to the water, and floated about, now one side up now another, for all the world like an inflated bladder. On emerging from the water it was rapidly evaporated by the sun; and the salt christanizing on our bodies, gave us the appearance of animated sticks of rock candy, or a family resemblance to Lot's wife. With a sensation upon our skin, as if we had been pickled for family use, and with a taste in our mouth compounded of Glauber salts and assafoetida, we concluded that one bath in the Dead Sea was enough for a life time.

Lebanon Advertiser.

"WHEN DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES CEASE TO LEAD, WE CEASE TO FOLLOW."

WM. M. BRESLIN, Editor and Proprietor.

LEBANON, PA.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1859.

☞ The opposition party are unfortunate in their selection of candidates for office. They last fall elected Wm. E. Frazer Canal Commissioner, and, according to the *Courier*, he proved himself a scamp, although in office but a few days. We know not what truth there may be in the charges against Mr. Frazer, but this we do know that most of the men elected to office, state and national, in the last twenty years, by the opposition, have been forsaken and denounced by the party which elected them. Whether they proved incompetent or dishonest, or simply failed in making subservient to party their country and oath of office, is not to be discussed here; but the fact stands on record, that Tyler, Cooper, Pollock, Fillmore, and now Frazer, had hardly taken the seats to which they were elected before they got into regular Kilkenny cat-fights with their friends. The secret probably lies in the fact, that in the selection of candidates the opposition look to availability alone, and after they have elected them, the article is not what it was supposed to be.

DEATH OF THE POSTMASTER GENERAL.—The Hon. AARON VAIL BROWN, of Tennessee, Postmaster General of the the United States, died at the city of Washington, on Tuesday morning, the 8th of March, in the sixty-fourth year of his age. Mr. Brown has occupied various prominent public stations. He served in the Legislature of Tennessee, after removing from Virginia, where he was born; was six years in Congress, and two years Governor of his adopted State. Governor BROWN has always maintained a high personal character, whether as a member of the Bar or as a politician. He was an eloquent popular speaker, an influential party leader. He was named as a candidate for Vice President in 1856, and was appointed in the Cabinet of Mr. Buchanan in 1857—having been Postmaster General two years and four days. He was a gentleman of large wealth, and leaves a widow and daughter, with numerous family connections. His remains were conveyed to Tennessee.

DANGEROUS COUNTERFEIT.—A new and very dangerous counterfeit was put in circulation last week. It is a five on the Easton Bank, at Easton, in this State, and nearly a *fac simile* of the genuine. All the devices are the same as the true note; the shaded bars across the 5's on the corners are well defined on the good note, but they are imperfect on the counterfeit, and a black line appears also that is not on the genuine.—The ink with which the note is printed is rather lighter colored than it is on the good notes. We need not describe the other features of the note, for they are just like the genuine. The signatures are well imitated. These spurious notes are in circulation in Bucks county. One was offered at the Doylestown Bank lately. Look out for them.

FIENDISH OUTRAGE.—On Friday last, a man named Thomas Heitel, well known in Berks and Lehigh counties, as a pedlar of fruit trees, entered the dwelling-house of a respectable farmer in Centre township, Berks county, and in the absence of the rest of the family, violated the person of a little girl, fifteen years of age. The outrage is the more aggravated, from the fact that the victim is afflicted with mental imbecility. Heitel left the house unperceived, but was pursued, and traced to a hotel in Reading, where he lodged during Friday night. Early Saturday morning, however, he made his escape, and has thus far eluded his pursuers. A reward of $25 is offered for his arrest. He is described as a man about 25 years of age, with black hair and whiskers. Heitel has a wife and several children, and resides in Wernerville, Albany township, Berks county.

☞ Louis Suter, recently on trial in Philadelphia, for passing counterfeit coin, was acquitted last week. Several indictments are still pending against him in the Lancaster Courts.

☞ The Democratic State Convention for the nomination of candidates for Auditor General, and Surveyor General, meets at Harrisburg to-day. The delegate from this county is Mr. Jacob Witmer, of Cornwall.

The Senatorial Delegate of the District is Col. R. J. Haldeman, of Harrisburg.

