

TEMPERANCE DEPARTMENT.

Temperance Convention.

The Delegates to the State Temperance Convention, met at the Court House in this place on Tuesday morning last. About 80 Delegates appeared and presented their credentials, when they organized by choosing the following officers, viz: JOSEPH LAWRENCE, of Washington County, President,

JOSEPH C. GUNER, of Allegheny county, JOHN H. GORDON, of Bucks county, Wm. KINKPATRICK, of Lancaster county, and ROBERT BARR, of Philadelphia county, Vice Presidents.

DAVID McCURE, of Philadelphia, and A. O. HESTER, of Dauphin county, Secretaries. The Convention was highly respectable in talents, as well as number. Several questions brought before it, elicited warm, interesting and protracted debates. It adjourned sine die late on Thursday evening.

The following are the most important resolutions passed by the convention, on several of which there was much discussion, and a division of sentiment at first, yet they mostly passed unanimously, in the form in which they appear.

Resolved, That the increase of Temperance Hotels and Houses of Public Entertainment, is a subject of Joy, and should be encouraged to the utmost, by all members of Temperance Societies.

Resolved, That this convention do highly approve of the acts of Judges of the Courts of Quarter Sessions, who, resolving to do their duty, and comply with the spirit of the law, have stricken from the list of licensed taverns, all such as they have viewed as not demanded by the good of the public.

Resolved, That Female influence is absolutely essential to the triumph of the great and good cause in which we are engaged; and, that it becomes the friends of Temperance to solicit and improve it in every city, borough and village.

Resolved, That the practice of circulating spirituous liquors at political meetings, on days of election, militia and volunteer trainings, as violating a law of this Commonwealth, should be frowned upon as demoralizing and dangerous to civil liberty; and that the disse of ardent spirits at the celebration of the 4th of July, the great day of American Liberty, is truly republican, and should be encouraged by every friend of his country.

Resolved, That the traffic in ardent spirits as a drink, is inconsistent with the obligation that binds us "to do unto others as we would have them to do unto us," and ought to be abandoned throughout the world; and that criminality attaches to those who are engaged in the manufacture and traffic of the article, in proportion to the light laid on the subject.

Resolved, That the adoption of the principle of abstinence from intoxicating liquors by the proprietors of rail roads, steam boats, stages &c., with regard to all in their employment, would greatly add to the comfort, convenience and safety of the public.

Resolved, That in the view of the widespread evils of intemperance, under which our state and country are still suffering, we, the friends and promoters of Temperance, will continue our labors with a more determined zeal, and greater sacrifice of time and means; and this convention do call upon all the friends of humanity and patriotism throughout the state, to lay aside all prejudices, and make a great and united effort, that the plague may be stayed, and the land go free.

On motion of Mr. Nourse, Resolved, That this convention regard with feelings of great gratification, the increase of Temperance Farmers throughout the state, inasmuch as experience has proved that when the temptation to drink is thus withdrawn, sober men are less liable to be seduced, and intemperate men more likely to be reclaimed.

On motion of Mr. Marsh, Resolved, That this convention recommend to all members of Temperance Societies to express their views of the evils of bars in taverns and hotels, by refusing, at all times, to sign any petition for a tavern license, when it is the known determination of the inn-keeper to sell intoxicating drinks.

On motion of Mr. Deckert of Berks, Resolved, That as the diffusion of light on the subject of Temperance, is essential to the advancement of this great reformation, this convention recommend to the friends of Temperance throughout the state, to co-operate with the Pennsylvania Temperance Society, in their very laudable efforts to distribute intelligence on the subject, both in the English and German languages.

On motion of Mr. Williams of Fayette, Resolved, That it behoves the friends of Temperance to multiply, and never relax their efforts till the principle of total abstinence from all intoxicating drinks, shall be adopted, and consistently maintained in every family throughout our land.

On motion of Mr. Jacobs of Chester, Resolved, That the success which has attended the Temperance efforts should inspire the friends of temperance with confidence in its ultimate triumph.

