The Missouri Compromise.

We have frequently been asked, to explain what is meant by the "Missouri Compromise," and to give its origin; and as this is a matter which is now much talked of, and will continue to be alluded to in the political discussions for the next year we will comply with these requests as far as we are able.

In 1819, the territory of Missouri applied to Congress for admission into the Union as a State. Slavery existed there then and had existed from the first settlement of the territory; and the constitution adopted by the people of the territory, previous to application for admission into the Union, recognised slavery. Objection was at once made in Congress to her admisson as a *slave* State, and thereupon arose that fearful excitement upon the subject of slavery, which for a long time threatened the very existence of the Union. A slight attention to the papers of that day will show, that the excitement then existing upon this subject was far greater than any since agitated the country, and it will give more well-founed apprehensions for the existence of the Union, than has ever since been felt. Out of this agitation of the slavery question grew the "Missouri Compromise." The South contended that Congress had no power or right under the constitution to prohibit slavery any where—that the subject was entirely under the control of the people of the several States and Territories, and that no such condition could rightfully be annexed to the admission of new States. The North on the contrary, took the ground that, altho' the subject of slavery in the states which composed the Union at the time of the adoption of the constitution, was placed beyond the reach of Congress, yet the guarantees of that instrument protected slavery no further, and consequently in the territories of the United States it was under the control of Congress entirely, and that in admitting new States into the Union, Congress could and should require as a condition, that slavery should not be tolerated therein. This exciting contest occupied the attention of Congress and engrossed the public mind for about two years; and it was finally settled in 1820 by a compromise, by which the Bill for the admission of Missouri as a slave state, passed with the following section, being the 8th and and the last section of the bill:

That in all that territory ceded by France to the United States, under the name of Louisiana which lies north of thirty-six degrees and thirty minutes north latitude, not included within the limits of the State contemplated by this act, slavery and involuntary servitude, otherwise than in the punishment of crimes, whereof the parties shall have been duly convicted, shall be, and is hereby, forever prohibited; *provided always*, that any person escaping into the same, from whom labor or service is lawfully claimed in any State or territory of the United States, such fugitives may be lawfully reclaimed and conveyed to the person claiming his or her labor or service as aforesaid.

This is the "Missouri Compromise." It is a very simple, yet a most salutary and important measure; being "a sweeping, entire, immediate and perpetual prohibition of the existence of slavery throughout every part of the region north of the line of latitude mentioned," being the southern boundary of Missouri. In all that region, slavery is thereby declared to be "*forever prohibited*," while in the region south of that line, the question is left open to be decided by the people residing therein; in other words, south of that line the matter is left as it was before. Slavery is not established there, by the Missouri compromise, as some have supposed, but it is *permitted*, if the inhabitants there desire it, there, being no law to prevent it. Such we suppose to be the general understanding of the matter.—*N.H. Patriot.*

The Successful Farmer.

To be a successful farmer, *science* is not very necessary. A man may be a good farmer, without being a naturalist, botanist, or chemist, which might enable him to analyze the different soils on his farm. But the more knowledge he possesses on the subject of Agriculture, the better. Intelligence in what relates to his business, is quite as useful to the farmer as it is to the merchant or manufacturer, in what relates to their pursuits.

A successful agriculturalist must be an intelligent man; he must be distinguished for careful and accurate observation. And altho' I would not encourage, generally, experiments in the common pursuits of husbandry; yet the skillful and judicious farmer should regard all his operations, in some sense, as experimental. Altho' not undertaken as such, he will regard them as means of knowledge in his pursuit, and enabling him better to judge in what way he can cultivate his farm to the best profit.

In this way, he will not only learn the capabilities of his own farm, and its adaptation to particular crops; but he will be constantly improving his knowledge of agriculture generally without engaging in hazardous experiments, he will occasionally change or modify his mode of culture, so far as the light of his own experience, or that of others, may seem to justify. Something has been said of late years, about establishing an experimental farm, as a means of improving agriculture. But what could one such farm accomplish, when every well cultivated farm should, in a degree, be an experimental one? An intelligent farmer will become wiser in his business every year, as he will be increasing his knowledge and improving his judgement from his own operations and observations.

