Agricultural.

Remarks on Breeding.

As an illustration of the effects of *in-and-in* breeding, the following is related as having occurred in a particular neighborhood in this country. A farmer of a sour, unsocial disposition, who as much as possible avoided all intercourse with the rest of the world, and shunned asking the slightest favor of a neighbor, lest at some time he might be desired to reciprocate the kindness showed him, for long time bred his cattle entirely from his own stock. In consequence of this course, such a herd of misshapen, ungainly, big headed quadrupeds were produced, that they could scarcely be recognised as belonging to the cattle kind; and "——'s wolverines" were for a long time the butt of ridicule in the whole vicinity.

The careful breeder, upon either system, will avoid using, even for a single season, any animal possessing obvious defects; for such defects, once introduced in but the slightest degree, are liable to be transmitted and re-appear even after several generations have passed. To the many curious and valuable facts already on record relating to this subject, the following may be added:—A portion of the fowls possessed by Constant Clapp, Esq., were formly of the "down" breed; but this variety, so strongly marked, had run out and entirely disappeared from his premises for eight years, when three of those downy individuals, prefect in every particular, re-appeared among his flock, showing that the blood, though appearently obliterated, had yet been lurking there, generation after generation.

It was a favorite theory with the late distinguished General Schuyler, a man of extensive observation, of deep penetration and sound judgment, that the true character, ether of a man or beast, could be ascertained by looking at the parentage from which he had descended; and as an illustration of this, he used humorously to relate the incident, that in the early years of the Dutch trade with the East Indies, one of his ancestors, being a sea captain, had gone thither, and returned with a wife—a Mongolian lady, whom he had married in his absence. And the blood of that cross continued still to cling to the descendants two centuries afterwards, despite of all their efforts to eradicate it—so that down to the present day, in one branch and another of the family, one of those confounded East Indians would occasionally be making his appearance!

Smoke Houses.—Many persons commit great errors in building smoke houses. To be nice, and be a handsome and respectable appurtenance to a farm, it must forsooth be built of brick or stone, with close fitting doors, and a single aperature for the egress of the smoke. The consequence is, the meat is black and bitter, and might as well been put in a pickle of pyroligneous acid; having lost all its fine flavor, smelling of soot like a chimney sweep. The walls are so close that the smoke condenses and settles on the hams or bacon, and instead of drying, it becomes flabby and ill-colored.

A smoke house can hardly be too open. It takes longer, to be sure, to perfect the process; but when completed, the meat is dry, of a fine, chestnut color, and a delicate flavor of smoke penetrating the whole mass.

The best houses we have seen, are built with a stone wall, three feet high, flagged bottom, and a wooden structure built on the top of the wall. Common siding is tight enough, or boarding end-wise like boarding a barn is sufficient, with a tight board or a shingle roof. The bottom is used for an ash house and the smoke fire is built on the ashes. It is safe for both purposes, will produce a much finer article for those who have a sweet tooth for that delicious treat—a nice flavored ham.

Waste of Manure.—Little or no pains is taken usually to save the liquid manure of animals; no earth or saw dust is placed in or beneath the stable to absorb it; and the barn yard is often so situated, that all the liquids that would collect in it run off into the road, or are conducted into the adjoining field, where they are so little spread about, as to injure the crop by producing an immoderate luxuriance. Liquid manure is exceedingly valuable and the yards and stables of the farmer should be so constructed, that it may all be saved. There should be no outlet to the barn yard, where the fluids collected in it can run off. They should either be taken away and applied directly to the land, or poured upon the compost heaps in and around the barn-yard. The turf about his fences and stone walls; or the mud and muck from his swamps, should be collected in heaps or spread around his yard in order to absorb the fertilizing liquids collected there.—[*Address of S. Heart, Esq., before the Hartford County, Ct. Ag. So.*

Leaves as Manure.—Leaves, buds, and tender branches are peculiarly rich in the vegetable alkali; beside which they contain other organic elements derived from the soil, and which, by being returned to the soil, enrich its surface, tending to prevent its exhaustion, or when newly applied, that is to other ground, to enrich it more than superficially.

