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This establishment is now supplied with an extensive assortment of JOB TYPE, which will be increased as the patronage demands. It can now turn out PRINTING, of every description, in a neat and expeditious manner—and on very reasonable terms. Such as

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The friends of the establishment, and the public generally, are respectfully solicited to send in their orders.

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Address, WM. M. BRESLIN, Lebanon, Pa.

Music.

ACCORDEONS, Flutenas, Flutes, Fifes, Music Boxes, Banjos, Tembourines, Violin and Guitar Strings, &c. Very cheap, for sale at REITZENSTEIN & BRO.

The Groceries!

At the Centre Buildings of FABER & BRO'S, you will find very cheap, and a full assortment of Groceries. Lebanon, Oct. 21, 1857.

Hard Times Overcome.

THESE are the days in which we want our money to last as long as possible.

And the only way to do so is to go to SCHWARTZ & BRO., to buy your Winter Goods. [Nov. 25, 1857.

SECOND ARRIVAL,

OF FALL and WINTER GOODS, which will be sold cheap for cash at SCHWARTZ & BRO.

Lebanon, Nov. 25, 1857.

Irish Whiskey.

BOURBON WHISKEY, and N. E. RUM, of a Superior quality, just received and for sale at REIGART'S *Wine and Liquor Store.*

Lebanon, Dec. 30, 1857.

Presents for the Holidays.

JUST received a new supply of Watches, Jewelry, and other Fancy Articles, suitable for Christmas Presents, and for sale at low prices to suit the times, by

Dec. 16, 1857. REITZENSTEIN & BRO.

[IMPORTANT INFORMATION, by which much suffering in families may be avoided, sent to married men and those contemplating marriage. Address, enclosing four stamps, DR. G. W. ADDISCOMBE, Brooklyn, N. Y. Dec. 16, '57.—6m.

For Cheap Cloth, Cassimer,

SATINETT, and all kind of Woolen Goods, call at the Centre Building of FABER & BRO'S, where you will find every variety of Goods for Gentlemen & Boys' Wear, in kind for the season and in price to suit the times.

Lebanon, Oct. 21, 1857.

Revolvers.

COLT'S Allen's and other Revolvers, single and double barrel Pistols, fine Pocket Knives, Port Monaies, Purses in great variety and sold at the lowest figure at,

REITZENSTEIN & BRO'S.

Dec. 16, 1857. Cheap Jewelry and Fancy Store.

Feed—Feed!

PERSONS in want of Feed for Cows or Pigs, can obtain it daily at the Brewery of the subscriber, in Cumberland street, West of Plank Road. Price, from 12½ to 25 cents a bushel.

Dec. 9, 1857.—1m. HENRY HARTMAN.

Fancy Dress Goods.

AT FABER & BRO'S NEW BUILDING you will find a splendid assortment of all kinds of, Fancy Goods—Shawls, Capes, Scarfs, Collars, and in short, every variety of Goods for a complete Dress—Very cheap.

All kinds of Domestic Goods—Muslins are very cheap—Check, Ticking, Sheeting, Blankets, &c., &c. ☞ Please call and see for yourselves. [Lebanon, Oct. 21, '57.

Henry Hartman's Brewery

AND

LAGER BEER SALOON,

IN Cumberland Street, west of the Plank Road, Lebanon. Schweitzer and Limberger Cheese, Holland Herring, wholesale and Retail. A large room in the second story is free for meetings, societies, &c.

Lebanon, Dec. 9, 1857.

Ready-made Clothing!

SUCH AS OVERCOATS, Sack Coats, Frock Coats, Pants and Vests, all colors and all prices, just received and offered at such prices as have already induced many to purchase. We defy competition with Ready-made Clothing. For cheap Coats, Pants and Vests, all at

HENRY & STINE'S Store.

Lebanon, October 28, 1857.

Call and See!

CARPETS! Carpets! Oil Cloths! Oil Cloths! Baskets! Baskets! Carpet Chain! Carpet Chain! Bed Feathers! Bed Feathers! Corn Brooms! Corn Brooms! Hand Boxes! and a variety of other Goods, received and daily receiving by Howard & Co.'s Express, which will be sold cheap by

Lebanon, Oct. 28, '57. HENRY & STINE.

For Sale.

36,000 BARREL STAVES, which can be bought on reasonable terms from the undersigned.

ELIZABETH C. WEIDMAN,
ROBERT W. COLEMAN,
JOHN W. ULRICH.

Admin'rs of the Estate of Jacob B. Weidman, dec'd.

Dec. 2, 1857.

New Barber Shop.

