Wit and Humour.

☞ OLD BACHELORS and happily married men take very different views of the married state. For example, the old bachelor thus describes the condition as he understands it:

"Noisy clack and constant brawling,
Discord and domestic strife;
Empty cupboard, children brawling,
Scolding woman made a wife!"

The man really blessed with a "better-half" thus describes the condition:

"Lovely looks and constant courting,
Sweetening all the toils of life:
Cheerful children harmless sporting—
Lovely woman made a wife."

☞ THE NEW-YORK *Spirit of the Times* has a correspondent who tells the following story:

"It's rather a rough part of the country I live in," he began, "and we do things in a rough way, and when I cum up to town, the other day, I seed a good many things that seemed *sort* a strange, but of I didn't see the funniest thing to-day *yet*. Yer see, I was along by one of yur big taverns, when a feller cum out with a shot-gun and a *pinter* dog. He had a striped coat on, with about a hundred and fifty pockets and a velvet cap, and a pair of breeches that the fust briar patch would make *mult* of in no time. A white powder-flask hung upside down over one shoulder, and a pouch made out'en a scrap of partridge net over the other—and sich buttons, I was a thinking what a sight he'd be a huntin' with his double-barrel squirt down in our country, when all of a sudden he calls up a nigger, gives him a quarter, nig cotched the *pinter*, and dang me if he and that pinter dog didn't go out *a hunten in a hack*, while the nigger drov the two hosses!"

☞ DIRECTIONS FOR FAINTING.—Never faint when you are alone. Always select some good opportunity. The more persons there are about you, the more successful will be your fit. A friend's house, when there is a dinner or an evening party going on, is far from a bad opportunity. Never faint more than once on the same evening, as there may be a falling off in sympathy on the second experiment. A woman should not only faint well, but be above suspicion. Be very careful, therefore, never to risk a faint unless you have some object in view, such as going out of town—or a new gown—or a box at the opera—or being taken to some *fete*—or any other little caprice which your husband may have obstinately refused you. In such cases hysterics are justifiable.—*Punch.*

☞ "RESPECTED SIR," wrote a tenant the other day to his landlord in Philadelphia, to whom he was sending three rabbits, "I have the honor to send you three—" At this point of his letter, which he was writing at a neighboring tavern, he stopped, and addressing himself to one of the lounges, the scholar of the locality, inquired:—"Say, now, old fellow, how many b's ought there to be in rabbit?" "Oh, that depends on circumstances. How many do you send?" "Three." "Then there are to be three b's, one for each rabbit." "Thankee." And he completed his communication thus: "Respected sir, I have the honor to send you three *rabbits*."

☞ TWO FELLOWS on a western steamboat, seeing the form of a Methodist preacher extended upon several chairs, peacefully slumbering, drew up and went to playing euchre on him. At last one of them becoming somewhat excited, brought down his clenched fist on the old man's stomach. He woke up, and found his coat well chalked. He coolly said:—"Gentlemen, when you have got through this coat, I have another under it, that is perfectly at your disposal. Be so kind, however, as to be a little careful of your *gestures*."

☞ FOUND AT LAST.—*Cure for Corns.*—Rub them every morning before breakfast, (except on cloudy weather,) with a solution of tar and spirits of turpentine, for nineteen mornings in succession, pare them closely with a three-bladed buck-horn handled jack knife, and wipe off the blood with a napkin. Then soak every night, for three weeks in mixtures of sal-water, nitred acid, rectified whiskey, *eau de Cologne* and glue, (equal parts,) and cut them off close to the uncle.

☞ A RAGGED URCHIN, after having his basket filled with "cold wittles" at the American House, a few days ago, was asked if his parents were living. "Only dad, marm," said the boy. "Then you have enough in your basket now to feed the family for some time," said the lady. "Oh, no, I hav'n't neither," said the lad, "for dad and me keeps five boarders; he does the housework, and I do the mark'n.—*Boston Mail.*

☞ DUBBS says that all the objection he has got to Dutch girls is, that they are always eating and always eating too much.—He is willing to have a barrel of krout in the house, but the idea of going to bed with a barrel of krout, is more than he could endure calmly. Dubbs, like a retired tailor, is evidently getting above "cabbage."

