

Superiority in Humble Life.

The New York correspondent of the Boston Recorder relates the following thrilling incident, which recently occurred in a Mission Sabbath School of German children to thactify:

"It had been the custom for some time, to offer a hymn book, testament, or other premium to the scholar who should recite the greatest number of texts in proof of some doctrine of scripture. The rewards of course were won by the girls, as they are always the best scholars. Among these was one who, having a better education and greater advantages than the rest, had, for several months in succession, taken the prize. At last a very active rivalry was excited, and one of the more ambitious children actually learned 44 proof texts, being all her teacher found for her, and to measure of success, committed to memory 20 verses besides, making 64 in all. But Sophia had learned 59 proofs, and was therefore entitled to the reward, a finely bound New Testament. The exercises of the day were closed, and the school waiting for the award of the promised prize. Sophia has learned 59 proofs, said the superintendent, and Caroline has committed 64; they both deserve the gift, but Caroline has learned the most, and it is hers.

The prize for which the poor girl had labored and labored a whole month was given to her, but she knew it was not rightfully hers, and though the temptation was strong, very strong for a child, she did not yield. Trembling and faltering, she told the superintendent that she had learned but 41 proofs; although she had recited 64 verses, and sat down pale and disappointed, but with an approving conscience. The book was then given to Sophia, who, instead of receiving it, requested that it should be given to Caroline, who had labored so hard to win it. The teachers had looked on in surprise and admiration at first, but when they saw two such noble spirits, their tears were not to be restrained. The world has heard and admired the story of Washington's honesty when a child, but I am sure his frank confession was not more noble than the honesty of one of these poor German girls, and the generosity of the other."

A letter from C. I. Stevenson, dated at Rio Janeiro, Nov. 27th, two days before the transports left that port for San Francisco, in California, appears in the Albany Argus. He expected to reach the latter place in one hundred days, about the first of March. There were but ten men of the whole expedition on the sick list. The Colonel thought they would not stop again till they arrived at San Francisco.

Bro Day's Job.—We are informed that a man in this city made seventy five thousand dollars in one day, by the advance in flour occasioned by the Hibernia news.—Morning Signal, Cincinnati, 30th ult.

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS VERIFIED.—The Decalogue has been thus tersely and quaintly enclosed in rhyme, and would in this shape be good exercise for the memories of young children.

- 1. I am the Lord thy God—serve only me—
2. Before no idols bow thy impious knee;
3. Use not my name in trifles or in jest;
4. Dare not profane my sacred day of rest;
5. Ever to parents due obedience pay;
6. Thy fellow-creature, man, thou shalt not slay;
7. In no adulterous commerce bear a part;
8. From stealing with care keep thy hand and heart;
9. All false reports against thy neighbor hate;
10. And never indulge a wish for his estate.

Dyspepsia is a weakness of the digestive organs, and, like every other complaint, is caused by impurity of the blood. The gastric juice, a fluid peculiar to the stomach, when secreted from a diseased or a healthy quality; consequently the food, instead of being properly dissolved, often remains undigested until it becomes in a manner putrid or putrefied in the stomach; hence, bad health, a disagreeable taste in the mouth, eructations, flatulency in the evening, headache, giddiness, nervousness of spirits, wasting of the body, &c.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills are a natural remedy for Dyspepsia, because they cleanse the stomach and bowels of all bilious and corrupt humors, and purify the blood; consequently, as they give not the root or cause of this or every other complaint, they are absolutely certain to remove all complaints arising from indigestion or dyspepsia. Beware of Counterfeits.—The public are cautioned against the many spurious medicines which, in order to deceive, are called by names similar to Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills.

The only original and genuine Indian Vegetable Pills have the signature of Wm. Wright written with a pen on the top label of each box. To counterfeit this Forgery, and all others should be named as pious.

Office devoted exclusively to the sale of WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS, wholesale & retail, 169 Race street, Philadelphia; 288 Greenwich street, New York; and 189 Tremont street, Boston. Agent for the sale of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills in Sunbury, HENRY MASSER. For other cities see advertisement in another column.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Includes Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Pork, Butter, Beans, Sugar, Flour, Hacked Flax, Dried Apples, Do. Peaches.

DEMOCRATIC DELEGATE MEETINGS. The Democratic Electors of Northumberland County are requested to meet at the usual place for holding township elections, on Saturday the 30th of Feb. inst. to elect the proper number of delegates to meet in convention at the court house in Sunbury, on the Monday following, to elect delegates to the 4th of March convention.

HANCE'S SASSAPARILLA VEGETABLE OR BLOOD PILLS. FIFTY PILLS IN A BOX—the Cheapest and best Medicine in existence! FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD! removing bile, correcting disorders of the stomach and bowels, curing nervousness, dizziness, swimming in the head, &c.