GEORGE W. DALY, MARKET STREET, opposite the Lebanon Restaurant, would respectfully inform the Citizens of Lebanon and vicinity, that he still continues his first-class

Shaving & Hair Dressing Saloon,

and is prepared to do business in the neatest and best style, and would solicit all to give him a trial.

Lebanon, Oct. 21, 1857.

REMOVAL.

ADAM RISE has removed his HAT & CAP STORE, to his New Brick Building, (opposite his late stand,) in Cumberland Street, midway between Market street, and the Court House. He extends a cordial invitation to all his friends, and the public, to give him a call in his new location. He has just opened his NEW GOODS, bought in anticipation of his Removal and the Christmas Holidays. Lebanon, Dec. 30, 1857.

Bargains! Bargains!

THE undersigned having *purchased at Sheriff's sale,* the entire stock of CLOTHING of L. B. Oppenheimer, now offer for sale, at their store, one door south of Henry & Stine's store, in Market street, in the borough of Lebanon, all kinds of *Ready-made Fall, Winter, and Summer Clothing.* Their assortment is extensive, and of the finest and best material, and well made, and as they are anxious to sell out speedily, they are prepared to sell at LOW RATES. All in want of Clothing will do well to give them a call before purchasing elsewhere.

JACOB HECHT, BROS. & Co.

Lebanon, November 11, 1857.—tf.

A GREAT PANIC;

AND

GOODS SELLING WONDERFULLY CHEAP.

THE undersigned are now opening a very large assortment of FALL and WINTER GOODS, among which are Cloths, Cassimeres, Vesting, Ready-made Clothing, and all kinds Men's and Boys wear.

ALSO, all kinds of Goods for Ladies' wear, such as black and fancy silk, Delaines, French Merino, Coburg and plaid Goods, Shawls of all descriptions, Bonnet Trimmings, &c.

Also, a large stock of GROCERIES & QUEENSWARE.

☞ *Call at the Bee Hive.* ☜

Lebanon, Oct. 7, '57. GEORGE & SHELLENBERGER.

The Clothing Store & Tailoring Establishment of

FABER & BRO'S you will now find in their New Building, a few doors East of their former place, on the 2d Story, where you can find all kinds of CLOTHING—Coats, Over-Coats, Sacks, Round Jackets, Pants, Vests; Boys' Clothing, all very cheap. You can dress yourself from top to toe at such low prices as will suit the times.

☞ All orders for TAILORING will be promptly attended to.

☞ All kinds of *Country Produce* taken in exchange for Clothing and Tailoring. [Lebanon, Oct. 21, '57

$12,000 Worth Store Goods

AT VERY LOW PRICES!

THE UNDERSIGNED, having purchased at Sheriff's Sale, the large and complete assortment of STORE GOODS of SHIRK & TICE, at a very low price, and being desirous to close up the concern at an early day, will retail the stock at lower prices than Goods have ever been sold in Lebanon, and much cheaper than the same kind of Goods can be bought at Wholesale in the cities. The original cost of the GOODS was $12,000, and the stock is large, complete and well-assorted.

☞ Such an opportunity to obtain CHEAP GOODS is rarely offered. DRY GOODS, GROCERIES and QUEENSWARE in great quantities.

NOTES of all solvent Banks taken in exchange for Goods.

Lebanon, Oct. 7, '57. ABRAHAM SHIRK.

Prices Reduced

To suit the Times.

CONSIDERING the present aspect of the times, we have adopted the following resolutions:

RESOLVED, that we will sell all kinds of Clothing at very reduced prices, so as to give everybody a chance to buy what he wants for the winter.

RESOLVED, to sell all kinds of Furnishing Goods such as, Undergarments, Socks, Shirts, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, &c., &c., cheaper than the cheapest.

RESOLVED, to give everybody the worth of their money in whatever they want to buy in the line of Ready-made Clothing.

RESOLVED, to return our thanks to the people of Lebanon county, for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon us. REITZENSTEIN & BRO.

November 18, 1857.

Notice to Creditors.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the firm of SHIRK & TICE, or to SAMUEL U. SHIRK, by Note, Book Account, or otherwise, are requested to make early payment to AMOS R. BOUGHTER, Esq., at his Office, in Lebanon, and save costs.

LEVI KLINE,
AMOS R. BOUGHTER,

Lebanon, Oct. 7, '57. Attorneys for Creditors.

CALL and examine the new stock of Atkins & McAdam. Come soon and purchase your Boots, Shoes, &c., at Atkins & McAdam's.

LANDRETHS'

Agricultural Ware-house,

No. 21 & 23 South Sixth Street, near the State House, PHILADELPHIA.