☞ "HERE's your money, dolt. Now tell me why your scoundrelly master wrote me eighteen letters about that contemptible sum?" said an exasperated debtor. "I'm sure, sir, I can't tell; but if you'll excuse me, sir, I think it was because seventeen letters didn't fetch it."

☞ A MAN not a thousand miles from Pottsville, once asked another who he liked the best to hear preach.

"Why," said he, "I like to hear Mr.—preach best, because I don't like any preaching, and his comes nearest to nothing of any that I ever heard."

☞ AN OLD LADY once said that her idea of a great man was, "a man who was keerful of his clothes, don't drink spirits, kin read the Libble without spelling the words, and kin eat a cold dinner on washing day, to save the women folks the trouble."

☞ IN CELEBRATING Franklin's birthday, at Buffalo, the Printers had a good time, and among many others the following toast was drunk:—

"PRINTERS' WIVES—May they always have plenty of SMALL CAPS for the heads of their *little original articles.*"

☞ WHEN the venerable Pebblesworth was in New-York, he asked a pipe smoking-old Dutchman the origin of the name of Tammany Hall. "Vy you see," said Hans, "ven the beebles has a meeting in the hall, it holds tam many."

☞ A FATHER chiding his son for not leaving his bed at an earlier hour, told him, as an inducement, that a certain man, being up betimes, found a purse of gold. "It might be so," replied the son, "but he that lost it was up before him."

☞ A PRAGMATICAL young fellow, sitting at table over against the learned John Scot, asked him what difference there was between *Scot and tot?* "*Just the breadth of a table,*" answered the other.

☞ THERE is a schoolmaster up town who has an easy way of teaching children to read. He tells them to skip all the long, jaw-cracking words, as they are only names of foreign countries, which they will never visit.

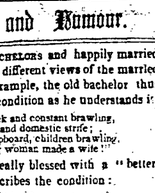
☞ WOULD you like to subscribe for *Dickens' Household Words?*" inquired a sombre magazine agent. "Household words have played the dickens with me long enough?" was the feeling reply. The agent absconded.

☞ AN EDITOR, in dunning his subscribers, says, "he has little responsibilities thrown upon him just now, which he is obliged to *meat*."

☞ WHY is an old coat like an iron kettle? Because it represents hard-ware.

☞ A LECTURE TO YOUNG MEN, BY A LADY.—Get Married.—*Lantern.*

IRON FOUNDERS.



IMPORTANT TO HOUSE-KEEPERS.

STOVES, IRON WARE AND CUTLERY.

S. HOOVER would announce to his Customers in the surrounding country, that he has just added to his large stock of Stoves a variety of new Patterns of Cooking, Parlor, Office and Hall Stoves. He has now the largest and most splendid stock of Stoves ever offered in this Region before, which he guarantees at the lowest cash prices. They will be sold for cash only. He has also a large assortment of Tin'd and Enameled Hollow Ware, of all descriptions; a large assortment of Cutlery, Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware, Stove Piping, Coal Buckets, Wash Boilers, Brass Kettles, Freezing Kettles, Frying Pans, Waffle Irons, Coffee Mills, &c.; a large assortment of Japan'd Ware Trays, &c.; and all kind of Tin and Sheet-Iron work done to order. Tin Roofing and Spouting done at the shortest notice. All orders received will be promptly attended to. CENTRE Street, four doors above Market.

Pottsville, Oct. 22, 1852. 43-tf

PIONEER BOILER SHOP.

THE Subscribers respectfully announce to the Public that they have taken the PIONEER FURNACE, on the Island, in Pottsville, where they are prepared to manufacture and repair *Boilers of every description*, Smoke Pipes, Blast Pipes, Gasometers, &c., &c., in the very best style.

☞ The best of material will, invariably be used, and none but good workmen employed on their work.

JOHN & JAMES NOBLE.

Feb. 19, 1853. 8tf

STEAM CAR FACTORY.

THE subscribers beg leave to inform the public that in addition to their former STEAM ENGINE SHOPS and FOUNDRY, they have recently put up new Machinery and Shops for the manufacture of COAL CARS, TRUCKS and other Rail Road Cars, by Steam power, which enables them to execute all that kind of work, as cheaply much better, but will greater despatch and at the very lowest prices. Having thus made these extensive preparations, individuals, and companies requiring work of this kind, will find it to their advantage to give them a call.