On motion of Mr. Merrill of Union, it was Resolved, That a State Convention be recommended to be held in this place on the first Tuesday of March, 1835.

The Convention then adjourned.

Estate of Jonas Bushey, dec'd.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of JONAS BUSHEY, late of Reading township, Adams county, Pa. deceased, are requested to come forward and make payment to the subscriber—and those having claims against said Estate, are also requested to present the same, properly authenticated, for settlement.

The Administrator resides in Reading township, Adams county. DANIEL MYERS, Adm'r. February 24, 1835. 6t-47

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers in the Tanning business, in Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa. has this day been dissolved.—Those having unsettled accounts with the late firm, are requested to call and make settlement with either of us.

QUINTIN ARMSTRONG, JOHN BLAKELY. March 24, 1835. 3t-51

CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against buying, in any manner, Bonds given by the subscriber to John Leaman and Christian Leaman, and due in the year 1836—as I am determined not to pay the same unless compelled by law.

DANIEL W. HOFFMAN. Menallen township, Adams county, March 24, 1835. 3t-51

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Hon. JOHN REED, Esq. President of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the Counties composing the Ninth District, and Justice of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said District—and DANIEL SHEFFER and Wm. McCLEAN, Esqs., Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, and Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the County of Adams—have issued their precept, bearing date the 28th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, and to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas, and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and General Jail Delivery, and Court of Oyer and Terminer, at Gettysburg, on Monday the 27th day of April next—

Notice is hereby Given,

To all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner, and Constables, within the said County of Adams, that they be then and there, in their proper persons, with their Rolls, Records, Inquisitions, Examinations, and other Remembrances, to do those things, which to their offices and in that behalf appertain to be done; and also they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are, or then shall be, in the Jail of the said County of Adams, are to be then and there, to prosecute against them as shall be just.

James Ebell, Jr. Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, March 24, 1835. 3t-51

Estate of William Sibb, dec'd.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of WILLIAM SIBB, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa. dec'd. are hereby notified to come forward and make settlement without delay—and those having claims against the Estate, are requested to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.

The Administrator resides in Gettysburg. JESSE GILBERT, Adm'r. March 17, 1835. 6t-50

GARDEN SEEDS.

Raised by the United Society in Enghel, Ct.

- Blood Beet, Early turnip do. Orange do. Sugar do. White Onion, Yellow do. Red do. Orange Carrot, Early Horn do. Red do. Long white Parsnip, Guernsey do. Long Cucumber, Long green do. Early do. Early cluster do. Watermelon, Dutch summer Squash Green dwarf do. Crook-neck do. do. Strawberry dwarf do. Do. winter do. Early red-eyed do. White Head Lettuce, Bean, Early curled do. Early Sugar Corn, Cabbage-head do. Solid Colory. Speckled do. Summer Savory Double Peppergrass, Just received a large supply of the above Seeds, and for sale at the Drug store of Dr. J. GILBERT, Gettysburg. February 17, 1835. 1t-46

Public Sale.

INTENDING to remove to the West, the subscriber will sell at public sale, at his residence in Tyrone township, Adams county, on Friday the 27th of March inst. A VARIETY OF PROPERTY—SUCH AS Horses, Cows & Young Cattle; HOGS; 1 broad-tread WAGON, 1 plantation WAGON and a good BAROUCHE; together with all his

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE:

Such as Beds, Bedsteads and Bedding; Tables, Chairs, Bureaus, Cupboards, Desks, &c. 1 eight-day Clock and a 24 hour do. Stoves and Pipe, with various other articles too tedious to enumerate. Also,

A first-rate Turning Lathe

(with a cast-iron Wheel.) 0t-Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A.M. when a reasonable credit and attendance will be given by JOHN STUDEBAKER. March 3, 1835. 1t-48

JAMES COOPER, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE in Chambersburg Street, a few doors East of Mr. Forry's Tavern. Gettysburg, June 10, 1834. 1t-10

A REMARKABLE CURE OF RHEUMATISM! BY THE USE OF DR. JEBB'S RHEUMATIC LINIMENT.