THEIR FLOORS of this spacious building, erected expressly for the Proprietors' trade, are stored with Seeds and Implements of interest to Farmers and Gardeners.

Sixty Years Established.—The subscribers desire to call the attention of every one interested in Farming and Gardening, to their well-selected stock of

Agricultural Implements and Machinery,
Great Variety of Horticultural Tools,
Warranted Garden and Flower Seeds,
Grass and Field Seeds of the most reliable quality.

The Agricultural Implements sold by us are mostly manufactured at our Steam Works, Bristol, Pa.

Having fitted up this establishment without regard to expense, with the most complete machinery, for the manufacture of various kinds of Agricultural Implements, we are now prepared to supply all articles in this line fully equal, if not superior, to any thing of the kind ever offered to the public.

Landreth's Warranted Garden Seeds,

Have been before the public for upwards of sixty years; their wide-spread popularity, and the constantly increasing demand from year to year, is the best evidence of their superiority over all others.

Country merchants can be supplied with seeds in papers, or bulk, on the most liberal terms.

Bloomsdale, near Bristol, Pa., our Garden Seed grounds, contains three hundred and seventy acres, and is the largest establishment of its kind in the world.

D. LANDRETH & SON,
No. 21 & 23 South Sixth Street, Philada.

Oct. 7, '57—3m.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION,

PHILADELPHIA.

Important Announcement!

TO all persons afflicted with Sexual Diseases, such as Spermatorrhœa, Seminal Weakness, Impotence, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Syphilis, the Vice of Onanism, or Self-Abuse, &c.

The Howard Association, in view of the awful destruction of human life, caused by Sexual diseases, and the deceptions practised upon the unfortunate victims of such diseases by Quacks, have obtained the *Charitable Act of Congress,* entitled "An Act to give the Medical Advice *Gratis,* to the poor afflicted victims of Sexual Abuse, &c., &c." It has now established a Dispensary, which the Directors have voted to expend in advertising the above notice, in order that the Association commands the skill of the age, and will furnish the most approved treatment.

Just Published, by the Association, a Report on Spermatorrhœa, or Seminal Weakness, the vice of Onanism, Masturbation or Self-Abuse, and other diseases of the Sexual Organs, by the Consulting Surgeon, which will be sent by mail, (in a sealed envelope,) free of charge, on the receipt of two stamps for postage.

Address, DR. GEO. R. CALHOUN, Consulting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors.

GEO. FARQUHAR, *Sec'ty.* EZRA D. HEAKTWELL, *Pres't.* [Oct. 7, '57—1y.

The Golden Prize.

The New York Illustrated Weekly Golden Prize, ONE of the largest and best literary papers of the day. An imperial quarto, containing eight pages, or forty columns of choice reading matter each week.

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Specimen Copies sent free.

☞ Bills of all the Banks taken that pass current in the States from whence they are sent. Postage stamps are also receivable. Dec. 16, 1857.—3t.

Helmbold's Genuine Preparation

OF

Highly Concentrated Compound Fluid Extract Buchu.

For diseases of the Bladder, Kidneys, Gravel, Dropsy, Weaknesses, Obstructions, Secret diseases, Female Complaints, and all diseases of the Sexual Organs.

Arising from Excesses and Imprudencies in life, and removing all Improper Discharges from the Bladder, Kidneys, or Sexual Organs, whether existing in

Male or Female,

From whatever cause they may have originated, And no Matter of How Long Standing, Giving Health and Vigor to the Frame, and Bloom to the Pallid Cheek.

Joy to the Afflicted!!

It cures Nervous and Debilitated Sufferers, and removes all the symptoms, among which will be found

Indisposition to Exertion, Loss of Power, Loss of Memory, Difficulty of Breathing, General Weakness, Horror of Disease, Weak Nerves, Trembling, Dreadful Horror of Death, Night Sweats, Cold Feet, Wakefulness, Dimness of Vision, Languor, Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System, often Enormous Appetite, with Dyspeptic symptoms, Hot Hands, Flushness of the Body, Dryness of the skin, Pallid Countenance and Eruptions on the Face, Pain in the Back, Heaviness of the Eyelids, Frequently Black spots Flying before the Eyes, with Temporary suffusion and Loss of sight: Want of Attention, Great Mobility, Restlessness, with Horror of Society. Nothing is more desirable to such Patients than solitude, and Nothing they more Dread for Fear of Themselves no Repose of manner, no earnestness, no Speculation, but a hurried transition from one question to another.

