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JOB PRINTING.  
We have connected with our establishment a well  
selected JOB PRINTING, which will enable us to  
execute, in the neatest style, every variety of  
Printing.

BALTIMORE  
LOCK HOSPITAL.  
ESTABLISHED AS A REFUGUM QUAC-  
ERY.  
THE ONLY PLACE WHERE A CURE  
CAN BE OBTAINED.

DR. JOHNSTON has discovered the most Certain,  
Speedy and only Effectual Remedy in the  
World for all Private Diseases, Weakness of the Back,  
Lungs, Stricture, Affections of the Kidneys and  
Bladder, Involuntary Discharges, Impotence, Sexual  
Debility, Nervousness, Dyspepsia, Langour, Low  
Sprits, Confusion of Ideas, Palpitation of the Heart,  
Faintings, Tremblings, Diarrhoea, Stomachic Affections,  
Disease of the Head, Throat, Nose or Skin, Affections  
of the Liver, Lungs, Stomach or Bowels—These Terrible  
Diseases arising from the Syphilis, and all other  
“contagious secret and soling practices more fatal  
to their victims than the sting of a scorpion to the  
Masters of Hygiene, and the most brilliant hopes  
of anticipation, rendering marriage, &c., impos-  
sible.

YOUNG MEN  
specially, who have become the victims of Solitary  
vice, that dreadful and destructive habit which  
sooner or later annihilates the talents and brilliant  
intellect, who might otherwise have embraced estimable  
Senators with the thunders of eloquence, and  
in the living, may be cured with full con-  
fidence.

MARRIAGE.  
Married Persons, or Young Men contemplating  
marriage, being aware of physical weakness, organic  
debility, deformities, &c., specially cured.  
He who places himself under the care of Dr. J.  
will be religiously confidential, as a gentleman,  
and confidently rely upon his skill as a Physician.

ORGANIC WEAKNESS  
Immediately Cured, and Full Vigor Restored.

This distressing affection, which renders life  
miserable and marriage impossible—is the penalty  
paid by the victims of improper indulgence. Young  
persons are too apt to neglect the cause of their  
illness, and to indulge in the most pernicious  
practices. Now, who that understands the subject will  
pretend to deny that the cause of debility is not  
sooner cured by those falling into improper habits than  
the patient? Besides being deprived the pleasures  
of healthy offspring, the most serious and destructive  
symptoms to both body and mind arise. The system  
becomes deranged, the Physical and Mental Func-  
tions weakened, Loss of Procreative Power, Nervous  
Debility, Dyspepsia, Impotence of the Testes and  
Intelligence, Constitutional Decay, a Wasting of  
the Frame, Cough, Consumption, Decay and Death.

Office, No. 7 North Frederick Street,  
left hand side going from Baltimore street, a few  
doors from the corner. Fall not to observe name  
of number.

Letters must be paid and contain a stamp. The  
Doctor's Diplomas will be sent free of charge.

A CURE WARRANTED IN TWO  
DAYS.  
No Mercury or Naustron Drugs.

DR. JOHNSTON.  
Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London,  
Graduate from one of the most eminent Colleges in  
his United States, and the greater part of his  
career spent in the hospitals of London, Paris,  
Philadelphia and elsewhere, has effected some of  
the most astonishing cures that were ever known;  
many treated with medicine in the head and ears  
when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at  
unseen sounds, bashfulness, with frequent blushing,  
attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were  
cured immediately.

FAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE.  
Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured them-  
selves by improper indulgence in solitary vice, for  
which relief he offers, and which will be given to  
every business, study, society or marriage.

These are some of the most and best effects  
produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness  
of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness  
of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of  
Heart, Dyspepsia, Impotence of the Testes, De-  
bility of the Digestive Functions, General Debility,  
Symptoms of Consumption, &c.

