



POETRY.

The Voice of the Pestilence.

This splendid poem was written in 1831, on the approach of the Cholera from the east to the western part of Europe, and it is appropriate to its renewed apparition and westward progress, as mentioned in recent journals.

Breathless the course of the Pale White Horse Bearing the ghastly form— Rapid and dark as the spectre bark

Shades of the slain thro' the murderer's brain Flit terrible and drear— Shadowy and swift the black storm-drift

A deep Voice went from the Firmament, And it pierced the caves of Earth— Therefore I came on my wings of flame

From the portals of the Abyss— From the caverns dim where vague forms swim And shapeless chaos is!

From Hades' womb—from the joyous tomb Of Erebus and Old Night— From the unseen deep where death and sleep Brood in their mystic might—

I come—I come—before me are dumb The nations aghast for dread— Lo! I have past as the desert blast And the millions of Earth lie dead.

A voice of fear from the Hemisphere Tracteth me where I fly— Earth weeping aloud for her widowhood— A wild and desolate cry!

Thrones and dominions beneath my pinions Cover like the meanness things— Melt from my presence the pride and the pleas— Of palor stricken kings!

Sorrow and mourning supremely scorning, My throne is the boundless air— My chosen shroud is the dark plumed cloud— Which the whirling breezes bear!

Was I not borne on the wings of the morn From the jungles of Jessore, Over the plain of the purple main To the far Mauritain shore?

To the isles which sleep on the sunbright deep Of a coral paved sea; Where the blue waves wetter beneath the shel— Of Heaven's serenity?

From the womb of the waters, athirst for I rose that thirst to slake— [slaughters, These green isles are graves in the waste of This beauty is desolate!

From the wide Erytraean noise of my psalm Rolled on the southern blast— Eternal Taurus made answering chorus; From the glaciers lone and vast!

Did I not pass his granite mass, And the rigid Caucasian hill— Over burning sands, over frost-chained lands, Borne at my own wild will!

Then hark to the beat of my hastening feet, Thou shrined in the sea; Where are the dreams that the ocean streams Would be safety unto thee?

The following scene is reported to have occurred on board a steamer carrying detachments of Alabama and Louisiana volunteers to the late war.

One tall volunteer from the pine land of Alabama was unhappy for the want of employment. He sauntered along for something to do, when it occurred to him that he might, as he expressed it, 'take a good wash.'

It must be observed that all this while the vessel was blowing further out into the sea; and by this time the Mississippi water in the wash room had become ex-

The first dash he made was at the head; the turpentine of the soap and the saline of the water soon formed a chemical combination, and the oily qualities of the soap disappeared and left something resembling tar.

Two or three rakes of the fingers through the hair elevated it upright on the Alabamian's head, stiff as the quill of a porcupine.

'That's another trick played upon me,' said the unwashed, in a rage, his hair still growing fiercer. At this moment the water dripped down his face, and he commenced spitting, as if nauseated to the last degree.

GEMS OF 'POOR RICHARD.'—The New York Evening Post has seen a copy of Dr. FRANKLIN'S Almanac of unbroken files for twenty-five years, from which it makes the following selections:

'If pride leads the van, beggary brings up the rear. 'Keep thy shop and thy shop will keep thee. 'God heals and the doctor takes the fees.

'Tart words make no friends; a spoonful of honey will catch more flies than a gallon of vinegar. 'Beware of little expenses; a small leak will sink a great ship.

'A change of fortune hurts a wise man no more than a change in the moon. 'A false friend and a shadow attend only while the sun shines.

'If you would not be forgotten as soon as you are dead and rotten, either write things worth reading or do something worth writing. 'Nothing dies sooner than a tear.

'He's a fool that makes his doctor his heir. 'Love well, whip well. 'Hunger never saw bad bread. 'Great talkers, little doers.

'The poor have little—beggars none—the rich too much—enough, not one. 'Mankind are very odd creatures. One half censure what they practice, and the other half practice what they censure.

A GENTLEMAN.—To tell the reader exactly what class of persons was meant to be designated by the word gentleman, is a difficult task. The last time we heard it was on visiting a stable to look at a horse, when, inquiring for the coachman, his stable-keeper replied, 'He has just stepped to the public house along with another gentleman.'