HANCE'S SASSAPARILLA PILLS. This is to certify that my wife was afflicted with the Dyspepsia for twelve years, and tried both medical and surgical treatment, but without effect; and myself attacked with blindness, and my head otherwise affected from bad drinking, so that I was apprehensive of life, and so on.

SIX YEARS EXPERIENCE HAS PROVED THAT FOR THE CURE OF COUGHS, COLDS, CONSUMPTIONS, ASTHMA, Spitting of Blood, Pain and Oppression of the Breast, there is nothing equal to HANCE'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF HOREHOUND.

REGULAR FAMILY MEDICINE. To those who have never used the Compound Syrup of Horehound, this is particularly directed to, as to those who have once experienced its singularly happy effects, any praise of its merits would be superfluous.

CAUTION. All persons are cautioned against purchasing a note for \$50, dated the beginning of April, 1846, given to me by Benneville Holman. Said note having been stolen on the night of the 2d of February last, payment will not be stopped.

Notice. The partnership existing between John Dunham and Wm. T. Boyd, has been dissolved. All persons having claims against the firm, will present them, and those indebted will make payment on or before the 1st of April next.

GEISE & SON, Commission Merchants, For the sale of Flour, Grain, and all kinds of Country Produce, No. 45 Commerce street Wharf, BALTIMORE.

MORE GOOD NEWS FOR THE PEOPLE OF SUNBURY. JUST opened a NEW TIN, SHEET-IRON AND COPPER MANUFACTORY, whole and retail, in the building lately occupied by Geo. Weber, &c.

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF TIN-WARE, made up in the best manner, and of the best iron. Also, all kinds of sheet-iron work on hand, such as Stove Pipe, American and Russia Coal Churns, and Stoves, which will be sold as cheap as in any other town in Northern Pennsylvania.

IT NEVER FAILS! DR. COLLIER'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PAIN-EXPELLER. PERSONS afflicted with Sciatica, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, or any other complaint arising from impurities of the blood, are requested to read the following testimonials, in proof of the wonderful properties of the above named medicine.

READ! READ! READ!—We the undersigned, having visited Mr. Isaac Brooks, Jr., at the office of Messrs Rowland & Walton, 376 Market street, Philadelphia, consider his case the most remarkable one we have ever witnessed or heard of. His disease was Sciatica, and terrible must have been his twelve years' conflict with the destroyer!

THE above named gentleman, (convinced by a small portion of those who have visited Mr. Brooks at our office in Philadelphia, and would certify to the same facts as here stated,) are well known, and their high standing in society excludes the idea of their lending their names to carry on an imposition.

WE think a man who will make and palm up an unexpecting person, a "Sugar-Coated Pill," not having on the box Dr. G. B. Smith's signature, would not hesitate to sell poison, regardless of all consequences.

CHEAP Clothing Establishment. OPERATIONS in Connors seem to be the order of the day, at the Philadelphia Ward Robe, 105 Chestnut street, where every article in the line is kept, and sold at astonishingly low prices.

Wm. Lemon's Estate. NOTICE is hereby given, that letters testamentary have been granted to the subscribers, on the estate of Wm. Lemon, late of Point township, Northumberland county, dec'd.

HOVER'S First Premium Ink. THE celebrity of the Ink manufactured by the subscriber, and the extensive use as consequent upon the high reputation which they have attained, is well known throughout the United States.

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS, from Kieley's Garden, just received and for sale by JOHN BOGAR.

TO THE SICK AND AFFLECTED. DR. SWAYNE'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY. We can conscientiously state that Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry has been extensively used in the United States for more than ten years—that it is beneficial effects have been tested by thousands—that it invariably restores a recent cough, and that hundreds of individuals, gradually sinking under the insidious attack of death's fell enemy, PULMONARY CONSUMPTION, have been restored to health, happiness and friends, by its use.

Be not deceived by the many spurious and worthless preparations of Wild Cherry, which are offered in notice by ignorant pretenses, but see the signature of Dr. Swayne on each bottle, which is the only guarantee against imposition.

Dr. J. A. Moore, Danville; T. S. Mack & Co., Milton; M. D. & J. Wells, Muncy; C. A. Wyatt, Lewisburg. Philadelphia, Feb. 6th, 1847.—2m 1v

THOMPSON & CRAWFORD, Wholesale Druggists, No. 40 Market Street, (South side, below Second,) Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA COMB STORE. NEW STYLE COMBS. TORTOISE Shell Tuck Combs, carved and finished in superior style.