Leaves—and the remark is applicable to the tender branches also—seems destined by nature for the nature of forest land, and indeed, of ground generally wherever trees grow. The roots collect the inorganic elements essential to vegetation from the soil, penetrating deeply and widely; the leaves detain and store up a certain portion of them, with other elements derived from the atmosphere, such as are required for their growth; and are returned to the soil with the fall of the leaf, and there undergoing decomposition, are ready to be appointed again, and readminister to the process of vegetable growth.—*Farmer's Herald.*

Remedy for Lice on Colts and Cattle.—Take white oak bark, boil in water, making a strong decoction, and wash the animal on the back and sides. In twenty-four hours the lice will be completely tanned.

To keep Clothes Pure.—Lay between the folds of garments that have acquired an unpleasant odor from being laid away for some time, pieces of newly made charcoal. The charcoal will absorb the odor and render the clothes sweet and nice.

☞ After having locked your doors, remove the keys; for without this precaution you might as well leave your door unlocked, so far as security is concerned—it being a very easy matter to turn almost any key from the out side with a bent wire.

To Pickle Peaches.—Take ripe but hard peaches, wipe off the down, stick a few cloves into them and lay them in cold spice vinegar. In three months they will be sufficiently pickled, and also retain much of their natural flavor.

Miscellaneous.

THE

GREAT BRITISH QUARTERLIES

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Important Reduction in the Rates of Postage!—Premiums to New Subscribers!

LEONARD SCOTT & CO., No. 54 Gold st., New York, continue to publish the following British Periodicals, viz!

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These Reprints have now been in successful operation in this country for *twenty years*, and their circulation is constantly on the increase, notwithstanding the competition they encounter from American periodicals of a similar class and from numerous *Electics* and Magazines made up of selections from foreign periodicals. This fact shows clearly the high estimation in which they are held by the intelligent reading public, and affords a guarantee that they are established on a firm basis, and will be continued without interruption.

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N. B.—L. S. & CO. have recently published, and have now for sale, the "FARMER'S GUIDE," by Henry Stephens of Edinburgh, and Prof. Norton of Yale College, New Haven, complete in 2 vols., royal octavo, containing 1600 pages, 14 steel and, 600 wood engravings. Price, in muslin binding $6; in paper covers, for the mail, $5.

New Chair and Bedstead Wareroom.

JESSE TAYLOR,

RESPECTFULLY informs the public that he has opened a shop at his new house, corner of Main and Paine streets, nearly opposite Edward Overton's, Towanda, where he will keep on hand or manufacture to order, Flag-seated, Cottage, Windsor, Fancy, Cane seated and Common CHAIRS, made of the best materials, and of superior durability.

He has also for sale an assortment of Bedsteads, at low prices.

Repairing and Seating Common, Cane-bottom and Flag-seated Chairs, on reasonable terms.

Cherry, Basswood, Whitewood and Cucumber lumber taken in payment for work.

He trusts that his long acquaintance in this county, and the durability of his work as tested by many years experience, will secure him a share of public patronage. Towanda, March 1, 1851.

BOOTS & SHOES!

John W. Wilcox,

HAS removed his establishment to H. Mix's store, corner of main street and the public square, and will continue the manufacture of Boots and Shoes, as heretofore.

He has just received from New York a large assortment of *Women's, Children's and Misses' Shoes*, which are offered at low prices. The attention of the Ladies is particularly directed to his assortment, comprising the following new styles:—Enamelled Jenny Lind gaiter boots; do. shoes; black lasting and silk gaiters; walking shoes, buskins, &c. Misses' gaiters and shoes, of every description. A large assortment of Children's fancy gaiters, boots and shoes, of all kinds.

For the Gentlemen, almost every style of gaiters and shoes. This stock has been personally selected with care, and he believes he can offer superior articles at reasonable prices.

☞ The strictest attention paid to *Manufacturing*, and he hopes by doing work well to merit a continuance of the liberal patronage he has hitherto received. Towanda, May 8, 1851.

J. M'INTOSH, DENTIST

HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE to No. 2, Brick Row, (up stairs,) in the room formerly occupied by Hon. D. Wilmot as a law office, where he will be pleased to see those requiring his professional services. Towanda, November 18, 1851.

Great Bargain!

The undersigned, will sell on reasonable terms, the Tavern House and one hundred acres of excellent farming land, situated in the Village of Rome, Bradford County, Pa. The location of the house commands a fine business, and offers great inducements to any person desirous of keeping a Public House, in connexion with Farming &c.

