Porter 1.00
John T. Voigt 1.75	John Jungling 1.25
George Mayer 62½	\$2.62½
	3.75
\$3.75	paid to the treasurer 6.37

The committee appoints to examine the annual accounts of the Treasurer, report, that they have found everything to be correct, and the balance in his hands amounting to the sum of Eleven Dollars and sixteen cents.

Moved and seconded, that Daniel Zahn be appointed to collect the outstanding debts above One Dollar.

Resolved, that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the different fire-companies with a proposal, that they authorize their respective presidents to sign a petition to the Select and Common Councils of the city, requesting them to have the public pumps put in order. – Committee: messrs. Porter, Keffer, and Sherer.

Resolved, that the president of the company sign said petition on behalf of the company.

The following gentlemen were proposed as members, Benedict Schipper, John Vena, and John Mumm.

The members present proceeded to the annual election of Officers, when it appeared, that Mr. Christopher Kurtz was selected President – Mr. Christopher Reitgel, Treasurer – and Joseph Ehrenfried, Secretary.

Adjourned to meet at the house of George Hambright, February 19<sup>th</sup> 1820 – Jonathan Foltz, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of George Hambright, February 19<sup>th</sup> 1820, Jonathan Foltz, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of George Hambright, February 19<sup>th</sup> 1820, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Mathias Zahn \$0.25	Benjamin Gill \$.75
Jonathan Foltz .75	Benjamin Bowman 12½
George Hambright 87½	Peter McDonough 12½
Peter Kline 1.75	Martin Miller 1.37½
Peter Forney 12½	Peter Landis, merchant 1.37
John Musser 12½	3.75
	3.87½
3.87½	paid to treasurer \$7.62½
	3.87½



In the absence of the president, Mr. Jonathan Foltz was appointed president pro. tem.

It was moved and agreed to, that the name of Henry Carpenter be likewise struck off, it was agreed, that it be delayed until the next meeting.

Jacob Lively was proposed as a member.

Benedict, Schipper, John Vessa and John Mumm were duly elected members of this company.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Michael Metzger, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 1820- Samuel Carpenter, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Michael Metzger, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 1820 – the following members paid them respective fines, viz. Benjamin Bowman, president pro temporary.

John Riddle 12 ½	Ingham Wood 12 ½
Samuel Carpenter 25	William Simpson 12 ½
George Kleifs 8.12 ½	Michael Metzger 1.25
Anthony McGlin 1.00	B. Schipper, entrance 2.00
Daniel Haines 12 ½	John Mumm 2.00
Samuel Kling 1.83	
\$11.45 ½	11.45 ½

Paid to the treasurer \$ 16.95 ½

William Simpson having offered to pay the arrears of his deceased brother, it was resolved, that he shall be exonerated from paying the same.

Moved to second, that a committee, be appointed to react on Mr. Henry Carpenter, in order to know his intentions respecting his membership. The president appointed mepers. Steinman, Wood and Kling.

Resolved, that the names of those members, whi shall here after be stricken off the list for neglecting to pay their fines, shall be published in one or more papers of the city, and that this resolution shall be published in the same.

Mr. Jacob Libely was unanimously elected a member of the company.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Sherer, April 15<sup>th</sup>, 1820 – George Kleifs, next Inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Jacob Sherer, April 15<sup>th</sup> 1820- the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Jacob Sherer paid 25	William Rupel 1.62 ½
Christopher Kurtz 25	John Lecher 2.50
Henry Keefer 25	Emanuel Sheaffer 1.12 ½
Jonathan Foltz 12 ½	Henry Laux 1.00
John Greiner 1.00	Philip Benedict 12 ½
Peter Forney 12 ½	Peter McDonoough 12 ½
Jacob Leible, entrance 2.00	6.50
4.00	4.00

Paid to the Treasurer \$10.00

Mr. Wood, of the committee appointed to wait on Mr. Henry Carpenter, reported that Mr. Carpenter pleading sickness, wishes to be exonerated from the one moiety of his fines. – On motion it was resolved that the one half be remitted, and Mr. Carpenter informed of it.

On a similar motion, resolved that nine months of Mr. Huffmagles'd fines be remitted.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Mumm, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 1820- Joseph Ehrenfried, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Mumm, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 1820- the following members paid their fines, viz.

Christopher Reitzel \$ 12 ½  
Anthony McGlenn 37 ½  
John Sheaff 1.25  
John Michael, jun. 50  
T.A.Muhlenberg 62 ½  
Paid to the treasurer \$2.87 ½

John Greiner, refusing to be any longer considered as a member, was struck from the list.

Resolved, that a committee of three be appointed to have the hose put in complete order without delay. Committee members: Kurtz, Ihling, and Keffer to report to the next meeting.

Henry Laux and John Wind appointed axe men in the room of John Greines and Stacy Swam.

Adjourned to meet at the house of William Cooper, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 1820 – George Hambright, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of William Cooper, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 1820- the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Mathis Zahn 37 ½	Frederick Heinitsh 50
William Brown 62 ½	Benjamin Bowman 12 ½
Henry Keffer 12 ½	Benjamin Schipper 12 ½
William Heitsh 12 ½	John Riddle 25
George Hoff 50	William Cooper 1.00
Emanuel Sheaffer 12 ½	William Rupel 18 ½
Philips Benedict 12 ½	\$2.18 ½
\$2.00	2.00
	\$4.18 ½

Paid to the treasurer

Mepers. Heinitsh, Ihling and Keffer were appointed a committee to examine the engine and have the same repaired.

Resolved that John Landis, merchant, and George B. Porter, formers of rank, be appointed an axe- man, in the room of William Rupel who declines.

John Smith was proposed as a member. Adjourned to meet at the house of John Culbert, July 15<sup>th</sup>, 1820 – Peter Kilne, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Culbert, July 15<sup>th</sup> 1820, the following members paid their fines, viz.

Peter Kline 50	William Buck 12 ½
Godfrey Zahn 25	John T. Steinman 12 ½
John Culbert 75	Jacob Leibley 25
William Simpson 25	Daniel Haines 12 ½
\$1.75	62 ½
	1.75

Paid to the treasurer \$2.37 ½

The committee appointed to examine the Engine and have it repaired, report that they have attended to their duty, and that the engine is now in good order.

John Smith was duly elected as a member of this company.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jonathan Hinkle, August 19<sup>th</sup> 1820- William Cooper, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Jonathan Hinkle, August 19<sup>th</sup> 1820, the following members paid their respective fines., viz.

Christopher Reitzel 12 ½	Benjamin Gill 37 ½
John Riddle 12 ½	John Landis, museum 1.00
William Brown 12 ½	Henry Laux 37 ½
Anthony McGlin 25	Peter McGrath 12 ½
Ingham Wood 37 ½	Jonathan Hinkle 1.12 ½
\$1.00	\$3.00
	1.00

Paid to the treasurer \$4.00

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Sherer, September 16<sup>th</sup> 1820 – Henry Huffnagle, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Jacob Sherer, September 16<sup>th</sup> 1820- the following members paid their fines.

John Hatz 87 ½ - Mathis Zahn 25 – Jacob Sherer 50 – T. Heinitsh 25. Paid into the hands of the treasurer \$1.87

Moved and seconded that a committee be appointed to wait on Mr. Huffnagle, in order to inform him that his name will be struck from the list of members at the next meeting, in case he does not pay his fines.

Committee- Mr. Bowman and the secretary.

Moved and seconded that the name of Mr. Henry Carpenter be struck from the list, for neglecting to pay his fines.

Resolved that no man shall be elected a member of this company, who at the time offering himself as a candidate, shall belong to another fire company, and that any person having been struck from the list of any fire company for misconduct or neglecting to pay his fines, shall likewise be ineligible.

