Wit and Humor.

Mr. Nasby, though not Two Major Generals, Reports to the President on the workings of the Freedmen's Bureau, &c.

Confedrit X Roads, (wich is in the Stait uv Kentucky,) May 22th, 1866.

To His Eggslency the Dispenser uv Post Orfices, Androo Johnson, President uv the United States:

In akordance with your esteemed request, dated the 23th and received this morning, I to wunst proceeded to make doo enquiry ez to the workin uv the Freedmen's Burow and the condition uv the Afrikin citizens uv Amerikin descent in this vicinity. The fact that a Ablishnist still holds the Post Orifice at the Corners (which place, by the way, I hev been solicited to accept) interfered materially with the bizins I hed in hand. I to wunst footed the horn, ez is the custom when we hev religious servis, and called my congregashun together. They kum runnin in from the different groceries, and here another difficulty ensooed. The grocery keepers wanted to know what we wuz a going to hev meetin on week days for? They was willin to shut up dooring meetin time on Sundays, ez they respected the church, and it giv em time to sweep out the terbacker, et settry, but they'd be d—d ef they wuz a goin to hev the people pulled away from their nourishment on week days. I succeeded in parsifying em and went in at once examinin the leadin citizens—their testimony is ez follows:

CAPTAIN SKELPER.

Wuz a nigger owner afore the war, and durin the late fratrisidle struggle wuz a captin in the confedrit servis. Wuz with Ginral Forest at Fort Pillow. Hez hed much experince with niggers. Bleeves em to be adapted to the climit uv Kentucky and much more able to stand the hot sun than the whites. When they wuz slaves never knowd em to refooze to work—know they allus did work becoz he generally stood over em with a nigger whip. Since they hev bin free hez notist a change; not much uv a change ontil the Nigger Burow wuz establisht. Before that they'd take sich wages ez yoo chose to give em—since then the d—d heathen will stand out bout ez the white men do, and wont work at all onless yoo meet their views, which made a heap uv trouble and materially retarded the development of the country.—The Burow hed corrupted the female niggers, ez they hed all bin legally married by the chaplins to the men they'd livd with, and wuz so sot on livin with em that there's no yoose uv yoor tryin to get a house wench unless yoo took her husband also. His wife wuz now doin degradin work at home for want uv help. Strongly urged the abrogashen uv the Burow and the removal uv the abolishun postmaster at the Corners.

DEACON M'GRATH

Wuz eggsamined. Wuz convinst in his own mind that the Afrikin wuz now out uv his normal speer, and that the infernal Burow wuz at the bottom uv it. The nigger, afore the Burow come around, wuz docile, and easily controlled. His boy Joe wus wunst a model nigger. He'd get up every mornin' at 4 A. M., (which means in the mornin) and work every day till after dark. Ez soon ez he wuz emancipated, ez they called it, and the Burow come, I told him to get up one mornin' and he told me impudently he'd concluded he woodent. I undertook to chastise him with a fencestake, whereupon he sailed in and whaled me, and the Burow to which I applied for redress laft in my face. He left, and is now draggin out a mizerable existence in Ohio, on the beggarly pittance uv two dollars a day, and my farm is runnin to weeds. He concluded by given it ez his solemn opinion that he never cood be reconciled to the Government so long ez the Burow wuz tolerated, and that Ablishnist held the Post Orifs at the Corners.

GENERAL DINGES

Considered the Burow a Inkubas upon the State. It interfered between master and servant. Cood get along better ef the nigger wuz left to the nateral laws wich regulates capital and labor. Tried to keep his niggers, and did keep em the past summer till after the crop wuz in, and then tried to settle with em for four dollars a month, with sich deductions for food, sickness and brakin tools, et settry, ez wuz just. Brought the niggers all uv em in my debt and generously proposed to let em work it out by choppin cord wood doorin the winter. Hauled me afore the Burow and wuz forst to pay em each $15 per month. Consider the Burow ez all that stands in the way uv rekonstruction, though the removal uv the Ablishun Postmaster at the Corners and the appintment ov a sound constooshnel Dimekrat wood greatly assist in conciliatin the Kentucky mind.

I tried to get some nigger testimony, but cood elicit nothin worth while. One nigger who spends the heft uv his time at the Corners wuz opposed to the Burow becoz it stopped rations on him, and Lucy, a octoroon, who formerly belonged to and still resides with Elder Gavitt (who iz now absent ez a delegate to a Southern religious convention at Louisville), testified that the Burow "wuz no grate shakes," becoz bein ez the elder wuz a widower and the father uv all her children, and bein she's a free woman, she askt the agent to make the elder marry her, and he wouldn't do it. But sich evidence is irrelevant, and I didn't consider it worth while botherin your Eggslency with it. Both, however, strongly insisted on the removal uv the Ablishun Postmaster at the Corners.

Captain McSlather thought things hed cum to a sweet old pass when a man coodn't lather a nigger without bein hauled up afore a Burow.

Kurnel Pelter thought ef your Eggslency cood witness the corrupshun that eggisted in the Burow yood make short work uv it.—Why he whipped a nigger hand more than ought, perhaps, and he died uv the injuries. It waz a aggravatin case. The nigger waz sassy, and it cost three hundred and sixteen dollars to pervide for his family. That infamous Burow made me pay for their rashuns all winter. He asked indignantly ef this wuz or wuz not a free kentry into wich such things wuz permitted. And the Ablishen Postmaster at the Corners approved the tyranikle action. He demanded his removal.