These symptoms if allowed to go on—which this medicine invariably removes—soon follows Loss of Power, Patulity, and EPILEPTIC FITS—the one of which the patient may expire. Who can say that these excesses are not frequently followed by those direful diseases—INSANITY AND CONSUMPTION? The records of the Insane Asylums, and the melancholy deaths by Consumption, bear ample witness to the truth of these assertions. In Lunatic Asylums the most melancholy exhibition appears. The Countenance is actually sodden and quite destitute—neither Mirth or Grief ever visits it; should a sound of the voice occur, it is rarely articulate.

"With woeful measures wan despair
Low sullen sounds his grief beguiles."

Debility is most terrible! and has brought thousands upon thousand to untimely graves, thus blasting the ambition of many noble youths. It can be cured by the use of this INFALLIBLE REMEDY!

If you are suffering with any of the above distressing ailments, the FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU will cure you. Try it and be convinced of its efficacy.

Beware of Quack Nostrums and Quack Doctors, who falsely boast of abilities and references. Citizens know and avoid them, and save long suffering, Money, and Exposure, by sending or calling for a bottle of this Popular and specific Remedy.

It allays all pain and inflammation, is perfectly pleasant in its taste and odor, but immediate in its action.

Helmbold's Extract Buchu

Is prepared directly according to the Rules of Pharmacy and Chemistry, with the greatest accuracy and Chemical knowledge and care devoted in its combination. See Professor Dewees' Valuable Works on the practice of Physic, and most of the late standard Works of Medicine.

☞ CAUTION ☜

One hundred dollars will be paid to any Physician who can prove that the medicine ever injured a patient; and the testimony of thousands can be produced to prove that it does great good. Cases of from one week to thirteen years standing have been effected. The mass of Voluntary Testimony in possession of the Proprietor, vouching its virtues and curative powers, is immense, embracing names well known to SCIENCE AND FAME.

100,000 Bottles Have Been Sold

and not a single instance of a failure has been reported!

Personally appeared before me, an Alderman of the City of Philadelphia, H. T. HELMBOLD, Chemist, who being duly sworn does say, that his preparation contains no Narcotic, Mercury, or injurious Drug, but are purely Vegetable. H. T. HELMBOLD, sole manufacturer.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 23d day of November, 1854. WM. P. HILBERD, Alderman.

Price $1 per Bottle, or six for $5, Delivered to any Address,

Accompanied by reliable and responsible Certificates from Professors of Medical Colleges, Clergymen and others.

Prepared and sold by H. T. HELMBOLD,
Practical and Analytical Chemist.

No. 52 South Tenth St. below Chestnut,
Assembly Buildings, Phila.

☞ To be had of Dr. George Ross, D. S. Raber, and of all Druggists and Dealers throughout the United States, Canadas and British Provinces.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS!

Ask for Helmbold's—take no other.

Cures Guaranteed.

Dec. 2, 1857.—1y.

IF YOU want to BUY PRESENTS for the Holidays, call at WALTZ & ROEDEL'S BOOKSTORE.

CALL and examine WALTZ & ROEDEL'S stock, of Holiday Books before purchasing elsewhere.

WALTZ & ROEDEL'S is the place to buy handsome and desirable GIFT BOOKS for the Holidays.

Well, Peter, where have you been?

WHY, I have been at the STOVE STORE of JAMES N. ROGERS, and bought one of his superior COOKING STOVES, as he has just returned from the city and brought one of the largest assortments of

STOVES ever brought to Lebanon.

My neighbor got one from him, and it is the best Cooking Stove I ever saw. They can Bake, Roast, Cook and Wash at the same time, if they wish to, and it does everything to perfection; I was determined to get one of the same sort, and the best of all is he warrants every COOKING STOVE he sells to do as he represents.

A few more of the same sort left, with a general assortment of

Parlor, Hall, or Dining Room Stoves,

which will be sold cheap, with a full assortment of TIN and SHEET IRON WARE, generally connected with his business. ☞ All work entrusted to him will be done with neatness and dispatch.

Lebanon, Sept. 23, '57. JAMES N. ROGERS.

COME ONE! COME ALL!

Give us a Call at the Golden Sign of

HENRY & STINE.

JUST RECEIVED, a very large and splendid stock of NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS, which were purchased at the lowest Cash prices, and will be sold at unusually low prices, for cash, or in exchange for country produce.

Their stock consists in part of the following, viz:—Dry Goods, Ladies' Dress Goods, French Merinoes, Coburgs, Paramatta Cloths, Lustres, all-Wool Ducals, all-Wool De-Laines, Mouslin Delaines, high colored Wool & Silk Plaids, Ginghams, an endless variety of Prints, &c., &c., which are offered at very low prices by HENRY & STINE.

