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THE FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU has been pronounced by eminent Physicians the greatest remedy ever known.—It is a medicine perfectly pleasant in its taste and very unusual in its action, and yet so thorough that it annihilates every particle of the rank and poisonous virus of this dreadful disease; and, unlike other remedies, it does not dry up the disease in the blood.

Constitutional Debility, brought on by selfabuse, a most terrible disease, which has brought thousands of the human race to untimely graves, thus blasting the brilliant hopes of parents, and blighting in the bud the glorious ambition of many a noble youth, can be cured by this infallible remedy. And as a medicine which must benefit everybody, from the simply delicate to the confined and despairing invalid, no equal is to be found, acting both as a Cure and Preventive.

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Besides this, there is a valuable saw mill upon the property, and one hundred and fifty lots in the thriving town of St. Mary's, which the subscribers get.

This originally formed part of a large tract, a great portion of which was settled by industrious and educated Germans, numbering some twenty-five hundred. They selected the land on account of its agricultural and mineral wealth, which alone is an indisputable evidence of the facts, as they are well known to be superior judges upon these subjects. They went there some twelve years ago, and they now have a thriving and beautiful settlement, which is laid off in regular rotations of fine farms. St. Mary's is the town of the settlement, and is rapidly increasing in population. It has hotels as good as any in the state—fine stores—a college, where the highest branches of education are taught, both literary and musical—saw mills, grist mills, coach manufactories, and every thing conceivable to add wealth and prosperity to the place.—The land of the company surrounds this town, and all the improvements, thereby reaping the benefits, and presenting a splendid opportunity for settlement. Limestone abounds. This is both an evidence of the quality of the soil and a great fertilizer. At St. Mary's it sells at from ten to twelve cents a bushel, burnt.

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The Sunbury and Erie Railroad, of which Gov. Bigler is President, and which connects this land with the Lakes and Philadelphia, and the Alleghany Valley Railroad, of which Gov. Johnson is President, connecting this land with Pittsburg, are in rapid course of completion, and upon a great extent the locomotives are running. The reflections which suggest themselves upon this subject are these—It takes two hundred weeks to pay for the farms. They will be distributed when they are half paid for. By that time the railroads will be finished. That will be early enough for all practical purposes. The advantage of buying it before their completion is evident. When that is done properly will go up ten hundred per cent.—Speculation in coal would at once run it up to such a price as would make it impossible to obtain for agricultural purposes. We now get it without paying the then improved price, and the stockholders will enjoy the rise.

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