There is another requisite of a good farmer. He must be a man of *calculation*—of calculation in respect to profit, present and prospective. Like the merchant and manufacturer, his object will be the greatest return for his capital and labor. And he will not look at present profit only; as he will regard the improvement of his farm as so much addition to his capital, which constitute a part of the profits of the year. If a certain portion of his farm is enriched and put into better tilth; if another part is drained, or cleaned of stone, whereby it is brought under profitable cultivation, when it was unprofitable before, he will regard this as an addition to his capital, which consists of the value of his farm, not of the number of acres. He will steadily keep these two objects in view, of getting the greatest annual return from his *estate*, and of improving its condition, whereby its value may be increased. A man of calculation will learn by experience whether his farm is to large or to small for profit; what crops make the best return for the labor expended upon them; whether it will do to purchase manure, or prepare composts or artificial manures, and whether he can afford to hire labor or not, and at what price. Calculation, and a careful estimate of the cost and value of his crops, will enable him to decide all these questions.

Whatever the capital of the farmer is, the man of *calculation* will endeavor to make the whole of it productive.

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BOTANIC & HYDROPATHIC PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON—Office at his dwelling third house east of the Court House—Will be at home Saturdays of each week, where he will be happy to wait upon all those who may favor him with a call.

SMITH & SHUTTS,

Physicians & Surgeons, Lanesboro, Pa. Office of the first named in the firm, over the Engineer's office, of the latter at his residence.

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Attorney at Law.—Has removed his Office to Turnpike Street, one door East of B. T. Case's Office, and three doors West of the Register Printing Office.

MILLS & SHERMAN,

Dealers in Dry-Goods, Groceries, Hard-Ware Crockery, Iron, Nails, Fish &c.—One doo, below Judge Post's.

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Coach, Wagon & Sleigh Manufacturer and Repairer—Shop on the Wilkesbarre Turnpike, a few rods below the Village.

M. C. TYLER,

Dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware Crockery, Looking Glasses, Stone & Glassware, Shoes, &c.—First Store below the Court House, East side of Public Avenue.

WM. J. TURRELL,

Attorney & Counsellor at Law.—Office in the Store of I. L. Post & Co., in the room formerly occupied by Henry Drinker.

Advertisements.

AGAIN IN THE FIELD.

H. J. WEBB,

WOULD inform his friends and former customers, and the public generally, that he is again on hand, at his old stand, in full blast—having just returned from New York with an entire new stock of Goods suited to this market, which he is now opening, and offering for sale, cheap for **ready pay.**

Having made his purchases for Cash, he will be able to sell at such rates as cannot fail to please. Those who wish to save 25 per cent will please call and examine.

Montrose, October 6, 1847.

TYPE FOUNDRY,

59 *Gold, corner of Ann street, New York.*

THE subscribers have taken the TYPE FOUNDRY, No. 59 Gold-street, and will continue the business lately conducted by ROBERT TAYLOR. They will attend to all orders they may receive with punctuality and dispatch. All the Type manufactured by them will be Hand Cast; and they will furnish all kinds of *Printers' Materials*, of the best quality.

Mr. J. A. T. Overead is still employed in superintending the manufacturing department.

WHITING & TAYLOR,
(Successors to Robert Taylor.)

CHARLES WHITING. THEODORE TAYLOR. } New York, Jan'y 14, 1848.

MONTROSE SALOON!

WE, the undersigned tender our thanks to the people generally for the extensive patronage we have heretofore received in our line of business, and would inform them that we have fitted up a new and

Splendid Saloon,

on the first floor at the west door of J. N. Eldridge's Cabinet Ware establishment, two doors west of M. S. Wilson's Store, and opposite I. L. Post & Co's. Store. Please call and we will be happy to wait upon you in a better style than we have been able to do heretofore. We have one fine room expressly for the Ladies to eat Oysters and Pic-nics, &c. Also, we have a new and splendid style of China Toys, of all kinds, the best assortment that ever was in Montrose, which will be sold cheap.

Confectionaries, Rock Candies, and Jujube Paste,

upwards of forty kinds, fresh from New York. Fresh supply of

Nuts, Groceries, Figs, Prunes, Raisins, &c., PIES,

as good as ever. MINTS, APPLES, &c.

☞ Ginger-bread, Cakes, Crackers, Herrings and Cheese, constantly on hand.

C. BALDWIN & E. BACON.

Montrose, Nov. 3. 1847.

NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing a certain Note drawn by the subscriber to James Taggart, on June 24th, 1847, for Forty Five Dollars payable in chairs on the first day of April 1848. The subscriber having received no value for said Note, will not pay the same unless compelled by process of Law. NELSON J. HUFF.

