

**LADIES' COMPANION!**

A STANDARD NATIONAL MAGAZINE,  
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**WILLIAM W. SNOWDEN.**

NUMEROUS ENGRAVINGS IN EACH NUMBER.  
The exalted reputation of this popular magazine has been so long and so widely established that it may perhaps be deemed by some supererogatory on the part of the proprietor to offer a direct exposition of its merits and its claims. The Ladies' Companion needs no laudatory puffs to force it into a precarious existence; it has, for a number of years, spoken for itself, and in a voice which has found a most satisfactory response in the literary taste of the age. Conforming, however, to custom, which seems to demand a few words occasionally from the proprietor to his patrons and the public, we will simply and succinctly enumerate the chief titles which this standard national magazine has to the enormous patronage which it has for so many years enjoyed, and to that regular and uninterrupted advance in the favor of the critical, the literary and the refined, which has ever, in a degree peculiar to itself, characterized the progress of the work.

On the minor merits of the Ladies' Companion, —the mechanical execution, paper, typography, etc., it is needless to dwell. It has ever been the object of the proprietor to place his magazine, even in these points, beyond competition; but in doing so, he has had no disposition to sacrifice the more important and substantial qualities which ought to distinguish a national and standard periodical. It is its preeminence in the literary department, upon which is based the principal claims of the Ladies' Companion. To its pages the proprietor boldly refers for proof of the assertion that by none of its numerous rivals and imitators, has the Companion ever been equalled or even approached in its

**Literary Character.**

If further proof were needed, the proprietor would point with emotions of pleasure and pride, to the following list of distinguished names, embracing the principal regular contributors, whose able pens have exerted so much influence through the pages of this magazine upon the literary taste of the day.

**PROMINENT CONTRIBUTORS.**

Emma C Embury, author of "Pictures of Early Life," the "Blind Girl," etc.; Lydia H Sigourney; Frances S Osgood; Mrs. Seba Smith; Mrs. E. F. Ellet, author of "Character of Schiller," etc.; Ann S Stephens; Hannah F Gould; Mrs. E. R. Steele; Mrs. A. M. F. Annan, late Miss Buchanan; Miss A. D. Woodbridge; Mrs. Emeline S Smith; F. W. Thomas, author of "Clinton Bradshaw," etc.; Caroline Orne, of Wolfboro', N. H.; Miss Mary Ann Browne, England; Mrs. M. St. Leon Loud, Pennsylvania; Professor J. H. Ingraham; Louis Fitzgerald Tassistro; Nathaniel P. Willis; Theodore S Fay; Edgar A. Poe; George P. Morris, author of "Brier Cliff," and the "National Melodies,"—together with a large number of prominent writers, whose names we have not room here to insert.

This list, embracing some of the most profound original and vigorous intellects of the male sex, and the most brilliant, graceful and witty of the fair, cannot easily be paralleled by any other magazine in the country. It affords the surest guarantee of the determination and the ability of the proprietor to make the literary character of his work commensurate with its immense and increasing circulation. From the variety of talent every diversity of taste may expect to be gratified, and every kind of elegant literature receive a proper attention. Poetry, tales, sketches, essays, embodying the brilliant conceptions, the graceful imaginings, the original inventions, and the witty or profound thoughts of the able writers we have enumerated, have and will continue to administer, each in proportion, to the amusement and instruction of the readers of the Companion.

**EDITORS' TABLE.**

In this department is embraced short notices of those occurrences which are deemed of sufficient interest to demand attention—critical remarks upon new books, and upon the productions of the stage. It will be an object of the proprietor to preserve the reputation, which this department has acquired for sound and unprejudiced decisions.

**THE EMBELLISHMENTS.**

It may be safely asserted that in this interesting and striking feature, the Ladies' Companion is yet unrivalled. It is not merely in the beauty and perfection of the engravings that it excels, but also in the character of the subjects which are invariably selected with the greatest care and reflection, and with reference to their utility and artistic merit, not to the facility and consequent cheapness with which they yield themselves to the burin of the engraver. Every number is ornamented with steel plates, executed by the first artists, in the most finished manner, expressly for the work! Scriptural engravings are also occasionally published. The reader therefore, for the low price at which the "Companion" is afforded, in addition to its admirable literary articles, obtains a *port folio* of elegant steel engravings.