ABSLUM PETTUS

Wus convinst the Burow wus agin the prosperity ov the State and wuz underminin the moral and physikle welfare uv the nigger. It made him impudent. Hed sum uv em workin for him, and notist at noons and nites he'd find em with a spellin book and a reader. Didn't bleeve in readin. Coodent read hisself, but hed a cousin wunst who learned, but ez soon ez he cood read he moved off to Injeanny, quit the Democrisy, and becum a loathsum Ablishnist. Heerd he wus killed in the war, and served him rite. Wanted to know what we wood do when the niggers cood all read. Spoosed we'd hev to let em to offis, ez the people alluz selected sich when they cood find em. Didnt bleeve in nigger equality and wuz in favor of a imediate change in the post orifice at the Corners.

I conceive it to be onnecessary to submit further testimony. I know not what luck yoor other commissioners may hev met with in takin testimony on this subjick, but in this vicinity there can't be no doubt that there can't be that love for the Government without wich free instooshens won't flourish to any alarmin extent ontil this monster is squelched. The testimony is unanimous, and them ez I hev eggsamined are representative men.

You may hev notist also the singlar unanimity with which they all bore testimony to the necessity uv a change in the Post Orifis at the Corners. I endorse all they say on this question, considerin that that change is ez necessary in the grate work uv pacifying and consiliation ez is the removal of the Burow. In case a change is made I would say for your guidance that I hev been warmly solicited by my friends to accept the position, and to pacify em hev at last yield to a reluctant consent. The fact that I never served in the Confederate army may be an objection, but to offset that I voted for Vallandygum twice.

Ef possible send me a pardon at the same time you send me my commission ez Post Master, for if the Post Orifis don't pay I may want to run for some other office, in wich event, that document would be essential to my success.

With sentiments uv the most profound respeck, I am

Trooly Yours,

PETROLEUM V. NASBY,

Late Pastor of the Church of the New Dispensation.

BUSINESS CARDS.

NEW MILLINERY AND VARIETY STORE.

MISS A. JARDINE Has opened a new Millinery and Variety Store in Market Street, a few doors above Second, in the store formerly occupied by Daniel Nagle, where she will keep constantly on hand all millinery of the latest style and fashion which will be sold at the lowest rates. Particular attention paid to leading ... Ladies will call and examine her goods before purchasing elsewhere.

April 14, '66 15-3m

SPECTACLES AND EYE GLASSES.—A large assortment on hand and for sale by JOSEPH DUERR, Watchmaker & Jeweler, Centre St., Pottsville, three doors above the Mortimer House. March 3, '66—9

SAVE THE OLD PAPER!

3 Cents a pound paid for clean White Writing and Magazine Paper—and also Old Newspapers, Pamphlets, and Old Books with the covers taken off. Colored Paper a cent a pound. B. BANNAN.

April 23, '64.

PURE WHALE AND LUBRICATING OILS.

The subscriber has on hand a lot of Pure WINTER BLEACHED WHALE OIL. Also

Superior Lubricating Oil

For Fine Machinery of all kinds, equal to Lard or Sperm Oil—cheap. Also

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from 50 cents to 85 cents a gallon, all of which will be sold *at the very lowest rates*. Orders solicited.

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D. A. SMITH,

MERCHANT TAILOR.

CENTRE ST., POTTSVILLE, PA.

April 7, '66 14-tf

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Also a large variety of fine Gold Jewelry, Gold Chains, Medallions, Ear and Finger Rings, Breastpins, Bracelets, Gold Pencils, Pens, Armlets, Thimbles, Studs, Sleeve Buttons, &c., &c., all of which will be offered for sale at greatly reduced prices.

Particular attention given to repairing of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry. March 3, '66—9.

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MANUFACTURER OF

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MIESSE'S CELEBRATED COUGH CANDY, which is so rapidly gaining a reputation itself, and which so many of our citizens can testify to the truth that it cures the worst cases of this predominating complaint. A good supply of the best molasses, cocoa nut, and other candy constantly on hand, wholesale and retail, at the manufactory in Railroad street, Pottsville.

April 28, '66. 17-3m C. MIESSE.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

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ALSO, IN

WHITE & RED ASH COAL,

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June 9 '66 23-4

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ALL KINDS OF CANDIES.

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Raspberry & Lemon Syrups,

Which he sells cheaper than can be purchased in the cities. Give him a call, and judge for yourselves.

June 9, '66. 23-tf

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Railroad St., between Market and Callowhill, Pottsville, Pa.,

Where is always kept a large assortment of

Grain, Flour, Feed, Hay, &c

May 5, '66 18-tf

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A Sure Remedy for Dyspepsia.

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MILLS' BOURBON WHISKY

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June 2, '66 22-1y

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ROPE, TWINE, LINE, AND PACKING

Manufactory,

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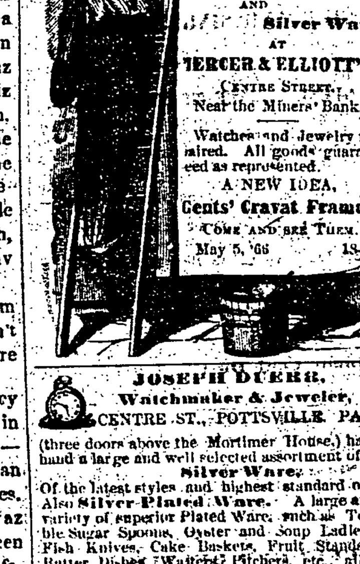
May 19, '66. HENRY JACKSON, Agt. 20-3m



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Of the latest styles and highest standard of Silver.—Also **Silver Plated Ware.** A large and general variety of superior Plated Ware, such as Tea and Table Sugar Spoons, Oyster and Soup Ladles, Pie and Fish Knives, Cake Baskets, Fruit Stands, Castors, Butter Dishes, Waiters, Pitchers, etc., all of which will be sold at the very lowest prices.

