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All Coal of the best quality mined, delivered free from all impurities.

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No Mercury or Noxious Drugs.

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Young Men

Especially, who have become the victims of Solitary Vice, that dreadful and destructive habit which annually sweeps to an unlimely grave thousands of Young Men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence or waked to ecstasy the living lyre, may call with full confidence.

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Married Persons, or Young Men contemplating marriage, being aware of physical weakness, organic debility, deformities, &c., speedily cured.

He who places himself under the care of Dr. J. may religiously confide in his honor as a gentleman, and confidently rely upon his skill as a Physician.

Organic Weakness

Immediately Cured, and full vigor Restored.

This distressing Affection—which renders life miserable and marriage impossible—is the penalty paid by the victims of improper indulgences. Young persons are too apt to commit excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue. Now, who that understands the subject will pretend to deny that the power of procreation is lost sooner by those falling into improper habits than by the prudent? Besides being deprived the pleasures of healthy offspring, the most serious and destructive symptoms to both body and mind arise. The system becomes deranged, the Physical and Mental Functions Weakened, Loss of Procreative Power, Nervious Irritability, Dyspepsia, Palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, Constitutional Debility, a Wasting of the Frame, Cough, Consumption, Decay and Death.

Office, No. 7 South Frederick Street.

Left hand side going from Baltimore street, a few door. from the corner. Fail not to observe name and number.

Letters must be paid and contain a stamp. The Doctor's Diplomas hang in his office.

A Cure Warranted in Two Days.

No Mercury or Nauseous Drugs.

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Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, Graduate from one of the most eminent Colleges in the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known; many troubled with ringing in the head and ears when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind were cured immediately.

Take Particular Notice.

Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by improper indulgence and solitary habits, which ruin both body and mind, unfitting them for either business, pleasure, society or marriage.

These are some of the sad and melancholly effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the heart, Dyspepsy, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.,

MENTALLY.—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded—Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Forbodings, Avers on to Society, Self Distrust, Love of solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.

THOUSANDS of persons of all ages can now judge what is the cause of their declining health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale, nervous and emaciated, having a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of consumption.

Young Men

Who have injured themselves by a certain practice indulged in when alone, a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school, the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.

What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country, the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyments of life, by the consequence of deviating from the path of nature and indulging in a certain secret habit. Such persons must, before contemplating

Marriage,

reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connubial happiness. Indeed, without these, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage; the prospect hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair and filled with the melancholly reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.

Disease of Imprudence.

When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds that he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often hapens that an ill-timed sense of shame or dread of discovery, deters him from applying to those who, from education and respectability, can alone befriend him, delaying till the constitutional symptoms on this horrid disease make their appearance, such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased nose, nocturnal pains in the head and limbs, dimness of sight, deafness, nodes on the shin bones and arms, blotches on the head, face and extremities, progressing with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nose fall in, and the victim of this awful disease become a horrid object of commiseration, till death puts a period to his dreadful sufferings, by sending him to "that Undiscovered Country from whence no traveler returns."

It is a *melancholly fact* that thousands fall victims to this terrible disease, owing to the unskillfulness of ignorant pretenders, who by the use of that *Deadly Poison, Mercury*, ruin the constitution and make the residue of life miserable.

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Trust not your lives, or health, to the care of the many Unlearned and Worthless Pretenders, destitute of knowledge, name or character, who copy Dr. Johnson's advertisements, or style themselves in the newspapers, regularly Educated Physicians incapable of Curing, they keep you trifling month after month taking their filthy and poisonousness compounds, or as long as the smallest fee can be obtained, and in despair, leave you with ruined health to sigh over your galling disappointment.

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His credential or diplomas always hangs in his office.

His remedies or treatment are unknown to all others, prepared from a life spent in the great hospitals of Europe, the first in the country and a more extensive Private Practice than any other Physician in the world.

Indorsement of the Press.

The many thousands cured at this Institution year after year, and the numerous important Surgical Operations performed by Dr. Johnson, witnessed by the reporters of the "Sun," "Clipper," and many other papers, notices of which have appeared again and again before the public, besides his standing as a gentleman of character and responsibility, is a sufficient guarrantee to the afflicted.

Skin Diseases Speedily Cured.

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A large supply of fresh Salad Oil, in large and small bottles, and of different brands just received and for sale by

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Oils, varnishes and Glues,
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With a general variety of

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COLORS, PAINT AND
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IN ALL THEIR VARIETIES,
COLORS AND BRONZES
OF ALL KINDS,

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We respectfully invite a call, feeling, confident that we can supply the wants of all on terms to their satisfaction.