For terms apply to the subscriber at Rome.
Oct. 4 1851. JOHN PASSMORE.

NEW FIRM AND NEW GOODS!

Hardware, Stoves, Copper, Brass, Tin, AND SHEET IRON WARE.

HALL & RUSSELL, having formed a co-partnership, respectfully call the attention of the public to their assortment, to which large additions have recently been made, making it the largest and most varied ever offered in this region. Among the multitude of articles a few will be enumerated:

Iron and Nails.

English, American and Swed's square and round English and American refined; hoop, band and horse shoe iron; nail rods and malleable Iron of all descriptions, &c.; with a good assortment of Nails:—3d, 4d, 5d, 6d, 8d, 10d, 12d, and 20d; 4, 5 and 6 inch spikes; wrought nails and horse nails, by the pound, keg or ton. Also, cast, German, English blister, American spring and tire steel, &c.

Carpenter's and Joiner's Tools.

Of all descriptions, viz: broad, narrow and hand axes; hatchets, adz, joiner's cast steel mortice, firmer and framing chisels; common and cast steel augurs, of all sizes, from ½ to 2 inch; braces and bits; augur and pod bits extra; planes and plane irons; hand, tenant, X cut, keyhole and slitting saws; iron and steel and try squares of all sizes, from 5½ to 15 inches; hammers, spirit levels, bevels, tape lines, mortice guages, of all sizes, screw drivers, scratches, hollow augurs, &c.

Blacksmith's Tools.

Anvils, bellows, vices, hammers, sledges, rinting hammers, stocks and dies, drilling machines, &c,

Farmer's Tools.

Shovels, square or round points; picks, hoes, hay, straw and manure forks; log, cable and binding chains, crowbars, grubbing hoes, rakes, grass scythes, scythe nathes, scythe stones and rifles, cradle scythes, bush scythes, corn cutters, shovel plough moulds, garden sakes, hoes and trowels, scoop shovels, &c.

Carriage Trimmings.

Carriage bows, top leather and cloth; patent leather; india rubber cloth; brass and silver plated hub bands, roncave and Boston patterns; brass and silver plated curtain frames, lining nails, carriage knobs, apron rings and hooks, stump joints; brass and silver plated joints; *seaming cord; striped lace, wide and narrow;* silk striped lace, new style; top lining, worsted fringe, moss, varnish cloth, patent axles and axle arms; springs, &c. *Harness Trimmings and Saddlery Ware* of the latest and most approved stylves, and of

House Trimmings,

We have on hand a full assortment. Also a large quantity of LEAD PIPE, which we are prepared to furnish at the lowest prices, together with copper and britannia stop cocks and cork stops. Any quantity of *Pump chains and Well Riggings.* A general assortment of

Hardware.

Saw mill, circular and wood saws; plastering and brick trowels; lathing hammers, shovels and tongs; files and rasps of all sizes; shoe and tack hammers; drawing knives, turner's chisels and gouges, saw setts, callipers, pincers, knives and forks, carving knives and forks and steels; butcher, pocket and pallet knives; coach wrenches, trunk, chest and till locks; tailors and sheep shears; table and bed castors; dinner and tea bells, glue and enamelled sauce kettles; brass kettles, from two quarts to half a barrel; Hollow ware and cauldron kettles; tea and coffee pots; brass and britannia candlesticks and snuffers; trays, fruit trays and large servers; curtain arms and pins of the latest styles; stair rods and holders; ladies' and gentlemen's pocket scissors; razors and razor strops; German silver and britannia table and tea spoons; hair, clothes and shoe brushes; brass and steel barrelled pistols and revolvers; gun locks, steel nipples and nipple wrenches; shot, shot pouches and powder flasks; barn door, strap and T hinges. Also manufacturing and will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of

Tin and Japanned Ware.