YOUNG MEN  
Who have injured themselves by a certain practice  
indulged in when alone, a habit frequently learned  
from evil companions, or at school, and which  
renders marriage impossible, and destroys  
both mind and body, should apply immediately  
to the office, and will be cured in a few days, and  
the cause of the disease, should be removed  
at all prospects and enjoyments of life, by the  
consequence of deriving from the medicine  
and indulging in a certain secret habit. Such persons  
must, before contemplating.

MARRIAGE.  
reflect that a sound mind and body are the most  
necessary requisites to promote conjugal happiness.  
Indeed without these, the journey through life  
is almost insupportable, and the prospect hourly  
darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed  
with despair and filled with the melancholy reflec-  
tion that the happiness of another generation  
will be sacrificed to our own.

SENSATION OF IMPREQUENCY.  
Men who find that he has imbibed the seeds of this  
pestiferous disease, it too often happens that an ill-  
timed sense of shame, or desire of respect, induces  
a habit of secrecy, and the patient, without  
respectability, or those who from education and  
respectability, can alone befriend him, delaying till  
the constitutional symptoms of the disease  
appear, and when the disease has advanced so  
far, as to induce, not only local, but general  
debility, and in many instances, the head, face,  
and extremities, progressing with frightful rapidity,  
till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the  
nose fall in, and the victim of this pestiferous  
disease becomes a horrid object of commiseration, till death  
puts a period to his dreadful sufferings, by sending  
him to an undiscovered country from whence no  
traveller returns.

It is an melancholy fact that thousands fall victims  
to this terrible disease, owing to the influence of  
ignorant quacks, who, by the use of that Deadly  
Poison, Mercury, ruin the constitution and make  
the residue of life miserable.

STRANGERS  
Trust not your lives or health, to the care of the  
many Unlearned and Worthless Pretenders, destitute  
of knowledge, names or of any real qualifications,  
whose advertisements, or style themselves, in  
the newspapers, regularly Educated Physicians,  
after months of taking their filthy and poisonous  
compositions, or as long as the smallest fee can be obtained,  
and in despair, leave you with roused health to sigh  
over your falling complection.

Dr. Johnston is the only Physician advertising.  
His credentials or diplomas always hang in his office,  
and his treatment is equally successful in many  
of the others, prepared from a life spent in the great  
hospitals of Europe, the first in the country and a more  
extensive Private Practice than any other Physician  
in the world.

INDORSEMENT OF THE PRESS.  
The many thousands cured, and the important Surgical  
operations performed by Dr. Johnston, witnessed by  
the reporters of the Sun, "The Nation," and other  
celebrated journals, which have appeared again  
and again before the public, besides his standing as  
a gentleman of character and responsibility, is a  
sufficient guarantee of his skill.

SKINDISEASES SPEEDILY  
CURED.  
Persons wishing particular information in directing  
their letters to the Institution, in the following man-  
ner, viz: JOHNSTON, No. 7, N. Frederick Street, Md.  
June 24, 1855—17.

BOARDING HOUSE!  
MRS. MARIA THOMPSON,  
(formerly the "Lawrence House")  
SUNBURY, PENNA.

INFORMS her friends that she has generally  
that she has selected the most favorable place  
near the Northern Central Railway Depot, and  
Boarding House, where it is prepared to keep  
PERMANENT AND TRANSIENT BOARDERS  
with good cooks and waiters.  
Patrons from those who may require in Sunbury  
is respectfully solicited.  
Mrs. MARIA THOMPSON  
Sunbury, Nov. 11, 1855.

JEWELRY! JEWELRY!  
JOSEPH KESSLER,  
Watchmaker and Jeweler,  
Market Street, Sunbury, Pa.

RESPECTFULLY informs her friends and the public,  
that he has just received a large assortment  
of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, Spectacles,  
Silver and plated spoons, Forks, &c., &c.  
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired and war-  
ranted.  
Sunbury, Jan. 13, 1856—17.

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One quarter column, not exceeding 4 squares, \$15 00  
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not exceeding ten, 20 cents per line; 10 cents for  
every additional line.  
Marriage notices, 50 cents.  
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deaths, 10 cents per line.