The following is a negro's definition of a gentleman: 'Massa make de black man workee—make de horse workee—make de ox workee—make every ting workee, only de hog; he, de hog, no workee; he eat, he drink, he walk about, he go to sleep where he please, he liff like a GENTLEMAN.'

A sailor, calling upon a Liverpool goldsmith, asked him what might be the value of an ingot of gold as big as his arm.—The shopkeeper beckoned him into a back room, and primed him with grog. He then asked to see the ingot.

CONUNDRUMS.—Why is a woman churning like a caterpillar? She makes the butter fly. Why is a stingy man like a bird's foot? Because he has no SOUL.

Why is a chicken pie like a gunsmith's shop? Because it contains fowl-in-pieces. If a man 21 years of age would begin to save one dollar a week, and put it at interest every year, he would have at 31 years of age, \$659; at 45 years of age, \$1,680; at 60 years of age, \$6,150; and at 71 years of age, \$11,500.

Be sure you're right—then go ahead.



AGRICULTURAL.

Tobacco Dust.

As a PROTECTION AGAINST INSECTS.—We last year procured from a snuff-mill a barrel of dry but damaged snuff flour, and prepared drudging boxes, covered with fine bolting cloth, with which we sifted it over the surface of any plants attacked by insects, and with most signal success.

The snuff should be applied, if practicable while the plant is wet with dew, and repeated after every shower. If the boxes are properly made, (like a common flour drudge,) and the snuff is perfectly fine and dry, but little time is necessary to go over an acre of plants. Even the rose bug, cabbage louse, thrips on grape vines, &c., all yield to the influence of snuff, and the most delicate plant of the hot house is not injured by its application.

A bright plow share is the cheapest commodity ever used by a farmer, except the good health obtained in keeping it so.

Seasons for Felling Resinous Timber.

In cutting timber, of all kinds, advantage should be taken of the season which will favor their duration and strength. Thus oak and most other kinds of non-resiniferous trees, as far as the knowledge of practice extends, are stronger and more durable when felled in early winter, at the time the pores contain but little sap.

We have no hesitation in stating, that good heart pine, cut in spring, or early summer, when full of resin, is fully equal in lasting qualities to any hard-wood timber that can be produced, quite putting in the shade the process of Payne, Kian, and Burnett, from the efforts of nature being more freely carried out than can possibly be done by the very best exhausting engine and hydraulic presses that have yet been made.—American Agriculturist.

Origin of our Fine Fruits.

The Peach, originally, was a poisonous almond. Its fleshy parts were then used to poison arrows, and it was for this purpose introduced into Persia. The transplanting and cultivation, however, not only removed the poisonous qualities, but produced the delicious fruit we now enjoy.

The cherry was originally a berry-like fruit, and cultivation has given each berry a separate stem, and improves its quality. The common mazzard is the original of the most of the present kind of cherries.

The common wild Pear is even inferior to the choke pear, but still, by cultivation, it has come to rank among our finest fruits. The Cabbage originally came from Germany, and is nothing more than the common sea kale. Its cultivation has produced the present cabbage, and its different acclamations, the different kinds; while its hybridation with other similar plants has produced the Cauliflower.

PERSEVERANCE.—The greater the difficulty, the more glory is there in surmounting it. Skillful pilots gain their reputation from storms and tempests.

A little girl asked her sister, 'what was chaos, that papa read about?' The elder sister replied, 'why it is a great pile of nothing, and no place to put it.'

RAISE MORE FRUIT.—When Dr. Dwight first moved to New Haven, there was but little fruit raised there. He urged his neighborhood to plant fruit trees, but they said it was of no use, for the boys would steal all the fruit. 'Plant more fruit,' was the answer. Make good fruit plenty, and it will not be plundered. Fifteen years afterwards, he pointed to the abundance of fruit and the absence of pillage then enjoyed, in proof of his principle.

'Mister, I say, I don't suppose you don't know of nobody what don't want to hire nobody to do nothing, don't you?' The answer was, 'Yes, I don't.'

NOTICE.

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to the subscriber, either by Note or Book Account, will call and settle the same. The accounts &c., are left at his old stand with Mr. Frederick Kittell, who is authorized to receive and receipt for all moneys paid him for me.