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June 2, '66. 22-tf

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Dealers in Iron, Nails, Spikes, Oils and Colliery Supplies in general.

Ware Rooms Railroad and Centre Street, Pottsville. Office Mahantongo St., next to Union Hall.

June 2, '66 22-6m

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April 21, '66 16-6m

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IMPROVED

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FOR SALE BY DEALERS GENERALLY

Throughout the Country.

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June 16, '66

MISCELLANEOUS.

ANOTHER GREAT CURE IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK of a highly respectable citizen well known to the Mercantile community by

DR. J. H. SCHENCK,

THE GREAT LUNG DOCTOR OF PHILADELPHIA.

OFFICE N. Y. AND GALENA LEAD CO.,
No. 28 Nassau St., New York, June 1, 1865.

DR. J. H. SCHENCK—Dear Sir: For over fifteen years I have been troubled with a severe cough, and usually two or three times a year with more or less hemorrhages, which together, for the last few years, has kept me thin in flesh and too weak to do business of any kind without suffering. In August last I had a very severe hemorrhage, and, according to the judgment of my old New York physician, I was classed as beyond the reach of medicine, and was advised to be prepared, so far as property matters were concerned, to leave this world at short notice. The physician (and my good friends) said that the first cold I took must prove fatal. Early in January I took a severe cold, and fortunately was occupying rooms at No. 32 BOND STREET, directly over your office. I think about the 16th of January I procured a bottle of your Pulmonic Syrup and commenced taking it freely. My feet and limbs were very much swollen, and all the symptoms of a speedy death seemed to accompany my cold. I sent for my former physician, and stated to him that I was taking your medicines, and after showing them to him, and having tasted of them, &c., he replied: "You can take them if you like, they will do you no harm." He said: "You know what I told you last summer, and I say the same now, if you have any business to close up, do not put it off." He said to other friends that he "could see no hope for me," and my friends and relations concluded my time had come. At this time I was taking freely of your medicine, but had not seen you. The doctor called a few times, and found me (much to his surprise, he said) improving, and he could not understand why. My faith was increasing in your medicines, and I had a wish to have you examine my case, and see what you had to say. When you first came to my room and made the examination, you gave me but little encouragement, but on the contrary, expressed sad doubts of my ever being helped out of my then seeming difficulties. The second time that you called, finding me still gaining, you gave me encouragement, saying, "my symptoms were improving; the Pulmonic Syrup, Sea-weed Tonic and Mandrake Pills had acted like a charm." My circulation, my cough, my appetite, all began to improve, and I could walk about my room a little. You visited me nearly every Tuesday, and found me improving, and told me not to go out of my room until the first day of May. I took no cold while under your treatment, my appetite became first-rate, and you told me to eat everything I wished of a nutritious nature, and to exercise about the room as much as possible. I followed your advice, and to the surprise of my old physician and friends, I seem much better than I have been for several years, and breathe better than I ever expected a person could with one lung, the left being completely dried up. I felt very grateful to you, and consider your advice and medicines invaluable. Yours, truly,

T. S. SHELDON.

DR. SCHENCK—Dear Sir:—About two years ago I was taken with a very troublesome cough and a pain in my breast; seven or eight months passed away without my doing anything for myself. Then I applied to a physician, who attended me for about three months without rendering me any service. I also obtained the advice and treatment of a physician in one of our hospitals, and also had the advice and treatment of two other physicians, but all to no purpose. During this long space of time I was nearly dead; several times my friends came to see me and witness my exit into the spirit world. I was confined to my bed two months at a time. My breathing was exceedingly short. I gave up several times all hope of getting better; and as regarded getting well, that was entirely out of the question. And to think this day I am well and hearty! I was advised by some of my friends to try Doctor Schenck's Medicines. I accordingly bought bottle after bottle, until I reached the ninth; then I found a decided change in my cough for the better. I suffered severely from palpitation of the heart, and two weeks after I commenced taking your medicine this difficulty ceased.

When I first went to Dr. Schenck's office it was with difficulty that I could get up into his reception room, I was so weak and so swelled; my skin was as sallow as though I had the jaundice; I felt dull, heavy and sleepless. Dr. Schenck, after examining me, said both my lungs were affected, and gave me little hope; but his medicines in about two weeks took right hold of me; it seemed to go right through my whole system. The Pulmonic Syrup, Sea Weed Tonic and Mandrake Pills, all took right hold in the right place. The Pills brought away great quantities of bile and slime; the Syrup loosened the matter in my lungs, which came off very free; the Sea Weed Tonic gave me an appetite, and everything seemed to taste good.

To show what great power the medicines have in purifying my system, and to show how bad I was diseased, beside all the bile that passed my bowels, and the great quantities of phlegm and matter I expectorated, I broke out all over in large boils, that would continue to gather and run for about six weeks, and I had at one time over twenty five boils. I have nothing of the kind now, and feel like another person altogether. I can safely say that I have not enjoyed such health for five years as I do now, and cannot praise you and your medicines enough. May God abundantly bless and preserve you! is the sincere desire of one who has been so wonderfully relieved through your agency; and if any one desire to know with regard to the truthfulness of this report, if they will call upon any of my friends, or upon me, No. 4 Dryden Place, near Thompson street, below Cadwalader, Philadelphia, they will be perfectly satisfied with the validity of the case.