We have also just received 30 tons of STOVES composed in part of the following patterns and sizes:

Republican air tight Cooking Stove,		Number 4
Farmer's do	do	" 9
Lady of the Lake,	do	" 9
Queen of the West,	do	" 4 to 6
Iron King,	do	" 4 and 5
Improved Premium	do	" 7 to 10
Eastern Premium,	do	" 5 and 4
Jenny Lind Parlor Stoves,		" 4
Cottage	do	" 2 and 3
Cylinder	do	" 3 and 4
Air tight	do	" 1 to 3
Air tight 6 plate Stoves,		" 2 to 6
Six plate Stoves,		" 3 to 7

The above comprises but a few articles of the assortment which they offer to the public, and all of which will be disposed at extremely low rates. In proof of this, please call at Hall's old stand, south side of public square, and extending to Pine street.

☞ Old Copper, Iron, Brass and most kinds of Produce, taken in payment. Towanda, June 6, 1851.

THE TOWANDA FURNACE

Is Still in Operation!

THE subscribers have moved to the new building on Pine street, one door below Mercurs store where they will keep on hand and make to order, ploughs, stove and mill irons of almost all descriptions. Turning and fitting up work, will be done also on reasonable terms as at Elmira or Owego. Old iron will be taken in payment. JOHN CARMAN & CO.
Towanda, April 26, 1851.

ECONOMY, DURABILITY AND NEATNESS.

Saddle, Harness & Trunk Manufactory.

JERE CULP & Co., respectfully inform the public that they have taken the shop lately occupied by C. F. Harder, on Main street, a few doors below the Brick Row, where they will keep on hand a large stock of

HARNESS, SADDLES, BRIDLES,

TRUNKS, VALISES, WHIPS, ETC.

All articles in their line manufactured to order, and made of the best material, and for workmanship cannot be surpassed in Northern Pennsylvania. They solicit a call from those wishing to purchase, confident that they can give satisfaction both as to quality and price.

☞ Cash will be paid for Hides and Sheep Pelts, the highest rates, at our shop.

Sale Leather, Upper Leather, Harness Leather and *Calf skins*, for sale in any quantity.
Towanda, November 19th, 1850.

NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP.

THE subscribers respectfully inform the public that they have taken the shop formerly occupied by Adam Esenwine, on Main street, nearly opposite Drake's wagon shop, where they are prepared to do all kinds of BLACKSMITHING upon reasonable terms.

They are determined by doing their work well and promptly, to merit, as they hope to receive a share of public patronage.

HORSE-SHOEING done in the best manner. All kinds of repairing Machinery, executed in the most skilful manner.

WOOD WORK for wagons will also be made and repaired when desired.

All work done at their shop, will be warranted to be well done, and manufactured from the best materials. The public are requested to give us a trial, and judge for themselves. ESENWINE & SEEBISCHH.
Towanda, May 2, 1851.

BLACKSMITHING

ADAM ESENWINE respectfully informs the public that he now occupies the shop where himself and brother have for years worked, nearly opposite Tomkins' foundry, where he is ready to do all work in his line, as formerly in the best manner. He is determined the reputation he has attained as a skilful workman shall not suffer by any neglect of the interests of customers or by any inattention to business.

TOOLS, manufactured to order—machinery of all kinds repaired in the best manner, and every kind of *Repairing* and *Manufacturing* will be done at short notice, and in the style desired.

Horse Shoeing, on reasonable terms. He will also take *Country Produce* in payment for work, but objects strongly to credit.
Towanda, Jan. 17, 1851.

CHARLES K LADD, M. D.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Office in the "Union Block," up stairs; North side of the Public Square, over Elwell's Law Office. Entrance between Elwell's and Adams' law offices; where he may always be found when not professionally engaged.
Towanda, July 12, 1850.

Miscellaneous.

This is no Quackery!

ORRICK'S VERMIFUGE,

Or Worm Destroyer.

This Medicine contains no Mercury, nor any other Mineral substance. It is purely Vegetable.

This remedy for worms is one of the most extraordinary, ever used. It effectually eradicates worms of all sorts from children and adults.

Thousands perish by worms without the real cause being known. Some other reason is assigned for the sickness, until too late to cure the real cause.

What immense responsibility rests upon the parent who does not know, and the doctor who does not understand, the complaint which is destroying those precious flowers of life—children.

What should be done?

The answer is plain. Give the Vermifuge, which will be sure to do good if they have, no worms, and if they have, it will destroy and eradicate them with a certainty and precision *truly astonishing.*

There is no *mercury* or mineral in it. Mercury is the basis of most worm remedies; and the remedy is sometimes worse than the disease. So never use lozenges, but rely upon this. Every person will be convinced on one trial that it is the most perfect cure ever invented.