SNYDER & MILNES.

Oct. 25, 1851 43-tf

WASHINGTON IRON WORKS,

POTTSVILLE, PA.

J. WREN & BRO'S, respectfully inform the friends and the public, that they have taken the business formerly carried on by S. Sillyman, where they are prepared to execute all orders for Machinery of Brass and Iron, such as Steam Engines, all kinds of Gearing for Rolling Mills, Grist and Saw Mills, Shafts and Double-acting Pumps, Coal Breakers, Drift Cars, all kind of Railroad Castings, such as Chairs, for flat and T Rails; Frogs, Switches, &c.; all kinds of cast and wrought Iron Shafting. Being practical workmen, and having made the demands of the Coal Region their study for years, also all kinds of Machinery in their line of business, they flatter themselves that work done at their Establishment will give satisfaction to all who may honor them with a call. All orders thankfully received and promptly executed on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN Y. WREN,
THOMAS WREN,
JAMES WREN.

Oct 2, 1852 40-tf

FRANKLIN IRON WORKS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS ANNOUNCE to the public that they are the Proprietors of the Franklin Works, Port Carbon, formerly carried on by S. Sillyman, where they continue to manufacture to order, at the shortest notice, Steam Engines, Coal Breakers, and Breasts, of almost any size or description, for mining or other purposes. Also Railroad and Drift Cars, Gearing or Brass Castings of any size or pattern. Orders are respectfully solicited.

GEO. B. FISLER & BROTHER.

FRANKLIN SHOVEL WORKS.—The subscribers continue to furnish Dealers and Dealers in Coal, in Schuylkill County, with Shovels of all kinds, at the lowest Philadelphia prices. Attention is particularly called to their Coal Shovels. Orders for Shovels of any size or pattern promptly attended to.

GEO. B. FISLER & BROTHER.

Aug. 21, 1852. 34-tf

POTTSVILLE ROLLING MILL.

THE SUBSCRIBERS respectfully announce to the public, that their new Mill is now completed and in full operation, and that they are prepared to supply all kinds of Bar Iron of various sizes, which they will warrant to be superior in quality to any obtained from abroad, at the same prices.

They also manufacture Cast Iron Axles, for the use of the Collieries and Lateral Roads, weighing from 21 to 50 lbs. per yard; made of the best iron, and which will be found much superior to the imported article.

Being practical mechanics, and having had considerable experience in the Iron business, they flatter themselves that they can offer a more satisfactory article to purchasers, and will also make it their interest to patronize home manufactures.

HARRIS, BURNISH & CO.

Dec 6, 1851 19-tf

BEAVER MEADOW IRON WORKS.

S. K. HUDSON, IRON AND BRASS Founder, respectfully invites his patrons, and the public generally, that he is fully prepared, at the above Establishment, to manufacture Steam Engines of every size; Pumps, Railroad and Drift Cars, and every other description of Iron and Brass Castings suitable for Coal mining or other business, on the most reasonable terms. Also, Blowing Cylinders for Blast Furnaces and Machine work in general.

Repairing of all kinds done with neatness and despatch, at the lowest prices. All work furnished by him will be warranted to perform well. He would solicit the custom of those who may want articles in his line in this vicinity. All orders will meet with immediate and prompt attention.

S. W. HUDSON.

March 15, 1851 11-ly

POTTSVILLE IRON WORKS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS RESPECTfully announce to the public that they have taken the Pottsville Iron Works on Norwegian street, where they are prepared to build all kinds of Steam Engines, manufacture Railroad Cars, and Machinery of almost every description, at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

☞ Persons from abroad, in want of Steam Engines, will find it to their advantage to give them a call before engaging elsewhere. [May 11 1f

BOOKS & PAPER,

Gold Pens, Steel Pens, &c.

WM. FIPE'S PATENT OBLIQUE POINTED GOLD PENS.

JONES & MORGAN, PROPRIETORS, PHILADELPHIA.

THE excellence of a well made Gold Pen is acknowledged by all, but few are aware that the cause is, that a *Leak* occurs in the point in making shades, and becomes an Oblique Pen.

