Poetry.

THE BIRD THAT SANG IN MAY.

A bird last spring came to my window-shutter,
One lovely morning at the break of day;
And from his throat that did sweetly utter
A wild melodious lay.

He had no sonnet for his joyous passion,
No solemn strain he did fashion
Yet no doubt perfect tune and time.

Thousand joys a thousand stories,
It seemed forth in one tumultuous tide;
All like the morning-glories
That bloomed on every side

Such canticle's voluptuous ending
Dew drop from the dripping pane;
Upward his little bill extending,
Broke forth in song again.

Not to emulate his wild emotion,
To learn thanksgiving from his tuneful tongue;
A human heart ne'er uttered such devotion,
Nor human lips such a song.

At length he flew and left me in my sorrow,
Lest I should hear those tender notes no more,
And thought I early waked for him each morrow,

He came not nigh my door

But once again, one silent summer even,
I met him hopping in the new-mown hay;
But he was mute, and looked not up to heaven—
The bird that sung in May,

Though now I hear from dawn to twilight hour
The hoarse woodpecker and the noisy jay,
In vain I seek through leafless grove and bower
That bird that sung in May.

And such, methinks, are childhood's dawning pleasures,
They charm a moment and then fly away:
Through life we sigh and seek those missing treasures,
The bird that sung in May.

This little lesson, then, my friend remember,
To seize each bright-winged blessing in its day;
And never hope to catch in cold December,
The bird that sung in May!

Humorous.

A Good Joke.—A correspondent of the Lambertville (N. J.) *Beacon* says, a short time since, while staying at the borough of E———, he over-heard the following, which he thinks too good to be lost:

A number of politicians, all of whom were seeking office under Government, were seated on a tavern porch talking, when an old toper named John D———, a person who is very loquacious, when corned, but exactly the opposite when sober, said that if the company had no objections, he would tell them a story. They told him to 'fire away,' whereupon he spoke as follows:

"A certain King—I don't recollect his name—had a philosopher upon whose judgment he always depended. Now, it so happened that, one day the King took it into his head to go a hunting, and after summoning his nobles and making the necessary preparations, he summoned the philosopher and asked him if it would rain. The philosopher told him it would not, and he and his nobles departed. While journeying along they met a country man mounted on a jackass.—He advised them to return; 'for' said he, 'it certainly will rain.' They smiled contemptuously upon him and passed on. Before they had gone many miles, however, they had reason to regret not having taken the rustic's advice, as a heavy shower coming up, they were drenched to the skin. When they had returned to the palace the King reprimanded the philosopher severely.

"'I met a countryman,'" said he, "'and he knows a great deal more than you, for he told me it would rain, whereas you told me it would not.'"

"The king then gave him his walking papers and sent for the countryman, who soon made his appearance.

"'Tell me,'" said the King, "'how you knew it would rain.'

"'I didn't know,'" said the rustic, "'my jackass told me.'

"'And how, pray, did he tell you?'" asked the King.

"'By pricking up his ears your Majesty,' returned the rustic.

"The King sent the countryman away, and procuring the jackass of him, he placed him—the jackass—in the office the philosopher filled.

"And here," observed Jack looking very wise, "is where the King made a great mistake."

"How so?" inquired the auditors.

"Why, ever since that time," said Jack, with a grin on his phiz, "*every jackass wants an office!*"

Sut Lovegood and the Locomotive Whistle.—The first locomotive "Sut" ever saw was standing with steam up and nearly ready to go, making no noise save a suppressed humming from the safety-valve. Sut had in his "skeery" cautious way clambered on the top of the tender, to find out "what sort of a beastes" it was, when the engineer slyly gave the whistle lever a long pull—shay-y-y! Sut lit twenty feet distant on a pile of cord wood, and after running until, he got straightened up, he turned round all eyes and said, "What in the h—l *did* you do to hit, Mister?" Just at this moment a negro came trundling a truck with a cooking stove, a joint of pipe on the flue-hole, and pots and pans hanging all round. Sut took a look first at the stove and then at the locomotive; a light broke out over his perplexity, and he shouted to the engineer. "Oh, yes, I understand hit all now; the tarnal old beast was jist a nickerin for her colt!"

