



Library Co. of Philad.^a
N.W. Cor. Locust & Juniper Sts.

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Report to Finance Committee

The agent of the Central News Co applied early in October to know at what price the Library Co would sell the Building at the Corner of 5th & Locust Streets. I replied that some years ago the Board fixed \$100,000— for the Library Building and the Law Buildings together, & I supposed that same would still buy them: and that the Board preferred to sell both together. A few days after I happened to meet him in the street and he said that his principal had been willing to buy the Library Building alone for about \$40,000— or \$50,000—, but not the two. So the matter dropped.

Mr W. Moore Wharton has not yet paid off his mortgage of \$5,000.— as promised. His interest, as usual, is in