Yours, with much respect,

MARY SCHNAIDT.

The above case, as described, is perfectly correct; I know it to be true. Yours, T. B. MILLER, Pastor of Hancock M. E. Church.

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6 yards for	$1 00	These Goods are warranted to be sound Goods, fast colors, and of the best standard makes.
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Latest Spring Styles, at 18c, 20c, 22c, 23c, 25c, and 27c. Armure Piquets Delaines at 23c, 25c, and 27c.

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An immense stock of very cheap bleached and unbleached

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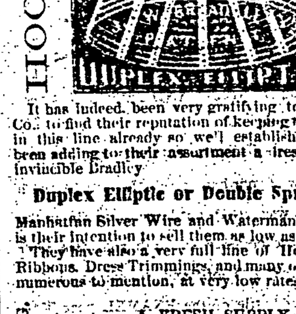

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They have also a very full line of Hosiery, Notions, Ribbons, Dress Trimmings, and many other articles too numerous to mention, at very low rates.

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April 15, '66 15.

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July 22, '65 L. F. MYERS

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Call and examine the large stock of French Lawns and White Goods for Ladies' Dresses, at WALKER & PRICE'S New Union Hall. June 9, '66 23-6m

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Full and Splendid Stock of

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To which we invite your special attention.

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LADIES' CLOTH SACKS

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SPRING SHAWLS, $3.00.

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TRAIL SKIRTS,

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OIL CLOTHS,

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We cannot enumerate all in our stock, but only ask you to CALL AND EXAMINE OUR GOODS before purchasing elsewhere.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE.

UNION HALL, MAHANTONGO STREET.

June 16, '66. 23-6m

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STRENGTH TO THE WEAK!

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This preparation is unequalled as a Rejuvenator and Restorer of wasted or inert functions.

The aged should be certain to make the Biokrene a household god, inasmuch as it will render them youthful in feeling and in strength, and enable them to live over again the days of their pristine joy. It not only exhilerates but strengthens, and is really an invaluable blessing, especially to those who have been reduced to a condition of servility, self abuse, misfortune, or ordinary sickness. No matter what the cause of the impotency of any human organ, this superb preparation will remove the effect at once and forever.

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Persons who, by imprudence, have lost their NATURAL VIGOR, will find a speedy and permanent cure in the

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It is also a grand tonic, and will give relief in Dyspepsia with the first dose. A brief persistence in its use will renovate the stomach to a degree of perfect health, and banish Dyspepsia forever.

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Diarrhoea, Dysentery, and Cholera Morbus. Sole Proprietor, C. H. Needles, Druggist, 12th & Race Sts., Phila. 50 cts. per box. Mailed on receipt of price.

June 2, '66

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$100 REWARD

I will pay to any Doctor or member of the Medical Fraternity, the sum of $100 for any Compound that possesses more medical virtues and curative powers than Mishler's Herb Bitters. B. MISHLER, Proprietor,

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I will pay $500 to the Proprietor of any Medicine that can show a greater number of genuine Certificates of cures effected by it near the place where it is made, than MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS—of Consumption, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Bloody Flux, Diarrhoea, Typhoid Remittent Intermittent and Billous Fevers, Fever and Ague, Cholera Morbus, Yellow Jaundice, Scrofula, Running or sore Legs, Cancer, Abcess, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Coughs, Colds, Cramp in the Stomach, Chronic Diarrhoea, Piles, Tetter, Scald Head, Ophthalmia, or falling-away sickness peculiar to children, Leuchorrea, Falling of the Womb, all obstructions to the due course of nature in females, all venereal diseases, and all complaints arising from impure Blood or a weak and disordered state of the Stomach, Liver or Kidneys. Certificates of cures of the Yellow Fever in Mexico can also be furnished. Remember if it does not cure, the money will be refunded by the proprietor.

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SEND FOR A CIRCULAR.

The ingredients used in compounding Mishler's Herb Bitters are not kept secret by the Proprietor. Send for a Circular and you will learn the medical properties of all the articles used in the preparation; also in the manner in which they operate on the system, and much other valuable information. If you are afflicted with disease send for Mishler's Herb Bitters Circular; read it carefully, profit by the hints it contains, and you will be placed on the sure road of recovery.

MISHLER'S BITTERS WILL

CURE ALL DISEASES OF THE BLOOD.

Diseases of the skin are numerous and with but one or two exceptions, may be traced to impurity of the blood. In many persons this impurity is born in the system; while others acquire it through improper treatment of scores of diseases. Under this head may be classed—

1st. Scrofula.—This disease is hereditary and is transmitted from generation to generation. It is caused by a transgression of the laws of nature, both moral and physical; in other words, it is caused by vice. Acting as a latent poison it reduces the vitality of the blood, and weakens the depurating organs, so that they fail to discharge or cast out the impurities that are continually generated in the system. A person physically pure acquires gonorrhea, or some other secret disease; he undergoes a course of mercury, the disease is dried up, and the patient pronounced well. Vain delusion. The complaint is not cured; its channel is only diverted. Instead of making its appearance outwardly, it acts on the internal organs, and scrofula, which is bequeathed from father to son, is the result. Many persons who are perfectly free from all immorality and vice are afflicted with scrofula. They are suffering for the sins of their fathers, and laboring under the curse inscribed in the Book of Books, "I will visit the iniquities of the fathers upon their children."