JOSEPH PATTON. April 19, 1849—28-1f

Large lot of Glass, Nails and Salt, just received and for sale at the store of MURRAY & ZAHM.

LOCUST POSTS. An excellent lot of Locust Posts suitable for fencing on hand and for sale by MURRAY & ZAHM. April 12, 1849.

New Arrival of CHOICE AND FASHIONABLE SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

LITZINGER & TODD, TAKE pleasure in announcing to their friends and the public generally that they have just received from the eastern cities, at their Store Room in Ebensburg, a large and splendid assortment of

NEW & FASHIONABLE GOODS, selected with great care and at the lowest prices, which enables them to dispose of them on the most reasonable terms.

The stock comprises the usual assortment of STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, Consisting in part of Black and Brown American and French Cloths, plain and fancy Casimeres and Cashmerets, plain and fancy Tweeds, blue, black, Cadet and fancy Sattens, red, white and yellow Flannels, plain and paid Alpaca, French, Domestic and Earleton Gingham, brown and bleached Shirtings, Irish Linens, Russia Diapers, Cotton Diapers, Lincn Napkins, Ticking, Crash. A rich assortment of embroidered, cassimere, silk and fancy Vestings; new style of Linen Lustres; Printed, black and plain Lawns; mode silk Tissue; satin stripes Barages Muslin de Laines, black Gro de Rhine, Barage Scarfs, and plain and fancy De Laine Shawls; fancy dress Buttons, Fringes and Flowers. A complete assortment of Bonnet and Fancy Ribbons; fancy Combs, Brushes &c., &c.

Boots and Shoes, of every description, moleskin, fur, pearl, leg-horn and said Hates; Ladies and Misses' pearl braid, silk, and pearl gimp Bonnets. A splendid assortment of Quenware, (new style), Hardware, Drugs, Umbrellas, Parasols, Books and Stationary, Groceries, Fish, Salt, Nails, &c., &c.

All of which they are determined to sell as low for cash or country produce as any other establishment west of the Allegheny mountains. Ladies will find it to their advantage to call and examine this splendid stock of goods before purchasing elsewhere.

LIST OF JURORS FOR JULY TERM, 1849. GRAND JURORS. Andrew Callahan, Clearfield, Adam Hesel, Sumnerhill, Joseph Burgoon, Washington, Peter M'Gough, Clearfield, John M'Garity, Washington, Elisha Gorschuch, White, David Sommerville, Susquehanna, Joseph Dodson, Allegheny, Nathan Crum, Sumnerhill, Anthony Lantz, Allegheny, Matthew Ivory, Allegheny, John B. Brookbank, Sumnerhill, Jacob Kring, Richland, Peter Summers, Sumnerhill, Abraham Stutzman, Conemaugh, George Berkpile, Richland, John M'Gough, Sr., Washington, Henry Weaver, Sumnerhill, Jacob Paek, Cambria, Felix O'Neill, Cambria, George Elder, Allegheny, David Spielman, Sumnerhill, David Prosser, Conemaugh, John P. Parrish, Carroll, [FIRST WEEK.] Emericus Bender, Carroll, William Litzinger, Allegheny, Michael Leavy, Allegheny, James Cunningham, Susquehanna, Robert Kerr, Conemaugh, John Hamilton, Johnstown, Patrick Cullen, Sumnerhill, James Fagan, Carroll, Samuel Reed, Jackson, Samuel Black, Washington, John Reed, Conemaugh, Michael Driscoll, Allegheny, John Eagan, Conemaugh, Wm. Nelson, Cambria, Raphael Cooper, Sumnerhill, Michael Shoop, Richland, Augustine Little, Allegheny, Jacob Mack, Cambria, George Hessel, Richland, William Roberts, Jackson, Richard Nagle, Jr., Susquehanna, Ephraim Crum, Sumnerhill, John Plunkett, Carroll, Patrick Roddy, Susquehanna, George Litzinger, Allegheny, Augustine Holt, Carroll, Jacob R. Stull, Richland, D. C. Zahm, Cambria, Daniel Dimond, Sumnerhill, Lewis B. Dunnyer, Richland, Peter Kaylor, Cambria, John Phileps, Johnstown, John P. Strayer, Conemaugh, Thomas M. Jones, Cambria, Joseph Walters, Allegheny, John Gonz, Johnstown, [SECOND WEEK.] David Trexler, Allegheny, John M'Mullen, Allegheny, John B. Donough, Allegheny, Jacob Shaffer, Jackson, Michael M'Guire, Allegheny, John Pergrin, Jackson, Jacob Luther, Carroll, Patrick Donough, Washington, John Kinports, Susquehanna, Robert Trotter, Washington, George Delany, Allegheny, Blossius Noel, Carroll, Joseph Lecca, Sumnerhill, George Bruce, Allegheny, John D. Hughes, Cambria, John Pringle, Johnstown, Francis Cooper, Allegheny, Samuel Wills, do, Charles Bradley, do, James Myers, Cambria, Allen Rose, Richland, Wm. Brown, Clearfield, Alexander Lane, Conemaugh, Casper Dimond, Sumnerhill, Isaac Giffers, Susquehanna, Thomas Gallaher, Allegheny, Jacob Knable, Conemaugh, James Douglass, (of Wm.) Carroll, Wm. J. Williams, Cambria, George W. Munson, Johnstown, Alexander M'Mullin, Allegheny, Adam Fockler, Johnstown, Peter Gordon, Jr., Susquehanna, John Morgan, Jackson, Lamer Cassidy, Allegheny, May 3, 1849—30-1f

