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Weakness of the lower limbs, Strictures, Affections of Kidneys and Bladder, Involuntary Discharges, Impotency, General Debility, Nervousness, Dyspepsia, Laeger, Low Spirits, Confusion of the Head, Trembling, Dimness of Sight or Giddiness, Disease of the Head, Throat, Nose of Ears, Affections of the Stomach or Bowels—these terrible Disorders arising from the Solitary Habits of Youth—these secret and solitary practices more fruitful to their victims than the most heinous crimes of the Maritimes, blighting their most brilliant hopes of anticipations, rendering marriage, &c., impossible.

YOUNG MEN especially, who have become the victims of Solitary Vice, that dreadful and destructive habit which annually sweeps to the grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entered the Senate with the honors of Greece, or walked to the altar of Matrimony, blighting their most brilliant hopes of anticipations, rendering marriage, &c., impossible.

MARRIAGE. Married Persons of Young Men contemplating marriage, aware of Physical Weakness, (Loss of Procreative Power—Impotency), Nervous Excitability, Palpitation, Organic Diseases, Nervous Debility, or any other Disqualification, speedily relieved.

He who places himself under the care of Dr. J. may rest assured that he will be cured, and can confidently rely upon his skill as a Physician.

ORGANIC WEAKNESS. Impotency, Loss of Power, immediately Cured and full Vigor Restored.

This Distressing Affliction—which renders Life miserable and marriage impossible—the penalty paid by the victims of Improper Indulgence. Young persons are apt to commit excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue. Now, a safe and effectual subject will be presented to deny that the power of procreation is lost sooner by those falling into improper habits than by the prudent. Besides being deprived of the pleasure of healthy offspring, the most serious and destructive symptoms to both body and mind arise. The system becomes debilitated, the Physical and Mental Faculties weakened, Loss of Procreative Power, Nervous Irritability, Dyspepsia, Palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, Constitutional Debility, a Wasting of the Frame, Cough, Consumption, Decay and Death.

A CURE WARRANTED IN TWO DAYS. Persons ruined in health by unbridled profligacy who keep their trilling month after month, taking poisonous and injurious compounds, should apply immediately.

DR. JOHNSON. Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London. Graduated from one of the most eminent Colleges in the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the study of the most difficult and important branches of the Art of Medicine, in London, Paris, Philadelphia and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known in many troubled with ringling in the head and ears, when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were cured immediately.

TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE. Dr. J. addresses a special notice to those injured themselves by improper indulgence and solitary habits, which ruin both body and mind, uniting them for either business, study, society or marriage.

These are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Back and Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Procreative Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.

MENTALLY—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded—Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Fehrebrishness, Aversion to Society, Self-Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the consequences of this disease.

THOUSANDS of persons of all ages can now judge what is the cause of their declining health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale, nervous, and emaciated, having a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of consumption.

YOUNG MEN Who have injured themselves by a certain practice indulged in when alone, a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school, the effects of which are night sweats, when asleep, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.

What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country, the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyments of life by the consumption of a single bottle of this nature and indulging in a certain secret habit. Such persons, before contemplating marriage, reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote conjugal happiness. Indeed without these, the journey through life becomes a painful pilgrimage, the prospect hourly darkens to the view, and the mind becomes shadowed with despair and filled with the melancholy reflection, that the happiness of another becomes blasted with its own.

A CERTAIN DISEASE. When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure reads that he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an ill-timed sense of shame, or dread of discovery, deters him from applying to those who, from their situation and high character, are best qualified, by delaying till the constitutional symptoms of this horrid disease make their appearance, such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased nose, nocturnal emissions in the heat and night, dimness of sight, deafness, nodes on the skin bones and arms, blotches on the face, head and extremities, progressing with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bowels of the nose fall in, and the victim of this awful disease becomes a horrid object of commiseration, till death puts an end to his sufferings.

It is a melancholy fact that thousands DIE victims to this terrible disease, falling into the hands of Ignorant or unskilled PRETENDERS, who, by the use of that deadly Poison, Mercury, &c., destroy the very organs and incapable of curing, send their victims to the grave in a few months, and instead of being restored to a renewal of Life Vigor and happiness, in despair leave him with ruined Health to sigh over his galling disappointment.

To such, therefore, Dr. JOHNSON pledges himself to preserve the most inviolable Secrecy, and from his extensive practice and observations in the great Hospitals of Europe, and the first in this country, viz: England, he has discovered a certain, speedy and effectual remedy in the world for all diseases of Improbudence.

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There are so many False, Deceiving and worthless impostors who pretend to be Physicians, trying with all and raising the health of all who unfortunately fall into their power, that Dr. JOHNSON deems it necessary to say as much as possible to those unacquainted with his reputation, who his Credentials as a Diplomatist always being in his hand.

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Select Poetry.

BEN FISHER. Ben Fisher had finished his hard day's work, His good coat and hat by his side, And the moonlight danced on the floor.

When from his labor free, He went to his room, he found a note, As when he and Kate, twelve years before, Talked love in her mellow light.

Ben Fisher had never a pile of clay, And never a dram drank he, But loved at home with his wife to stay.

When from his labor free, He went to his room, he found a note, As when he and Kate, twelve years before, Talked love in her mellow light.