Copy of a Letter!! CHARLESTOWN, (Mass.) June 23, 1827. To the Proprietor of Dr. Jebb's Liniment.

DEAR SIR—I do not at this time owe to suffering humanity, to acquaint you, and through you the public, (should you think best) of the unexpected and surprising cure performed on myself by the use of the above most excellent Medicine. I have been for more than thirty years, and sometimes most severely, afflicted with the Rheumatism; have been frequently rendered perfectly helpless and in consequence confined to my bed, when it has required two persons to move me, being in such extreme pain; I have several times been under the care of the most eminent physicians, but procured only temporary relief. I one day noticed the advertisement of Dr. Jebb's Liniment, with the testimonials accompanying it, and was induced to try a bottle, which I used without much sensible benefit. I concluded, however, to persevere, and bought another bottle, and was greatly relieved, and by the use of half the third bottle, was wholly cured, and have never since had a return of the pain, which I had not been free from a month at a time for thirty years, and it is now more than three years since I was cured. I would most earnestly advise every person suffering under this painful complaint, not to despair of a cure so long as they can obtain Dr. Jebb's Liniment. You are at liberty to make any use of this you may think advisable.

Most respectfully yours, CALLEB SYMMES.

To the foregoing testimony, many other unquestionable proofs might be added, in favor of the superior Liniment of Dr. Jebb. Nothing but a fair trial, which the proprietor confidently solicits, can give an adequate idea of its unrivalled efficacy, in mitigating, and thoroughly mastering, the excruciating disease, to which it has been successfully applied in a multitude of cases. The operation of the Liniment is often immediate; and it has frequently cured rheumatic affections of years standing, in four and twenty hours. It is also recommended with confidence, as one of the best applications known for stiffness of the joints, numbness, sprains, and chilblains. Price 50 cents, with directions.

DYSPEPSIA, OR INDIGESTION.

THIS prevalent disorder, as it exhibits itself in its customary symptoms of want of appetite, distressing flatulencies, heart-burn, pain in the stomach, sick headache, nausea, vomiting and costiveness, is now found to yield to the tried efficacy of

DR. RELFE'S VEGETABLE SPECIFIC, AND ANTI-BILLIOUS PILLS.

These two preparations combined, constitute an efficacious remedy for the Dyspepsia, even after it has acquired the most obstinate character, and resisted every effort of professional skill. When both medicines are administered in connection according to plain and particular directions accompanying the Vegetable Specific, they thoroughly cleanse the alimentary canal of that viscid mucus which is the proximate cause of the disorder, and as a tonic and stimulant, they restore the healthy action and energy of the stomach, and strengthen the debilitated system: The proprietor can also confidently recommend the Vegetable Specific, as one of the best remedies known for the Sick Headache. Price 50 cents each article, with directions.

BRITISH ANTISEPTIC DENTIFRICE.

For cleansing, whitening, and preserving the Teeth and Gums.

THE BRITISH ANTISEPTIC DENTIFRICE, which the present proprietor wishes most particularly to recommend to the attention of the public, is perfectly exempt from all those acids which in general form the basis of tooth powders in common use, and which although they may whiten the teeth for a short time, must inevitably destroy the Enamel by their deleterious action on this beautiful covering of the teeth. The consequence is that the Enamel which is the shield provided by nature to protect the spongy and nervous internal structure, is rapidly corroded by these acid ingredients, become more discoloured than ever, and exposes the inner portion of the tooth to caries and a rapid and certain decay. By the use of the British Antiseptic Dentifrice, in the morning, as occasion may require, with a brush moderately hard, and cold water, the accumulation of Tartar will not only be prevented, but the teeth rendered beautifully and permanently white, and the gums restored to that freedom from soreness, that hardness and efflorescence which are the sure tests of their healthy state, and the best guarantee of that natural fragrance of the breath which can never be expected in connection with foul teeth, and scorbutic unhealthy gums. Price 50 cents a box, with directions.