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We have tried Doctor Jos. Priestley Peters' Vegetable Pills, and have no hesitation in pronouncing them the best Antibilious Medicine that we have ever used in our families. We are acquainted with several families in this city who give them the preference to all other kinds, on account of their mildness, and at the same time, certainty of action.—*New-York Examiner.*

More than ten millions of boxes of these truly valuable Antibilious Pills have been sold in the United States, Canada, West Indies, Mexico, and Texas, since the first of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-five.

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R. H. ARMSTRONG, M. D.

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- Do Chemistry,
- Colburn's First Lessons,
- Town's Analysis,
- Do Little Thinker,
- Andrew's Latin Grammar,
- Do do Readers,
- Smith's Arithmetic,
- Daboll's do
- Adams' do
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- Smith's do do
- Brown's do do
- Olney's Geography and Atlas,
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- Village School do
- Bottany for Beginners,
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**Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills**

Of the North American College of Health.

This extraordinary medicine is founded upon the principle that the human frame is subject to ONLY ONE DISEASE, viz: Corrupt Humors, or in other words Impurity of the Blood, and nothing save vegetable cleansing, is wanted in order to drive disease of every description from the body.

If the channels of our mighty rivers should become choked up, would not the accumulated waters find new outlets, or the country be inundated! Just so with the human body; if the natural drains become closed, the accumulated impurities will most assuredly find vent in some form of disease, or death will be a certain consequence.

WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS are eminently calculated for carrying out this GRAND PURIFYING PRINCIPLE, because they are a purgative medicine so justly balanced and withal so natural to the human constitution, that they cannot possibly injure the most delicate; at the same time, if used in such a manner as to produce free evacuations by the bowels, and repeated a few times, it will be absolutely impossible for pain or distress of any kind to continue in the body. A single twenty-five cent box of the above named Indian Vegetable Pills will in all cases, give relief, sometimes even beyond the power of words to describe, and if persevered in for a short time, there is not a malady in the whole course of human ills that can possibly withstand their astonishing and wonderful influence. WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS are a certain cure for

**COSTIVENESS,**

Because they completely cleanse the stomach and bowels from those bilious and corrupt humors which paralyze and weaken the digestive organs, and are the cause of headache, nausea, and sickness, palpitation of the heart, rheumatic pains in various parts of the body, and many other unpleasant symptoms.

In all disordered motions of the Blood, called Intermittent, Remittent, Nervous, Inflammatory, and Putrid

**FEVERS,**

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills will be found a certain remedy; because they cleanse the stomach and bowels from all bilious humors and purify the blood; consequently, as they remove every kind of disease, they are absolutely certain to cure every kind of fever.

So, also, when morbid humors are deposited upon the membrane and muscle, causing those pains, inflammations and swellings, called RHEUMATISM, GOUT, &c.,

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills may be relied on as always certain to give relief, and if persevered with, will most assuredly, and without fail, make a perfect cure of the above painful maladies.—Taken three to six of said Indian Vegetable Pills taken every night on going to bed, will, in a short time, completely rid the body from all morbid and corrupt humors; and rheumatism, gout, and pain of every description, will despair, as if by magic.

For the same reason, when, from sudden changes of the atmosphere, or any other cause, the perspiration is checked, and those humors which should pass off by the skin, are thrown inwardly, causing headache, nausea, and sickness, pain in the bones, watery and inflamed eyes, sore throat, hoarseness, coughs, consumption, rheumatic pains in various parts of the body, and many other symptoms of

**CATCHING COLD,**

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills will invariably give immediate relief. Three or four pills taken at night on going to bed, and repeated a few times will remove all the above unpleasant symptoms, and restore the body to even sounder health than before. The same may be said of difficulty of breathing, or

**ASTHMA.**

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills will loosen and carry off by the stomach and bowels those rough and phlegmy humors which stop the air cells of the lungs, and are the cause of the above dreadful complaint.

It should also be remembered that WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS are certain to remove pain in the side, oppression, nausea and sickness, loss of appetite, costiveness, a yellow tinge of the skin and eyes, and every other symptom of

**LIVER COMPLAINT.**

Because they purge from the body those corrupt and stagnant humors, which when deposited on the liver, are the cause of the above dangerous complaint. They are also to prevent

**APOPLEXY AND SUDDEN DEATH.**

Because they carry off those humors which obstructing the circulation, are the cause of a rush, or determination of blood to the head; giddiness, especially on turning suddenly round, blindness, drowsiness, loss of memory, inflammation of the brain, insanity, and all disorders of the mind.