A General assortment of Paints and Oils of every description for sale at reduced prices by MURRAY & ZAHM. April 12, 1849—27-1y.

The Largest, Cheapest and most Fashionable Stock of Goods, adapted to Gentlemen's Spring and Summer Wear, is now receiving at

WM. DIGBY'S CHEAP CASH CLOTHING STORE, 136 LIBERTY STREET.

THE Proprietor of the above establishment would respectfully inform his numerous customers, that he has just returned from the Eastern cities with the most splendid assortment of goods in his line, that was ever brought to this city, comprising all that is now fashionable, elegant and cheap in Cloths, Cassimeres, Cashmerets, Drap De Fie, and every description of Cotton, Linen and Woollen summer stuffs, Shirts, Cravats, Hdks, Suspenders, &c., of the newest styles; which, together with his very large and fashionable stock of Ready-made Clothing, he is prepared to offer at his usual low prices.

Country Merchants, Contractors and all who purchase largely, are particularly invited to call and examine the stock which is decidedly the largest and most fashionable in the city, and great attention has been paid to get it up suitable to the wholesale trade.

Orders in the Tailoring line executed in the most fashionable manner, and that nothing may be wanting to ensure the best and best style of cutting. A gentleman who has had great experience in the Eastern cities, has been added to the establishment.

THE undersigned having associated themselves in the Cabinet Making Business, under the firm of Lloyd & Litzinger, beg leave to inform the citizens of Ebensburg and vicinity, that they intend manufacturing to order and keeping constantly on hand every variety of BUREAUS, TABLES, STANDS, SETS, TEES, BEDSTEADS, &c., &c., which they will sell very low for cash or approved Country Produce. All orders in their line of Business will be thankfully received and promptly attended to. Persons desiring cheap furniture are assured that they will find it to their interest to call at their Ware Room, opposite Litzinger & Todd's Store, and examine their stock before purchasing elsewhere. They hope by a close attention to business to merit a liberal share of public patronage.

All kinds of Lumber taken in exchange for Furniture. STEPHEN LLOYD, Jr. D. A. LITZINGER. April 12, 1849—27-6m.

246 AND 413 MARKET STREET, Philadelphia. The cheapest and largest assortment of Gold and Silver Watches in Philadelphia.

Gold Levers, full jewelled, 18 carat case, \$30 and over \$16 and over \$11 and over \$5 to \$10 \$1.50 Silver Tea Spoons, equal to coin, \$4.50 Gold pens, silver holder and pencil, \$1.00 With a splendid assortment of all kinds of Watches, both gold and silver; Rich Jewellery, &c., &c. Gold chain of the best manufacturers, and in fact every thing in the watch and jewelry line at much less prices than can be bought in this city or elsewhere. Please save this advertisement, and call at either

LEWIS LADOMUS, No. 413 Market street, above Leavenworth, north side of at JACOB LADOMUS, 246 Market street, first store below eighth, south side. If we have gold and silver levers still cheaper than the above prices—a liberal discount made to the trade. Sept. 28, 1848.—6m.