Silks! Silks! Silks!

Just received, a splendid assortment of rich black, plain and striped Dress Silks. Also, extra rich plain and striped fancy; *all the rage!* Call and see at the cheap store of HENRY & STINE.

Shawls! Shawls! Shawls!

Just opened, a splendid assortment of Long Shawls, Bay State, Thibet, black and fancy, plaid, Scotch, all colors, Chenille, and a variety of others, which are selling off fast, cheaper than the cheapest, at the store of HENRY & STINE.

Domestic Goods—Cheap!

Just Received—Muslins, Checks, Ginghams, Flannels, Canton Flannels, Tickings, and a variety of others, which are offered at reduced prices, by HENRY & STINE.

For Men's Wear!

Just received, a large and splendid assortment of French and English Cloths, at all prices. Also, plain, black and fancy Cassimeres, French Cassimeres, plaids and side stripes, Satinetts, Kentucky Jeans, Vestings, and a variety of other Goods for Boys' and Men's Wear, which are offered low by HENRY & STINE.

Now's the time to buy cheap Goods!

HENRY & STINE have just opened their Fall and Winter stock of Goods, and their assortment of Fresh GROCERIES and QUEENSWARE cannot be surpassed in the Borough of Lebanon. Call and examine, at the store of Lebanon, Oct. 28, '57. HENRY & STINE.

AFFLICTED READ!!!

Published twenty-two years ago by Dr. KINKELIN, corner of Third and Union streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS'

Experience has rendered Dr. K. a most successful practitioner in the cure of all diseases of a private nature, manhood's debility, as an impediment to marriage; nervous and sexual infirmities, diseases of the skin, and those arising from abuse of mercury.

TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE.

There is an evil habit sometimes indulged in by boys, in solitude, often growing up with them to manhood; and which, if not reformed in due time, not only begets serious obstacles to matrimonial happiness, but gives rise to a series of protracted, insidious, and devastating affections.

Few of those who give way to this pernicious practice are aware of the consequences, until they find the nervous system shattered, feel strange and unaccountable sensations, and vague fears in the mind. [See pages, 27, 28, 29, of Dr. K.'s book on "Self-Preservation."]

The unfortunate thus affected becomes feeble, is unable to labor with accustomed vigor, or to apply his mind to study; his step is sturdy and weak; he is dull, irresolute, and engages even in his sports with less energy than usual.

If he emancipate himself before the practice has done its worst, and enter matrimony, his marriage is unfruitful, and his sense tells him that this is caused by his early follies. These are considerations which should awaken the attention of all who are similarly situated.

REMEMBER,

He who places himself under Dr. KINKELIN'S treatment, may religiously confide in his honor as a gentleman, and rely upon the assurance, that the secrets of Dr. K.'s patients will never be disclosed.

Young man—let no false modesty deter you from making your case known to one, who, from education and respectability, can certainly befriend you.

☞ Dr. KINKELIN'S residence has been for the last TWENTY YEARS at the N. W. Corner of THIRD AND UNION streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

PATIENTS AT A DISTANCE

Can have (by stating their case explicitly, together with all their symptoms, per letter, enclosing a remittance) Dr. K.'s medicine, appropriated accordingly.

Forwarded to any part of the United States, and packed secure from DAMAGE or CURIOSITY, by Mail or Express.

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A VIGOROUS LIFE OR A PREMATURE DEATH, KINKELIN ON SELF-PRESERVATION—ONLY 25 CENTS.

Letters containing that value in stamps, will ensure a copy, per return of mail.

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"Nature's Guide," a new and popular Work, full of valuable advice and impressive warnings, also calculated to prevent years of misery, and save THOUSANDS of lives, is distributed without charge, and forwarded by mail, prepaid to any Post Office in the United States, on receiving an order enclosing two postage stamps.

July 15, 1857.—1y.

Of all diseases, the great, first cause
Springs from neglect of Nature's laws.

SUFFER NOT!