☞ The trial of Mr. Sickles for the killing of Mr. Key, in Washington, will not take place for several weeks yet. The Court will dispose of its regular order of business, before taking up this case. Sickles still remains in prison. He is confident of acquital.

☞ THE OFFICE ABOLISHED.—The bill to abolish the office of Sealer of Weights and Measures in Berks, Lancaster, and other counties, has finally passed both pranches of the Legislature, and is, by this time, doubtless a law. It does not take effect, however, until the terms for which the present incumbents were appointed, shall expire.

The Minnesota papers say that the Indians in part of that country are being rapidly civilized, all those in the neighborhood of the settlements drinking whiskey, chewing tobacco, lying, stealing and swearing equal to white men; and the other day a young squaw committed suicide by hanging herself on a tree, on account of disappointments in love.

A BIG ITEM.—We learn that Smith's Grammar, published by Wm. H. Butler, of Philadelphia, has reached the 277th edition, of 10,000 copies each, while of Mitchell's school geographies four hundred thousand volumes have been already printed. The copy rights of these two works are in themselves a fortune.

☞ It is stated that the Russian war, for a single year, cost over $250,000,000. No small amount spent in shooting people.

TO BUSINESS MEN.—Every business man and mechanic, who has a proper appreciation of the true mode of doing business, ought to have impressed upon his memory the fact that no man should be delicate about asking for what is properly his due. If he neglects doing so, he is deficient in the spirit of independence which he should observe in all his actions. Rights are rights, and if not granted, should be demanded. The selfish world is little inclined to claim it. The lack of proper fulfilment of this principle has lost to many fortune, fame and reputation.

Occasionally a customer, puts on haughty airs and affects to be insulted at being dunned for money that he ought to have paid long before. No matter. The laborer is worthy of his hire. We know it is unpleasant to be dunned, and equally unpleasant to dun other people; nevertheless, circumstances sometimes require that we submit to both.

NEW POSTMASTER GENERAL.—ADJOURNMENT OF THE SENATE.—The President has appointed Joseph Holt, of Kentucky, Postmaster General. He was lately Commissioner of Patents. The Senate confirmed the appointment on Thursday. The Senate also confirmed the appointments of Hon. George W. Jones, of Iowa, late Senator from that State, as Minister to Bogota; John Hubbard, of Maine, as Boundary Commissioner vice Wiggins, rejected; John Pettit, of Indiana, as Chief Justice of Kansas, vice Lecompte, resigned, and Bartholomew Fuller, of North Carolina, as Fifth Auditor of the Treasury. Emory D. Potter, heretofore rejected as Collector at Toledo, was again nominated, and was confirmed.

After the Senate came out of Executive Session, a message was received from the President, announcing the death of the Postmaster General. The Vice President retired from his seat, and Mr. Fitzpatrick, of Alabama, was chosen President *pro tem.* of the Senate. Mr. Nicholson, of Tenn., paid a tribute to the late Postmaster General, and the Senate then adjourned *sine die.*

☞ The best five acres of corn presented to the Indiana State Agricultural Society for premium, produced 857½ bushels of shelled corn, or 117½ bushels to the acre.

☞ The floor of the first Catholic Church, in Oswego, N. Y., gave way one night last week. Five persons were killed and several injured.

☞ The General Banking Law, for some time kicked about in our Legislature, was very quietly defeated, last week. It is not at all likely that any material change will be made in our banking laws this session.

The Lost Balloonist—Thurston's Body Found.

[From the Cleveland Leader, 9th inst.]

It will be recollected that on the 16th September last, Mr. Ira J. Thurston made an unexpected balloon ascension from the vicinity of Adrian, Michigan, that the balloon was some days after found in the vicinity of St. Clair river, but the fate of the poor aeronaut remained involved in mystery, though extensive search was made for his body, and the lights of Spiritualism were invoked. Some of the pretended spirit revelations were that Thurston reached the earth alive, and was then in a nearly inaccessible hut in the St. Clair marshes; and the latest was that the exact locality of his body had been found, that the force of the fall had buried it deep in the soft marsh—that a pole thrust down had brought up hair from the head of the unfortunate man; that the water and soft earth had filled the hole so rapidly that an excavation to the body could not be made without curbing, which would be done as soon as ice was formed sufficiently strong to permit the work to progress with safety!