Determined to Have Him.—The Judson girl, whose elopement from Pontiac with the negro Joe sometime since caused considerable talk, is now in Canada living with him, having again deserted her home and friends. On the occasion of her former elopement, her father and brother reclaimed her with difficulty, and took her to Indiana, where a divorce was obtained. She went home with them, and remained until last week, when she again left, with or without the consent of her parents, and came to Detroit. Crossing the river, she found Joe, and they were spedily married for the second time, and are now living in the enjoyment of connubial happiness, Joe having sold his horse and cart, and bought some furniture with the proceeds.

The Suicide "Dodge"—A man, calling himself Lamartine, is wandering through the West and raising funds, by pretending to to commit suicide. He takes laudanum and sends for a doctor and clergyman. They come to him and find a letter in his room in the most pathetic style of suicide literature. He states that his poverty is the cause of the rash act. He is restored with difficulty, and sympathetic people raise a purse for him, and he departs. He raised $25 in this way last week at Dayton and $40 at Sandusky, and departed with a "free pass" on the railroad, to commit suicide at some other place.

PROBLEM.

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is the most central of any of the first class Hotels for business, or places of amusement, and offers unsurpassed advantages to families and gentlemen visiting New York.

ALFRED FREEMAN, Proprietor.
New York, July 3, 1858.—1y

STOVES.

FOR SLE B an excellent second-hand Cooking Stove, also several Cylinder Coal Stoves.—Enquire at this office.

JUST RECEIVED a large lot of ready made CLOTHING, Cheap at
J. H. ENGEL'S.
Sunqnry, Dec. 11, 1858.—

HIGHLY IMPORTANT NEWS
M. C. GEARHART,
Has returned with a new Stock of
Confectionaries, Fruit and Toys.

It seems as if a new age, a new life was opening upon us, animating every heart to nobler deeds and higher aims! Art, Literature and Science will glow anew and seek to develope sublimer beauties and grander conception.

The business world too must feel the new influence and every part be quickened and strengthened by an increased vitality, which shall urge us on with electric speed to the consummation of greater things than was ever dreamed of in the Philosophy of the past.

Animated by the enthusiasm which prevades all classes, and desirous of doing his share towards "The great events of the Age," the subscriber would respectfully inform the good people of SUNBURY and the public generally, that he has just returned from the city of Philadelphia with the largest and choicest stock of Confectionaries, Fruit and Toys that has ever been brought to this section of country. He is also manufacturing all kinds of Confectionaries, &c., to fill up orders, wholesale or retail, at short notice.

Among his stock of Confectionaries, may be found:

French Secrets,	Gum Drops, all kinds of scent,
Burned Almonds,	Love Drops,
Cremm White,	Mint Drops, red and white,
" Lemon	Jelly Cakes,
" Rose,	Fruit Drops,
" Vanilla,	Stick Candies, of all scents
Common Secrets.	Rock Candy,
Liquorice,	Almond Candy,

FRUIT.

Bananas,	Prunes,
Dates,	Figs,
Currants dried,	Citrons,
Almonds,	Nuts of all kinds

Raisons,

LEMON SYRUP

of a superior quality, by the single or dozen. A superior quality of Segars and Tobacco, and a variety of Confectionaries, fruit, Toys, &c., all of which is offered cheap at wholesale or retail.

☞ Remember the name and place.
M. C. GEARHART,
Market st., 3 doors west of Fisher's Drug store.
Sunbury, October 30, 1858.—1y

BLAIR'S
COMMERCIAL HOUSE
No. 20 Sixth Street, above Chesnut, Philad'a.

Merchants, business men, and persons generally will find this hotel one of the most convenient and pleasant in the city. The proprietor will use his best efforts to accommodate his guests, and at reasonable prices.