The above valuable Medicines are prepared from the original Recipe in MS. of the late Dr. W. T. COUWAY, by his immediate successor and the sole proprietor, T. KIDDER, and for sale at the Consulting Room, No. 99, next door to J. Kinard's Drug Store, corner of Court and Hanover Streets, near Concert Hall, Boston, and also by his special appointment, (together with all the valuable Medicines as prepared by the late Dr. Couway,) by SAMUEL H. BUEHLER, Druggist, Gettysburg, Pa.

Observe that none are genuine without the written signature of T. KIDDER, on the outside printed wrapper. A large discount made to those who buy to sell again. June 3, 1834. 1y8 9

Estate of Geo. Brinkerhoff, dec'd.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of GEORGE BRINKERHOFF, late of Mountpleasant township, Adams county, Pa. deceased, are hereby notified to come forward and make settlement without delay. And those having claims against the Estate of said deceased, are requested to present the same, properly authenticated, to the subscribers without delay for settlement. The first named Executor resides in Straban township, the last named in Mountjoy township, Adams county. GARRET BRINKERHOFF, Ex'rs PETER BERCAW, March 3, 1835. 6t-49

WORM TEA

For sale at the Drug store of DR. J. GILBERT. Gettysburg, Dec. 9, 1834. 1t-36

COUNTY RATES AND LEVIES

A SUPPLEMENT To the act relating to county rates and levies, and township rates and levies, and to the act relating to counties and townships, and county and township officers.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the commissioners of the several counties shall have power to appoint collectors of taxes, without requiring the bond, or mortgage, or other security directed by the nineteenth section of the act "relating to county rates and levies, and township rates and levies." Provided, That the person so appointed shall own a freehold estate, which, in the opinion of said commissioners, shall be a sufficient security for the faithful performance of his duties as collector.

SECTION 2. If any person appointed collector, from whom security shall not be required, or if any assessor shall refuse to serve he shall forfeit and pay the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered before a justice of the peace, or alderman, at the suit of the commissioners, as debts of similar amount are now recoverable: Provided, That no person who shall have served as collector or assessor, shall be appointed or chosen for a second term, without his consent, for the term of ten years.

SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of the commissioners, within three months from the delivery of the duplicate to the collector appointed in pursuance of the provisions of this act, to file a certificate under their hands and seal, in the office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of the county, stating the amount due and unpaid by such collector; and it shall be the duty of the prothonotary to enter the same on his docket, which certificate shall, from such entry, have the same operation and effect as a judgment of said court, and executions may be issued in like manner as on judgments, for the amount remaining unpaid, at any time after the entry aforesaid.

SECTION 4. It shall be the duty of the clerk of the commissioners to enter the names of the collectors, and the amount of their respective duplicates, on the minutes of the office, and to furnish the county treasurer with a copy thereof; and the twenty-second section of the act to which this is a supplement is hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. No person shall be appointed collector of county rates and levies, who shall not have paid over the whole amount of his former duplicates.

SECTION 6. So much of the seventh section of the act to which this is a supplement, as provides that the rate for any office or post of profit, profession, trade or occupation, or any single freeman who follows no occupation, shall at no time exceed ten dollars in one year; and so much of the fourth section as requires the assistant assessors to participate in taking an account of the names and surnames of the taxable inhabitants, and of the personal and real property in their respective districts, wards and townships, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 7. It shall be lawful for the supervisors of any township, in addition to the authority conferred by the twenty-fifth section of the act to which this is a supplement, to levy a rate or assessment and collect the same, for the purpose of discharging any just debt due a former supervisor or overseer of the poor.

SECTION 8. So much of the eighty-first section of the act of the fifteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, "relating to counties and townships and county and township officers," as requires the election of three supervisors and a township treasurer, is hereby repealed except in the counties of Erie, Franklin, Wayne, Venango, Warren, Susquehanna, Bradford, Tioga and Luzerne. And it shall be the duty of the electors of every township annually to elect two supervisors, who shall serve for one year, and shall perform the duties and be subject to the responsibilities provided by the act to which this section is a supplement.