Mr. Thurston's case was a singular and a sad one, and excited much interest. He had made a successful ascension with Mr. Bannister, and while securing the balloon after descending, and removing the car, it suddenly rose while Mr. Thurston was upon it, and rapidly disappeared. As it rose, Mr. T. clung to the portion on which he was seated, and remarked to Mr. B. that it would soon come down again. The balloon was afterwards discovered at a great height, and, as it approached the earth, some persons fancied they discovered an object still clinging to it.

On Saturday afternoon, a son of Mr. Hoag was searching in a piece of woods for some lost sheep, on the farm of Mr. Salmon Miner, situated on the Indiana road, about six or seven miles from this city. In his search he penetrated a thicket of brushwood on a knoll surrounded by wet land, and there, at the foot of a large oak tree, he discovered articles of clothing, bones, &c., which satisfied him that a dismembered human body had decayed, and portions of it eaten there by animals. It was near dark, and the boy returned with all speed to the house with the news; but was too late to prosecute the examination further that night, and it was postponed till morning. It was then remembered that one of the boys, about twelve years of age, had, on the 16th of September last, at just about the time that the balloon should have passed over the spot, seen something fall in the piece of woods.—His attention was attracted by a peculiar whistling noise, as of some large bird passing over, and looked up in time to see something fall among the trees.—He thought it must have been a paper balloon, and started after it; but after going a part of the way, he returned to the house and tried to get an elder brother to go with him to the woods after the paper balloon. He was laughed at for wanting to go so far after a bit of paper, and finally gave it up. It now seems that a neighbor's boy saw the balloon pass over at the same time, at a great height, and supposed it to be a kite, but having doubts about it, asked the family "how high a kite could fly?" describing at the same time the object he had seen.

On yesterday morning the neighbors were called, and a party proceeded to the spot where the boy had found the remains. The spot is about 50 or 60 rods south of the Indiana Road, on Mr. Miner's farm, about half way between the houses of Hoag and Miner. There were portions of a human body, without doubt, scattered around near the tree above mentioned. Close by the tree, and imbedded in the earth, was found the jaw bone, broken, and matted hair partly in the earth. About two rods from the tree was found one of the boots of the person, containing a foot nearly perfect, but much decomposed, and a portion of the shin bone with flesh adhering to it. The boot had been gnawed, and evidently the flesh had been eaten by hogs or wild animals. The other boot was near by. Portions of the spine were also found scattered about, and several of the nails, teeth, &c., and parts of the skull were lying near. The clothes were, however, the means of identifying the body; they being not so much destroyed, but that their texture could be discovered. The pants were of a small check or plaid pattern. The shirt was considerably rotted. The coat seemed to be snuff colored, and a black silk handkerchief was found, tied as it was on the neck. In the pockets of the clothing were found a silver Lepine watch, jack-knife, and a buckskin purse containing $1 36 in money. A pair of gloves were found in one of the coat pockets, and in another a letter and several cards. The letter, after drying, was readable, and was found to be directed to Mr. Thurston. It was from a Philadelphia house, in reply to some inquiries he had made about silk for a balloon.

From the cards, letters, and memorials, it is rendered, if not certain, extremely probable, that the body there scattered about was that of Mr. Thurston—last seen near Knight's Station, on the 16th of September last, when carried away by the escaped balloon—dashed to pieces, and those pieces, gnawed by animals in that secluded thicket.

It will be remembered that Mr. Thurston was seated on the valve, clasping the silk with his arms when last seen. When the balloon was found at West Tilbury, Canada, the disc of the valve was torn off three fourths of the way around. When at the great height at which the little boy thought that immense balloon was a kite, almost out of sight, the silk around the valve must have given way, precipitating Thurston to the earth. The calculations of his friends, based upon his probable powers of endurance, led the search far beyond where his mutilated remains lay. The wood was frequented during the past winter by rabbit-hunters, and Mr. Miner had hauled wood near by the thicket, but the wet nature of the ground around the knoll, and the thick brushwood, naturally turned aside all passers by.