Middletown, January 14, 1848.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of MICHAEL MURPHY, dec'd; late of Silver Lake Township, to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said Estate are requested to present them to the subscriber for settlement.

TIMOTHY MURPHY, Adm'r.

Silver Lake, January 17, 1848.

WINDOW Sash, and Glass, Nails, and Iron, Hardware, Cutlery, and Hollow Ware, at reduced prices, by *CHANDLER & Co.*

GROCERIES.

TEA, sugar, saleratus, molasses, spice, ginger, cloves, nutmegs, indigo, alum, &c. at *F. B. CHANDLER & Co's.*

PAINTS, OILS, Drugs and Medicines by *E. TIFFANY.*

MATHEMATICS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15, 1847.

To the Editors of the Daily Atlas:

DEAR SIR:—Perhaps you have noticed in some of the New York papers, a statement concerning the remarkable powers of a Mathematician in that city, who adds, subtracts, multiplies, divides, and performs all other arithmetical calculations, with a rapidity that seems almost miraculous. As I am that person, I will endeavor to give a correct statement of the facts which I hope you will publish. First: Let a column of figures, say 3000 in length and 10 or 20 in breadth be placed before me, and in less than five seconds of time I will give the sum total, always commencing on the left hand side to write the answer down. It matters not what length the column is or what breadth. I will give the sum total as fast as the figures can be written down. Second: Let a sum be written in multiplication, with 1000 figures in the multiplier and as many in the multiplicand, and I will commence on the left hand side, and write the product underneath all in one line, as fast as the figures can be written down. Third: Let the sum be written in division, with any large amount for a divisor, and I will commence writing the remainder first, then the quotient. Interest, at any per cent., can be performed in the same manner, without using any extra figures. Fractions of every denomination can be summed up instantly, with reducing them to a denominator. These rules can be learned in one half hour by any person having the printed instructions. Please insert this in your paper, also stating that any person wishing these will enclose $10 through New York office. Please forward me one paper which will contain this, and on receipt thereof I will forward you a full set of the rules [free gratis] by which you may become as expert at figures as I am. I am your humble and obedient servant,

PETER M. DESHONG,
The Mathematician.

P. S. Other editors copying the above and forwarding Mr. Deshong the paper which contains it, will be furnished with a full set of the rules.

UP TOWN CHEAP STORE.

HEAD OF NAVIGATION.

NOW landing (since the prices have fallen) direct from New York, and since the arrival of the steamers Cambria and Missouri, a large and well selected stock of **DRY GOODS**, of almost every variety suited to the season, which will be offered for sale as *low* for *Cash* or other *good pay*, as at any other store this side of Canton or Pekin.

Among his **DRY GOODS** may be found 2000 yards of American and London Prints mostly entire new patterns, 500 yards Alpaccas, Orleans, Mohair and French twilled plain black, brown, stripe and Plaids for Ladies dresses and cloaks. Also DeLaines, Merinos, Laces, Edgings, Tabbs, Flowers Cap and Bonnet Ribbons, *new styles*. Shawls, Bleached Goods, Linsies, Checks, Tickings, Canton Flannels and Wool do. Cotton Yarn, Batting, Wadding, Twine, Candle Wick, and 1 500 yards Bw. hootings.

GROCERIES,

Among which will be offered good Brown Sugar, for 8d per lb. Crushed and Powdered the do. for 12½ cts. also fresh Teas just landed from ship *HORATIO*, and cheaper than any *humbug teas*, in the city or country, *warranted not mixed*, also Treadwell's N. Y. butter crackers, Soda Biscuit and pilot bread.

MISCELLANEOUS

Men's and Boy's thick *water proof* Boots, Also Ladies *French Kid Slippers*, Morocco and Leather Buskins, India Rubber Over Shoes Children's Shoes, Sole Leather, Upper do. also Calf and Kip skins.