The ordinary pen, when fine and well made, is a perfect instrument, for the Back Hand, for the light and the shader, or down-ward marks, are there in a line, and the pen does not escape or scrape the paper; but it is imperfect for using of the ordinary style.

Teachers of Penmanship always direct the pupils to hold the pen so as to make the top and bottom right shoulder, for by so doing the light and shades are brought more in a line; but, if done so, "well well," there is from 15 to 35 degrees difference between the split of the pen and the down-ward marks.

W. FIPE'S Oblique Pen obviates this difficulty—it curves on dotted lines from 15 to 35 degrees to the right at that point, where it comes in contact with the paper, and is in perfect accordance for sloped Writing, as the straight pen is for back hand.

When "held well," it places the shades naturally, and without the effort necessary with the old pen. When "held badly," or with the hand on one side, as most persons hold it, the point of the pen comes to the paper in a good position to make smooth work, as the point of the old pen can when held in the best manner.

These pens are recommended by the following Writing Masters in Philadelphia, as the best they have ever used:

B. H. Rand, Geo. J. Becker,
B. Eakins, S. Snyder Leidy,
M. A. Root, H. L. Dickson

The Franklin Institute in 1848 awarded these Pens the First Premium, a Silver Medal.

These Pens are warranted, and for sale, wholesale and retail, with or without cases, by

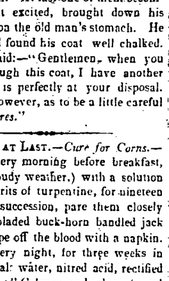
B. BANNAN
Sole Agent for the Manufacturers in Schuylkill Co

Jan. 15, 1852. 3—

BAGLEY'S GOLD PENS—*Elegant Assort Ment—All warranted.*—The subscriber has just received a large lot of Bagley's Superior Gold Pens, among which are the Congress and United States Pens, both in and out of cases, all of which can be returned if the points come off by fair use. The Mammoth United States Pen is a curiosity. Call and see it, together with the others, at

B. BANNAN'S
Cheap Book and Stationery Store.

BOOTS AND SHOES.



SOLOMON FOSTER'S

New Wholesale and Retail Boot and Shoe Store, Corner of Centre and Market Streets, Pottsville.

THE SUBSCRIBER INVITES THE ATTENtion of the public to the very extensive assortment of Goods, consisting of

GENTLEMEN'S Calf Stitched, Fudged and Pegged Boots, Calf and Kip, double soled Sewed and Pegged Boots, Water Proof Boots Sewed and Pegged, from $2 to $4; New England and Philadelphia manufactured Coarse Boots, in great variety, constantly on hand; Cloth and lasting Gaiter Boots, and Congress Gaiters, Calf Nullifiers, Oxford Ties, and Sewed and Pegged Ties.

MINERS' Boots and Monroes, of first quality, at low prices.

BOYS' and Youths' Boots and Monroes course or fine.

LADIES' French and English Lasting Gaiter Boots, Morocco, Calinkas and Goat Bootees, French Morocco, Kid welt and pump spring, Bockskin and Jeffersons, French Morocco and Kid Turnarounds, Shoes of all kinds cheap.

MISSES' and Childrens' Bootees and Shoes, a large assortment suitable for this market, constantly on hand.

GUM Elastic Shoes.

Our stock of Gum Elastic Shoes are of the best manufacture and articles the country can afford. Ladies and Gentlemen would do well to call and provide themselves with good Gum Shoes, the best preventative yet discovered of Colds, Coughs and Consumption.

TRUNKS, Carpet Bags and Valises.

The Travelling community will find us well supplied with the above articles which we will sell at moderate prices.

Boots and Shoes, made and repaired to order.

TERMS CASH.

Oct. 11, 1851. 42-ly

MEDICINAL.

NUTTALL'S LYMEACUM.

THREE DIFFERENT PREPARATIONS FOR THE CURE OF THE THREE DIFFERENT STAGES OF CONSUMPTION.

FIRST STAGE. INCIPIENT. SYMPTOMS.—Cough, pain in the breast, side, head, back, joints and limbs; indigestion, costiveness and chilling in the throat, fever, difficult and quick breathing, *expectoration difficult, slight sweats, &c.*

SECOND STAGE. CONFIRMED. SYMPTOMS.—Costiveness, spasmodic cough, violent fever, night, morning and daily sweats, and tortuous easy, copious and streaked with blood.