December 4, 1858.—1y

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to James Beard, late Prothonotary of Northumberland county, for fees, &c., are requested to make immediate payment, and thus save cost and further trouble, as all accounts remaining unpaid will be placed in the hands of a Justice for collection. Payments can be made either to the subscriber or to J. S. Beard, at his office.

JAMES BEARD.

Sunbury, March 27, 1858.—tf

RIVIERE HOUSE,
(Formerly Rhoe's Hotel,)
LEWISBURG, UNION CO., PA.
R. G. HETZEL, Proprietor.

This is one of the largest and best furnished Hotels on the West Branch. It is located in the business part of the town, (it being the only Hotel, in Market Square.) The proprietor is determined, to use every exertion to make his house one of the best in the State; and it offers rare inducements for persons who spend a short time in one of the most pleasant towns in central Pennsylvania. Charges very moderate.

Lewisburg, June 12, 1858.—

SHERIFF & HALL,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
FOREIGN & DOMESTIC
WINES AND LIQUORS,
Mill street, (East side) North Danville, Pa.

The undersigned would respectfully announce to their friends and the public generally, that they have purchased a very extensive stock of Wines and Liquors direct from the Custom House, which they offer to the trade at Philadelphia prices thereby saving freight &c.

JOHN W. SHERIFF,
J. S. HALL,
Danville, June 19, 1858.—tf.

NEW MILLINERY
STORE.

Miss Louisa Shissler, respectfully informs the citizens of Trevorton and surrounding county, that she has opened a new store of Millinery and Fancy Goods, at Trevorton in Shamokin street, nearly opposite Knouse's Tavern, where all kinds of Bonnets and Fancy Goods can be had at the lowest terms.

Dress making also attended to in the best manner and latest style.

April 25, 1858.—tf

MOORE & CAMPION,
No. 261 South Second Street, 6 doors above Spruce,
PHILADELPHIA,

HAVE now on hand the largest assortment of
FINE CABINET FURNITURE

Than they have ever had at any previous time, and they invite the public to call and examine their stock before purchasing, as they feel confident that their prices will be a sufficient inducement for all who want good furniture to buy at their establishment.

A large assortment of Pratt's Rack and Pinion Dining Extension Tables always on hand, Spring and hair Mattresses furnished at lowest prices.

Furniture carefully packed and on reasonable terms.

Philadelphia, July 24, 1858.—1y

Fishing Tackle.—Red Cork, Grass, Cotton and Linen Lines, Out Lines, Sea Grass by the yard, Snoods, Flies, Kirby, Limerick and Carlisle Hooks, Rods, &c., for sale by
July 17, '58. A. W. FISHER.

Citrate of Magnesia
on
TASTELESS SALTS.

This preparation is recommended as an excellent laxative and purgative. It operates mildly, is entirely free from any unpleasant taste resembling lemonade in flavor, prepared and sold by A. W. FISHER.

Sunbury, July 17, 1858.

NOBLIT, BROWN & NOBLIT,
Cabinet Makers' Finding Store
AND BEDDING WARE-ROOMS,

Having REMOVED to the new Iron Front Warehouse, No. 222 South Second Street, below Dock, West Side, PHILLDELPHIA.

Now offer to ther customers and the public generally, a new and full assortment of CABINET HARDWARE & MATERIALS. They invite the attention of the trade to their stock of Hair Seating and Curled Hair, of their their own manufacture; Also to a full assortment of BEDDING AND UPHOLSTERY.

Philadelphia, July 3, 1858.—1y

Wholesale Grocery.
EBY & KUNKEL,
Opposite the Pennsylvania Rail Road Depot
HARRISBURG, PA.