Resolved that all the different fire companies in the city be invited to adopt a similar resolution, and that the secretary be required to send a copy of the foregoing resolution to the different companies.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Michael Metzger, October 21<sup>st</sup>, 1820  
Godfrey Zahn, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Michael Metzger, on the 21<sup>st</sup> of October, 1820- the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Henry Carpenter \$4.00	Michael Metzger .75
Henry Huffnagle 3.12 ½	Philip Benedict 12 ½
Jonathan Foltz 62 ½	Jacob Leively 25
William Heitsher 12 ½	Anthony McGlenn 68 ½
\$ 8.00	\$1.93 ½
	8.00

Paid into the hands of the treasurer \$9.93 ½

Resolved that Mr. Henry Carpenter be continued as a member, he having paid his fines.

Resolved, that at the request of mepers. Huffnagle and Biegler, their names be erased from the list, and that they be considered as honorary members.

Resolved, that they president be authorized to get a division to the pipe made, and a procure a bottle of sweet-oil.

Adjourned to meet at the house of George Hambright, November 18<sup>th</sup> 1820- John T. Voigt, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of George Hambright, on the 18<sup>th</sup> of November, 1820 – the following members paid their fines.

John Riddle \$25	Peter McGrath \$12 ½
William Brown 25	Jacob Scherer 12 ½
George Hambright 1.00	Ingham Wood 25
John T. Voigt 1.12 ½	John Smith, entrance 2.00
William Simpson 12 ½	
2.75	paid to the treasurer = 5.25

Resolved, that no ladder shall be given away without an order from the president.  
Adjourned to meet at the house of John Hatz, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of December 1820 – George Hoff, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Hatz, December 16<sup>th</sup> 1820, the following gentlemen paid their respective fines, viz.

Henry Keffer 50 cents - Godfrey Zahm 25 cents – John Jungling \$1.25 – Samuel Kling 1.00 George B. Porter \$ 1.25 - John Wind\$1.62- John Mumm 75 cents = Paid to the treasurer \$6.62 ½.

William Simpson and Peter Forney were appointed Axe-Men.

Resolved, that all members who are two dollars, or more, in arrear, shall be waited upon by a committee, for their respective dues.

Mepers. Hoff and Keffer and the Secretary were appointed a committee to examine the treasurer's account.

Resolved, that the next president shall be allowed a certain annual compensation for his trouble in attending the engine.

Adjourned to meet at John Michael, January 20<sup>th</sup>, 1821 – John Ihling, next inspector.

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1821 Members' Names	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Arrearages and Remarks
1. Christopher Reitzel	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	a	-	a	-	
2. Samuel Fahnestock	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$5.00pd a
3. John Hatz	a	a	a	-	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	-
4. John Riddle	a	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a
5. Mathias Zahn	a	-	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	37 ½ pd -
6. Martin Miller	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.25pd a
7. Jacob Scherer	-	a	a	-	-	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	12 ½ pd -
8. William Brown	a	-	a	a	a	a	-	-	a	a	-	a	a
9. Christopher Kurtz	-	a	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	a	a	-	-
10. Jacob Eicholtz	a	-	a	a	de cli ne s								\$7.62 ½ pd -
11. Mathias Hoke	a	a	a	a	a	a	de cli ne s						\$1.37 ½ pd
12. Henry Keffer	-	-	a	-	-	-	a	-	-	a	-	-	-
13. Jonathan Foltz	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	-	25pd -
14. Samuel Carpenter	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.12 ½ pd a
15. George Kleifs	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.00 a
16. Joseph Ehrenfried	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17. George Hambright	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	12 ½ a
18. Peter Kline	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	62 ½ pd a
19. William Cooper	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	75 pd a

20. Godfrey Zahn	a	-	-	-	a	-	-	a	a	-	-	-	-
21. John T. Voigt	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	12 ½ a
22. George Hoff	-	-	-	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	a
23. John Ihling	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	a	a	-	-
24. Anothony McGlinn	-	-	a	a	a	a	-	-	-	a	-	a	-
25. Jacob A. Keifs	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	x		\$2.37 ½ pd
26. Jonathan Hinkle	a	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	a	a	a	50 pd
27. Christian Fick	a	a	a	a	-	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	\$2.50pd a
28. John Landis, merchant	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.25
29. George Mayor	-	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	\$1.37 ½ pd -
30. Henry Carpenter	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	25 pd
31. Peter Forney	a	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	12 ½ pd
32. John Getz	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$4.87 ½ a
33. Daniel Haines	-	-	a	a	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12 ½ pd a
34. John Jungling	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
35. Ingham Wood	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	12 ½ pd -
36. John Culbert	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	62 ½ pd a
37. William Simpson	a	a	a	a	-	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	12 ½ pd -
38. William Heitshu	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	-
39. T.A Muhlenberg	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	87 ½ a
40. John Musser	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	\$1.25 pd a
41. Benjamin Gill	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	50 pd -

42. John Landis, museum	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	50 pd -
43. John Sheaff	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	87 ½ pd
44. Daniel Zahn	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.25 a
45. Michael Metzger	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	25 pd a
46. Christian Smith	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	\$2.62 ½ remitted a
47. John Lechler	-	a	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	a
48. Emanuel Schaeffer	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	75 pd a
49. Henry Lause	a	-	de cli ne s										37 ½ pd
50. Samuel Kling	a	a	a	-	-	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	a
51. Philip Benedict	-	-	a	a	-	-	a	-	-	a	-	-	-
52. George B. Porter	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
53. Frederick Heinitsh	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	a	-	a	-
54. Benjamin Bowman	-	-	a	-	a	a	-	-	-	a	-	-	-
55. John Wind	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
56. William Buck	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
57. John T. Steinman	-	-	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	-	50 pd a
58. John Michael, jun.	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	50pd a
59. Peter McDonough	a	-	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	-	-	-	25 pd --



60. Peter McGrath	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	a	-	-
61. Benedict T. Schipper	a	-	-	a	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	-
62. John Mumm	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	-
63. Jacob Leibely	-	-	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	-
64. John Smith, whitesmith	-	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
65. Thomas Quinan								-	-	a	a	-	-
66. John Turance									-	-	-	-	-
Peter Brach													-

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# Stations

## Formers of Ranks

Samuel Fahnestock	Jacob Sherer
Samuel Carpenter	William Cooper
John Landis, merchant	George Hambright
George Porter	

## Protectors of property and Deliverers of goods

Mathias Zahn, sen.	Christopher Reitzel
William Broson	Ingham Wood
John Riddle	Benjamin Gill
Jacob Eichholtz	John Muper
Joseph Ehrenfried	

## Big Ladder

Near the engine and at Jonathan Foltz's	
Jonathan Foltz	Michael Metzger
John Hatz	Samuel Kling

## Small Ladders

John Culbert	Godfrey Zahn
Peter Forney	John Ihling
Philip Benedict	

## Hoff's Large Hook, and Ladder

Daniel Zahn	John Lechler
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Hook at Kleifs- George Kleifs  
Hook at Forney's – John Voigt  
Hook at Meyer's- George Meyer  
Hook at Michael's- John Michael

Axe- Mem- Anthony McGlinn , John Smith, John Furance, William Simpson

Directors of Engines- Christopher Kurtz, Henry Keffer

Director of Hose- Peter Kline, John Landis, museum

Hose- Henry Carpebter, John Wind, William Heitscher, Jacob A, Keifs, T.A. Muhlenberg, Emanuel Sheaffer, Frederick Heinitsh, John T. Heinman, John Mumm, Benedict Schipper, John Getz, Christopher Smith.

Engine- Jonathan Hinkle, George Hoff, Benjamin Bowman, John Jungling, Daniel Haines, Peter McGrath, Peter McDonough, Mathias Hoke, Christian Fick, John Sheaff, Jacob Leibely, William Buck.

At a meeting held at the house of John Michaels. January 20<sup>th</sup>, 1821- the following members paid their respective fines.