SECTION 9. So much of the ninety-first section of the act of the fifteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, as enjoins on the supervisors the duties of overseers of the poor, is hereby repealed, except the counties excepted in the eighth section of this act. And it shall be the duty of every township annually to elect two persons who shall perform the duties of overseers of the poor for one year, and be subject to the responsibilities provided by the act to which this is a supplement.

SECTION 10. The provisions of this act, so far as they relate to assessments and collections of taxes and surties therefor, shall not extend to the city and county of Philadelphia, but the same shall be regulated therein as if this act had not passed.

SECTION 11. It shall be the duty of every sheriff to place and keep up in some conspicuous part of his office the seventy-ninth section of the act entitled, "An act relating to counties and townships and county and township officers," for the inspection of all persons having business in such office, on pain of forfeiting each day the same shall not be by his neglect be up as aforesaid, the sum of ten dollars, one-half of which penalty shall be for the use of the informer, and the other half for the use of the proper county, and is hereby repealed.

SECTION 12. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, immediately after the passage of this act, to transmit a copy thereof to the commissioners of each county of this Commonwealth. JAMES THOMPSON, Speaker of the House of Representatives. JACOB KERN, Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five. GEO. WOLF. March 24, 1835. 3t-51

BLANK VENDUE NOTES

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COBB'S SERIES OF SCHOOL BOOKS.

THIS series of School Books, comprising a Spelling, Reading and Arithmetic course, has become very popular, and is generally used in many parts of the country. They are highly approved, and much used in the cities of New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Albany, Pittsburgh, Trenton, Buffalo, Princeton, New Brunswick, Newark, Hudson, Lancaster, and in the villages of Catskill, Jamaica, Harlem, Yorkville, Kingston, Oxford, Norwich, Oswego, Ithaca, &c. Some, or all of the Books of this series, are printed in twenty different places in the United States, and two in Upper Canada, viz: in N. York, Albany, Buffalo, Baltimore, Trenton, Newark, Hartford, Pittsburg, Cincinnati and Detroit; and in the villages of Ithaca, Watertown, Oxford, Elmira, Havana, Lewistown, St. Clairsville, Erie, Cleveland, Cuyahoga Falls; and at St. Catharines, and St. Thomas, U. C. Some of this series are printed and sold to the amount of one hundred and twenty-five thousand copies annually, and the sales are daily increasing. Some or all of this series are in about one hundred and forty schools in the New York city. The author and publishers of these books have received a great number of very flattering recommendations, a few of which are herewith subjoined.

Recommendations—Lyman Cobb's Spelling Books. [Here might follow a great many recommendations from Principals of Academies, and others in the City of New York and various other places—but it is too long to give the following, from Gentlemen well known to the citizens of this and the surrounding counties.]

CARLISLE, Feb. 6th, 1835.

Sir—I take pleasure in recommending to those who are interested in the education of children, the very excellent series of books published by Mr. Lyman Cobb. The "Spelling Book," is certainly the most complete, accurate and finished work of the kind I have yet seen. The "Juvenile Readers," in their adaptation to the wants and feelings of the juvenile mind, are, if not unparalleled, at least unsurpassed; and as they have filled an important ellipsis in a regular and corrected course of reading for children, they are invaluable. The very appropriate phraseology, simple, though not too purloin, the happy selections, progressive arrangement of the lessons; together with the whole execution, type, paper, binding, &c., make them very acceptable to the youthful teachers, and convenient for the teacher. The "Sequel" undoubtedly deserves the encomiums already bestowed upon it, and is not, in my opinion, excelled in design or execution by any work of the kind now extant. The Arithmetics have also met the wants of common schools. The author has very judiciously excluded much that is useless to a very large proportion of the community, while, by a clear and familiar elucidation of the practical parts of the science, he has recommended the work as peculiarly fitted to aid the pupil and relieve the teacher.

The "Dictionary" will recommend itself, if but slightly investigated, as a convenient guide to the spelling of derivative and inflected words, (a matter so perplexing to many) and cannot fail to find a place in every school, in which correct orthography is properly appreciated. The "Expositor" is a convenient hand-book, comprising a judicious selection of words.