TO WATCH MAKERS AND DEALERS. J. LADOMUS, Importer of Watches, Watch-Makers' Tools and Watch Materials, Wholesale & Retail.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE. IN pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Northumberland county, will be sold at public sale, on Thursday the 18th day of March next,

One Dollar saved is two Earned. PERSONS wishing to purchase goods in Sunbury, will do well to call at the cheap store of the subscriber, and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

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By order of the court, EDWARD OYSTER, Clk. Sunbury, Jan. 16, 1847.—1c

IT IS WRITTEN IN THE BOOK OF NATURE AND OF COMMON SENSE. THE natural vegetable production of every country, and if properly applied, amply sufficient for the cure of every malady incident to such peculiar climate.

WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS, OF THE North American College of Health. are composed of all plants which grow spontaneously on our own soil, and are therefore better adapted to our constitutions than Medicines concocted from foreign drugs, however well they may be compounded; and as they are founded upon the principle that the human body is in truth

Henry Masser, Sunbury, E. & J. Kaufman, Augusta township, Samuel Hess, Little Mahony, Benjamin Holman, Upper Mahony, John G. Rann, Upper Mahony, Samuel John, Shamokin town, Forsythe, Wilson & Co., Northumberland, E. L. Piper, Waterbury, Ireland & Hays, McEversville, James Ford, Pottsville, Wm. G. Scott, Rushville, Hartman Knott, Elvshurg P. O., Am on a Shell, Pottsville, G. M. on a Shell, Upper Mahony, Rhodes & Farrow, Snyderstown, John King, Farmville, Sias C. Cook, Middle Creek, Dr. De Young Hicksville, Abraham Steyer, Richmond, Samuel Taylor, Shiford, Jan H. Vincent, Chatsquisque, Wm. Hemen & Brother, Milton, Hays & Co., New York.

PHILADELPHIA. Office: 105 Chestnut street, No. 158 to 160, between Second and Third streets, Philadelphia. Jan. 16, 1847.—12y.

MOUNT VERNON. 95 North 2d st., bet. Arch & Race sts. Philadelphia.

CITY AUCTION STORE, No. 31 North Third street, PHILADELPHIA. (SEE THE CITY NOTES.) C. C. MACKAY, AUCTIONEER, TO COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS.

TO RENT—On Shares. A FARM AND SAW MILL, &c. On Pennsylvania creek, West Buffalo township, Union county, six miles west of Berlin, now occupied by John Deeter—about 80 acres cleared; good Orchard, some Stone, &c.

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Mill and Farm FOR SALE. THE subscriber offers for sale fifty or sixty acres of land with a mill erected thereon, formerly known as Jones's Mill, situated in August township, Northumberland county, on the Little Shamokin creek, near the Tulpehocken road, leading from Sunbury to Pottsville—eight miles from Sunbury, and in a good state of cultivation.

Jeremiah J. Vastine's Estate. NOTICE is hereby given, that letters of administration have been granted to the subscribers, on the estate of Jeremiah J. Vastine, late of Rush township, Northumberland county, dec'd.

CHEAP WATCHES. THE Cheapest Gold and Silver Watches IN PHILADELPHIA. GOLD LEVERS, full Jeweled, \$45.00 Silver do do 30.00

PHILADELPHIA. I have some Gold and Silver Levers, and warranted to keep good time for one year; old gold watches bought or taken in exchange. For sale, eight day and thirty hour brass clocks, at Watch, Clock and Jewellery Store, No. 413 Market street, above Eleventh, north side, Philadelphia.

AUCTION STORE, No. 6 North 3d st., third door above Market Street, PHILADELPHIA. STATE EVENING of a general assortment of Foreign and Domestic Hardware, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Trunk, Luggage, Pistols, Shot, Swords, Saddlery, Whips, Bows, Shot, &c. Has, Case, Gun, Pistols, Tramping, &c.

ETU ROUSSEL'S Universal SHAVING CREAM. Small quantities given without charge. AT 114 Chestnut St., PHILADELPHIA. THIS new and splendid article, a ten-months' experience, is proved to be superior to any Shaving Cream in the United States or Europe. It is unsurpassed for beauty, purity and fragrance, somewhat analogous to Guerlain's Ambrosial Cream and other similar compounds.

J. & M. SAUNDERS, No. 21 North Fourth Street, PHILADELPHIA. Invite Merchants and Business to examine their stock of Bonnets, Palm Leaf and Leghorn Hats, Fur and Cash Caps, and India Rubber Shoes.

CHEAP WATCHES & JEWELRY. Philadelphia Watch and Jewelry Store, No. 95 North SECOND street, corner of Quarry. GOLD LEVER WATCHES, full Jeweled, 18 carat case, \$45.00 Silver Lever Watches, full Jeweled, 23.00

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