☞ Nicholas Longworth, the Cincinnati Crœsus, and richest man in the Mississippi Valley, was knocked down by a dog while walking in the street a few days ago, and so strained the tendons of one of his legs, that he has not been able to leave the house since, nor will he be, from present appearance, for some time to come.

DANGER OF CATS SLEEPING WITH CHILDREN.—A small girl, seven or eight years old, on the night of the 27th ult., came pretty near losing her life by a cat, at Galesburg, Illinois. Her mother heard a strange noise which awakened her; she hastened to the bed where the child was lying, and found the cat with her mouth close to the child's mouth. At first they took the child to be dead, but they soon perceived it seemed to catch for breath occasionally.—After two or three hours she was restored to consciousness, but has been very unwell since.

A NEW SYSTEM OF INSURANCE.—They have a sort of honest insurance system in England, which might be introduced into our country with profit to all concerned. A corporate company is organized, who make it their business to guarantee the integrity of any clerk which they recommend, the clerk paying a premium, and the company issuing bonds to secure employer against loss. Under this arrangement the company keep a strict watch on the clerk's private acts in the same manner that an insurance inspector looks after combustible material in the insurance of property. By this means the employer is relieved of the duty of tracing the private habits and conduct of the employee, leaving it to the party who is, no doubt, more thorough in his supervision.

TO BE TRIED.—D. B. Vondersmith, Ex-Judge, &c., will soon be tried in Philadelphia, for defrauding Uncle Sam's Government of a large amount, by issuing spurious naturalization papers, and being connected with George Ford in the "pension frauds," which created a furor some years ago.

☞ The elections in New Hampshire last week, resulted in favor of the Republicans. Their candidate for Governor, Goodwin, has about 3500. They also elected the three members of Congress, and a majority of the Legislature.

☞ Rents in Mattoon, Illinois, are "*dreadful.*" Houses worth but $500, rent for $500 per annum.

☞ Most kinds of roots and bark are now used as medicines, except cube root and the bark of a dog.

☞ The York County (Pa) Agricultural Society will hold its next annual exhibition at York, commencing October 4th.

☞ Jacob C. Lynes, a worthy citizen of Lancaster Pa., committed suicide, by drowning himself.

☞ The Hon. HENRY S. GEYER, ex-Senator of the United States from Missouri, died on the 5th inst. at St. Louis.

☞ At Pittsburgh, seven rolling mills have suspended work on account of the puddlers striking for higher wages.

☞ "What a blessing to be sick, at home," exclaims a newspaper correspondent. People about here usually prefer to be well, at home.

☞ The quantity of cotton wool brought into England every year might be piled into a pyramid which would rival that of Cheops. The 8 thousand five hundred and seventy-two millions of miles of yarn spun in England in a year might be wound round and round the earth, as a boy winds a string round his top; or we might throw the shuttle over distant Uranus, and then tangle together the "red planet Mars," the Earth, Venus, Mercury, and the Sun in our net of cotton. The whole of the British Islands might be wrapped up in cotton wool, and put up carefully for the inspection of future ages, in not very many years' consumption of that raw material.

From the Cincinnati Gazette, March 5th.

A Woman Shoots herself in the presence of her Husband.

A suicide, under remarkable circumstances, took place in this city, about six o'clock last evening. The history of the matter appears to be about as follows:—

For a considerable time past a Hungarian named Emanuel Gerrard, who keeps a cigar store at No. 620 Vine street, opposite Green, had suspected his wife of an improper intimacy with a German physician, (whose name it may not be proper to give,) and had accused her, from time to time, of making and keeping assignations with him. The familiar intercourse of the two was made the subject of neighborhood gossip, and had been industriously reported to the husband. The Doctor had been in the habit of visiting the store two or three times every day, and the husband had warned him that he must cease his attentions, and he had not made his appearance in the store since last Tuesday.

Some time last week a letter written by the wife to the Doctor, making an appointment to meet him at the Post-office on Sunday last, fell into the hands of husband, and by his request an apprentice in his employ, named Jacob Goebel, witnessed the meeting, and followed the parties about the street, until the return of the wife to her residence. They did not stop at any place of resort, but walked and talked for an hour or two.