The immense sale that this Vermifuge has, is a sure test of its value and the estimation in which it is held by families. It would be quite too expensive to publish the volumes of certificates that have been given for this article, and the users of it are requested to spread the name to a persons whom they think will be benefitted by it.

Speak of it in all families, and you will do your duty to your fellow creatures, and feel assured of the approbation of all good men, and will receive your reward in heaven.

We call on all good citizens to make known the effects of this wonderful remedy.

Remember, and ask for *Orrick's Vermifuge.*

Startling Facts.

Hundreds of children and adults are lost yearly with worms, when some other cause has been supposed to be the *true one.*

It is admitted by all doctors that scarce a man, woman, or child exists, but what sooner or later are troubled with worms, and in hundreds of cases, sad to relate, a supposed fever, scarlatina, cold, or some other ailing carries off the flower of the human family—while in truth they die of worms! and these could have been eradicated in a day, by the use of one bottle of ORRICK'S VERMIFUGE.

How sickening the thought that these things should be—and who can ever forgive themselves for not trying this WORM EXTERMINATOR, when they *know* that even if the case was not worms, this remedy could not by any possibility do hurt—but always good as a purgative, let the disease be what it may. How important then to use it, and who will dare to take the responsibility to do without it? Let all parents ask themselves this question in truth and soberness.

For sale by HUSTON & PORTER, Towanda, General Agents. 16y

LAFAYETTE BURR MILL STONE MANUFACTORY.

THE undersigned, formerly Foreman for many years of the Lafayette Burr Mill Stone manufactory, 240 Washington street N. Y., (W. Track, Agent) would inform his friends and the public in general, that he has established a BURR MILL STONE MANUFACTORY at Binghamton, N. Y. in "Leroy Buildings," opposite "Phenix Hotel," and solicits a share of their patronage.

He will have constantly on hand a large stock of *French Burr Mill Stones*, as also a large supply of *Esopus & Kuln Stones*, also *French Burr Blocks, Bolting Cloth, Screen Wire* and *Calcined Plaster.*

The undersigned assures his friends and the public, that he will faithfully execute all Orders entrusted to his care, not only in quality, but in prices of articles furnished, and solicits their kind patronage.

Orders by letter will be executed with as much care and as cheaply as when purchasers are on the spot.
JOHN W. SULLIVAN.
Binghamton, May 24, 1851.

New York Importers and Jobbers, FREEMAN, HODGE & CO.,

58 Liberty street, between Broadway and Nassau street, near the Post Office, New York.

WE are receiving, by daily arrivals from Europe, our Fall and Winter assortment of rich fashionable Fancy Silk and Millinery Goods,

We respectfully invite all cash purchasers thoroughly to examine our stock and prices, and, as interest governs, we feel confident our goods and prices will induce them to select from our establishment. Particular attention is devoted to Millinery Goods, and many of the articles are manufactured expressly to our order, and cannot be surpassed in beauty, style and cheapness.

Beautiful Paris Ribbons, for Hat, Cap, Neck and Belt.

Satin and Taffeta Ribbons, of all widths and colors.
Silks, Satins, Velvets, and Uncut Velvets, for Hats.
Feathers, American and French Artificial Flowers.
Puffings, and Cap Trimmings.
Dress Trimmings, large assortment.
Embroideries, Capes, Collars, Undersleeves and Cuffs.
Fine Embroidered Reviere and Hemstitch Cambric Handkerchiefs.
Crapes, Lisses, Tarletons, Illusion and Cap Laces.
Valenciennes, Brussels, Thread, Silk, and Lisle Thread Laces.
Kid, Silk, Sewing Silk, Lisle Thread, Merino Gloves and Mitts.
Figured and Plain Swiss, Book, Bishop Lawn and Jaconet Muslins.
English, French, American and Italian Straw Goods.
Sept. 6, 1851.

DISSOLUTION.—Notice is hereby given, that the partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers in the Harness and Trunk making business is this day dissolved by mutual consent. E. Smith & Son will settle the business of the late firm. Those indebted must make immediate payment, and those who have agreed to pay grain, are notified that unless delivered at the time agreed, Cash will be expected.