Rough & Ready Oil Cloth Caps for Men and Boys, also Cloth and Fur bound do. Ladie's Muffs, Drawers, Goods, &c. Also Blue Black and piece Black Wool Dyed Broad Cloths, Olive Brown, &c. BOUGHT AT AUCTION, some as low as $1,87½ cts. the yard. at *TYLER'S.*

WANTED,

Flannel, Socks, Butter, Cheese, Lard, Grain of all kinds, Beeswax, Tallow, also Cash, and a settlement with *all* whose accounts have stood over 3 years, and *some others.*

Nov. 4th, 1847. *M. C. TYLER.*

PRINTS—a large variety now selling at *TIFFANY'S.*

SOLE leather and Morocco skins going cheap at *TIFFANY'S.*

BOOTS and shoes a large assortment at *TIFFANY'S.*

NAILS, Iron and steel at *TIFFANY'S.*

FRESH Teas selling very cheap at *TIFFANY'S.*

HATS, Caps and Muffs for sale by *TIFFANY.*

BLACK, Striped, Plaid and various colored Alpacas, Colored Celestines, Cashmeres Jenny Lind, Oregon Plaid and Earleston Ginghams at TIFFANY'S.

PAPER.

GOOD writing paper at 12½ cts. and letter paper at 10 cts. per quire. For sale by *J. Lyons.*

WANTED—5000 Yds. Flannel—Socks, &c. *J. LYONS.*

Sept. 15.

WANTED, Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Butter, Cheese, Flannel, Beeswax, Tallow, Old Rags, Pewter, Copper and Cash, for which the highest price will be paid. *J LYONS.*

SUGAR, Coffee, Raisins, Indigo, Allum, Copperas, Vitrol, Dyeswoods, &c. cheap at the store of *J. L.*

A FULL stock of Groceries, Crockery, Stone and Tin-wars, Paints, Oils and Dye stuffs, Medicines, Brooms, Pails, &c. by *BENTLEY & READ.*

NEW GOODS.

HENRY BURRITT is receiving a very extensive assortment of

STAPLE & FANCY GOODS,

for the Fall and Winter trade, which he is offering at a small advance from cost.

In his stock will be found a full assortment of Dry Goods, including a splendid selection of Dress Goods, Cloakings and Shawls, consisting in part of

Rich Cashmeres at 25 cents and upwards.
Muslin de Laines at 16 do do
Black and Plaid Alpaccas.
Mohair and Gala Plaids.
Extra rich twilled and plain English and French Ginghams,

and an extensive assortment of new Calicoes from 5 cents and upwards. Rich Brocha Wool det, California Plaid, and Rob Roy Shawls, &c.

Also, as heretofore, a large assortment of GROCERIES, CROCKERY, HARDWARE, IRON & STEEL, NAILS, PAINTS, OILS, MEDICINES, BUFFALO ROBES, &c.,

to which he would invite the attention of purchasers, and which he is determined to sell as cheap or cheaper than the cheapest, for cash, most kinds of produce, or approved credit.

He would beg leave to present his thanks to his friends and the public for the patronage so liberally bestowed upon his establishment, and to assure them that stimulated by his success thus far, he shall strive to secure a continuance of their confidence and support.

N. B. Salt by the barrel or load, and Superfine Wheat Flour at the most reduced prices.

New Milford, Oct. 23, 1847.

THE GREAT REMEDY OF THE FORESTS.

STRONG & OSGOOD'S VEGETABLE PHYSANTHROPIC PILLS.

THE Proprietors take this method of making known to the world the most valuable and important discovery ever recorded in the history of medicine.

In testing by chemical experiment, the medicinal properties of a rare plant, which grows along the banks of the Wapsepinicon River, in Iowa, they discovered that it possessed a healing and restoring power, which, in their opinion, in combination with other remedies, the result of their medical researches, would render it a

GRAND CATHOLICON

for a suffering world. The remedial powers of this plant were tested with the least possible delay, and in hundreds of instances, they proved fully adequate to the complete and perfect removal of disease in any and every form, and it is confidently believed that the remedy is destined to produce an entire revolution in the medical world. Facts in their possession fully warrant them in making the astounding announcement, that it immeasurably surpasses in its power to uproot and expel disease, every other medicine now known.

This Great Remedy

has been administered in order to test its power to vast numbers of patients, in the most hopeless cases, such as had baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians, and had proved too obstinate to be removed by any of the numerous remedies of the day, and to the perfect astonishment of all, it effected complete and permanent cures; thus brilliantly triumphing, not only over the greatest remedies known to the medical profession, but over all the Pills, Syrups and Panaceas, whose virtues are so loudly trumpeted throughout the length and breadth of the land.