Jacob Sherer 12 ½	George Mayer 1.37 ½
Peter Kline 62 ½	John T. Heinman 50
Henry Carpenter 12 ½	John Michael 87 ½
Daniel Haines 12 ½	John Wind, late attendance 6
Ingham Wood 12 ½	2.81
1.25	1.25
	Paid to the treasurer \$4.06

The committee appointed to examine the accounts of the past year amounting to \$89.06 – and the expenditures to \$38.65 – leaving a balance of \$51.21 in the hands of the Treasurer.

Resolved, that mepers. McGlinn and Zahn be continued a committee to collect funds.

Moved and agreed to, that the resolution of the last meeting, allowing the president a yearly compensation, be dispensed with, and that the offer to Mr. Henry Keffer, to attend and take care of the engine for one year, be accepted.

The annual election of officers being held, it appears that the following persons were chosen.

President- Henry Keffer  
Treasurer- Christopher Reitzel  
Secretary- Joseph Ehrenfried

Resolved, that the thanks of the company be presented to the late president, Mr. Christopher Kurtz, for the faithful performance of his services.

Adjourned to meet at the house of William Cooper, February 17<sup>th</sup> 1821 – Anthony McGlinn, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of William Cooper, on the 17<sup>th</sup> of February, 1821, the following gentlemen paid their fines.

John Riddle 12 ½	Jacob A. Keifs 2.50
Math. Zahn 50	William Heitshu 12 ½
Mart. Miller 1.50	J. Landis museum 62 ½
William Brown 12 ½	Emanuel Sheaffer 87 ½
Jac. Eichholz 7.75	Henry Laux 50
William Cooper 87 ½	Pet. McDonough 37 ½
Godf. Zahn 12 ½	B.T. Schipper 12 ½
S. Fahnestock 5.25	\$5.12 ½
16.25	16.25

paid to the treasurer \$21.37 ½

Moved and seconded, that the president enquire into the state of the implements, whether they are in their proper places, and what implements are wanting, to have them made.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jonathan Hinkle, March 17<sup>th</sup> 1821-  
Jacob A. Keifs, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Jonathan Hinkle, March 17<sup>th</sup> 1821, the  
following members paid their fines, viz.

Christopher Kurtz 12 ½  
Jonathan Hinkle 75  
Peter Forney 37 ½  
John Culbert 87 ½  
John Sheaff 1.12 ½  
Paid to the treasurer \$3.25

The president being absent on account of indisposition, informs the  
company by not, that according to the resolution of last meeting, new Axes have  
been made and the old axes repaired, and that the other implements and the  
company are in complete order.

Adjourned, to meet at the house of Christopher Smith, April 21<sup>st</sup> 1821 –  
Jonathan Hinkle, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Christian Smith, April 21<sup>st</sup> 1821 – the  
following members paid their fines.

Jacob Sherer 25	John Mumm 12 ½
Henry Keffer 12 ½	Jacob Lively 12 ½
Samuel Carpenter 1.50	John Hatz 56 ½
John Lechler 25	Christopher Kurtz 6 ½
Samuel Kling 37 ½	William Heitshu 6 ½
Benjamin Bowman 12 ½	93 ½
	2.62 ½
	paid to the treasurer 3.56

Mr. Smith / Christian/ fines were, on motion, remitted.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Scherer, May 19<sup>th</sup> 1821 –  
Christian Fick, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Jacob Scherer, May 19<sup>th</sup> 1821 – the  
following members paid their fines:

George Mayer 37 ½	John T. Heinman 12 ½
William Simpson 62 ½	Benedict Schipper 12 ½
Emanuel Sheaffer 25	Christian Fick 3.00
Philip Benedict 12 ½	
1.37 ½	3.25
	1.37 ½
	paid to the treasurer \$4.62 ½

Thomas Quinan and John Turence were proposed as new members.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Michael Metzger, June 16<sup>th</sup> 1821 John  
Landis, merchant. Next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Michael Metzger June 16<sup>th</sup> 1821, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Christopher Kurtz 12 ½	John Michael 50
Godfrey Zahn 12 ½	Peter McDonough 25
George Hoff 25	Jacob Sherer 6 ½
Michael Metzger 87 ½	Daniel Haines 43 ½
John Wind 50	1.37
1.87 ½	1.87 ½

paid to the treasurer \$3.25

On motion, resolved that Mathias Hoke's buckets be bought at \$3.25, and that his fines of two dollars be deducted there from.

Mepers. Thomas Quinn and John Turence were duly elected members of the company.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Hatz, July 21<sup>st</sup> 1821-Henry Carpenter, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Hatz, July 21<sup>st</sup> 1821- the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Christopher Reitzel 12 ½	William Simpson 12 ½
John Hatz 12 ½	John Muper 1.00
John Riddle 50	Benjamin Bowman 25
Willaim Bronson 50	William Buck 12 ½
Jonathan Foltz 1.00	Peter Forney 43 ½
Samuel Carpenter 25	Jonathan Hinkle 6 ½
Anthony McGlin 25	2.00
2.75	2.75
	\$4.75

Thomas Quinan,

Paid to the treasurer \$6.75

The president being absent, Samuel Carpenter, was appointed president pro. Temp.

Resolved, that it be the duty of the Secretary to notify each inspector for the time being, that he must in person serve the tickets, engage a member of the company to do it for him.

Adjourned to meet at the house of William Cooper, August 18<sup>th</sup> 1821  
George Mayer, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of William Cooper, August 18<sup>th</sup> 1821 – the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Christopher Kurtz 12 ½
Henry Keefer 12 ½
William Cooper 62 ½
George Hoff 12 ½
Philip Benedict 12 ½
John Ihling 12 ½
Peter McGrath 12 ½

Paid into the hands of the treasurer \$1.62 ½

Mepers. Henry Eichholtz and Peter Brach were proposed as members of this society.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Michael, September 15th 1821- at 7 o'clock, Peter Forney, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Michaels September 15<sup>th</sup> 1821 – the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Christian Fick 25	John Michael 25
Peter Forney 12 ½	Benedict Schipper 12 ½
Ingham Wood 75	John Mumm 12 ½
Emanuel Schaeffer 37 ½	Samuel Kling 43 ½
Fredrick Heinitsh/sick/	93 ½
1.50	1.50
	\$2.43 ½

John Turance paid entrance 2.00

Paid into the hands of the treasurer \$4.43 ½

Mepers. Keffer and Kurtz were appointed a committee to wait on John Getz and bring him to a settlement.

Henry Eichholtz and John Brach were duly elected members of their company.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Turance, October 20<sup>th</sup> 1821, John Getz, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Turance, October 20<sup>th</sup> 1821, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

C. Reitzel, 12 ½ , G. Zahn 25, W. Heitshu, 12 1/2 , P. Donough 37 ½  
Paid to the treasurer \$ .87 ½

No quorum being present, adjourned to meet at the house of Christian Smith, November 1, 1821, John Getz, next Inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Turance, October 20<sup>th</sup> 1821, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

C. Reitzel, 12 ½ - W. Heitshu, 12 1/2 - P.McDonough, 37 ½  
paid to the treasurer \$ .87 ½

No quorum being present, adjourned to meet at the house of Chirstian Smith, November 17, 1821 – Daniel Haines, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Christian Smith, November 17<sup>th</sup> 1821, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

William Brown 25	Samuel Kling 12 ½
Henry Keffer 12 ½	Philip Benedict 12 ½
Anthy McGlinn 12 ½	Frederick Heinitsh 12 ½
Benjamin Gill 1.75	Benjamin Bowman 12 ½
J. Landis museum, 1.00	John T. Heinman 62 ½
Christian Smith 75	John Mumm 12 ½

Emanl Schaeffer 12 ½  
4.12 ½

Jacob Leively 62 ½  
1.87 ½  
4.12 ½

paid to the treasurer \$6.00

Adjourned to meet at the house of Michael Metzger, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 1821  
Ingham Wood, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Michael Metzger, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 1821  
– the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Christopher Kurtz 25  
Jonathan Foltz 50  
John Ihling 12 ½  
John Sheaff 1.00  
Michael Metzger 62 ½  
Peter McGrath 12 ½  
Thomas Quinan 12 ½  
Henry Keffer 6 ½  
\$2.81 ½

Mr. Peter Branch, entrance 2.00  
paid to the treasurer \$4.81 ½

On motion of Mr. McDonough, it was resolved, that David Lebkishler  
having been a former member of this company, shall be re-admitted, provided he  
pay his fines up to the time when he moved away.