**A NEW ARRIVAL**  
**EXCELSIOR SHOE STORE**  
AT THE  
W.M. H. MILLER.  
HAS just arrived from New York and Philadel-  
phia, with a choice stock of  
**BOOTS AND SHOES.**  
Of the latest styles, and selected with great care,  
to suit all, and is determined to please all his customers  
great and small.  
If you want the latest styles, FANCY, PLAIN,  
AND DURABLE, go to the Excelsior Shoe Store, as  
no other shoes are sold there, and it always  
contains the latest styles, and at the same price  
than it is to buy a poor one, for

**ESTES'S COTTAGE ORGANS.**  
**EXCELLENT WINE FOR FEMALES.**  
Every family at this season, should use  
**SPEER'S WINE.**  
celebrated in Europe for its medicinal and beneficial  
qualities, highly esteemed by eminent physicians,  
in all of the first families in Europe and America.  
It is a TONIC  
It has no equal, causing an appetite and building up  
the system, being entirely a pure wine of a most  
valuable grape.

**EXCELLENT WINE FOR FEMALES.**  
**SPEER'S WINE.**  
It imparts a healthy action to the Gallbladder,  
Kidneys, and Urinary Organs, very beneficial in Dropsy,  
Gout, and Rheumatic Affections.  
**SPER'S WINE**  
is a pure article from the Estate of the Port Grape,  
possessing medicinal properties superior to any other  
wine in use, and an excellent article for all weak and  
debilitated persons, and the aged and infirm, in  
improving the appetite, and refreshing the blood,  
and children.

**HATS! HATS!**  
**A FULL ASSORTMENT JUST OPENED**  
by  
**SAMUEL FAUST.**  
Two doors west of Fisher's Drug Store, Market at  
**SUNBURY, PENNA.**  
CALL and examine the large assortment of  
HATS, made in New York and Philadelphia styles of  
**HATS, CAPS,**  
at the above establishment, which for beauty and du-  
rability cannot be excelled. Being a practical Hat-  
maker, he desires to call attention to the fact, that he  
has with more care than any ever before brought to  
this place.

**NEW GOODS!**  
HAVING just returned from the city, I have  
now open a full assortment of  
**FALL & WINTER GOODS.**  
Such as Dress Goods, Dress Trimmings, and  
Lining, Ribbons, Gloves, Nets, Linnen  
Collars and Cuffs, Cloak Ornaments,  
Buttons, &c., &c.  
**HOSIERY.**  
White and Woolen Goods, Shawls,  
and Breakfast Shawls, Ladies' and  
Gents' Scarfs, Neckties, Slieve Dusters, Fancy  
Hosiery, and all notions of all kinds, too numerous to  
mention.

**NEW GROCERY**  
The subscribers here leave to announce to the  
citizens of Sunbury and its vicinity, that they  
have opened a  
**NEW GROCERY,**  
Two doors west of J. H. England's Store, in  
Market Square,  
where they are prepared to furnish every variety of  
groceries, and will keep constantly on hand the  
choicest varieties of  
**FLOUR & FEED.**  
Fish, Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Molasses, Cheese, Salt,  
Spices of all description, Soups of every variety,  
Candles, Smoking and Chewing tobacco, Segars,  
Hams, Shoulders, Bacon, Butter and Eggs. Also  
Dried fruits of all kinds, Canned Peaches and Tomatoes,  
Pickles, Ketchup, Pepper Sauce, Raisins,  
Lemonade, &c., of best quality, and in fact every style  
of articles kept in a well stocked Grocery. Also  
Cider Vinegar. All kinds of country produce taken  
in exchange. The patronage of the public is re-  
spectfully solicited.  
**GEORGE E. BEARD & CO.**  
Sunbury, Nov. 11, 1855

**AMBROTYPE AND PHOTOGRAPH  
GALLERY.**  
Over J. Bowen's Store, corner Market & Fawn Sts.,  
**SUNBURY, PA.**  
S. BYERLY, informs his friends and the public  
in the most friendly and liberal manner, that he is  
in the above place.

