MARRIAGE

## Happiness and Competence.

### WHY IS IT?

THAT we behold many females, scarce in the meridian of life, broken in health, and spirits with a complication of diseases and ailments, depriving them of the power for the enjoyment of life at an age when physical health, buoyancy of spirits, and happy serenity of mind, arising from a condition of health should be predominant.

Many of the causes of her sufferings at first —perhaps years before, during girlhood, or the first years of her marriage—were in their origin so slight as to pass unnoticed.

### IN AFTER YEARS,

When too late to be benefited by our knowledge, we look back and deplore and regret the full consequence of our ignorance.

What a reflection often gives to pasures in early life the knowledge obtain in after years. And what days and nights of anguish we might have been spared, if the knowledge was timely possessed. Hence

### MELANCHOLLY AND STARTLING

To behold, the sickness and suffering endured by many a wife for many years, from causes simple and controllable easily prevented—or better still—not to control, if every

### WIFE AND MOTHER

Possessed the information contained in a little volume, (within the reach of all) which would spare to herself

### YEARS OF MISERY,

And to her husband the constant toil and anxiety of mind necessarily devolving upon him from sickness of the wife, without giving him the opportunity of acquiring that companionship which her sex exertions are entitled to and the possession of which would secure the happiness of himself, wife and children.

### SECURE THE MEANS OF HAPPINESS

By necessity in time possessed of the knowledge, the want of which has caused the sickness and poverty of thousands.

It is a neglect to a sentiment of the knowledge in respect to herself, which would spare her much suffering, be the means of happiness and prosperity to her husband, and confer upon her an unfailing claim above all price—healthy bodies with healthy minds. That knowledge is contained in a little work entitled

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PROFESSOR OF DISEASES OF WOMEN.

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### SURPRISING OR WONDERFUL

Considering that EVERY FEMALE, WHETHER MARRIED OR NOT, can here acquire a full knowledge of the nature, character and cause of her complaints, with the various symptoms, and that nearly

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Should have been sold.

It is impracticable to convey fully the various subjects treated of, as they are of a nature strictly interdicted for the perusal of those contemplating marriage, but no female desirous of her own health, and that beauty consequent upon health, which is so conducive to her being long admired, but either has or will obtain it, at his or her very earliest convenience, and to that beauty consequent upon it be husband, but either has or will obtain it, at his or her very earliest convenience, and to that beauty consequent upon health, which is so conducive to her being long admired