To cure this dreadful complaint it is necessary that the blood should be thoroughly purified, all the organs of the body brought into a healthy state of action, and the system braced up and strengthened by invigorating tonics. Look at the articles used in compounding Mishler's Bitters; see the array of purifying and invigorating medicaments, and say whether there is an article in the whole list of medicines that equals it. We here emphatically assert without the fear of contradiction, that Mishler's Bitters will cure all kinds of scrofulous diseases. It purifies the blood, it strengthens the internal organs and aids them to perform their natural functions, it is a stimulant and a tonic and it will cure Scrofula.

2d. Running Sores and Ulcers.—Running sores and ulcers invariably indicate a scrofulous taint. They are caused by the effort of nature to discharge the impurities of the blood. Many persons afflicted with running sores and ulcers succeed in drying them up and think they are cured when the skin grows over the sore. They are, however, but "making bad, worse," for the impurities that were discharged from the system, through the medium of the sore now act internally and cause innumerable diseases and often death. The only true and sure cure for all running sores and ulcers is Mishler's Bitters, a continued and persevering use of which will most certainly effect a permanent cure.

3d. Salt Rheum.—Salt Rheum is a vague, indefinite, thorough, popular term given to almost all the non-febrile eruptions of the skin that afflict adults. It is generally an eruption of vesicles in small distinct ulcers accompanied with a smarting, singeing sensation, with a tendency to creep or spread over the adjoining surface. Mishler's Bitters are a sure cure for this disease.

4th, Pimples and Blotches.—Pimples and Blotches on the skin are always a sure sign of impure blood. Although never dangerous, except in cases of carbuncles, they are very disagreeable. Often we will see the most handsome features rendered hideous by great blotches and pimples, and instead of the pleasing look which should irradiate the human face we see nothing but disgusting corruption, for pimples and blotches are nothing but the corrupt accumulations of the system expelled through the medium of the skin. The use of Mishler's Bitters will force these corruptions to be discharged through the natural channels, and thus cures all kinds of pimples and blotches.—Ladies who desire a fair complexion, free from pimples, should bear this fact in mind.

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MISHLER'S

BITTERS

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WHAT IT HAS DONE!

Capt S. S. Banks, says he was cured of a severe case of Jaundice and Chronic Diarrhoea, contracted in the Army, by the use of Mishler's Herb Bitters.

FEVER AND AGUE AND CHRONIC DIARRHOEA CURED.—The undersigned, a former resident of this city, now residing at Fort Wayne, Indiana, having been afflicted with the above complaints while on a visit to Reading, was induced to try Mishler's Herb Bitters, and has the satisfaction to state that they have performed a radical cure. In gratitude to the discoverer of these Bitters, I am induced to give this certificate and for the benefit of others similarly situated.

HARRY A WHITMAN.

RHEUMATISM CURED BY MISHLER'S BITTERS.—The undersigned certifies that he was for a long time severely afflicted with Rheumatic pains, which incapacitated him from following his business. Not being able to obtain relief, he finally resorted to the use of Mishler's celebrated Herb Bitters, which effected a permanent cure in the course of ten days. No return of any of the symptoms have been experienced since and the cure is a radical one. C. M. DREM.

S. E. corner 8th and Bingam Streets.

Reading, December 6th, 1865.

B. MISHLER, Esq.—Dear Sir:—The undersigned having received great benefit from the use of your Herb Bitters, takes this opportunity of acknowledging the same, in order that others similarly afflicted, may learn the fact. Having been afflicted with severe rheumatic pains in my left shoulder, contracted by exposure, I was for a long time unable to sleep. I tried your Herb Bitters, and after taking one dose I was able to sleep two hours. I took another dose and I slept two hours more, when I again awoke. I then took another dose, went to sleep and from that time I have not been troubled with rheumatism, but I continue to use the Bitters once in a while, as a precaution against the return of the complaint. I think the Herb Bitters the best medicine in existence for rheumatism.

Reading, Nov 16, '65. JOHN FEHR.

For sale at the New Wholesale Wine and Liquor Store, Silver Terrace, Pottsville, Pa.

JOHN A. HENNESSY, Proprietor.

Dec 23, '65 51-tf

THE HARRISON BOILER.

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This new Steam Generator combines essential advantages in ABSOLUTE SAFETY FROM DESTRUCTIVE EXPLOSION, in first cost and cost of repairs, durability, economy of fuel, facility of cleaning and transportation, not possessed by any other boiler.

It is formed of a combination of cast iron hollow spheres—each eight inches in external diameter, and three-eighths of an inch thick, connected by curved necks. These spheres are held together by wrought iron bolts with caps at the ends. The form is the strongest known; its strength to resist internal pressure very great—unweakened as it is by punching or riveting, which lessens the strength of the wrought iron boiler plate about 40 per cent. Every boiler is tested by hydraulic pressure at 300 pounds to the square inch. IT CANNOT BE BURST UNDER ANY PRACTICABLE STEAM PRESSURE.

Under pressure which might cause rupture in ordinary boilers, every joint in this becomes a safety valve. No other steam generator possesses this property of relief under extreme pressure without injury to itself, and thus preventing disaster.