WHEN A

CURE IS GUARANTEED

IN ALL STAGES OF

SECRET DISEASES,

Self-abuse, Nervous Debility, Strictures, Gleets, Gravel, Diabetes, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Mercurial Rheumatism, Scrofula, Pains in the Bones and Ankles, Diseases of the Lungs, Throat, Nose and Eyes, Ulcers upon the Body or Limbs, Cancers, Dropsy, Epileptic Fits, St. Vitus' Dance, and all Diseases arising from a derangement of the Sexual Organs, such as Nervous Trembling, Loss of Memory, Loss of Power, General Weakness, Dimness of Vision, with peculiar spots appearing before the eyes, Loss of Sight, Wakefulness, Dyspepsia, Liver Disease, Eruptions upon the Face, Pain in the Back and Head, Female Irregularities and all improper discharges from both sexes. It matters not from what cause the disease originated, however long standing or obstinate the case, RECOVERY IS CERTAIN, and in a shorter time than a permanent cure can be effected by any other treatment, even after the disease has baffled the skill of eminent physicians and resisted all their means of cure. The medicines are pleasant without odor, causing no sickness and free from mercury or balsam. During twenty years of practice, I have rescued from the Jaws of Death many thousands, who, in the last stages of the above-mentioned diseases, had been given up to die by their physicians, which warrants me in promising to the afflicted, who may place themselves under my care, a perfect and most speedy cure. Secret Diseases are the greatest enemies to health, as they are the first cause of Consumption, Scrofula and many other diseases, and should be a terror to the human family. As a permanent cure is scarcely ever effected, a majority of the cases falling into the hands of incompetent persons, who not only fail to cure the diseases but ruin the constitution, filling the system with mercury, which, with the disease, hastens the sufferer into a rapid Consumption.

But should the disease and the treatment not cause death speedily and the victim marries, the disease is entailed upon the children, who are born with feeble constitutions, and the current of life corrupted by a virus which betrays itself in Scrofula, Tetter, Ulcers, Eruptions and other affections of the Skin, Eyes, Throat and Lungs, entailing upon them a brief existence of suffering and consigning them to an early grave.

SELF ABUSE is another formidable enemy to health, for nothing else in the dread catalogue of human diseases causes so destructive a drain upon the system, drawing its thousands of victims through a few years of suffering down to an untimely grave. It destroys the Nervous System, rapidly wastes away the energies of life, causes mental derangement, prevents the proper development of the system, disqualifies for marriage, society, business, and all earthly happiness, and leaves the sufferer wrecked in body or mind, predisposed to Consumption and a train of evils more to be dreaded than death itself. With the fullest confidence I assure the unfortunate victims of Self Abuse that a permanent and speedy cure can be effected, and with the abandonment of ruinous practices my patients can be restored to robust, vigorous health.

The afflicted are cautioned against the use of Patent Medicines, for there are so many ingenious snares in the columns of the public prints to catch and rob the unwary sufferers, that millions have their constitutions ruined by the vile compounds of quack doctors, or the equally poisonous nostrums vended as "Patent Medicines." I have carefully analyzed many of the so-called Patent Medicines, and find that nearly all of them contain Corrosive Sublimate, which is one of the strongest preparations of mercury and a deadly poison, which, instead of curing the disease, disables the system for life.

Three-fourths of the patent nostrums now in use are put up by unprincipled and ignorant persons who do not understand even the alphabet of the MATERIA MEDICA, and are equally as destitute of any knowledge of the human system, having one object only in view, and that to make money regardless of consequences.

Irregularities and all diseases of males and females treated on principles established by twenty years of practice, and sanctioned by thousands of the most remarkable cures. Medicines with full directions sent to any part of the United States or Canadas, by patients communicating their symptoms by letter. Business correspondence strictly confidential. Address

J. SUMMERVILLE, M. D.,
Office No. 1181 Filbert St., [Old No. 109,] below twelfth,
PHILADELPHIA.

July 8, 1857—March 18, 1857.

WALTZ & ROEDEL have just received a large assortment of NEW BOOKS.

Poetry.

WHAT IS A YEAR?

"What is a year? 'Tis but a wave
On life's dark rolling stream,
Which is so quickly gone that we
Account it but a dream.
"'Tis but a single earnest throb
Of Time's old iron heart,
Which tireless now and strong as when
It first with life did start."

KINDNESS.

"As stars upon the tranquil sea
In mimic glory shine,
So words of kindness in the heart
Reflect the source divine:
Oh, then, be kind, whoe'er thou art,
That breathest mortal breath,
And it shall brighten all thy life,
And sweeten even death."

Miscellaneous.

REMINISCENCES OF GEN'L WORTH.