Resolved, that the buckets belonging to the company, be collected by a  
committee and put into the hands of the president, by whom they shall  
afterwards be distributed anew to such members, as the company shall appoint  
at their next meeting. Committee- Mepers. Simpson McDonough.

Committee, to inspect the Treasurer's account and report to the next  
meeting – Mepers. Kurtz, Foltz, Ihling.

Committee, to arrange the stations- Mepers. Kurtz, Foltz, Ihling.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Hatz, January 19<sup>th</sup>, 1822- William  
Simpson, next inspector.

1822 Members' Names	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Arrearages and Remarks
1. Christopher Reitzel -	-	a	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	
2. Samuel Fahnestock a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	\$1.25=2.62 ½
3. John Hatz a	-	-	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	37 ½
4. Mathias Zahn -	-	a	a	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	
5. Martin Miller a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.25=2.75
6. Jacob Scherer a	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	a	-	a	-	a	12 ½
7. William Brown a	a	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	-	12 ½ pd
8. Christopher Kurtz -	-	a	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	a	-	-	
9. Henry Keffer -	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	
10. Jonathan Foltz a	-	a	a	a	-	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	37 ½
11. Samuel Carpenter a	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	62 ½ ps 37 ½
12. George Kleifs a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$2.50=4.00
13. Joseph Ehrenfried -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
14. George Hambricht a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.62 ½ =3.12 ½
15. Peter Kline a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.37 ½ =2.87 ½
16. William Cooper a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	50 pd
17. Godfrey Zahn -	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	
18. John T. Voigt a	a	a	a	-	a	\$1 a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.62 ½ raid macct 1.25 1.75
19. John Ihling -	-	a	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	



20. Anthony McGlinn -	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	62 ½
21. Jonathan Hinkle a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	50 = 2.00
22. Christian Fick a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	37 ½ = 1.87 ½
23. John Landis, merchant a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	\$2.75pd 371/2
24. George Mayer a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	12 ½
25. Henry Carpenter a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.37 1/2 = \$2.87 ½
26. Peter Forney a	-	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	12 ½
27. John Getz a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$6.37 ½ = 7.87 ½
28. Daniel Haines a	a	-	-	a	-	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	25
29. John Jungling a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.50=3.00
30. Ihgham Wood a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	-	-	
31. John Culbert a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	
32. William Simpson -	-	-	a	a	a	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	
33. William Heitshu -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
34. T.A. Muhlenberg a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$2.37 1/2 = 3.871/2
35. John Musser a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	50pd 12 ½
36. Benjamin Gill a	-	a	a	-	-	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	37 ½
37. John Landis, museum a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	12 ½
38. John Sheaff a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	37 ½
39. Daniel Zahn a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$2.75=4.25
40. Michael Metzger -	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	37 ½
41. Christian Smith a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	-	12 ½ pd



62. John Kauffman a	“	“	“	“	“	“	-	a	a	a	a	a	62 ½
Michael Lechleitner -	“							-	-	a	a	a	37 ½

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At a meeting held at the house of John Hatz, January 19<sup>th</sup> 1822, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

John Hatz 62 ½	Benjamin Gill 12 ½
Mathias Zahn 1.00	John Landis, museum 12 ½
Jacob Scherer 62 ½	John Lechler 12 ½
Anthy McGlin 12 ½	Frederick Heinitsh 12 ½
George Mayer 50	Jacob Leively 12 ½
Peter Forney 37 ½	John Riddle 12 ½
Ihgham Wood 12 ½	Peter McGrath
William Simpson 30	for late attendence 6 ½
3.87 ½	1.18 ½
	3.37 ½

paid to the treasurer \$5.6 ½

The committee appointed to examine the treasurer's accounts for the year of 1821, make report, that on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1821, there was a balance of \$51.21 in the hands of the treasurer; that the receipts during the year amounted to \$64.72, and the Expenditures to \$30.68 1/2 , leaving a balance in the hands of the treasurer, amounting to the sum of eighty five dollars and 24 cents.

The committee appointed to collect the bucket belonging to the company, report that they have performed their duty, and that the buckets are now in the hands of the president and at the disposal of the company.

The committee to arrange the stations, report as follows , viz.

Formers of Ranks - Samuel Fahnestock, Samuel Carpenter, Jacob Scherer, William Cooper, George Hambright, George B. Porter, John Landis, merchant- the two latter gentlemen to look for water.

Directors of the Engine- Christopher Kurtz, Hnery Keffer,

Engine- Samuel Kling, Jonathan Hinkle, Daniel Haines, Christian Fick, Jihn Sheaff, Jacob Leively, William Buck, Thomas Quinan, John Mumm, Daniel Zahn.

Directors of the Hose- Peter Kline, John Landis, museum.

Hose- Henry Carpenter, John Wind, William Heitshu, Frederick Heinitsh, T.A. Muhlenberg, Emanuel Schaeffer, John T. Steinman, Benedict Schipper, John Getz.

Axe-men- Anthony McGlenn, John Smith, John Turance, William Simpson

Ladder at the Engine- John Hatz, Peter Brach, Benjamin Bowman, Peter McDonough

Ladder at Jonathan Foltz's- Jonathan Foltz, Benjamin Gill, Michael Metzger.

Rolling Ladder at Hoff's alley- Christian Smith

Small Ladders- John Culbert, Peter Forney, Godfrey Zahn, John Ihling, Philip Benedict.

Hook at Kleifs- George Kleif

Hook at Forney's- John T. Voigt, Martin Miller.

Hook at Landis's John Michael, jun,

Hook at Mayer's- George Mayer

Protectors of Property- Mathias Zahn, Christopher Reitzel, William Broson

Delivers of Goods- Ingham Wood, John Muper, Joseph Ehrenfried.

Moved and seconded, that the president be empowered to sign a petition on behalf of the company to the select and common councils, that a surveyor be appointed to ascertain the best mode of bringing a sufficient quantity of water into the city.

The annual election of officers having taken place, it appeared that Henry Keffer was elected President, Christopher Reitzel Treasurer, and Joseph Ehrenfried Secretary.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Scherer, February 16<sup>th</sup> 1822- William Heitshu, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Jacob Scherer, February 16<sup>th</sup> 1822- the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Daniel Haines 12 ½  
Emanuel Schaeffer 25  
paid to the treasurer 37 ½ cents

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Michael, jun. March 16<sup>th</sup> 1822- T.A. Mulenberg, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Michael jun. March 16<sup>th</sup> 1822, the following members paid their fines, viz.

Christopher Reitzel 12 ½	John Muper 75
William Broson 37 ½	Frederick Heinisth 12 ½
Christopher Kurtz 12 ½	John T. Steinman 25
Henry Keffer 12 ½	John Michael jun 62 ½
Godfrey Zahn 12 ½	Thomas Quinan 18 ¾
John Ihling 12 ½	\$1.93 ¾
1.00	1.00

paid to the treasurer \$ 2.93 ¾

Mr. Bowman, having moved into the county, will henceforth be considered an honorary member.

John Lechler having resigned, the company ordered his name to be struck off the list.