AS A GENERAL FAMILY MEDICINE,

the proprietors challenge the world to produce its equal. It acts in perfect harmony with the laws of nature, and completely purifies the Blood, a vitiated state of which is the cause of all disease. It has been administered in Asthma, Apoplexy, Barbers' Itch Canker, Catarrh, Cholera Morbus, Colic, Colds Cough, Consumption, Croup, Cramps and Convulsions, Cancerous Sores and Ulcers, Dropsy, Dyspepsia, Dysentary, Epilipsy, Erysipelas, Enlargement of the Spleen, Fever and Ague, Female Complaints, Fevers of all kinds, Gravel, Gout, Hysterics, Inflamation of the Liver, Lungs, Kidneys and Bladder, Indigestion, Jaundice, Leprosy, Liver Complaint, Neuralgia, Palpitation of the Heart, Piles, Scrofula, Spinal Complaint, Salt-Rheum, Scald Head, Syphilis, Suppression of the Menses, Tic Doulloureux, &c. The proprietors have yet to learn that it has failed in a *single instance* of effecting a cure.

As a Preventive

of disease, it is entitled to the fullest confidence of the community. An immense amount of suffering, time and money has been saved by a timely use of it.

It has already crossed the Atlantic, and measures are now in progress to extend the blessings of this GREAT REMEDY throughout the world.

The proprietors invite the sick to try a single box, and they feel assured that they will be perfectly satisfied with the entire truthfulness of their representations.

PRINCIPAL Office, 85 Bowery, N. Y.

Sold also by C. BALDWIN, Agent, Montrose.

Price 25 Cents a Box.

A Few Doors East of Public AVENUE, ON TURNPIKE STREET, IS

H. S. WILSON'S STORE!

WHERE can be found the most extensive assortment of GOODS in Town—and not only found but purchased as low and many articles lower than elsewhere—he has just replenished and added largely to his former stock. Dry Goods as usual in variety, and in addition, Carpets, Rugs, Window-Shades, Paper Hangings, etc.

GROCERIES, CROCKERY, IRON, STEEL, &c.

HARDWARE—a more extensive assortment than ever—Malable Castings for Wagon makers, Harness, Saddle Trunk and Carriage Trimmings, Shoe Kit and Findings.

Nov. 1. 1847.

Lands in Sullivan County.

THE County of Sullivan having been lately set off from the county of Lycoming and the County Seat located by Commisioners appointed by the Legislature on the lands of the Subscriber, he offers for sale village lots and land adjoining being part of a large body, which he will sell to suit settlers. Mill seat and timber plenty.

Enquire of Lewis Janer, Cherry Township, Sullivan county, of Michael Meylert at present in said County to make the necessary surveys or of the Subscriber at New Milford, Susquehanna County, Pennsylvania.

S. MEYLERT.

Sept. 16, 1847. 38-3m

FIRE! FIRE!!

THE subscriber having been appointed Agent of the Lycoming County Mutual Insurance Company for Susquehanna county, is prepared to receive applications for insurance, against loss by fire, in accordance with the acts of incorporation and Bye-laws of the company.

The great resources now possessed by this company as being much the most extensive in Northern Pennsylvania, offer very strong inducements to all who wish to be secured against loss by fire, to become members.

ROBT. C. SIMPSON, Agent.

Montrose, October 1st, 1847.

NEW GOODS.

FIRST IN MARKET.

WE invite the attention of the citizens of Susquehanna County, to our stock of Fall and Winter Goods, which is now being received, assuring them we will do quite as well, if not a *little* better than at any other shop in town

F. B. CHANDLER & CO.

Montrose, Sept. 17, 1847.

1000 *Yds. Ginghams.*
6000 " *Prints.*
500 " *De Lain.*
600 " *Alpaccas.*
150 " *Bro' Cloth & Cassimere.*
100 " *Satinetts & Full Cloth.*
2000 " *Bro' & Bleached Sheetings*

Shawls, sheare, shirts and shoes,
And every thing that's good to use,
at *CHANDLER & Co's.*

NEW GOODS

NOW opening and will be sold cheap by *J. LYONS.*

NO MONOPOLY IN THE TEA TRADE.