Administrator's Notice. ALL persons indebted to the estate of John Moran, late of Washington township deceased, are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned residing in Washington township, Cambria county, and all persons having claims against said estate will present them properly authenticated for settlement. ALICE MORAN, Administratrix. GEO. BURGOON, Administrator. April 12, 1849—27-6t.

THE GRAND PURGATIVE. Dr. Clickner's Sugar Coated Vegetable Extract Pills—These celebrated Pills have obtained an enviable notoriety in the United States as a curative for giddiness, dyspepsia, sour stomach, headache fevers, piles, constiveness, coughs, heart-burn, liver complaint, scurvy sore throat, inward weakness, palpitation of the heart, indigestion, and a variety of other diseases to which the flesh is heir to, as a medicine for the million. In all seasons of the year spring, summer, fall and winter, and under all circumstances, they can be taken with perfect safety and success. As a Vermifuge and general medicine for children they are unrivalled. Being coated with pure white sugar, children will easily take them; they neither gripe nor nauseate; are gentle but thorough in their operation. For adults by increasing the dose, they are equally beneficial. As an Anti-Bilious Pill they will be found without a superior; ask any one among the thousands who used them, and an unqualified approval will be the certain result.

Remember Dr. C. V. Clickner is the original inventor of Sugar coated Pills, and that nothing of the sort was ever heard of until he introduced them in June, 1848. Purchasers should, therefore, always ask for Clickner's Sugar Coated Vegetable Pills, and take no other, or they will be made the victims of fraud.—Price 25 cents per box.

Dr. Clickner's principal office for the sale of Pills, is 66 Vesey street New York. WM. JACKSON, 89 Liberty st., head of Wood st., Pittsburg Pa., General Agent for Pennsylvania, Northern Ohio, and the river counties of Virginia.

The following are the duly appointed agents: Litzinger and Todd Ebensburg; A. Durbin & Co., Munster; G. L. Lloyd, Jefferson; R. Doncaster Stumm; E. J. Forshing Johnstown; O'Neill & Rhey Plane No. 4.

TAKE NOTICE.—Litzinger & Todd have been appointed general and supplying agents for the Clickner's Sugar Coated Pills, in Cambria county. Agents requiring further supply, and persons wishing to be made agents will please apply to them.

Large lot of Bleached and Brown Muslins, just received and for sale very low at the store of MURRAY & ZAHM. JOB WORK Neatly and expeditiously executed at this Office.

THE GREAT REMEDY OF NATURE.

A MERICAN OIL, procured from a well in the earth a certain and infallible cure for Sprains, Strains, Cuts, Bruises, Scalds, Burns, Tetter, Erysipelas, Scald Head, Whooping Cough, Inflammatory Sore Throat, Sore and Inflamed Eyes, Flatulence, Ulcers, Fever Sopes, and INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM which yields to its effects in a surprising manner. It has never yet failed when used according to directions. Read the following: MANCHESTER, Allegheny co., Pa. November 18 1846.

This is to certify, that my wife, Margaret Ghrist was cured of a Rheumatic Complaint of seven years standing, by which she was lame as to be obliged to use crutches. In one week she was cured by using the American Oil, and could walk about as usual without her crutches.

JONATHAN GHEBIST The following is communicated by Wm. Nash, Mr. Jackson's agent for Stuenville, O. A gentleman near Stuenville, who had been unable to put either of his feet to the ground for twelve years in consequence of lameness, by the use of one bottle was enabled to walk two miles to a township election. It is likewise a sovereign remedy for CONTRACTION OF THE MUSCLES AND TENDONS.

The following is communicated by Wm. Nash Mr. Jackson's agent for Stuenville, O. A lady residing in Stuenville, the finger of whose hand was so contracted as to deprive her of the use of it for thirty-five years, was entirely cured by the use of one bottle of the Oil, so that she now has the perfect use of her hand fully equal to the other which had never been affected. It has also been found to be a safe and invincible agent in the speedy and certain cure of DEAFNESS, in all cases not organically incurable.