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JONE'S AND WHITES'S PORCELAIN TEETH,

PATENT MEDICINES AND HAIR RESTORATIVES

Of all kinds, direct from the Proprietors.

Saponifier and Concentrated Lye

Wholesale Agents for Saponifier, which we sel as low as it can be purchased in the cities.

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COAL OIL! CARBON OIL!

Being large purchasers in these Oils, we can offer inducements to close buyers. Coal Oil Lamps of the most improved patterns, very cheap. All kinds of lamps changed to burn Coal Oil.

FARMERS AND GRAZIERS,

Those of you who have not given our HORSE AND CATTLE POWDERS a trial know not their superiority, and the advantage they are in keeping Horses and Cattle healthy and in good condition.

Thousands can testify to the profit they have derived from the use of our Cattle Powders by the increasing quantity and quality of milk, besides improving the general health and appearance of their Cattle.

Our long experience in the business gives us the advantage of a thorough knowledge of the trade, and our arrangements in the cities are such that we can in a very short time furnish anything appertaining to our business, on the best of terms.

Thankful for the liberal patronage bestowe on our house, we hope by strict attention to business, a careful selection of

PURE DRUGS

at fair prices, and the desire to please all, to merit a continuance of the favor of a discriminating public. ap16-d1y

NO. 1 MACKERAL in Kitts, half barrels, and barrels, at the New Grocery and Provision Store, Front and Market streets.

NICHOLS & BOWMAN

Miscellaneous.

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Goods Ordered in the Morning Returned the same Night.

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WITHOUT CHANGE OF CARS.

Order Goods marked

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For further information enquire of

GEO. BERGNER, Agent.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 1861.-dtf

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"HIGHLY CONCENTRATED"

COMPOUND FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU,

A Positive and Specific Remedy
For Diseases of the BLADDER, KIDNEYS, GRAVEL, and DROPSICAL SWELLINGS.

This Medicine increases the power of Digestion, and excites the ABSORBENTS into healthy action, by which the WATERY OR CALCAREOUS depositions, and all UNNATURAL ENLARGEMENTS are reduced, as well as PAIN AND INFLAMATION, and is good for MEN, WOMEN OR CHILDREN.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU,

For Weaknesses
Arising from Excesses, Habits of Dissipation, Early Indiscretion or Abuse.

ATTENDED WITH THE FOLLOWING SYMPTOMS:—

Indisposition to Exertion,	Loss of Power
Loss of Memory,	Difficulty of Breathing,
Weak Nerves,	Trembling,
Horror of Disease,	Wakefulness,
Dimness of Vision,	Pain in the Back,
Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System,	
Hot Hands,	Flushing of the Body,
Dryness of the Skin,	Eruptions on the Face,

PALLID COUNTENANCE,

These symptoms, if allowed to go on, which this medicine invariably removes, soon follows

IMPOTENCY, FATUITY, EPILEPTIC FITS,
IN ONE OF WHICH THE PATIENT MAY EXPIRE.

Who can say that they are not frequently followed by those "DIREFUL DISEASES,"

"INSANITY AND CONSUMPTION."

Many are aware of the cause of their suffering,
BUT NONE WILL CONFESS.

THE RECORDS OF THE INSANE ASYLUMS,
And the Melancholy Deaths by Consumption,
BEAR AMPLE WITNESS TO THE TRUTH OF THE ASSERTION.

THE CONSTITUTION ONCE AFFECTED WITH ORGANIC WEAKNESS,

Requires the aid of medicine to strengthen and Invigorate the System,

Which HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU *invariably doe*;
A TRIAL WILL CONVICE THE MOST SKEPTICAL.

FEMALES—FEMALES—FEMALES,

OLD OR YOUNG, SINGLE, MARRIED, OR CONTEMPLATING MARRIAGE,

IN MANY AFFECTIONS PECULIAR TO FEMALES, the Extract Buchu is unequalled by any other remedy, as in Chlorosis or Retention, Irregularity, Painfulness, or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulcerated or Scirrhous state of the Uterus, Leucorhœa Whites, Sterility, and for all complaints incident to the sex, whether arising from Indiscretion, Habits of Dissipation, or in the

DECLINE OR CHANGE OF LIFE.
SEE SYMPTOMS ABOVE

NO FAMILY SHOULD BE WITHOUT IT!