Ben told how fast his potatoes grew, And the corn in their field, That the wheat on the hill was yellow turned, And promised a glorious yield.

A glorious yield in his garden, And his orchard was doing fair, His sheep and his stock were in their prime, His farm in good repair.

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Gales & Sketches.

AN EXPERIMENT. Mr. Augustus Fritz Humes sat in his luxurious bachelor establishment on B— street, and pondered deeply.

His cogitations was a wife, or how to get one. There were enough young ladies who would be glad to bless their lucky stars for a private and exclusive connection with his house, as he well knew; but he also felt tolerably well assured the home was all they cared for. For the fortune they would wear their own.

"Deuce take the money!" he exclaimed. "I wish I had a cent, and a cent, and then, but botheration!—then I should have been too poor to marry, any way. Why couldn't I have had just wealth enough for all my wants and nothing more? I'll fill them, though, the mean adventures."

A fitful and a feverish sleep he had, and the housekeeper to the room in a hurry. "Pack up your traps, Mrs. Ashfield," he exclaimed, abruptly; "for I am going to close the house."

It was evident that he had come to some conclusion. "Shut up your house, Mr. Fritz-Humes?" ejaculated the housekeeper, almost believing he had lost his reason. "Why such a thing has not occurred since my lamented uncle took possession five-and-forty years ago."

"That makes no difference mind-and-I'm master here now, and I shall close it for the present. Meanwhile your pay can still go on, and that of such domestics as you consider indispensable. Have you no relatives who will visit in a quiet way?"

"That settled it. The proffer of continued pay removed Mrs. Ashfield's scruples quite effectually. She then remembered she had friends she had not seen for years."

Three days later, Mr. Augustus Fritz-Humes was sitting in a quiet room, including his diamond rings, and other paraphernalia of fashionable life, as well as dress himself in plainer clothes. A rumor that his property had all been lost through an unlucky speculation was soon abroad.

His lost friends rapidly. By twos and threes they came to know him as he met them on the street. He only laughed and snuffed his fingers at them behind their backs. Had his adversity been real, he would have been lying in bed.

"That's the time when this circle of acquaintances got narrowed down to three. But three of all his former friends still clung to him, true in adversity. It was no wonder that he grew misanthropic."

It was upon the street one day, he met a carriage containing some of his former acquaintances, who had been absent from the city since he closed his house. He thought they would not notice him; but each inmate of the carriage bowed politely as if to him.

"They have not heard the news," he muttered, cynically. "He was mistaken. That night the owner of the carriage came to see him."

"Rather close quarters, my friend," he said, as he took a calving survey of Augustus' not very pretentious surroundings.

"Pretty close, that's a fact," said Mr. Fritz-Humes, jolly. "But since I lost my property, of which I suppose you haven't heard, I have become quite economical."

"But I have heard," cried his auditor, abruptly, "and that is my name. I knew you had friends now, if ever, and so I came well—my daughter, sir—I mean I came to offer the position of head clerk in my counting room. Will you accept of it?"

"Ah! Well, I will think of it. But it is a long way from my boarding-house."

"Deuce take your boarding-house! You can board in my family as well as a sort of guest, you know."

Augustus looked him over closely. Howbeit Stanley was a wealthy man—very wealthy, and his name was in the war—his name had called—and in his face there was nothing to warrant the suspicion that he had learned Augustus' secret, and wished to curry favor, aiding him while under an apparent cloud; so that idea was speedily dismissed. Of course, he quickly dismissed him and his offer.

Once closely engaged in the steady nature, he was not long before he wondered why he had not noticed Nellie Stanley before. She did not seem to feel alone in the counting-room, and he was accordingly—more especially, he thought—than before

THE CHANGING OF HIS FORTUNES.

He would not have been human had he not learned to love her. The climax came when she gave a grand party. Then, before the *clique* of the city, she did not hesitate to receive attentions from the Frenchman, and both were mistaken.

We see two forces thrown, together in heroic, and asked no farther proof that she could love him. The next afternoon they met in her father's library, where she had waited to see him.

"Nellie," he said, as soon as the usual courtesies had been exchanged, "I come to you this morning to learn my fate. I know the difference in our positions, and would not urge you—only let you heart decide. My heart I lay before you."

She blushed prettily and seemed confused for a moment, then she gave him her hand. "I have loved you, O so long!" she said, "and I feared that you would never love me. You were so just before you took your wealth that all women were adventurers. I was heartily glad when papa said that you had lost it, and I—"

"You sent him to negotiate with me?" cried Augustus, finishing the sentence abruptly, and giving it itself emphasis. "I loved you so," she murmured deprecatingly.

"I do not doubt, dearest." And Mr. Augustus Fritz-Humes believed himself the happiest of men. They were married. The wedding was unpretentious, as became the bridegroom's strained circumstances; and he was in a constant ecstasy as he thought of her surprise when he should tell her that his fortune still remained. He sent for Mrs. Ashfield, and gave her to open the house, and to put it in condition to receive their mistress. Meanwhile, they tarried at her father's.

"Augustus," said his wife one day, "I have a favor to ask of you—will you grant it to me?" "I will if in my power, darling!" he exclaimed. "Well, poor papa is rather short of money—won't you lend him ten or fifteen thousand?"

"Me? Why you know—"

"I know what you have been pretending," was the quick reply. "But then it wasn