About two hundred of these boilers are now in operation in some of the best establishments in the country. For descriptive circulars or price, apply to

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Harrison Boiler Works, Gray's Ferry Road, adjoining U. S. Arsenal, Philada., Pa. June 2, '66—22—

Call at WALKER & PRICE'S, in the New Union Hall, if you want a pretty Silk Dress, Cheap. June 2, '66 23-6m

New Union Hall. WALKER & PRICE have a large assortment of Swiss and Cambric Edging and Insertings. Call and see them. June 8, '66 23-6m

Bonnet Ribbons and Velvet Trimmings cheap at WALKER & PRICE'S. Don't forget the place—New Union Hall. June 9, '66—23-6t

Do not forget to call at WALKER & PRICE'S, New Union Hall, to see the large assortment of Silk and Cloth Sacks for ladies.

June 9, '66 23-6m

GENERAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE.—Two Double Engines, (each 36 horse power,) in complete running order, with boiler and all necessary fixtures attached. Apply to WM. J. HARLAN, No. 28 and 79 Realty Building, New York, or to NICHOLS & HILL, Masonic Building, Pottsville. ...

PARTNERSHIP.—I have this day admitted Mr. H. S. THOMPSON as a partner with me in the general Hardware Business, which will hereafter be conducted under the style of LEWIS C. THOMPSON & CO., at the old stand, corner of Centre and Market Sts. LEWIS C. THOMPSON.

June 1 ...

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm name of BRIDDALL & ROBERTSON is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All matters connected with the late firm will be settled by either of the undersigned. Parties having claims against the late firm are requested to present them at once for settlement.

THOMAS BRIDDALL,

ANDREW ROBERTSON,

Pottsville, May 24th, 1866 22-6t

NOTICE.—Having bought the patent right in Schuylkill and Northumberland counties for the sale of J. B. HAYDEN'S PATENT STEEL SOLE, all persons are notified not to infringe upon my right by offering these Soles for sale within said counties.

I manufacture shoes with these soles at the lowest rates. EDWARD MORRISON.

Railroad street, Pottsville, near the Schuylkill Lumber Company. April 7, '66 14-6m

DRY GOODS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.—M. R. NICHOLS has just opened a large and well selected stock of **New Seasonable Dry Goods**, bought at the recent decline, and which he offers at very low prices for Cash. Give him a call. Town Hall Store, Centre Street. April 7, '66—14-tf

N. Y. & S. COAL CO.'S OFFICE,
Woodside, June 18, 1866.

PROPOSALS.—Proposals will be received until July 1st, at the Offices in Woodside or Heckscherville, for driving a TUNNEL in the Heckscherville Colliery, lower lift, from the Crossby Vein south to the New vein. The Tunnel to be 8 feet wide at the bottom, 6 feet wide at the top, and 7 feet high off the rails. For particulars apply to Mr. GEO. SCOTT, inside Superintendent, or to

W. W. DUFFIELD, Resident Manager.

June 16, '66 24-2t

NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS.—The undersigned, County Commissioners, will receive sealed proposals until 2 o'clock P. M., Monday, June 25th, 1866, for the construction of two Bridges, one in Washington Township, near Schneck's, the other across the Swatara near Bachert's Mill, in Pinegrove Township. Plans and Specifications, may be seen by calling at this Office.

E. W. ZIEGLER, DAVID FOLEY, BENJ. EVERT, Commissioners.

Attest—F. W. BECHTEL, Clerk.

Commissioners' Office, June 9, '66 23-3t

MUSIC.—The Pottsville Cornet Band respectfully inform the public that they are prepared for engagements for Parades, Exhibitions, Picnics, &c., at the following rates which will be invariable:—One day's engagement, $5—each performer; Political Meetings or Evening Street Parades, $3—each performer; for Serenade, whole Band, $20.

All applications must be made to ANDREW R. SMITH, at Saloon of Max Leimmer's.

June 9, '66 23-3t

PATENT IMPROVEMENT OF STEAM USE.—To all whom it may Concern:—For, and in consideration of $— in hand, paid by JAMES WREN of the Borough of Pottsville, County of Schuylkill, to Lewis Eikenberry of Philadelphia, the receipt whereof has been acknowledged, the said Eikenberry has sold to said JAMES WREN the right to apply it in the County of Schuylkill, State of Pennsylvania, on all Steam Engines now in use or that may hereafter be used, Lewis Eikenberry's **Improved Cut-off for Economizing Steam by Expansion**—(for which letters patent, dated November 19, 1861, have been granted to the said Lewis Eikenberry by the United States.) All persons desirous of information regarding the benefit of this Valve can receive the same at my office in Coal street. The benefit of this Valve to all persons using Steam Engines is from 20 to 40 per cent. on the best engines built. It can be applied to all old engines.

Machinists are requested to take part in this important improvement. They can secure from me the use for building new engines and also for putting the improvement on old engines. They can see the motion at my works in Coal street, where I have it on my engine working to the savings herein stated. It also can be seen at Rich & Evans' Mill, at Atkins & Bros.'s and Palo Alto Rolling Mill. JAMES WREN,

Washington Iron Works.

Pottsville, Feb. 27, '66 9-tf

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PORT GRAPE WINE!

PURE AND FOUR YEARS OLD,

For the Communion Table and Family Use.

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EXCELLENT WINE FOR FEMALES!

Every family at this season should use

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Celebrated in Europe for its medicinal and beneficial qualities; highly esteemed by eminent physicians, used in European and American Hospitals, and by some of the best families in Europe and America.