TAKE NO MORE BLISTER, MERCURY, OR UNPLEASANT MEDICINE FOR UNPLEASANT AND DANGEROUS DISEASES.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU
CURES
SECRET DISEASES.

In all their Stages,	At little Expense;
Little or no change in Diet;	No inconvenience;

And no Exposure.

It causes a frequent desire and gives strength to Urinate, thereby removing Obstructions.

Preventing and Curing Strictures of the Urethra,

Allaying Pain and Inflammation, so frequent in the class of diseases, and expelling *all Poisonous, Diseased and worn-out Matter.*

THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS

WHO HAVE BEEN THE VICTIMS OF QUACKS,

and who have paid HEAVY FEES to be cured in a short time, have found they were deceived, and that the "POISON" has, by the use of "POWERFUL ASTRINGENTS," been dried up in the system, to break out in an aggravated form, and

PERHAPS AFTER MARRIAGE.

Use HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU for all affections and diseases of the

URINARY ORGANS,

whether existing in

MALE OR FEMALE,

From whatever cause originating and no matter of

HOW LONG STANDING.

Diseases of these Organs require the aid of DIURETIC.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU

IS THE GREAT DIURETIC,

And is certain to have the desired effect in all Diseases FOR WHICH IT IS RECOMMENDED.

Evidence of the most reliable and responsible character will accompany the medicine.

CERTIFICATES OF CURES,
From 8 to 20 years standing,
WITH NAMES KNOWN TO
SCIENCE AND FAME.

Price $1 00 per bottle, or six for $5 00.

Delivered to any address, securely packed from observation.

DESCRIBE SYMPTOMS IN ALL COMMUNICATIONS.

Cures Guaranteed! Advice Gratis!

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Personally appeared before me, an Alderman of the city of Philadelphia, H. T. HELMBOLD, who being duly sworn, doth say, his preparations contain no narcotic, no mercury, or other injurious drugs, but are purely vegetable

H. T. HELMBOLD.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 23d day of November, 1854. WM. P. HIBBERD, *Alderman*,
Ninth St. above Race, Phila.

Address letters for information in confidence to

H. T. HELMBOLD, Chemist,
Depot, 104 South Tenth St., bel. Chestnut, Phila,

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AND UNPRINCIPLED DEALERS,

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" " " Sarsaparilla,
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AND ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

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AND AVOID IMPOSITION AND EXPOSURE.
nov13-d1y

BY TELEGRAPH.

FROM WASHINGTON.

GENERAL WOOL CONFIRMED AS A FULL MAJOR GENERAL.

MAILS TO NEW ORLEANS.

Commissioner of Agriculture.

SPEECH OF CONGRESSMAN WOOD.

The Recent Order in Reference to Telegraphic Despatches from Cairo.

Colonel Corcoran to be Exchanged

WASHINGTON, May 16.

The Senate to-day confirmed the nomination of Brevet Major General Wool to be Major General of Army for gallant conduct on the tenth of May, in taking the city of Norfolk and for other gallant services; also of Charles Chase as postmaster at Winchester, Virginia.

The mails for New Orleans will be made at New York, to be forwarded by sea on every steamer which may leave for that port.—Therefore, the communication between these cities will be frequent. Postmasters are requested to forward all mail matter for New Orleans to the New York post office.

Isaac Newton, at present connected with the Agricultural branch of the Patent Office, has beed nominated by the President as Commissioner of Agriculture, under the recently passed law establishing a Department of Agriculture.

Benjamin Wood not wishing to consume the time of the House in the delivery of his speech on the condition of the Union, obtained permission to print it. He says it has been left to him to speak the first conciliatory word in behalf of his suffering countryman. There were gentlemen within his vision whose sworn purpose and greatest desire, paramount even to the preservation of the republic is emancipation. They first applied the torch, and are now more busy than ever with throwing fresh fuel to the flame.

Should history ever trace, which God forbid, the record of this country's ruin that page will seem the strongest to those that read which tell of the madness and wickedness of the arch fanatics of abolitionism. In the dark recesses of the temple of infamy the gloomiest niches will bear the inscription of their names.

In place of making the negro question the subject-matter of debate, Congress should take into earnest and solemn consideration some expedient for securing peace. He believed that success would crown their efforts. An honorable peace was within their grasp, and when the people shall realize that it is only the infamous design to strengthen the anti-slavery movement which prevents an effort to obtain peace, wo to the chiefs of the abolition party.