A young gentleman who has for the past year been attached to one of the literary departments of this journal, (says the New York Evening Post) and who served in Gen. Worth's division in the Mexican war, has handed us the following reminiscences of the deceased hero. They illustrate the two great virtues which he had in common with every truly great man—bravery and kindness—and explain to some extent the attachment and even devotion, with which he inspired those under his command:

During the siege of Monterey, Gen. Worth's division, to which my company belonged, was operating on the north side of the city. Duncan's battery had just repulsed a column of the enemy's cavalry from the city, and my own company, which had been acting as a corps of observation on the heights, was lying in a cornfield awaiting orders to join the main body. Two of the enemy's batteries—one on the heights above the Bishop's Place, and the other across the river near Fort Saldado—had discovered our position, and were feeling for us among the tall corn with round shot and shell. The Fifth Infantry and Blanchard's Louisiana volunteers had already crossed the river to attack Fort Soldado. Our position was getting to be a little uncomfortable, when Gen. Worth galloped up, accompanied by two or three staff officers.

"Who commands this company?" he asked.

"I do, sir," said Lieutenant Shackelford, raising his tall form from behind a corn hill.

"Very well," said the General; "go over there to Major Scott, and help him take that hill. I don't want you to try to take it; I want you to take it. It must be done."

"We'll do it!" said our commander.

"The General was off in a cloud of dust to direct other operations, and with "It must be done" ringing in our ears, we responded to the lieutenant's "Come on, boys; fall in!" and were very shortly hand to hand with the enemy.

After Monterey surrendered, nearly every man in our company was taken down with the chills and fevers, and myself among the number. I had been previously weakened by that scourge, which it will be remembered, swept off our unacclimated troops "like rotten sheep," and from which, I believe, no one ever entirely recovers, and "the chills" stuck to me closer than a brother. Quinine and Peruvian bark would adjourn them for only a week at a time, at most. At Saltillo, I went into hospital with "the chills" for the sixth time, and then had one of a peculiar and dangerous nature during the paroxysm of which I was temporarily insane.

I was then "as thin as a lath"—a mere skeleton with a skin drawn over—and so weak I could hardly stand. The surgeon, Dr. Porter, a rough old Florida campaigner, remarked to me, in the morning, by way of encouragement; "Aha! my lad, you are going to die this time." I told him I hoped not, which was certainly the truth. He inquired how long I had to serve. I replied only three weeks. "Then," said he, "get a furlough and go home; perhaps you may get well there.—You can't live in this climate, and we don't want the trouble of burying you."

The hope thus hold out did more good than medicine. I prepared a furlough, and obtained the signatures of Lieutenant Shackelford, Dr. Porter, and Lieutenant Colonel Childs, who commanded the artillery battalion. The latter told me, however, that Gen. Taylor, then at Victoria, had issued orders to grant no furloughs, under any circumstances; but as it was an extreme case, I might apply to General Worth, if I thought it would do any good.

The next morning, with the assistance of my "bunky," Robert Gamble, (afterwards killed at Molino del Rey,) I walked up to the General's quarters, and asked the orderly to say that I wanted to speak to the General. The proper way would have been to send in the furlough, but I knew that would fail. The orderly at first refused to take the message, which he knew, as well as I, was contrary to all military etiquette, but finally said he would mention it casually when he went in on other business. He went in shortly, and I heard the General say, "Send him in."

When I entered, General Worth turned towards me rather hastily, saying; "Well, boy, what do you want?" Then noticing my hatchet-like face, he added, "What's the matter? sit down."

I remained standing, however, and held out the furlough. "I am sick, General; the surgeon says I can't get well if I stay here; I have only nineteen days longer to serve, and I came to ask for a furlough."

"I am very sorry, my lad, but I must refuse it. General Taylor's orders are to grant no more furloughs.

Hope and strength failed together, and I accepted the invitation proffered a moment before to be seated. In a moment strength returned—the strength of despair. I rose and addressed the General, entirely forgetting the difference of our age and rank. All timidity had vanished. I know not what I said, but for five minutes I pleaded earnestly for my life. The General fidgeted with the furlough in his hand, and his eyes glistened, but he heard me patiently. When I had said all, his face was turned from me, and I sat down. He made no reply until my heart began to sink again.

Then he spoke, in a somewhat changed voice, slowly, and hesitatingly: "I'll sign it—I'll sign it, my lad; but you must promise not to tell any one. I may be disobeying orders; but it is a hard case. You must show the furlough if you are obliged to, but not otherwise. You promise me? Very well—sign it, Pemberton."

God bless him for those words!—they saved my life. I showed the furlough to the wagon-master of the train from Saltillo, to the paymaster at Monterey, to the sergeant guarding the gangway of the lighter at Point Isabel, and to no one else till I reached home.

☞ A divine informed a sailor that the Devil was chained up.

"How long is the rope?"

"Oh," was the dignified reply, "it extends over the whole world."

"Does it," rejoined Jack, "if so the lubber might as well be loose."

The Maelstrom.