E. SMITH,
C. T. SMITH,
November 5, 850. JERE CULP.

SADDLES, HARNESS, AND TRUNK MANUFACTORY.

E. Smith & Son,

RESPECTFULLY inform the public that they will continue the business at their old stand, north side of the Public square, and will keep on hand, and manufacture to order, every variety of SADDLES, HARNESS, TRUNKS, VALICES, &c., of the best materials and of workmanship, not to be surpassed.

By strict attention to business, and promptness in fulfilling engagements, they hope to continue the liberal patronage they have heretofore enjoyed.

Carriage Trimming will be done on short notice, in the neatest manner.

All kinds of Grain, Produce, Hides, Sheep Pelts, will be taken in exchange for work.

Removed to B. Kingsbery's Block!

W. A. Chamberlin,

HAS just returned from the city of New York with a large supply of Watches, Jewelry and Silver ware, comprising in part, the following articles:—Lever, L'Epine and Plain Watches, with a complete assortment of Gold Jewelry, such as Ear Rings, Finger Rings, Breast Pins, Bracelets, Lockets, Gold chains, Gold Pens, Keys, etc. Also, all sorts of Silverware, and any quantity of Steel Beads—all of which he offers for sale exceedingly cheap for CASH.

Watches repaired on short notice, and *warranted* to run well, or the money will be refunded, and a written agreement given to that effect if required.

N. B.—MAPLE SUGAR, and Country Produce taken in payment for work; and also, *learn now, and orever, that the Produce must be paid when the work is done*—I war against credit in all its forms.

W. A. CHAMBERLIN, Agent.
Towanda, April 28, 1850.

150 KEGS "Crescent" Nails just received at MERCUR'S.

9 HHD BROWN SUGAR. Also, Coffee, Crushed and Powdered Sugars, now arriving and for sale wholesale or retail very cheap by MERCUR'S.

Medical.

AN ADVERTISEMENT

THAT APPEALS

TO THE SOUND SENSE OF THE COMMUNITY.

GRAEFENBERG COMPANY NEW-YORK

Standard Medicines.

The following equalled series of Family Medicines may be depended upon with the utmost confidence. They have the approbation of the best physicians in the country, and are recommended by all who have used them as superior to any medicines.

They have been before the Public for five years, During which time more than 5000 certificates have been received from eminent public men and others, and are now on file at the Company's office.

They are Compounded

With the utmost care and skill, and the ingredients are thoroughly tested by scientific chemists, so that medicines of a uniform and reliable quality are guaranteed in all cases.

THE GRAEFENBERG VEGETABLE PILLS.

Are particularly valuable for the prevention and cure of Fevers in general, all Bilious and Liver Complaints, Jaundice, General Debility, Common and Sick Headache, Dyspepsia, Heart Burn, Costiveness, Griping, Urinary Diseases, Obstructions of the Menses, Influenza, Asthma, and for a variety of other Chronic Diseases; in fine, for all ordinary family uses.

☞ Full directions for the various Diseases accompany each box. Price 25 cents a box.

The Graefenberg Dysentary Syrup,

A speedy and infallible remedy in Diarrhœa, Dysentary, Bloody Flux, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum and the Asiatic Cholera, if taken with the first symptoms, viz: vomiting and diarrhœa. It never fails to cure the worst possible cases of bowel complaints, generally in a few hours, seldom beyond a day. It is Purely Vegetable, and taken in any quantity is perfectly harmless.

The Graefenberg Green Mountain Ointment.

Invaluable for Burns, Wounds, Sprains, Chillblains, Corns, Sores, Swellings of all kinds, Rheumatism, Erysipelas, Bronchitis, Scrofula, Ulcers, Pains in the side and back immediately relieved, Inflammation of the Bowels, and for all cases where there is Inflammation.

Marshall's Uterine Catholicon.

A certain cure for Prolapsus Uteri, and for most of the distressing complaints incident to females. Prepared by Dr. THEO. POMEROY, of Utica, solely for the Graefenberg Company.

THE OTHER GRAEFENBERG MEDICINES ARE

Eye Lotion,	*Health Bitters,*
Consumptive Balm,	*Fever and Ague Pills,*
Children's Panacea,	*Libby's Pile Ointment,*
Sarsaparilla Compound.	

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