Yesterday evening the husband and the apprentice were sitting at a table in the cigar store, engaged in manufacturing, the wife occupying a chair between them, when Gerrard accused his wife of adultery. An angry dispute followed, in which both became very much excited, and used harsh language, which continued for some time.

Mrs. Gerrard finally arose from her seat, and passing behind the counter, took down a loaded pistol hanging upon a nail, and walked back near her husband, placed the muzzle to her right temple, *and literally blew the top of her head off!* Her brains were scattered in every direction—over her husband, the show-case of cigars and table, and the shelves and boxes in the store! Of course instant death followed.

It appears that Mrs. Gerrard and her husband, before coming to this country, occupied a very good social position, and the wife was descended from a noble Hungarian family. They were both very quiet, orderly persons. Whether the act of self destruction was caused by shame at the discovery by her husband of disreputable conduct, or by indignation at his accusation, can never of course be known.

Mr. Gerrard is perhaps thirty-six years of age, and his wife was about twenty-eight. The suicide caused an intense excitement in the vicinity, and thousands of persons collected at the locality of the tragedy, many remaining until a late hour last night, discussing the various rumors in connection with the affair. The Coroner's Jury returned a verdict that she came to the death by her own hand.

The *Enquirer's* account says that Mrs. Gerrard's name was Ludwiga.—'She was a young and beautiful woman, also of Hungarian extraction, and said to belong to the order of noblesse in her native country. She was much admired for her mental culture, elegance of manners and brilliancy of conversation, and those combined with a lovely person, rendered her the attractive centre of a large circle of devoted friends.'

The German doctor's name was Bulow.

THE GIRLS OF 1778.— The following has been rescued from a newspaper published at the time of the Revolution:

"The following droll affair lately happened at Kinderhook, New York. A young fellow, an enemy to the liberties of America, going to a quilting frolic, where a number of young women were collected and the only man in company, began his aspersions on Congress, as usual, and held forth some time on the subject, till the girls exasperated at his impudence, laid hold of him, stripped him naked to the waist, and instead of tar, covered him with molasses, and for feathers took the downy tops of flags which grow in the meadow, and coated him well, and then let him go. He has prosecuted every one of them, and the matter has been tried before Justice Schoonmaker. We have not as yet heard his worship's judgment. Is is said that Parson Bull's daughter is concerned in the affair."

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Encampment—meets the second and fourth Monday in every month. C P, Wm Atkins; H P, Henry Boltz; S W. Geo H Reinoehl; J W, John Rodearmel; Scribe, D E Mille

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1843. First Premium and SILVER MEDAL, Franklin Institute, Philadelphia.
1845. First Premium and SILVER MEDAL, Franklin Institute, Philadephia.
1846. First Premium and SILVER MEDAL, Franklin Institute Philadelphia.
1847. First Premium and SILVER MEDAL, Mechanic' Institute, Boston.
1849. First Premium and SILVER MEDAL, Franklin Institute, Philadelphia.
1846. First Premium and SILVER MEDAL, Franklin Institute, recommendation of a Gold Medal.
1851. Diploma and MEDAL, Mechanics' Institute, Boston.
1851. PRIZE MEDAL, *Great World's Exhibition, London*, since which time, (1851,) C. MEYER has not exhibited his Pianos at any Exhibition.

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Nov. 17, 1858. Lebanon, Pa.

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Jonestown, Lebanon Co., Pa.

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Jonestown, Feb. 16, 18.9.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, dealers in Boots, Shoes, &c., in the borough of Lebanon, under the firm of ATKINS & MCADAM was dissolved by Mutual consent, on the 1st of February 1859. All persons having claims on said firm will please present them, and those indebted will make payment to S. T. McAdam.

GEO. L. ATKINS,
Lebanon, Feb. 16, 1859. S. T. McADAM.

SWARTZ & BRO.

DEALERS IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
DRY GOODS, QUEENSWARE,
GROCERIES, &c.
HALL BUILDING,
MARKET STREET.