THIRD STAGE. TUBERCULAR. SYMPTOMS.—Diarrhœa, diminished fever, cough, and morning sweats, great and increasing debility, frequent fainting fits, slight delirium, & swelling of extremities.

TO THE AFFLICTED.

The appearance in THREE BOTTLES of *Nuttall's Syncrasia* is a rare event. Medicines, from its novelty and direct opposition to the old *absurd and inconsistent one bottle system*, will be SUCCESS, prepared in this manner, each Bottle containing a different Preparation, in curing the different stages which characterize Consumption, has established the welcome truth of the curability of every stage of Pulmonary Consumption.

Physicians approve of it because it is based upon correct Physiological and Pathological principles. The Public approve of it, because it is common sense, and because they have found it effectual. Other preparation will not cure the three stages of Consumption. The suffering, disappointed, and discouraged invalid approves of it because it gives him hold out a reasonable Hope, and when he uses Nuttall's Syrincasia, his hopes are realized.

If he is in the first stage of Consumption, and uses the FIRST BOTTLE, his expectoration, difficult and painful, becomes free and easy, his cough soon quiet well, the soreness, tickling in his throat, inflamation, pain in his breast, side, head, back, joints, and limbs are removed.

If he is in the *second* stage, and uses the second bottle, his fever leaves him, his disturbed slumbers become sweet and refreshing, his cough ceases, his expectoration, copious and bloody, assumes a healthy appearance, and at length disappears, his bowels become regular, his appetite returns, the flush in his cheek disappears, the burning heat in the palms of his hands and soles of his feet, are felt no longer, his cough now ceases, he recovers and is well.

If he is in the third stage and uses the third bottle, his Diarrhœa gradually ceases, his weak bowels become strong, his cough and other bad symptoms disappear, feeble digestion becomes strong and vigorous, his stomach recovers its proper tone, and creates new, rich and nourishing blood, his strength returns, his wasted body is clothed with flesh, his life is saved, and he is RESTORED TO HEALTH!

Each bottle of *Nuttall's Syriacum* has the symptoms of the stage for which it is intended, printed in front of the wrapper, whereby every invalid knowing his own symptoms, can judge for himself which bottle he requires; consequently, no mistake can occur in selecting the proper medicine.

☞ See Pamphlet in possession of the editor of this paper, containing Dr. Nuttall's Pathology of Consumption, Lectures on the Structure and Uses of the Human Lungs, and Certificates of cures.

☞ Prepared only by W. M. NUTTALL, Inventor and Proprietor. Price one dollar per bottle.

Principal Office, 175 RACE Street, one door above Eighth, Philadelphia.

Jan. 29, 1853. 5-1y

GREAT MEDICAL DISCOVERY!

FOR ALL NERVOUS CONDITIONS OF THE SYSTEM!

DR. ROSE'S NERVOUS CORDIAL!

HEART DISEASES and Nervous Complaints.—The astonishing happy effect of DR. ROSE'S NERVOUS CORDIAL, for Diseases of the Heart, Palpitation, Nervousness, Nervous Tremor of the Muscles, Heartburn, Flatulence, Pain in the Face, Wakefulness, Restlessness, or for the Mind or Body worn down by too much labor or study, has induced many physicians to use it in their practice. For a week continued use, in a great many cases it completely removes from the system all nervous irritations, and is almost miraculous in its rapid and happy effect. The pain and palpitation are frequently restored to perfect health before using one bottle. Price 50 cents.

Liver Diseases, Dyspepsia, and Bilious Habits!

If your Liver is deranged, your skin will be yellow; Dyspepsia and Bilious condition of the system will follow; you will be troubled with cold feet, variable appetite, and depressed spirits. Try taking Dr. Rose's celebrated Liver and Bilious Pills, you will soon find all the above bad symptoms disappear. They give strength and richness to the blood. Boxes 12½ and 25 cents.

☞ These Pills are called RAILROAD PILLS because they go ahead of all other Pills in their good effects.

☞ *Free from Mercury.*

Do You Suffer with any Pain?