The whole series is pre-eminently adapted to the school room; and I hope will soon acquire unqualified approbation for itself, and public esteem for its author. Respectfully yours, &c. Mr. Cobb. JNO. F. HEY.

DICKINSON COLLEGE, Jan. 3, 1835.

I have examined Cobb's Walker's Dictionary, and Cobb's Sequel, and can recommend the first to common schools; and consider the Sequel as an excellent compilation, well calculated to improve the taste and morals of youth, and to inspire them with a love of reading. J. P. DURBIN, President of Dickinson College.

CARLISLE, Penn. Jan. 5th, 1835.

I have had the pleasure of examining partially, Mr. Cobb's series of School Books, consisting of a spelling, reading and arithmetical course, with which I am highly pleased. His spelling book, certainly, I think, surpasses anything of the kind I have ever seen: His Readers are admirably adapted to the capacities of children, and well calculated to excite and cultivate the minds of youth: His Sequel to the above, designed for the higher classes, I have no hesitation in recommending to the public as an excellent school-book: And his arithmetical course is a good one, and well suited to the wants of the community. On the whole, I think it the most complete and the best arranged set of school-books that I have ever met with. G. DAY, Teacher of Old College Seminary.

We most cheerfully concur in the recommendation of Mr. Day. THOMAS TRIMBLE, ROSS LAMBERTON. Carlisle, Feb. 9.

From the partial examination I have given Mr. Cobb's series of School Books, I do not hesitate in recommending them to the public as the best of the kind I have ever seen. His systematical order and classification are highly worthy of patronage; and their adoption by the community at large, ought to be a matter of no hesitation, as they will be very amply repaid by the rapid progress of youth, in the elementary branches of an English education. JNO. T. CONNOLLY, Teacher, North Room, basement story, German Reformed Church. Carlisle, Feb. 6th, 1835.

After a cursory examination of Mr. Cobb's series of elementary books for the use of schools, I have no hesitation in recommending them to the public as the best of the description that I have seen, not only on account of classification and arrangement, but in point of accuracy and adaptation to the learner's capacity. ROBERT CAMERON, Teacher. Middlesex, Jan. 1, 1835.

MECHANICSBURG, Feb. 5, 1835. Mr. Cady—As I promised, I now send you a statement of my opinion of Cobb's works. The reader 1, 2 and 3, I have used for several

years, and consider them superior to any elementary works of the kind with which I am acquainted.—The spelling book I have lately introduced into my seminary, and only regret that its introduction was not of earlier date—Its alphabetica and orthographical arrangement is very advantageous to teacher and pupil, and surpasses in utility any other hitherto presented to the public.—His Walker's Dictionary speaks volumes for his literary judgment and unswerving assiduity. Hoping that a generous public will amply reward him, I subscribe myself in haste. Yours Respectfully, JOHN McCRON.

BOALSBURO, Contro co. Pa. 16th Jan. 1835.

Mr. D. S. Cady—It is now somewhat more than a year since I had "Cobb's series of School Books" partially introduced into my school. The spelling book, and the three numbers of the Juvenile Reader, I have had an opportunity of giving a pretty fair trial. The arrangement and classification of the spelling book, its containing so many words with so few repetitions, and the orthography and pronunciation being, in every case, agreeable to the rule given by Walker, gives it a decided preference to any other that I have been acquainted with.

The transition is so gradual throughout the whole work, and the reading lessons so well adapted to the juvenile capacity that the pupil, beginning in two letters, finds himself able to read difficult sentences, with a degree of propriety, almost before he is aware that he has changed his position.

His Dictionary too, in noticing the secondary accent, and in giving plurals of nouns, the present tense and pretenses of verbs, the participles and variable adjectives, is decidedly preferable to any other, as a school book.

His plan of teaching arithmetic, also, has my decided approbation, as I hold that "Elucidation is the best method of instruction."

Believing, therefore, that the introduction of the whole series into common schools generally, would be of great advantage to the rising generation, I am happy to see the effort making. Any assistance that I can give towards the general introduction will be willingly performed, and a line from you, at any time, on the subject thankfully received. In great haste, I am respectfully, THO. MOORE, Jr.