AS A TONIC—It has no equal, causing an appetite and building up the system, being entirely a pure wine of a most valuable grape.

AS A DIURETIC—It imparts a healthy action of the glands, kidneys and urinary organs; very beneficial in dropsy, gout and rheumatic affections.

Speer's Port Grape Wine

Is a pure article from the juice of the Port Grape, possessing medicinal properties superior to any other wine in use, and an excellent article for all weak and debilitated persons, and the aged and infirm, improving the appetite, and benefiting ladies and children.

Try it once, and you will not be deceived.

Be sure the signature of ALFRED SPEER is over the cork of each bottle.

Sold by H. Saylor, Pottsville; Shindel & Bond, Tamaqua; Hermany & Allen, Mahanoy City; Lawrence & Brown, Minersville; H. N. Coxe, Schuylkill Haven; H. B. Davis, St. Clair, and by all first class druggists, who also sell the CASTELIA PORT BRANDY, a choice old article, imported only by Mr. Speer, direct from the Valley of Oporto.

Trade supplied by wholesale druggists in New York and Philadelphia, and by A. SPEER, at his Vineyard in New Jersey.

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May 12, '66 19-1y

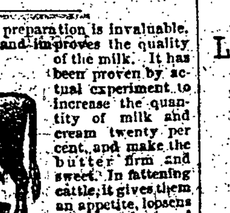
FOUTZ'S

CELEBRATED

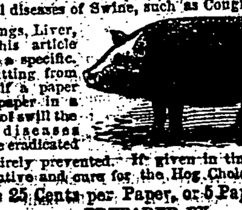
Horse and Cattle Powders.

This preparation, long and favorably known, will thoroughly reinvigorate broken-down and low-spirited horses, by strengthening and cleansing the stomach and intestines.

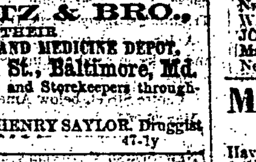
It is a sure preventive of all diseases incident to this animal, such as LUNG FEVER, GLANDERS, YELLOW WATER, HEAVES, COUGHS, DISTEMPER, FEVERS, FOUNDER, LOSS OF APPETITE AND VITAL ENERGY, &c. Its use improves the wind, increases the appetite, gives a smooth and glossy skin—and transforms the miserable skeleton into a fine-looking and spirited horse.



To keepers of Cows this preparation is invaluable. It increases the quantity and improves the quality of the milk. It has been proven by actual experiment to increase the quantity of milk and cream twenty per cent., and make the butter firm and sweet. In fattening cattle, it gives them an appetite, loosens their hide, and makes them thrive much faster.



In all diseases of Swine, such as Coughs, Ulcers in the Lungs, Liver, &c., this article acts as a specific. By putting from one-half a paper to a paper in a barrel of swill the above diseases will be eradicated or entirely prevented. If given in time, a certain preventive and cure for the Hog Cholera.



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SILVER WARE.—Pickle Jars, Syrup Jars, Sugar Jars, Mugs, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, &c., &c. Silver Tobacco Boxes, lined with gold. R. C. GREEN, Dec 16, '65—50. Centre St., Pottsville.

The largest assortment of Sun Umbrellas and Parasols in Pottsville, at WALKER & PRICE'S, New Union Hall. June 9, '66—23-6m

Table Oil Cloths, cheap, at WALKER & PRICE'S. June 9, '66—23-6m

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Oct. 21, '65. 43-1y

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LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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Invested in the United States over ... **$1,500,000**

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Surplus Jan. 1st, 1866 .... **$159,070 98**

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Jan 20, '66 3-6m

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Feb 24, '66 8-1y

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FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

104 Broadway, New York.

Cash Capital **$1,000,000**

Assets **1,375,850**

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Feb 24, '66 8-1y

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FIRE AND MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY,

SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

Cash Capital **$300,000**

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Feb 24, '66 8-1y

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Amount of Assets **4,067,456 00**

Losses Paid in 45 Years ... $17,485,894 71

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Feb 24, '66 8-1y

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Assets of January 1, 1866,

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Capital	**$400,000 00**
Accrued Surplus	**944,543 15**
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Pottsville, March 18, '65. 12-tf

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Mutual Life, of New York	$14,885,278 83
Penn Mutual, of Philadelphia	1,499,568 21
New York Accidental	250,000 00
Phenix, of New York	1,693,192 72
Niagara, "	1,246,831 30
Germania	705,889 83
Putnam, of Hartford	500,000 00
Merchants', "	333,822 01
Girard, of Philadelphia	200,000 00
North American, Hartford, Connecticut	416,395 75

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Having large Steam Saw Mills and a fine stock of Pine, Oak and Hemlock Timber at Millersburg, Dauphin Co., Pa., are prepared to manufacture and forward to order, the heaviest bills of Lumber at short notice, to the cities of Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and New York, or to any point on the Delaware River, Union, Schuylkill, Raritan, Pennsylvania or Tide Water canals, or on the Northern Central, Pennsylvania, or other connecting railroads. April 21, '66—16-3m

CUT FLOWERS AND BOQUETS for sale at GREENWOOD NURSERY.

The Farmer.

FARM CAPITAL.—There is no mistake more common or more injurious than that of supposing the more land a man holds the greater must be his profits, for profits do not arise from the land itself, but from the manner of using it. The best soil may be made unproductive by bad management, and the worst may be rendered more profitable by the opposite course, but without sufficient capital no land can be properly cultivated. At the same time there is nothing to which capital can be applied with greater certainty of a safe return for a liberal expenditure when correctly employed than in land.