Keep a large stock of the following named articles, and will sell cheaper than any other house this side of Philadelphia. Call and see price of

Coffee,	Lard oil,	Fish oil,
Sugar,	Fish,	Tar,
Tea,	Salt,	Rosin,
Spices,	Hams,	Pitch,
Tobacco,	Shoulders,	Oakum
Cigars,	Flour,	Robes,
Vinegar,	Fluid,	Calcined Plaster
Cheese,	Soap,	Candles &c.

S. H. Molasses, Syrups, N. O. Molasses. Also, Cement, Safety Fuse, Crow Bars, Sledges, Iron and Nails, for sale at very small profits.

July 3, '858.—1y

Port and MADERIA WINES, Schiedam Schnapps, Wild Cherry brandy, Blackberry and Lavender brandies for medicinal purposes at
July 17, '58. A. W. FISHER.

FURNITURE! FURNITURE!!
THE LARGEST STOCK EVER OFFERED IN SUNBURY.
Fashionable, Cheap and Useful

The subscriber, long established as a Cabinet and Chair Manufacturer in Sunbury, thankful for past favors, solicits a continuance of the public patronage. His stock of Cabinet-Ware, Chairs, &c., embraces

EVERY VARIETY, USEFUL AND ORNAMENTAL

in housekeeping. It is unnecessary to enumerate, as anything that may be required in his line can be had at moderate prices, Cheap for Cash, or Country Produce taken in exchange. Establishment

South East Corner of Market Square.

☞ Those knowing themselves indebted to the subscriber would oblige him by making payment.

SEBASTIAN HAUPT.

Sunbury, April 4, 1857.—tf

PHILIP H. PURDY.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Grocery, Wine and Liquor Store,
S. E. cor. Walnut and Water Streets,
PHILADELPHIA,

DEALERS and families will be promptly supplied at the lowest prices.

October 4, 1856.—tf

HERRING'S SAFE.

AGAIN THE
CHAMPION!!

The ony Safe which, in every instance, preserved their entire contents in the late extensive fire.

At the burning of the Artizan Buildings, April 10th, and in the GREAT FIRE in Market street, May 1st, 1856, the genuine

HERRING SAFE

Preserved the Jewelry of Geo. W. Simons & Bro.; Books, Papers, &c., of Fisher & Bro., and Edward Seamans & Co., after remaining exposed in the burning ruins for nearly FORTY HOURS, and proving conclusively what we have always claimed for them, THEIR GREAT SUPERIORITY over all securities now known.

In these fires, THE HERRING'S SAFE, standing side by side with those advertised as "warranted to stand 10 per cent. more fire than Herring's," came forth the ACKNOWLEDGED VICTOR, not only preserving their contents in EXCELLENT order, but being in themselves in a condition to go through another ordeal, while the boasted "Salamanders" of other makers were badly used up in every instance, and in some cases their entire contents completely destroyed.

To the public he would simply say, that, during the fourteen years the HERRING'S SAFE has been before them, more than two hundred have passed through accidental fires without the occurrence of a single loss.

We would, therefore, CAUTION purchasers against the misrepresentation of interested parties. The HERRING'S PATENT is the only FIRE PROOF SAFE made in this city, which is protected by a PATENT RIGHT, and we will guarantee it to resist more then double the amount of heat of any other Safe now known.

Farrel, Herring & Co.,
Sole Manufacturers in this State of
"Herring's Patent Champion Safes,"
34 Walnut St., Philada.

☞ "Evans & Watson's Improved Salamanders," "Oliver Evans'," "C. S. Gayler's," and "Scott's Absetos," Iron Chests, (a large assortment having been taken in part payment for "Herring's,") will be sold at low prices.

Philadelphia, July 10, 1858.—1y

Swayne's Comp'd Syrup of Wild Cherry, an excellent article for Coughs, Colds, &c. For sale only at FISHER'S.

Sunbury, Oct. 2, 1858.

SADELRY AND HARNESS MAKING.

The subscribers respectfully inform the citizens of Sunbury and vicinity that they have commenced the above business a few doors above the Post Office, Market Square, Sunbury, Pa. Work of all