But words are thrown away on stubborn fanaticism. He appealed to the loftier feelings which should pervade humanity, to the lovers of our common country, we want a union of sovereigns not of subjects.

In conclusion he urges and entreats Congress to adopt some measure which may bring about a cessation of hostilities with a view to mediation. Adjourned till Monday.

On inquiry at the War Department it is ascertained that the order of the assistant supervisor of dispatches at Cincinnati to the operator at Cairo was not issued by the military supervisor at Washington. It was issued by the assistant supervisor at Cincinnati under a misapprehension of instructions received from the military supervisor which were intended to stop forwarding from Cairo to the newspapers of false and improper military intelligence and sensational dispatches relating to military matters, such as had, on several occasions, created public anxiety without cause and of which great complaint has justly been made.

There has been no change in the orders of the Department, and there is no intention to withhold any authentic information from the public, except such as could not be published without embarrassment to military operations and danger to our armies.

The Secretary of War, upon the application of Representative Ely, has ordered the release of Col. W. F. Baldwin, of Vienna, to exchange for Col. Cocoran.

Captain Fanell and Lieutenant Dempsey, lately released as prisoners of war from Richmond, and who have been a week in Washington, had represented to the President and Secretary of War the necessity and justice of this arrangement, on account of Col. Corcoran's health. Aided by Mr. Ely they have succeeded.

Representative Kerrigan to-day received through one of the lately returned Union prisoners, a letter from Richmond, dated May 12, which was hid in a piece of soap, urging him to use his political influence to effect the release of Captains Downey and Griffin, and Lieutenants Underhill and Fay, of the New York regiments. He also received two photographs of Union hostages, as they appeared in Castle Pinckney.

XXXVIIth Congress--First Session.

WASHINGTON, May 16, 1862.

SENATE.

The Senate passed the Indian appropriation bill and the confiscation bill as reported from the select committee.

Mr. CLARKE moved to amend the second section by inserting "by imprisonment not exceeding ten years" or so as to make it forfeiture or imprisonment, or both, in the discretion of the court. Adopted.

Mr. HOWARD's amendment was then rejected, Yeas—Davis, Howard, Powell, Saulsbury and Wilson, (Mo.,)—5; nays 33.

Mr. SUMNER offered a substitute for the bill which was ordered to be printed.

On motion of Mr. GRIMES the Senate then went into executive session.

Adjourned till Monday.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, May 16.

Cotton firm; 1,200 bales sold at 27¼@27½c. Flour firm; 18,500 barrels sold. Wheat steady; 88,000 bushels sold; Chicago spring $1 09@1 08; white $1 35@1 36. Corn firm; 53,000 bushels sold at 52@53½c. Pork heavy; mess $12 50. Lard buoyant at 7⅜@8⅜.—Whisky heavy at 25@24½. Sugar firm at 7@8½c. Coffee firm, at 19½@20½. Molasses firm. Freights drooping.

From Gen. Mitchell's Division in Alabama.

The "Star-Gazer" still chasing the Rebels.

OFFICIAL DESPATCH FROM THE GENERAL.

WASHINGTON, May 16.

The following dispatch has been received at the War Department:

HEADQUARTERS OF THE THIRD DIVISION,
Huntsville, Ala., Camp Tyler, May 15.

To Hon. Ed. M. Stanton, Secretary of War:—At 6 P. M., on the 13th inst., Gen. Negley's expedition from Pulaski, supported by Col. Little's expedition from Athens, entered Rogersville, driving the enemy across the Tennessee and destroying a portion of their ferry boats.

Having learned of the approach of Colonel Little's forces the enemy succeeded in removing their artillery, baggage and stores before the arrival of Gen. Negley.

I expected an obstinate defence at the passage of the Elk river and accompanied in person Col. Little's expedition, but without crossing. The enemy, as usual, fled at our approach.

I ordered on yesterday an expedition to move promptly from Rogersville to seize the bridge across Shad creek and the ferry below the mouth of the same stream. This duty has been promptly executed and the ferry and bridge are ours.

No more troops will enter from that region, and we have now upon this side twelve or fifteen hundred of the enemy in bands of three or four hundred, whom we will endeavor to hunt down and destroy or capture.

The gunboat which I have extemporized will be ready for service to-day, and I will soon be able to pay my respects to the enemy in the eastern side of this region under my command.

(Signed) O. M. MITCHELL,
Major General.

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