Resolved that mepers. Kurtz, Muper and Heinitsh be a committee to inspect the buckets belonging to the comoany, to ascertain what repairs are wanting , and to have them repaired.

Adjourned to meet at the house of William Cooper, April 20<sup>th</sup> 1822- John Muper, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of William Cooper, April 20<sup>th</sup> 1822- the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Mathias Zahn 25	J.T Voigt 1.25
William Cooper 87 ½	Samuel Kling 56 ½
Benjamin Gill 25	William Heitshu 6 ½
Peter Brach 25	Samuel Carpenter 1.06 ½
Peter Forney 31 ½	Henry Eichholtz his entrance 2.00
Jacob Scherer 6 ½	\$4.93 ¾
\$2.00	2.00

paid to the treasurer \$6.93 ¾

The committee appointed to inspect the buckets belonging to the company, report that they have performed the duty assigned to them, and that the buckets are now in good order.

Mepers. Kurtz, Carpenter, and Steinman were appointed a committee to distribute the buckets and make the following report which was agreed to by the company.

Joseph Ehrenfried 1 bucket	Thomas Quinan 1 bucket
John Ihling 1 bucket	John Turance 1 bucket
Benedict Schipper 1 bucket	Peter Brach 1 bucket
John Mumm 1 bucket	Christian Smith 1 bucket
John Smith 1 bucket	9 buckets

Mr. John Kauffman and Dr. Lechleitner were proposed as new members.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Michael Metzger- May 18<sup>th</sup> 1822, , at 8 oclock, in the evening, Benjamin Gill, next inspector.

A committee from the Active Fire company being announced, the company was, on motion, re-organized.

Whereupon said committee presented for concurrencedifferent resolutions authorizing the presidents of all the respective fire companies in the city, to sign a petition to the Select and Common Council, praying that the owners of the houses in the city should be obliged to furnish themselves with fire buckets.

After due deliberations it was resolved, that this company concur in the above resolutions, and that the president be authorized to sign a petition to that effect on behalf of this company.

Adjourned as above.

At a meeting held at the house of Michael Metzger, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 1822- the following members, paid their respective fines,

Jonathan Foltz 37 ½	Michael Metzger 50
Daniel Haines 12 ½	John Mumm 12 ½ ‘

John Culbert 37 ½  
87 ½

John Turance 25  
87 ½  
87 ½

paid to the treasurer \$1.75

Resolved that the Engine be tried on Monday next, at 8 o'clock, in the fore noon, and that the members of the company attend.

Dr. Lechleitner and Mr. John Kauffman were duly elected members of the company.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Kauffman, June 15<sup>th</sup>, 1822- John Landis museum, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Kauffman, June 15<sup>th</sup> 1822- the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Christopher Reitzel 12 ½	William Buck 12 ½
John Hatz 37 ½	John T. Steinman 12 ½
Jacob Scherer 12 ½	Jacob Lively 30
Christopher Kurtz 12 ½	John Smith 1.75
Samuel Carpenter 12 ½	William Smith 37 ½
John Kling 12 ½	\$2.87 ½
1.00	1.00
	\$3.87 ½
John Kauffman paid his entrance	2.00
paid to the treasurer	\$5.87 ½

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Scherer, July 20<sup>th</sup> 1822- John Sheaff, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Jacob Scherer, July 20<sup>th</sup> 1822- the following members paid their respective fines.

Peter Forney 25  
Peter Brach 12 ½  
Anthy McGlenn 50  
87 ½  
Dr. Lechleitner paid his entrance 2.00  
paid to the treasurer \$2.87 ½

No quorum being present- Adjourned to meet at the house of Christian Smith, August 17<sup>th</sup> 1822, Daniel Zahn, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Christian Smith, August 17<sup>th</sup>, 1822- the following fines were paid viz.

Christopher Reitzel 12 ½	John Culbert 25
Mathias Zahn 12 ½	Christopher Smith 1.00
Christopher Kurtz 12 ½	Geo. B. Porter 2.37 ½
John Ihling 12 ½	John T. Heinitsh 50
Daniel Haines 25	Jacob Lively 12 ½
Ingham Wood 75	John Smith 12 ½

1.50 \$4.37 ½  
1.50  
\$5.87 ½

Dr. Lechleitner for late attendance 6 ½  
paid to the treasurer \$5.94

Mr. Samuel Danner was proposed as a new member.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Hatz, September 21<sup>st</sup>

1822- Michael Metzger, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Hatz, the 21<sup>st</sup> of September, 1822- the following fines were paid

John Hatz 25	Michael Metzger 37 ½
Jacob Scherer 12 ½	Philip Benedict 37 ½
Jonathan Foltz 25	John T. Steinman 25
John Landis, merchant 3.75	Peter McDonough 62 ½
William Simpson 12 ½	John Sheaff 1.00
Benjamin Gill 25	Samuel Carpenter 31
John Landis, museum 87 ½	2.931/2
	5.62 ½

paid to the treasurer \$8.56

Meper. Steinman, Ihling, and Smith were appointed a committee to look after the Rolling Ladder.

Samuel Danner was unanimously elected a member of this company.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Culbert, October 19<sup>th</sup> 1822- Christian Smith, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Culbert October 19<sup>th</sup> 1822, the following members paid their fines,

Daniel Haines 12 ½  
John Culbert 12 ½  
Jacob Leively 12 ½  
\$.37 ½ paid to the treasurer

No quorum being present, adjourned to meet at the home of John Michael, November 16<sup>th</sup> 1822, Emanuel Schaeffer, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Michael, jun. November 19<sup>th</sup> 1822- the following members paid their respective fines.

Jacob Scherer 12 ½	John Wind, one half of his fine being remitted on account of sickness 1.00
William Brown 75	John Michael, jun. 87 ½
Christopher Kurtz 12 ½	Peter Brach 12 ½
Henry Keffer 12 ½	Godfrey Zahn 12 ½
Peter Forney 37 ½	John T. Steinman, late attendance 6 ½
Ingham Wood 12 ½	George Mayer 1.18 ¾
William Simpson 12 ½	\$3.37 ½



J.Landis, museum 12 ½	3.25
Emanl Schaeffer 1.00	paid to the treasurer 6.62 ½
Philip Benedict 12 ½	
John T. Heinitsh 12 ½	
William Buck 12 ½	
\$3.25	

Resolved, that the Rolling Ladder be removed to Mr. Chr. Kurtz's a;;ey, and that mepers. Kurtz and Heinitsh be appointed to that service.

Adjourned to meet at the house of William Cooper, December 21<sup>st</sup>, 1822- John Culbert, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of William Cooper, December 21<sup>st</sup> 1822, the following members paid their fines, viz.

Wm Cooper 87 ½ Chr. Smith 1.3 ¾ Henry Eichholtz 87 ½  
Paid to the treasurer \$2.18 ¾

Resolved, that no person but a member of this company be entitled to the loan of the ladder, and that it shall be his duty to replace the same every evening, under a fine of 25 cents. And, that no ladder shall be given away by any member of the company to any person not belonging to the same, without permission of the president, under a penalty of 25 cents for every day.

Resolved that the printers of the different newspapers in the city be respectfully requested to insert the above resolution.

Whereas it appears, that the Resolution of this company are so numerous, and in many respects contradictory, so that the members are not fully acquainted with them.

Therefore Resolved, that Mepers. Kurtz, Steinman and Heitshu be a committee to collect them in one body, and report the same to the next meeting.

The president appointed Mepers. Ihling, Kurtz and Smith a committee to inspect the Treasurer's accounts, and report to the next meeting.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Michael Metzger, January 18<sup>th</sup> 1823- Samuel Kling, next inspector.