If you do, you will find immediate relief by using DR. ROSE'S PAIN CURE. It is the only preparation which cures Almost Instantly, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, from Colds, Pains in the side, Back, or Limbs; Face Ache, or Toothache, Pains in the side, Back; Stiff Neck, Bruises, Cuts, and Chilblains. Wherever you have Pain, use the Pain-Cure. Safe to all ages and the price brings it within the poor, as well as the rich, can obtain it in 12½, 25 and 50 cent bottles.

☞ The above preparations can be found, with circulars and full directions, at the stores of B. Bannan, Agent for the County; John G. Brown, John S. G. Marion, Pottsville; J. W. Gibbs, Minersville; and E. J. Fry, Tamaqua.

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DR. J. T. NICHOLAS,

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,

OFFICE AND DISPENSARY,

MARKET STREET, POTTSVILLE, PA.

Dec. 14, 1850. 26tf

MEDICINAL.

THE GREAT KENTUCKY REMEDY

DR. JOHN BULL'S

SARSAPARILLA!!

WILL WONDERS NEVER CEASE?

If the following cures, performed alone by the use of DR. JOHN BULL'S SARSAPARILLA, are not wonders, then we acknowledge that we do not know the meaning of the word. Read, and be convinced that facts are stranger than fiction:

LINE P. O., Fulton Co., Ky., Oct. 1, 1851.

Dr. John Bull: Dear Sir—The two dozen of your Sarsaparilla, ordered in September, came to hand, and, in acknowledging the receipt of the same, I feel I would be doing you injustice to withhold the following among many of the instances that have come under my observation, during the last two years, of the great curative properties of your Sarsaparilla:—

Mrs. Jeannette Martin, a highly respectable lady of my neighborhood, aged sixty-five years, had been long afflicted with a cancerous ulcer, which finally reduced her to so helpless a condition, that she could not leave her bed. She tried the best medical advice in our country, without relief, and had given up all hope of a cure. At this stage of her case, I persuaded her son to take a bottle of your Sarsaparilla. He did so, and in a short time returned, and purchased another bottle, stating the first had had a decidedly good effect. She continued to use it until, after the use of five or six bottles, I had the pleasure of seeing the old lady herself at church. She assured me that she had almost entirely recovered her health, and from her I received the account of her disease, and in about the same words I give it to you. This is but one of a number of cures under my observation—of very remarkable ones—performed by the use of your Sarsaparilla in my neighborhood. The demand for it has steadily increased since its introduction here.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

WM. R. DICKINSON, P. M.

STILL MORE WONDERFUL!

I, Thomas A. Bingo, of Greene Co., Ky., for the benefit of mankind generally, do hereby certify, that on or about the 16th day of October, 1847, I was attacked with a very severe pain in the lower part of the abdomen, which lasted only a few minutes, and moved into the left hip, and continued exceedingly painful for about five days, during which time I had a very light fever. At the end of that time the fever ceased, and the pain abated for a day or two, after which it again returned, and was much worse than before. During this time I had had no medical treatment. From a short time after I was taken, I was unable to walk or stand up; the hip in which the pain was so bad commenced rising, until some time in January, when it burst, and a number of pieces of bone came out—the right vertebra, and one side of my leg, below my knee, I continued to get weak and worse, and pain made its appearance in my right shoulder, and would move to my breast and back. At this time all persons gave me up to die. A physician then told me that, as a last remedy, I had better use *Dr. Bull's Celebrated Sarsaparilla*. After the use of the second bottle, the knot on my wrist commenced getting soft, I opened it, and a day or two after, a piece of bone came out. My wrist soon got well, and I continued to gain strength. After I had taken three bottles, I could get no more bone, four weeks, after which time I succeeded in getting three more bottles. After using the three last bottles, the knot on my hip became soft; it was opened and some corruption ran out, together with a small piece of bone, and the sore soon got well, and the knot entirely disappeared. The sore on my leg also opened, and a piece of bone came out. I continued the use of the Sarsaparilla, until I used twelve bottles, and am now entirely well and able to do a day's work. I have recovered in some, but, I will here state that, during the summer of 1849, I coughed up a piece of bone, which I have in my possession at the residence of my uncle, Thomas Neal, where I now live, and if any person doubt this statement, I will be happy to converse with them on the subject of the cure. (Signed,) THOMAS N. BINGO.