Notice of Dissolution.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that the Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The accounts of the late firm of GEORGE & SHELLENBERGER are transferred to JOHN GEORGE, and he is authorized to collect them. All persons knowing themselves indebted will please make payment on or before April first, 1859, and all persons having claims against the said firm will please present them.

J. GEORGE,
JOHN SHELLENBERGER.
Lebanon, Feb. 9, 1859.

GRAIN WANTED.

50,000 Bushels Wheat.
50,000 Do. Rye.
50,000 Do. Oats.
50,000 Do. Corn.

AT the Store House of the subscriber, on the Union Canal, below Walnut street, in the borough of N. Lebanon, for which the highest Market price will be paid in Cash.

As I have been many years in the business and have always been found to deal fairly and pleasantly with my customers, I trust that our dealings may also continue in the future. JOHN IMMEL.
N. Lebanon, Feb. 9, 1859.—6m.

Administrators' Notice.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of MATTHEW STEWART, late of the Borough of Lebanon, Lebanon county, Pa., dec'd., have been granted to RICHARD BRUCE, of the *same place.* All persons therefore indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present them RICHARD BRUCE,
Lebanon, Feb. 9th 1859 Administrator.

Feed---Feed!

PERSONS in want of Feed for Cows or Pigs, can obtain it daily at the Lager Beer BREWERY of the subscriber, in North Lebanon township. Price, 10 cents a bushel. HENRY HARTMAN.
Lebanon, Feb, 2, 1859.

Lebanon Mutual Insurance Company.

AT JONESTOWN LEBANON CO. Statement of the affairs of the Company, in conformity with a provision of its Charter.

Premiums from January 1st, 1858, to January 1st, 1859	$3,829 96	
Losses, Return Premiums, Re-insurance, Expenses, commissions and bad debts during the same period.		$2756 34

Assets of the Company, January 1st. 1859.

Premium Notes	$97,168 42	
Cash in hands of Treasurer	2,274 43	
Due the Company for unsettled premiums, Salvage, and other accounts	2,717 83	
Bills receivable	28,000 00	
		$130,160 68

JOHN BRUNNER, President
W. A. BARRY, Sec'ry. [February 2, '59—3t.

MORE THAN 500,000 BOTTLES
SOLD IN THE
NEW ENGLAND STATES IN ONE YEAR.

THE RESTORATIVE OF PROF. O. J. WOOD for restoring hair perfectly and permanently, has never yet had a rival. Volume after volume might be given from all parts of the world and from the most intelligent to prove that *it is a perfect Restorative;* but read circular and you cannot doubt; read also the following.

THE HAIR.—People have for centuries been afflicted with bald heads and the only remedy, heretofore known, has been those abominable wigs. By a recent discovery of Professor Wood these articles are being fast dispensed with but a great many persons still patronize them, because they have been so often imposed upon by Hair Tonics of different kinds. To all such persons we earnestly make the request, that they will try once again, for in Wood's Restorative there is no such thing as fail. We know of a lady who was bald, who used the article a short time, and her head is now covered completely with the finiest and most beautiful curls imaginable. We know of numerous cases where hair was rapidly falling out, which it restored to greater perfection than it ever had been before.

It is also without doubt one of the best articles for keeping the hair in good condition, making it soft and glossy, removing dandruff and has proved itself the greatest enemy to all the ills that the hair is heir to

It is the duty of every one to improve their personal appearance though some may differ in regard to the ways of doing it; but every one will admit that a beautiful head of hair, either in man or woman, is an object much to be desired, and there are no means that should be left unried to obtain such a consideration.
—[*Woman's Advocate*, Philadelphia

Cochocton, Ohio, Nov. 17, 1856.

O. J. WOOD & Co.—Gents; As I have been engaged in selling your Hair Restorative the last season for one of your local agents (R. M. Hackinson,) and have experienced the beneficial effects of it myself, I would like to obtain an agency for the State of Ohio or some State in the West, should you wish to make such an arrangement, as I am convinced *there is nothing equal to it in the United States, for restoring the hair,* I have been engaged in the Drug business for several years, and have sold various preparations for the hair, but have found nothing that restores the secretive organs or invigorates the scalp as well as yours, being fully convinced that your restorative is what you represent it to be. I would like to engage in the sale of it, for I am satisfied it must sell. Yours truly,
S. T. STOCKMAN.