1823 Members' Names	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Remarks and Arrears
1. Christopher Reitzel	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-
2. Samuel Fahnestock	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$2.62 ½ a
3. John Hatz	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	37 ½ pd a
4. Mathias Zahn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Martin Miller	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$2.75 pd. A
6. Jacob Scherer	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	12 ½ pd a
7. William Brown	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a
8. Christopher Kurtz	-	-	-	a	a	a	-	-	-	a	-	-	-
9. Henry Keffer	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	a	-	a	a	-	-
10. Jonathan Foltz	a	a	a	a	-	-	-	a	-	a	a	a	37 ½ pd a
11. Samuel Carpenter	a	a	-	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	37 ½ pd a
12. George Kleifs	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.00 a
13. Joseph Ehrenfried	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	
14. George Hambright	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$3.12 ½ a
15. Peter Kline	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	De ce as ed					\$2.87 ½
16. William Cooper	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	-
17. Godfrey Zahn	-	-	-	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a
18. John T. Voigt	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.75 a
19. John Ihling	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-
20. Anthony McGlenn	-	-	-	a	-	a	-	a	-	a	-	a	-
21. Jonathan Hinkle	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	Str uc k off					\$2.00



Porter													
46. John T. Heinitsh	-	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	-	-	-
47. John Wind	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	12 ½ pd
48. William Buck	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49. John T. Steinman	-	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	a
50. John Michael jun.	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	12 ½ pd a
51. Peter McDonough	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	-	-	-	-	-
52. Benedict T. Schipper	a	-	a	-	a	-	a	-	re m ov ed				12 ½ pd
53. John Mumm	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	87 ½
54. Jacob Leively	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	25 pd a
55. John Smith, whitesmith	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	37 ½ pd a
56. John Forney	a	-	a										-
57. Peter Brach	-	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	-
58. Henry Eichholtz	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
59. John Kauffman	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	62 ½ pd a
60. Michael Lechleitner	-	-	-	-	a	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	-

At a meeting held at the house of Michael Metzger, January 18<sup>th</sup> 1823, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Anthony McGlinn .50  
Michael Metzger 37 ½  
John T. Heinitsh 12 ½  
Peter Brach 12 ½  
Paid treasurer \$1.12 ½

The committee appointed to review all resolutions heretofore - at the meeting of this company, and to collect all that may be useful and necessary for the government of the Friendship Fire Company, report as follows.

That they have bestowed on the duties of their appointment all the attention that the time and their other avocations would permit. In examining the various resolutions of the company, it became necessary also to examine the constitution, that its bearings might not be opposed by the resolution, which they should report. In making this examination, your committee have learned with surprise the irregular manner in which the present rules and regulations have been brought into existence, they seem never to have been regularly adopted. All that we find in the books relative to them, is February 17<sup>th</sup> 1812, where it appears they were read, the blanks filled up, and it was then resolved, that they be read again at the next meeting. No further notice is however taken of them. They were afterwards considered in force. And now time has given them that authority which regularity had denied them. The present printed articles are those that have been adopted for over regulation and government. In addition to these, a great many resolutions have been entered into, from time to time. Your committee however deem it only necessary to present such to your notice, as will at present apply and those only which are consisted with the printed rules and regulations. Your committee therefore beg to leave to report, as follows.

December 18<sup>th</sup> 1802. At a meeting of the Committee from the Sun, Friendship, and Active Fire Companies for the purpose of adopting general regulations to be observed in case of fire, the following were agreed on.

1. That 6 men of the company be appointed to have the sole power of forming ranks in such manner and places as they may think proper ; each former of rank shall carry a staff painted black, about six feet in length and two inches in diameter, mounted at each end with a ferrule of bright tin.
2. That 2 persons of the company be appointed to have the sole direction of the Engine, as to the manner of playing the same ; each director of the Engine shall have on the crown of his hat a piece of tin, with the words "Engine Director" marked in a conspicuous manner.
3. That 6 persons from the company be appointed to superintend the removing and taking care of the property or moveables, to be called "Guards and Delivers of Goods", each of the guards of goods shall carry a staff painted white, otherwise similar to the staffs of the former ranks.
4. That 4 persons from the company be appointed to be axe-men, who shall wear caps made of strong leather, with a mark of the respective company, and shall never appear at the fire without their axes.
5. That the company provide 2 sufficient baskets to be deposited with the fire engine, and marked with the name of the company.
6. That the above mentioned respective badges and staffs and axes be procured at the expense of the company.
7. August 18<sup>th</sup> 1810. Resolved, that any person being elected a member of this company, who, after having received three notices to attend, shall

- neglect or refuse to attend, without giving a reasonable excuse, shall not be considered any longer as elected.
8. March 16<sup>th</sup> 1811. Resolved that all committees appointed on any business of the company, shall report at the next succeeding meeting, and on neglecting or refusing to attend to their duty, shall pay a fine of twelve and a half cents.
  9. November 1817. Resolved unanimously, that the word "present" be added to the last word in the 15<sup>th</sup> article of the Constitution of the Friendship Fire Company.
  10. Moved and seconded and unanimously agreed to, that the present Constitution and Bye-laws be suspended for an indefinite period, and that the former Articles of association be again carried into effect.
  11. January 16<sup>th</sup> 1819. Resolved, that the Inspector be henceforth no more elected, but that the duties of the said office shall be performed by the members in rotation.
  12. February 20, 1819. Resolved, that every member sending his respective fines, shall not be marked as absent at the next meeting.
  13. Resolved, that the names of those members who shall hereafter be struck off the list for neglecting to pay their fines, shall be published in one or more papers of the city.
  14. June 17<sup>th</sup>, 1820. Resolved, that two formers of rank be appointed to look for water as soon as the cry of fire is heard, and to inform the other formers of rank thereof.
  15. September 16, 1820. Resolved, that no man shall be elected a member of this company, who, at the time of offering himself as a candidate, shall belong to another fire company and that any person having been struck from the list of any fire company for misconduct or neglecting to pay his fines, shall likewise be ineligible.
  16. December 16, 1820. Resolved, that all members who are two dollars or more in arrears, shall be waited upon by a committee for their respective dues.
  17. December 21, 1822. Resolved, that no person but a member of this fire company be entitled to loan the ladder, and that it shall be his duty to replace the same every evening, under a fine of 25 cents. And that no ladder shall be given away by any member of the company to any person not belonging to the same, without permission of the president, under the penalty of 25 cents for every day.
  18. The foregoing report and resolutions having been read and approved of, it was
  19. Resolved, that instead of 4 former ranks their shall be six; instead of 4 guards of goods, six; and instead of two axe-men, four.
  20. Resolved, that all other resolutions in the books of the Friendship Fire Company, except those that were reported by the present committee, shall be null and void and of no force or effect.

21. On motion, it was resolved, that the printed articles of the Constitution be fairly copied in the book and the foregoing resolutions attached to it, as the bye-laws of the company.

The committee appointed to examine the Treasurer's accounts for the year 1822, make report, that on the first day of January 1822 there was a balance of \$85.24 in the hands of the treasurer, and that the receipts during the year amounted to \$49.50, and that the expenditures to \$19.31 leaving a balance on the 17<sup>th</sup> of January 1823 in the hands of the treasurer amounting to the sum of One hundred and fifteen dollars and forty-three cents.

Whereupon it was moved and seconded and unanimously agreed to, that two shares of Farmers' Bank stock be purchased by the treasurer out of the funds of the company, to be held in his name for the use of the said company, and that the treasurer make report as soon as a purchase is made.

Resolved, that Mr. Philip Benedict be appointed to collect all outstanding fines above two dollars.

The company now proceeded to the annual election of officers, when it appeared that the following persons were unanimously re-elected, viz.

President – Henry Keffer

Treasurer – Christopher Reitzel

Secretary – Joseph Ehrenfried

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Hatzman the 15<sup>th</sup> of February, 1823- P. Benedict, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Hatz, February 15, 1823, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

John Hatz 50 – John Culbert, 25 – Emanuel Schaeffer, 25 – Benedict Schipper, 25 – John Wind, 25 – John Torrens, 87 ½

Paid to the Treasurer \$2.37 ½

Resolved, that the resolutions passed March 18, 1820, and September 16, 1820 – be furnished to the different fire companies, recommending them for their adoption.