Those who labour within doors should remember that they frequently breathe an atmosphere which is wholly unfit for the proper expansion of the lungs, and at the same time owing to want of exercise, the bowels are not sufficiently evacuated, the blood becomes impure, and headache, indigestion, palpitation of the heart, and many other disagreeable symptoms are sure to follow WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS

Being a Cleanser of the stomach and bowels, and a DIRECT PURIFIER of the Blood, are certain not only to remove pain or distress of every kind from the body, but if used occasionally, so as to keep the body free from those humors which are the CAUSE OF EVERY MALADY INCIDENT TO MAN, they will most assuredly promote such a just and equal circulation of the blood, that those who lead a sedentary life, will be able to enjoy sound health, and DISEASE OF ANY KIND WILL BE ABSOLUTELY IMPOSSIBLE.

**CAUTION TO AGENTS.**

Country agents, and others, are respectfully informed that, owing to the great popularity, and increasing demand for the above named Pills, a host of unprincipled persons are busily engaged in manufacturing, and vending a spurious article in imitation of

**WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS.**

They are also further informed that I have a suit pending against one V. O. Flack, for counterfeiting the above named medicine; and are cautioned against buying or receiving medicine from said V. O. Flack, as he cannot by any possibility have the genuine Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills for sale.

All travelling agents, with genuine medicine, are provided with a certificate of agency, signed by William Wright, Vice President of the N. A. College of Health.

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**AGENTS.**

CHARLES BOYS, Stroudsburg, Monroe county.  
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CHARLES SAYLOR, Hamilton, "  
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September 21, 1842.—ly.

**NOTICE**

**TO SAW-MILL OWNERS, Or those who are about to build or repair.**

The undersigned respectfully informs the public that he is duly authorised to sell the Right of the Johnson Re-acting Water wheel, to the counties of Monroe and Pike, patented the 22d day of June, A. D. 1840.

The Johnson re-acting wheel is the best now in use to propel a saw mill; it excels any other wheel in the United States under a low water head;—under a head from 5 to 7 feet is sufficient to cut from 2 to 3000 feet in twelve hours of inch or any other boards with ease. The wheels require, under a 7 foot head, 140 inches of water and so in proportion to any other head. Under a 7 foot head, the Saw will make from 200 to 250 strokes per minute. The advantage which those wheels have over any other wheels is, that it requires but four posts to make the floor or bulk head; the wheels are hung on the crank shaft. Two wheels are what is required for a Saw mill, and the posts planked inside the same as a pen stock. I have built one of those mills this season, on the Rearing Brook, in Luzerne county, for Mr. S. P. Templin, under about a 7 foot head, which will cut from 3 to 4000 in twelve hours of inch boards;—therefore, I can recommend them as the best wheels now in operation. There are several more mills in that part, all under low heads, which answers the same purpose as that of Mr. Templin's. For further information, please call on the subscriber.

FERDINAND DUTOT, Agent.  
Lower Smithfield, Monroe co., }  
November 9, 1842 } ff.

**Sherman's Cough Lozenges,**

Are the safest, most sure and effectual remedy for Coughs, Colds, Consumptions, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Tightness of the Lungs or Chest, &c. &c. The proprietor has never known an instance where they did not give perfect satisfaction.

Over 3,000 persons have given their names within the last year as a reference of the wonderful virtues of these Cough Lozenges. They cure all recent cases in a few hours, seldom requiring more than one day to entirely eradicate the most distressing ones.

*Mr. James W. Hale*, No. 5 Tontine Buildings, Wall st., gave some to a friend who had not enjoyed a night's sleep for several weeks, being every few minutes attacked with such a distressing cough, as almost to take away his life. The Lozenges made him raise easy, and enabled him to sleep well all night. He had tried every thing he heard of, and nothing else afforded the least relief—another instance of saving a fellow being from an untimely grave.

*The Rev. Darius Anthony*, of the Oneida Conference, was given up as incurable, believed to be on the verge of the grave from consumption, without the hope of relief, till he tried these Lozenges. They relieved him immediately, and in a few weeks restored him to health, so that he could resume his duties as a minister of the gospel. He recommends them to all who are consumptive or have any derangement of their lungs, as the greatest medicine in the known world. He has witnessed their effects on several others, and always with the happiest results. He says so great a remedy through the blessing of Divine Providence, should be the common property of all, and in every family on the face of the earth.

For sale at the Republican Office, by T. Schoch, sole agent or Monroe county.

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Sherman's Poor Man's Plasters, Cough Lozenges, and Peters' Pills; For sale at this office.