



WM. M. BRESLIN, Editor and Proprietor. LEBANON, PA. WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1862.

The Government is permitting England to transport its troops across Maine to Canada. This will be a repetition of the fable of the husbandman and the riper. After the former had warned the latter to life, it repaid its kindness by stinging his children to death.

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The P. M. General has recommended quite a reform in the Dead Letter Office of the P. O. Department. He shows that he can save to the Department about \$7,000, provided Congress gives him 25 additional Clerks at a salary of \$800 each.

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In the Senate, Waido P. Johnson and Tristram Polk of Missouri, were expelled by a unanimous vote. The negroes confined in the Washington jail then occupied the attention of the Senate for some time, after which, a lengthy debate was indulged in relative to referring the credentials of Mr. Stork, of Oregon, to the Judiciary.

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market firm but quiet at previous quoted rates. 8000 bushels Pennsylvania red have been sold at \$1.35 @ 1.36, in store; some of common quality at \$1.33 @ 1.34, and \$1.40 to \$1.45 for White. Rye is in steady demand at 72 @ 74 for the Pennsylvania.

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