I have examined a series of school books, prepared by Mr. Lyman Cobb, and feel a freedom in expressing a favorable opinion of them. I think his reading books are well adapted to their design.—The Juvenile Reader furnishes a quantity of easy and instructive reading for children, at a period when they are not yet prepared for the more difficult books that have been in general use, while his Sequel contains excellent lessons, for the more advanced scholar. Indeed I have long been of opinion that a connected series of reading books, increasing very gradually in difficulty, would be of essential service in our common schools. Mr. Cobb's spelling book seems to be a very appropriate introduction to this series. The plan of it is simple and ingenious, and upon the whole, I think well executed. I cannot but wish the author that success in the introduction of his books which their value seems to merit.

JOHN H. MARSDEN, A. M. Principal of the Gettysburg Female Academy. Gettysburg, Pa. Feb. 17th, 1835.

From S. S. Schucker, D. D., Professor of Theology, in the Theological Seminary, at Gettysburg. After a cursory examination of Mr. Cobb's series of school books, I am disposed in general to concur in the above recommendation of the Rev. Mr. Marsden, and wish the author a liberal encouragement in the circulation of his valuable books. S. S. SCHUCKER.

I have examined several of the series of school books, by Lyman Cobb, and believe them to be in general, well calculated to interest and develop the youthful mind. His Arithmetics are, in my opinion, far superior to those in general use, until recently, in this section of the country. In his explanatory arithmetic, as is the case with the kindred works of Colburn and Emerson, the understanding of the learner is addressed, and the ground rules of the science are rendered so easy by the simple examples and familiar explanations that he cannot fail to comprehend them. By the inductive system of teaching, the learner is made acquainted with rules, and applies them to particular cases, far more readily than when brought before him in the common didactic form. From the great improvements which have been made within a few years, in the manner of presenting the elementary principles to the youthful mind, we may reasonably expect a corresponding improvement in every department of education. I therefore hope that works like the above mentioned will soon take the place of those in which the pupil wrought mechanically rather than intellectually. H. JACOBS, A. M. Professor of Mathematics in the City and Natural Philosophy in Pennsylvania College. Gettysburg, Feb. 17th, 1835.

I have no doubts of the correctness of the above statements. C. P. KRAUTH, President of Pennsylvania College.

Mr. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE, Feb. 19th, 1835.

At the request of the President of St. Mary's College, I have cursorily examined the series of elementary school books, published by Lyman Cobb, and believe me to be very well adapted to be safely employed in the teaching of children, and that in many respects they are preferable to the works of a similar kind in use in this section of the country.

I regard Lyman Cobb's edition of Walker's school dictionary as superior to any other edition in the same form which has come under my observation. His spelling book and lessons in reading appear to me to be well adapted to their design. Two of the most experienced teachers of Arithmetic in this institution, having examined Lyman Cobb's Explanatory Arithmetic, Nos. 1 and 2, have expressed the opinion that it is superior to the greater number of systems of Arithmetic employed in schools in this part of the country. JOHN McCAFFREY, Vice President of Mt. St. Mary's College.

From a cursory examination of the above works I am convinced of their merits, as expressed above. H. R. BUTLER, President of Mt. St. Mary's College.

BAILEYVILLE, Feb. 10th, 1835.

Sir—I have succeeded in introducing into my school Cobb's Series of Spelling, Reading and Arithmetic. From a careful perusal of the works, it is but justice to the author to say that it far exceeds my expectations, and that his strict adherence to the rules of orthography, as laid down by Mr. Walker, cannot fail to occur for him that patronage, which is justly due, from an enlightened public.

I have the honor to remain yours, &c. J. M. JUDSON, Jr.

Having adopted Mr. Cobb's Books, I deem it unnecessary for me to make any further remarks in addition to the numerous recommendations you have already received, but do most heartily concur in the sentiments expressed by my brother teachers, recommending them to the attention of the public in general. SAM'L. BLOOD, Chambersburg Academy, } March 4th, 1835. }

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