A lady residing in Allegheny city was effectually cured of obstinate deafness, of years continuance, by the use of less than one bottle of the Oil so that she said she heard better than she had ever done before. A gentleman well known in Pittsburg, was cured of deafness of nine years' standing by the use of a small quantity of the Oil. The names and residences of the lady and gentleman will be given to those who desire it, at the office of the advertiser.

His properties are highly developed in the certain and surprisingly speedy cure of all cases of CHOLIC, CRAMP, AND SPASMS. Several cases of the Cramp Cholera have been effectually cured by one dose of the Oil, in the short space of half an hour, when the parties have been agonized with pain. Its curative properties have been remarkably manifested in the radical cure of DISEASE OF THE SPINE.

A lady, the wife of a planter in Kentucky, was cured effectually of one of the worst cases of diseased Spine, which had confined her to her bed for considerable time, in which she could not turn herself. It is also a sure remedy and perfect cure for pains in the small of the back, and INFLAMMATION OF THE KIDNEYS.

Read the following: PITTSBURG, Dec. 18, 1847. This is to certify that I was afflicted with great pain in the small of my back and kidneys, which affected me so much that I could not stand upright. By rubbing externally, and using half a teaspoonful internally, night and morning, I was entirely cured. JOHN RIDDLE, near Warren Armstrong's, Pa.

A gentleman of Pittsburg, afflicted with a violent inflammation of the kidneys, was cured in three days, by the use of the American Oil. The qualities of this extremely penetrating and anti-inflammatory, consequently is confidently recommended as a sovereign remedy wherever inflammation exists, either external or internal. Used immediately after a cut bruise or wound, it will cure & prevent GANGRENE & MORTIFICATION.

It has in addition, been found a salutary, pleasing and effective remedy for those very unpleasant and inconvenient diseases GRAVEL AND URINARY COMPLAINTS. Price 50 cents per bottle.

Caution—Be on Your Guard. The surprising excellence and growing popularity of the American Oil, has induced some dishonest persons to palm upon the public, miserable imitations of this truly valuable medicine, for the purpose of deceiving the unwary, and defrauding the Proprietor.

In order to be sure of obtaining the genuine, observe the following particulars: Let See that the name of Wm. Jackson, 89 Liberty st., head of Wood st., is printed on the label of the wrapper of each bottle, to imitate which is felony.

2d That each bottle is inclosed in a pamphlet containing full directions for use, and also containing the name and full address of Wm. Jackson General Agent for the proprietors, likewise, the name and address of the proprietors, Dr. Hall & Co., Kentucky.

3d Purchase only of the advertised Agents of whom have a show bill, to which is printed the names of the proprietors and General Agents—thus: D. Hall & Co., Proprietors Kentucky. Wm. Jackson Pittsburg, Pa., General Agent for Western Pennsylvania, and part of Ohio and Western Virginia; and the prior's names—M'Millin & Shryock, Pittsburg—printed at the bottom of said show bill.

4th Observe—the genuine American Oil is of a dark green color, without any sediment, and its specific gravity lighter than water. The counterfeits are mostly of a black color; some Seneca oil—others a mixture of common oils; and one of various colors sometimes a close imitation of the genuine purporting to come from the Pittsburg & Allegheny Dispensary Co. None of these counterfeits possess either the virtue or the power of the true AMERICAN OIL.

5th Sold wholesale & retail by WM. JACKSON General and sole agent for the Proprietor in Western Pennsylvania, Northern Ohio, and Northern Ohio; and by the following duly appointed agents in Cambria Co. Pa. Litzinger & Todd Ebensburg; A. Durbin & Co. Munster; G. L. Lloyd, Jefferson; Richard Doncaster, Summit; E. J. Forshing, Johnstown; O'Neill & Rhey, Plane No. 4. Take Notice.—Litzinger & Todd has been appointed general and supplying agent for the American Oil in Cambria co., Pa. Agents requiring further supply and persons wishing to be made agents will please apply to him. Sept. 28 1848—12-ly.

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