**Pure Liberty White Lead.**  
The Whitest, the most durable and the most econ-  
omical. Try it. Manufactured only by  
**ZIEGLER & SMITH,**  
Wholesale Drug, Paint & Glass Dealers,  
No. 17 North Third Street, Philadelphia,  
January 27, 1855-17.

**CONSTITUTION WATER.**  
The astonishing results which have attended this  
invaluable medicine, proves it to be the most perfect  
remedy ever discovered. No language can convey  
an adequate idea of the immolation and almost in-  
finite changes which it occasions in the debilitated  
and shattered system. In fact it stands unrivalled  
as a remedy for the permanent cure of Diabetes,  
Impotence, Loss of Muscular Energy, Physical Pro-  
stration, Indigestion, Non-retention or Incontinence  
of Urine, Irritation, Inflammation or Ulceration of  
the Bladder and Kidneys, Diseases of the Prostate Gland,  
Stones in the Bladder, Calculus, Gravel, or Brickbat  
Deposit, and all diseases or affections of the Bladder,  
Kidneys and Urinary Organs existing in Men,  
Women, or Children.

**POETICAL.**  
**ONE PAIR OF STOCKINGS.**  
An old woman set by her bright freedom  
Swaying thoughtfully to and fro,  
In an ancient chair whose creaking crew  
Told a tale of long ago;  
While down by her side on the kitchen floor  
Stood a pack of worsted balls—a score

**TALES & SKETCHES.**  
**TROUBLED HONEYMOON.**  
BY CLARA AUSTRIA.  
George Jameson and Katie Vaughan had  
a brilliant wedding. Everything was fault-  
less—from the ring on the cake to the ar-  
rangement of the bride's waterfall.

**Excitement had taken away his appetite.**  
The fine day had developed into a cloudy  
evening—the night would be darker than  
usual.  
George listened on, too much excited to  
feel fatigue—too much agonized about Katie  
to notice that he had split his elegant  
French gaiters out at the sides.  
After three or four hours hard walking  
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wrong. He ought to be approaching the  
suburbs of Margate. In fact he ought to  
have reached the village itself some time  
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By the simple invention of moulding  
common bricks, with dove-tailed grooves,  
in various ways, by means of which they  
can be more firmly cemented together, a  
decided improvement in the construction of  
brick walls appears to have been secured at  
a little or no additional cost.

Many of the wealthier families of New  
York, Philadelphia and Boston, are going  
to spend the ensuing summer in Europe.  
Some of them are already packing up to go.  
All the steamship lines anticipate from this  
source a more profitable season than they  
had at any time since the beginning of the  
war.

The Montreal papers state that in the  
Court of Queen's Bench the prisoners  
charged with attempting to kidnap George  
N. Sanders have been formerly acquitted.  
This has happened through a technical  
blunder in taking the depositions before  
the Police Magistrate, by whom the prisoners  
were committed.

The New Orleans *Picayune*, alluding to  
the statement that B. W. Howard and  
Judge Shafer, of California, have the  
largest dairy farm in the world, covering  
seventy-one thousand acres, says that the  
Bancroft Cartridges, of the Cavano family,  
of Los Angeles and Corpus Christi, Texas,  
covers over eighty leagues, or more than  
four hundred thousand acres.

An unknown woman, too poor to pay the  
fare across the regular bridge, at Troy, N.  
Y., on Sunday evening, attempted to pass  
on the long railroad bridge, and becoming  
dizzy, fell through into the water and was  
drowned. No one knew her name or  
history, but it is supposed that she was  
the mother of a little boy who was found cry-  
ing in the streets for his mother on the  
same evening.

Good News.—There is some hope for an  
end of the rinderpest. The cows here  
have taken up the subject. We rejoice to  
find from a Bristol paper, that they have  
called a meeting. Here is the advertisement,  
and we hope that many influential cows  
will attend.—Notice.—A meeting of the  
milk-producers in and around the City of  
Bristol will be held in the large room at  
the Hanover Arms, on Friday next, the fourth  
of the month, at three o'clock in the after-  
noon.