Mr. Mathia Zahn having expressed a wish to resign on account of old age, it was resolved that he shall henceforth be considered an honorary member.

Moved and seconded, that the next inspector be directed to continue collecting.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Michael, on the 15<sup>th</sup> of March, 1823 – George B. Porter, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Michael, March 15, 1823 – the following members paid their fines:

William Brown 25

Samuel Carpenter 62 ½

Daniel Haines 50

Ingham Wood 25

John Michael, jun. 37 ½

Jacob Leively 50

John Smith 62 ½

George B. Porter 81

Benjamin Gill 62 ½  
John T. Steinman 12 ½  
Jacob Scherer 37 ½  
Martin Miller 3.00  
5.75

T. A. Muhlenberg 4.18 ½  
Michael Lechleitner 6 ½  
William Simpson 6 ½  
6.62 ½  
5.75

paid to the treasurer \$12.37 ½

John Torrens moving away, wishes to decline.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Scherer, April 19, 1823 – John T. Heinitsh next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Kauffman, May 17<sup>th</sup> 1823, Jonathan Foltz being president pro temp. the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Jonathan Foltz 87 ½  
Godfrey Zahn 12 ½  
Anthony McGlinn 12 ½  
1.12 ½

Benjamin Gill 12 ½  
Peter Brach 25  
John Kauffman 1.12 ½  
1.50  
1.12 ½

paid to treasurer \$2.62 ½

On motion resolved, that Ten Quires of notices to be printed, and that the Secretary be authorised to procure the same.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Culbert, June 21<sup>st</sup> 1823 – Wm. Buck next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Culbert, June 21<sup>st</sup> 1823, the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Henry Keffer 12 ½  
Samuel Carpenter 12 ½  
Ingham Wood 25  
John Culbert 37 ½  
87 ½

William Simpson 25  
William Buck 12 ½  
Benedict Schipper 12 ½  
Jacob Leively 25  
75  
87 ½

paid to the treasurer \$1.62 ½

Resolved, that Jonathan Hinkle and John Getz be notified by the secretary of the resolutions, dated March 18<sup>th</sup> 1820, providing that the names of all members, who refuse to pay their fines, shall be published in one or more newer papers in the city.

Adjourned to meet at the house of William Cooper, July 19<sup>th</sup> 1823 – John T. Steinman next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of William Cooper, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1823, the following members paid their fines, viz.

Christopher Kurtz 37 ½  
William Cooper 75  
Godfrey Zahn 12 ½  
Daniel Haines 37 ½

John T. Heinitsh 50  
John T. Heinman 37 ½  
Michael Lechleitner 25  
Anthony McGlinn 12 ½



John Sheaff 1.12 ½  
2.75

Dainel Zahn 2.50  
3.75  
2.75

paid to the treasurer \$6.50

Resolved, that Mr. Getz be allowed further time to discharge his arrears until next meeting, and that Jonathan Hinkle's name be struck from the list of members, and that publishing of his default be delayed until further orders.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Scherer, August 19<sup>th</sup>, 1823 – John Michael, jun. Next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Jacob Scherer, August 19<sup>th</sup> 1823, the following members paid their fines,

Jacob Scherer 50	Benedict Schipper 12 ½
George Mayer 1.00	Jacob Leively 12 ½
Peter Forney 1.00	John Kauffman 25
Peter Mc Donough 12 ½	50
2.62 ½	2.62 ½

paid to the treasurer \$3.12 ½

Resolved, that the case of Mr. Getz be postponed until the next meeting.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Hatz, Septmber 20<sup>th</sup> 1823 – Peter McDonough, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Hatz Septmeber 20<sup>th</sup> 1823 the following members paid their fines viz.

John Hatz 75	Ingham Wood 12 ½
Henry Keffer 12 ½	Daniel Haines 12 ½
Jonathan Foltz 12 ½	Benjamin Gill 12 ½
Anthony McGlinn 12 ½	John T. Heintish 12 ½
John T. Heinman 12 ½	Peter Brach 37 ½
Daniel Zahn 12 ½	over 1 37 ½
1.37 ½	paid to the treasurer 2.25

Christopher Kurtz 16  
3.31

Resolved, that the Secretary be and he is hereby authorized, to make out the account of Mr. John Getz, and and present it for payment, and if not paid on demand, to publish his name together with Mr. Jonathan Hinkle, agreeably to a resolution of March 18<sup>th</sup> 1820 – and report to the next meeting,

A bill presented by Mr. Keffer, for cleaning the hose and repairing the Engine, was ordered to be paid.

Resolved, that a committee be apointed to examine the Engine and Hose and be authorised to try them, of them they should think it necessary, also to repair them if wanted, and report to the next meeting. Committee: Mepers. Kurtz, Ihling, Heinitsh, Wood, and Schaeffer.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Peter McDonough, October 18<sup>th</sup> 1823 – John Mumm, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Peter McDonough October 18<sup>th</sup> 1823,  
John Culbert paid 37 ½  
Paid to the treasurer 37 ½ cents  
No Quorum being present, adjourned to meet at the house of Michael Metzger,  
November 15<sup>th</sup> 1823 – Jacob Leively, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Michael Metzger, on the 15<sup>th</sup> say of  
November, 1823 – the president being absent, Mr. Christopher Kurtz was  
appointed president pro temp.

The following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Christopher Reitzel 12 ½	Anthony McGlenn 12 ½
John Hatz 12 ½	William Simpson 25
Jacob Scherer 25	Benjamin Gill 12 ½
William Brown 37 ½	Michael Metzger 1.12 ½
Christopher Kurtz 12 ½	Emanuel Schaeffer 37 ½
Samuel Carpenter 50	John T. Heinitsh 12 ½
John Ihling 12 ½	2.62 ½
2.12 ½	2.12 ½

paid to the treasurer \$4.75

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Michael, jun. December 20<sup>th</sup>  
1823 – John Smith next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Michael, jun. December 20<sup>th</sup> 1823,  
the following members paid their respective fines, viz.

Henry Keffer 25  
George Mayer 37 ½  
Philip Benedict 12 ½  
John Wind 1.00  
John Michael 1.00  
Peter Brach 25  
Daniel Haines 21

Paid to the treasurer \$3.31

Resolved, that the resolution of September last, for enforcing the  
resolution of March 18<sup>th</sup> 1820, be carried into effect.

Mepers. Mayer, Kurtz and Heinitsh were appointed a committee to  
examine the treasurer's accounts and to revise the stations.