State of Kentucky, Graves Co., set.

This day personally appeared before the undersigned, a justice of the peace in and for said county, and made oath in due form of law, that the above statement, by him subscribed, is true, to the 15th day of February, 1850.

JOSEPH MOSER, J. P. for C. C.

I, Edwin Anderson, Clerk of the County Court of Graves County, State of Kentucky, do certify that M. P. Moser, whose name is signed to the above certificate, is now, and was at the time of signing the same, a justice of the peace, in and for said Graves County, duly commissioned and qualified as such, and that faith and credit are due all his official acts, as such.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the County Court of said County to be hereunto affixed, this eighteenth day of February, 1850.

Can the reader believe, after reading the description of the above numerous cures, that there is still a single person suffering with chronic disease, or future to give Bull's Sarsaparilla a trial. It is indeed high time for every sufferer to give it a trial. What kind of testimony would it take to convince the few remaining disbelievers, that Bull's medicine will do more good than any other medicine, that could produce another and another cure performed by his medicine; but if the cases published above will not convince the most incredulous, they will produce any more, and, indeed, it would cost a fortune to publish the many certificates that have been showed on Dr. Bull. The largest manufactory in America would not contain even the names of those cured, let alone full statements of their cases.

Rheumatism of the Severest Character Cured.

For the last three years I have been afflicted with Rheumatism of the severest character, I was at times in the greatest agonies of pain. I tried every remedy I could procure, but found no permanent relief until I used Bull's Sarsaparilla, which performed a permanent cure. ISHAM BRIDGES,

Uniontown, Ky

Mercurial Headache, Pain in the Joints, &c.

I have been for a number of years severely afflicted with a mercurial headache, and a dull, heavy pain in my joints, I used more than one bottle of your Sarsaparilla, and I feel more easy at the day, especially the Sarsaparilla prepared by different persons, but to little advantage until I tried *Bull's*, three bottles of which performed a perfect cure.

DR OWEN, Druggist,

Louisville, Ky.

Erysipelas, Incisters, &c.; Great Cure.

I was afflicted with the above to a lamentable extent. Several physicians told me that I would lose my leg, and perhaps life, if it were not checked.—Bull's Sarsaparilla made a perfect cure. I am free and my general health is better than it has been for years. CHAUNCEY BACON,

Compositor at the *Democratic Union*, Pottsville, Pa.

Physicians Recommend Bull's Sarsaparilla.

DR BULL—Dear Sir—We believe your Sarsaparilla to be the best article ever manufactured for the cure of Scrofula, Piles, Rheumatism, Ulcers and Scrofulous diseases, and many other cutaneous and glandular affections, having used it with entire success in many cases.

Resident Physician at the Schuylkill County Alms-House, L. P. YANDELL, M. D.,

Prof. of Chemistry in the Jefferson Medical College.

Caution—Ask for the original "DR. JOHN BULL'S SARSAPARILLA," from KENTUCKY, in quart bottles, and take no other.

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PENNSYLVANIA.

From July 1, 1853, to June 30, 1856.

9610 From Smith's Mills, in Crawford county, by Cochranton, to John Wightman's, Pa., miles and back, once a week:

Bidders will state the distance and propose a schedule.

9611 From Pittsburg, over the line of the plank road, by Allegheny, Perrysville, Wexford, Zeniople, Harmony, Whitestown, Prospect, Centreville, Harrisville and Wesley, to Franklin, 75 miles and back, three times a week:

Leave Pittsburg every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 a m;

Arrive at Franklin next days by 6 p m;

Leave Franklin every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 a m;

Arrive at Pittsburg next days by 6 p m.

Proposals to run six times a week will be considered.

9612 From Agnew's Mills, by Lamartine and Five Points, to Cass, 10 miles and back, once a week:

Leave Agnew's Mills every Monday at 6 a m;

Arrive at Cass same day by 9 a m;

Leave Cass every Monday at 10 a m;

Arrive at Agnew's Mills same day by 1 p m.

9613 From Tionesta, to Genesee Forks, six miles and back, once a week:

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Arrive at Genesee Forks same day by