The dairymen of Cincinnati have met and  
resolved that the price of pure milk, on and  
after May 1st, shall be ten cents per quart.  
This news is the reverse of encouraging to  
the people who have been anticipating a  
reduction in the cost of condensed milk,  
in consequence of the decline of gold. The  
pres of that city very naturally solicits in-  
formation in regard to the assumed fact upon  
which their decision is based.

The only prisoner at Massachusetts State  
prison, at Charlestown, subjected to close  
confinement for life is James Wilson, who  
was incarcerated for a term of years on  
a fellow convict named Adams. He com-  
mitted the deed on the very day he had  
completed a sentence for stealing. He was  
formerly a good mathematician and meta-  
physician, but he has lost most of his mental  
powers by his long confinement.

A Japanese writes to the London *Star*  
to correct a false impression in relation to  
the Tycoon. He says "The Tycoon is not  
Emperor of Japan, but only a commander,  
whose duty it is to execute the commands  
of the Mikado, who stands really supreme  
in the midst of Nippon, (called Japan by  
foreigners) and orders everything relating  
to the whole country."  
Money is very scarce in Russia, and 75  
per cent is frequently charged for money  
loaned. Immense numbers of estates are  
for sale, but no purchaser presents himself.  
The most important commerce of the Rus-  
sian empire, that of cereals, is at a complete  
stand still, there being no demand for ex-  
portation.

**RECIPES, &c.**  
**BROWN BREAD.**—Take flour made of good  
wheat, ground down without bolting; use  
good yeast only for raising; make up and  
bake as every good bread-maker does with  
fine flour. It is better to bake in a moderate  
heat and rather longer than required for fine  
flour. By adding about a tablespoonful of  
good molasses (which is kneaded for every  
ordinary sized loaf, the bread will retain its  
moisture and softness till several days or a  
week old.

To have it *less brown*, make the sponge of  
fine flour, and when light, knead into it as  
much of the bran as will make the dough  
stiff enough for moulding into loaves.

As this kind of bread is particularly  
adapted to persons in delicate health, and  
invalids, all acids and alkalies should be  
avoided in its preparation. Made in the  
following plain, simple manner, it is a very  
superior article.

Too much can hardly be said in favor of  
good light, sweet bread, forming, as it does  
so staple an article of food; while that which  
is sour, heavy or imperfectly baked, as fre-  
quently happens, is not only unwholesome  
at best, for any one, but entirely unfit to be  
eaten by persons of weak digestion. To the  
dyspeptic, sedentary, and those of costive  
habits, good bread of unbleached wheat flour,  
is an almost invaluable article of daily food.

It is not only easier of digestion, but by its  
coarseness and roughness, acts mechanically,  
and aids in producing regular habits of the  
system indispensable to good health.—*Ger-  
man Telegraph.*

**JENNY LIND CAKE.**—Half cup of sugar,  
three cups of flour, two of milk, one tea-  
spoonful of cream of tartar, one of soda,  
a little salt, bake twenty minutes.

**CHEAP CAKE.**—One pint of flour, one egg,  
one cup of sugar, butter as large as the bowl  
of a spoon, milk to make stiff as powder, one  
teaspoonful of cream of tartar, half tea-  
spoonful of soda.

**FRUIT CAKE.**—Two cups of butter, three  
of sugar, one of molasses, two pounds of  
currants, one pound of citron, ten eggs, one  
tumbler of cream, one half tumbler of brandy,  
one teaspoonful of saleratus, spice of all  
kinds.

**LEMON TARTE.**—Mix well together the  
juice and grated rinds of two large lemons,  
half a pound of powdered loaf sugar, two  
eggs, and the cream of two sponges of  
bread; beat it thoroughly smooth, and put  
into twelve patty-pans, lined with  
paste; bake them until the light pud-  
ing is done.