Wayland, Mass, Feb. 5, 1857.

PROF. O. J. WOOD & Co—Gents: Having realized the good effects of your Hair Restorative, I wish to state, that finding my hair growing thin, as well as gray, I was induced from what I read and heard, to try the article prepared by you, to promote its growth and change its color as it was in youth, both of which it has effected completely. In the operation I have used nearly three bottles.

Yours &c., JAMES FRANCIS.

O. J. WOOD & CO Proprietors, 312 Broadway, N. Y. (in the great N. Y. Wire Railing Establishment) and 114 Market street, St, Louis Mo. ☞ Sold in Lebanon by JOSEPH L. LEMBERGER, also by Dr. Ross, and by all good Druggists everywhere. Feb. 9, '59.—3m

LAFAYETTE BROWER,

GAS FITTER.

ADJOINING A. S. ELY'S Office, Walnut street, Lebanon, Pa. A large and beautiful assortment of FIXTURES from the well-known establishment of CORNELIUS & BAKER, always on hand at Philadelphia prices.

☞ All work warranted to give satisfaction. ☞ All orders will be faithfully executed on the most reasonable terms. *The best of reference given.* [Sep. 16, '57.

☞ Fashionable Tailoring!

MICHEL HOFFMAN still continues the TAILORING Business at his *Old Stand in Cumberland street, near Plank Road*, where all persons who wish garments made up in the most fashionable style and best manner, are invited to call. He has lately received the New York, Philadelphia, Paris and London reports of

Spring and Summer Fashions,

and as he has none but the best workmen employed, he guarantees that all work entrusted to him will be done in a satisfactory manner.

☞ With his thanks to his old customers for their patronage heretofore, he respectfully solicits public favor.

TO TAILORS!—Just received and for sale the N. York and Philadelphia Report of Spring & Summer Fashions. *Tailors wishing the Fashions should let the subscriber know of the fact, so that he can make his arrangements accordingly.* MICHEL HOFFMAN.
Lebanon, April 14, 1858.

DRIED APPLES and PEACHES, just received, and for sale by OVES & EUSTON.

New Furniture Store.

HARRISON K. DUNDORE would respectfully inform the public that he has taken the stand late Dundore & Oves, in Cumberland Street, between Market and Plank Road, where he will keep the largest, finest and cheapest assortment of FURNITURE ever offered in Lebanon. His stock consists of all kinds of Parlor and Common Furniture, which he will sell lower than the like can be bought at any other place in Lebanon.

He has on hand a large assortment of Sofas, Tete-a-tetes, Lounges, Centre, Pier, Card and other Tables, What Nots, Hat Racks, &c. Also a large and cheap stock of stuffed, Cane-seat, and common Chairs, Settees, Bedsteads, and a lot of cheap Mattresses. Also, Looking Glasses,—Gilt, Rosewood and Mahogany—very cheap. Venetian Blinds; Carriages, Gigs and Hobby Horses, for children. ☞ Particular attention paid to UNDERTAKING. He has provided himself with the FINEST HEARSE IN LEBANON, and will make Coffins and attend Funerals, at the shortest notice and most reasonable terms. Lebanon, March 24, 1858.

"Cheap JOHN" the old Cabinet Maker still Alive.

JOHN SPITLER still keeps constantly on hand all kinds of Cabinet ware of the latest styles and the best material and workmanship.

He has ready made, a number of Superior SOFAS, CHAIRS, BUREAUS, DINING TABLES, BREAKFAST TABLES, Sinks, Cupboards, Stands of all kinds, BEDSTEADS, and all kinds of Ware in his line of business.

All of which he will sell cheaper for CASH than can be bought elsewhere. He is also ready to make coffins and attend funerals at the shortest notice. All persons in want of Cabinet Ware will do well to give him a call at his rooms in Market street, directly opposite the United Brethren Church, before purchasing elsewhere.

He warrants his goods to be as represented, and if it is not so, he will make it so, free of charge.
Lebanon, Feb