In assuming that the expenditure is directed with judgment, it will be found that the profits upon the outlay increase in more than a proportionate degree to its amount; thus, supposing that twenty five dollars to be the lowest and fifty the highest sum that can be employed in the common culture of the same acre of land, it is more than probable that if twenty five dollars would return at the rate of ten per cent., the fifty dollars would yield twenty per cent., or an intermediate sum in the same ratio. Admitting this to be true, and no experienced agriculturist will doubt it, it follows that a capital of five thousand dollars expended in the cultivation of two hundred acres will only yield a profit of five hundred, while if it were applied to one hundred acres it would produce one thousand dollars, therefore it is evident that the profit would be increased by diminishing the quantity of his land.

Many a man has been ruined by a large farm who might have acquired a competence on one with half the number of acres. Most farmers are anxious for large plantations, and many are thus betrayed into the error of attempting to work a greater quantity of ground than they have the means of managing to advantage. Some in the delusive hope of acquiring these means by future savings; others from the vanity of holding more land than their neighbors; hence arise a deficiency of stock, imperfect tillage, and scanty crops, with all the train of rent in arrear, wages ill paid, and debts unsatisfied, and final ruin.

He who prudently commences with only such a number of acres, as he has power of cultivating with proper effect, is certain of raising the full return from the soil; and his engagements being in accordance with his means, he enjoys present ease of mind, and lays the surest foundation for future prosperity.

It therefore behooves a man to weigh well the charges with his means, and never allow himself to be seduced by any ideal prospect of gain into the imprudence of entering upon a larger farm than his property will enable him to manage with the spirit necessary to ensure success.

Truly did Judge Buel say that "large farms are the curse of our country," and perhaps no one had better experience from which to draw such an expression.

If a farmer has one hundred acres it would be much better for him to put the price of another hundred on it than to buy one hundred more and make the same labor produce double the crops, and not have double labor for double crops as is usually the case with us.—*Germantown Telegraph.*

LIQUID MANURE.—The NEW ENGLAND FARMER makes the following sensible remarks on liquid manure. Should our readers think we have manure on the brain, they should know that in our opinion all the other interests of agriculture combined do not amount to so great importance as this. But read:

"The saving and use of liquid manure is deserving of more attention than it has received, as yet, in this country. It is easy to arrange the stalls of cattle so as to receive the urine into troughs under the floor, and convey it into a cistern, in the cellar, or outside of the barn. This may be pumped into a water cart, to which a sprinkler is attached, similar to those used in watering the streets.

"If it is pumped in through a strainer, the sprinkler does not become clogged, and it may be rapidly conveyed to the field and distributed as a top dressing upon grass or grain, with immediate effect. When the soil is not deficient in carbonaceous elements there can probably be no better top-dressing applied. It is not as permanent in its effects as the solid excrement, but more immediate, and it may be applied twice a year upon grass, with less expense of labor than one dressing of solid manure. The cost of the necessary apparatus for saving and distributing it is small. As a top-dressing for a field where turnips are to be grown it is very excellent. As a top-dressing in the spring or summer for pasture lands it is perhaps superior to any dressing that can be applied.

"If the undiluted urine is thought too strong, it may be easily diluted in the field, if water is at hand. A gentleman of our acquaintance, who has been using it as a top-dressing for grass during the three years past, considers it fully equal in value to the solid excrement of the same animals, and he states that one man can dress as much land in this way in one day as two men can with solid manure in two days, without taking into account, the expense and labor of collecting and mixing the material of which the compost is made. If this statement is correct, it must be more economical than any compost as a dressing. When applied to land in which humus is deficient, it will not probably be found to meet all the wants of the crops. Its effects will be much like those of guano on similar soils.

"It remains to be determined by experience whether it be of equal value with superphosphate, ashes, plaster, guano, or other concentrated manures as a top-dressing.—These may all be applied with equal facility, and with even less labor, and some of them, as ashes and lime, are more permanent in their effects. In applying liquid manure the labor of one man and horse will top-dress one acre in a day, within a quarter of a mile of the barn. This will be worth not far from three dollars. Will that value of any other dressing add as much to the amount of the grass or grain crop as will the dressing in question? English farmers are making extensive applications of liquid manures. They apply them largely diluted. Liquid manures may be applied so strong as to injure tender plants.

Recipes.

ANTIDOTE FOR MAD DOG BITE.—Take moderately warm vinegar or tepid water; wash the wound clean therewith, and then dry it; then pour upon the wound a few drops of hydrochloric acid, because mineral acids destroy the poison of the saliva, by which means the latter is neutralized.

CORN PUDDING.—Cheap but good. 1 quart of milk to 4 tablespoonfuls of meal. Boil the milk, stir in a little molasses and ginger into the meal, and stir the boiling milk into the meal and let it get perfectly cold. Bake an hour and a half. This is an excellent pudding, but the directions must be exactly followed.

CREAM CAKE.—One cup of white sugar, one cup of flour, to which add one teaspoonful of cream tartar, break two eggs into a small sized tumbler, and fill up with sour cream; add a small teaspoonful of saleratus. Bake in a round tin, then take one cup of sweet cream, one cup of sugar, one egg, one tablespoonful of flour, stir well together, and boil until it thickens, stirring constantly. When cool add vanilla, and when your cake is cold, cut it in two and spread on the custard, and you have a very good cream cake.