Adjourned to meet at the house of William Cooper, January 17<sup>th</sup> 1824 –  
Peter Brach, next inspector.



merchant													
22. George Mayer	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	A
23. Henry Carpenter	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$4.37 ½ a
24. Peter Forney	a	-	a	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	50 pd a
25. Daniel Haines	a	a	a	-	De ce as ed								
26. John Jungling	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$4.50 -
27. Ingham Wood	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	37 ½ a
28. John Culbert	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	-	a	a	a	a	a
29. William Simpson	a	-	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a
30. William Heitshu	-	a	-	-	-	-	a	a	-	-	-	-	-
31. T.A. Muhlenberg	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.12 ½ a
32. John Musser	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
33. Benjamin Gill	-	-	-	a	-	a	a	a	-	-	-	-	-
54. John Getz No. 25 in order	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	9.50 pd a 3 remitted
34. John A. Landis, museum	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.62 ½ a
35. John Sheaff	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	62 ½ pd -
36. Daniel Zahn	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	-	a	-	a	37 ½ pd -
37. Michael Metzger	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	12 ½ pd a
38. Christian Smith	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.50 a
39. Emanuel Schaeffer	-	-	a	-	-	-	a	a	a	-	a	-	
40. Philip Benedict	-	-	-	-	-	-	a	a	-	-	-	-	-
41. George B. Porter	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	12 ½	a	a	a	\$1.12 ½ pd a
42. John T. Heinitsh	-	-	-	-	a	-	a	a	-	a	-	-	-

43. John Wind	-	-	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	-	-
44. William Buck	-	-	-	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	-	-	-
45. John T. Steinman	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	-	a	37 ½ pd a
46. John Michael, jun.	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-
47. Peter McDonough	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6 ½	-	-	-	-
48. Jacob Leively	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	50 pd a
49. John Smith, whitesmith	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	\$1.12 ½ pd a
50. Peter Brach	-	-	a	-	-	a	a	a	-	-	a	a	-
51. Henry Eichholtz	-	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
52. John Kauffman	a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a	a	-	a	50 pd a
53. Michael Lechleitner	-	-	a	-	a	-	-	a	a	-	-	-	-
54. John Riddle No. 4 in order				-	-	-	a	a	-	-	a	-	a

At a meeting held at the house of William Cooper, January 17<sup>th</sup> 1824 – the following members paid their fines,

William Cooper 62 ½  
 John Musser 2.62 ½  
 Emanl Schaeffer 12 ½  
 Peter Brach 12 ½  
 3.50

Michael Lechleitner 50  
 Anthony McGlinn 12 ½  
 John Mumm 2.37 ½  
 Henry Eichholtz 1.56  
 4.56  
 3.50

paid to the treasurer \$8.6

Mr. John Mumm declines being a member any longer.

The Committee appointed to examine the treasurer's accounts for the year 1823, make report, that on the first day of January 1823, there was a balance of \$115.43 ½ in the hands of the treasurer, and that the receipts during the year amounted to \$46.74, and the expenditures to \$24.75, leaving a balance on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of January 1824, in the hands of the treasurer, amounting to the sum of \$137.42, one hundred dollars whereof consist of two shares of stock in the Farmers Bank of Lancaster.

The committee appointed to review the stations, asked further time, to report next meeting.

The annual election having been held, it appeared that Henry Keffer was re-elected president, Joseph Ehrenfried secretary, and Christopher Reitzel treasurer.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Hatz, February 21<sup>st</sup> 1824 – Henry Eichholtz next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Hatz, February 21<sup>st</sup> 1824, the following members paid their fines, viz.

John Hatz 25	John Getz 6.50
Jacob Scherer 25	3 dollars haing been remitted
Godfrey Zahn 12 ½	John Smith 1.25
Peter Forney 62 ½	William Simpson 12 ½
1.25	\$7.87 ½
	1.25
	paid to the treasurer \$9.12 ½

The committee to revise the stations asked and obtained further time to report next meeting.

On motion it was resolved that on the thirs Saturday of next month th emembers mee at the Engine house, at four o'clock, P.M in order to try the Hose, and that notice of this meeting be given on each ticket.

On motion, it was further resolved that a committee of five be appointed to report regulations respecting the attendance of the members to the Engine and Hose, in cases of fire. Committee Mepers, C.Kurtz, John Wind, Ins.T. Heinitsh, Emanl Schaeffer, John Ihling. To report at the next meeting.

Mr. Keffer proposed Washington Hopkins, Esq. as a new member.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Jacob Scherer, March 20<sup>th</sup> 1824 – John Kauffman, next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Jacon Scherer, on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March 1824, the following members paid their fines.

William Heitshu 12 ½ cents
John Hatz, late att. 6 ½
Paid to the tresurer 18 3 /4 cents

Mr. Reitzel having proposed John Riddle as a member, it was, on motion unanimously resolved, that Mr. Riddle shall be re-admitted to membership, without paying entrance money. He is accordingly admitted without a special vote being take, and placed in his former station.

On motion it was submitted to the consideration of the company, that the entrance money should be reduced to one dollar. The decision is left to the next meeting.

The company proceeded to the election of Washington Hopkins, Esq. When it appeared that he was unanimously elected a member of this company.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Kauffman, April 17<sup>th</sup> 1824, at 8 o'clock P.M. Michael Lechleitner next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of John Kauffman, April 17<sup>th</sup> 1824 the following members paid their fines, viz.

Samuel Carpenter 50	John Wind 12 ½
Peter Forney 12 ½	Jacob Leively 87 ½
Anthony McGlinn 12 ½	Peter Brach 12 ½
John Sheaff 1.00	John Kauffman 87 ½
Emanl Schaeffer 12 ½	M. Lachleitner 12 ½
1.87 ½	2.12 ½
	1.87 ½

paid to the treasurer \$4.00

On motion of Mr. Kurtz it was resolved to consider the proposition, made at the last meeting, to reduce the entrance money; where upon it was decided that the same be reduced to one dollar.

Adjourned to meet at the house of Michael Metzger, May 15<sup>th</sup> 1824 – Christopher Reitzel next inspector.

At a meeting held at the house of Michael Metzger, on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1824 – the following members paid their fines, viz.

Willaim Brown 62 ½	Benjamin Gill 12 ½
Henry Keffer 25	Michael Metzger 62 ½
Jonathan Foltz 87 ½	Daniel Zahn 87 ½
1.75	1.62 ½
	1.75

paid to the treasurer \$3.37 ½

The committee appointed to revise the stations, report as follows,  
Formers of Ranks- Samuel Fahnestock, Samuel Carpenter, Jacob Scherer, William Cooper, George Hambright, George B. Porter

Engine Committee- John Landis, merchant, John Hatz, Martin Miller, George Mayer, John Getz, Michael Metzger, John Wind, William Buck, John Sheaff, Christian Fick, Michael Lechleitner

Engineers- Christopher Kurtz, Henry Keffer

Large Ladder at the engine house- Benjamin Gill, Peter McDonough John Kauffman

Hose-Section- Emanuel Schaeffer and William Heitshu (Directors)  
John T. Steinman, John T. Heinitsh, T.A.Muhlenberg,  
Henry Carpenter, John A. Landis, Henry E. Eichholtz,  
William Simpson, Jacob Leively, John Michael

Roller Ladder-at Hoff's alley Christian Smith, Daniel Zahn (attached to the Hose)

Small Ladders- John Culbert, Godfrey Zahn, John Ihling, Philip Benedict  
(attached to the Hose)

Axe-Men- Anthony McGlinn, Peter Forney, John Smith, Peter Brach

Ladder at Foltz's- Jonathan Foltz, Ingham Wood

Hook at Kleifs- George Kleifs, Joseph Ehrenfried

Hook at Forney's- John Voigt, John Jungling

Hook at Landis'- John Landis

Hook at Mayer's- George Mayer, by proxy

Removers and Protectors of Property- Christopher Reitzel, Willaim Brown,  
Mathias Zahn, John Musser, John Riddle

The committee appointed to report regulations respecting the attendance of the members to the engine and hose in case of fire, report the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted by the company.

Resolved, that every member stations to the engine shall on the alarm of fire, repair to the engine house and bring the same to the fire, and shall also take back, or see the same returned to the engine house. Every member neglecting so to do, shall pay a fine of 12 ½ cents, except a reasonable excuse be given. A list of the members stationed to the Engines shall be fixed up in the Engine house, and the directors of the engine shall take notice of the absentees and report at the next meeting.

Resolved, that all members stationed to the Hose, shall in case of fire, take their stations 8 or 10 ft apart, and every member deserting his station during the continuance of the fire, shall pay a fine of 12 ½ cents for every time he shall so neglect his station, except a reasonable excuse be given. A list of the members stationed to the hose shall be fixed up in the engine house, and the directors of the hose shall take notice of the absentees, and report at the next meeting.

Adjourned to meet at the house of John Michael, June 19<sup>th</sup> 1824- Samuel Fahnestock, next inspector.