Bayard Taylor, in one of his letter from the north of Europe, thus describes this marvel of geographies:—On approaching the islands we had a fair view of the last outposts of the army—the solid barriers against which the utmost fury of the Atlantic dashes in vain. This side of Vaerge lay the large island of Moskoe, between which and a large solitary rock in the middle of the strait dividing them is the locality of the renowned Maelstrohm—now, alas! almost as mythical as the kraken or great sea snake, of the Norwegian fiords. It is a pity that the geographical illusions of our boyish days cannot remain. You learn that the noise of Niagara can be heard one hundred and twenty miles off, and that "some Indians in their canoes, have ventured down with safety." Well, one could give up the Indians without much difficulty, but it is rather discouraging to step out of the Falls depot for the first time and hear no sound except "Cab, sir?" "Hotel, sir?" So of the Maelstrom, denoted on my school-boy map by a great spiral twist, which suggested to me a tremendous whirl of the ocean, converted by the information that "vessels cannot approach nearer than seven miles." In Olney, moreover, there was a picture of a luckless bark, half way down the vortex. I had been warming my imagination, as we came up the coast, with Campbell's sonorous lines—

"Round the shores where runic Odin
Howls his war-song to the gale—
Round the isles where loud Lofoden
Whirls to death the roaring whale;

and, as we looked over the smooth water toward Moskoe, felt a renewed desire to make an excursion thither on our return from the north. But, according to Captain Rus, and other modern authorities which I consulted, the Maelstorm has lost all its terrors and attractions. Under certain conditions of wind and tide, and eddy is formed in a strait, it is true, which may be dangerous to small boats, but the place is by no means so much dreaded as the Salten Fiord, where the tide, rushing in, is caught in such a manner as to form a *bore,* as in the Bay of Fundy, and frequently proves destructive to the fishing craft. It is the general opinion that some of the rocks which formerly made the Maelstrom so terrible have been worn away, or that some submarine convulsion has taken place, which has changed the action of the waters; it is impossible to account for the reputation it once possessed.

Brandy that Makes Men Howl.—The man who was once fortunate enough to get a drink of good brandy at a state-house between Shasta and Sacramento, on presenting himself at the sanctum of the Shasta (Cal.) *Courier,* will be rewarded with a very extensive piece of gold bearing quartz.—Since the days of '49 way-side hotels have kept villainous stuff.—Now however, it is said to be preternaturally diabolical. It not only kills at the counter, but occasionally "fetches" a fellow fifty feet distant, with a stream of water between. A perfect idea of its quality may be obtained from the following incident, which occurred between "dealers" doing business at stands five miles apart between Shasta and Red Bluffs.

Upper Stand Man.—(Standing before the counter of "Lower Stand Man,") "I say, old fellow, you don't sell such stuff as I do. Mine kills a hundred yards without rest!"

Lower Stand Man.—"Well, I don't know whether mine kills, eventually, or not; but I always notice that every time they take a "suck" of it, I can hear them howl all the way to your stand."

A LEGAL DECISION.—We clip the following from the Paris correspondent of the Memphis *Daily Appeal.*

The son of a wealthy Jew banker in London became much attached to a young Christian, with whom his father opposed his union. When the son found that the father could not be induced to give his consent to the match, he concluded to marry without it. The father then threatened to withhold every shilling from him, whereupon the son replied that if the father did not intend to give him anything, he would become a Christan, and according to the law he would be entitled to one-half of his father's fortune. The father, much alarmed, flew to his lawyer, to inquire whether such a law really was in existence. The lawyer's answer was in the affirmative, but added that he would hand him over ten guineas, he would give him a plan by which he could frustrate his son's plans. The ten guineas were quickly produced. "Now," said the lawyer, quickly pocketing the money, "all that remains for you to do, is become a Christian also, and the law will not oblige you to leave your son a cent of your money." The Jew hurriedly seized his hat, and left the lawyer without any further remark.

Levi Jackson was commonly called "Old Hickory," among his neighbors in Erie County, Pennsylvania, and for many years he filled the office of constable.

'At one of the Courts of Quarter Sessions, some two or three years ago,' writes a correspondent of the Drawer, 'Levi, having risen above his former office, happened to be on the Grand Jury, and was made Foreman. He had never been distinguished for more wits than were noccessary to do what he was told and now he was told and now he was quite willing to spread himself generally The jury were sent out with orders to bring in all bills indorsed by the foreman. In due time he reported a batch indorsed 'Levi Jackson.' The Court informed him that the indorsement was noity. 'That is,' said the Judge' must sign them *as* foreman.' He soon returned into Court and presented the bills, each one of them sign