A Lot of the Pekin Tea Company's Teas, also, other Teas at a cheaper rate. Just opened and for sale by *J. L.*

CASHMERES Orlean Plaids Parmattas, Alpaccas Merinoes Ginghams and Prints; a good assortment can be found at the cheap store of *J. L.*

SOLE and Upper Leather—also—Calf and Morocco Skins. Boots, coarse and fine, Brogans, Ladies and chilerens shoes, and India Rubbers, a first-rate assortment selling right by *BENTLEY & READ.*

BONNETS, Satins and Velvets, Ribbons Tabbs, Laces, Edgings, Jaconetts, Muslins, &c. by *BENTLEY & READ.*

GREAT AMERICAN REMEDY

WESTERN NEW YORK COLLEGE OF HEALTH,

207 Main street, Buffalo, N. Y.

DR. G. C. VAUGHN'S VEGETABLE LITHONTRIPTIC ADVERTISEMENT FOR 1847.—"I CAME, I SAW, I CONQUERED," is most emphatically the case with this article. Disease has ever yielded to its most marvellous medical power.—Wherever it has gone, and South America, England, Canada, and the United States have proved the truth of this statement, the above quotation in a strong and pithy sentence, tells the whole story. Invalids, the principle upon which you are cured may not be known to you, but the result of a trial of the article is satisfactory; you are restored, and the secret of the cure remains with the proprietor. The Medicine is a compound of 22 distinct vegetable agencies; each individual root has its own particular, exclusive, medicinal property, conflicting with no other compound—each root makes its own cure—and as a perfect combination, when taken into the system, it does the work which NATURE, when her laws were first established, intended it should do—*purifies, strengthens*, and *restores* the broken down, debilitated constitution.—DROPSY, in all its characters, will be completely eradicated from the system by its use. See pamphlets in agents' hands, for free circulation—they treat upon *all diseases*, and show testimony of cures. GRAVEL, and all complaints of the *urinary organs*, form also the cause of great suffering, and VAUGHN'S LITHONTRIPTIC has acquired no small celebrity over the country, by the cures it has made in this distressing class of afflictions. So famed, it seems, is this medicine, that it has thus attracted the notice of one of our Medical publications. In the November No., 1846, of the "Buffalo Journal and Monthly Review of Medical and Surgical Science," in an article upon calculous diseases, and "solvents," the writer, after noting the fact that the English government once purchased a secret remedy, and also noticing the purchase in 1802, of a secret remedy, by the Legislature of New York, thus pays tribute to the fame of the Medicine—"Why do not our Representatives in Senate and Assembly convened, enlighten and 'dissolve' the suffering thousands of this country, by the purchase of Vaughn's Vegetable Lithontriptic, than which no solvent since the days of Alchemy has possessed one half the fame?" Reader, here is a periodical of high standing, acknowledged throughout a large section of this country to be one of the best conducted journals of the kind in the United States, exchanging with the scientific works of Europe to our certain knowledge, edited by Flint, M. D., and contributed to by men of the highest professional ability, thus stepping aside to notice a "secret remedy."—You will at once understand no *unknown and worthless nostrum*, could thus extort a comment for so high a quarter—and consequently, unless it directly conflicted with the practice of the faculty, it must have been its great "*fame*" which has caused it to receive this passing nod.—KIDNEY *diseases, weakness of the back and spine, irregular, painful and suppressed Menstruation, Fluor Albus*, and the entire complicated train of evils which follow a disordered system, are at once relieved by the medicine. Send for pamphlets from Agents, and you will find evidence of the value of the Lithontriptic there put forth. As a remedy for the irregularities of the female system, it has in the compound a "root" which has been resorted to in the north of Europe for centuries—as a sure cure for this complaint, and as a restorer of the health of the entire system. LIVER COMPLAINT, JAUNDICE, BILIOUS DISEASES, &c., are instantly relieved. People of the West will find it *the only* remedy in these complaints, as well, as FEVER AND AGUE. There is no remedy like it, and *no calomel or quinine* forms any part of this mixture. No injury will result in its use, and its active properties are manifested in the use of a single 30 oz bottles.—For FEVER AND AGUE, *Bilious Disorders, take no other medicine.* RHEUMATISM, GOUT will *find relief.*—The action of this medicine upon the Blood, will change the disease—which originates in the blood—and a healthy result will follow. DYSPEPSIA, INDIGESTION, &c., yield in a few days' use of this Medicine. *Inflammation* OF THE LUNGS, COUGH, CONSUMPTION also, has ever *found relief.* SCROFULA, ERYSIPELAS, PILES, *Inflamed Eyes*—all caused by impure blood; will find this article the remedy. The system, completely acted upon by the twenty-two different properties of the mixture, is purified and restored; as a particular cure will not follow. The train of common complaints *Palpitation of the Heart, Sick Headache, Debility*, &c., are all the result of some derangement of the system, and this GREAT RESTORER will do its work. The promises set forth in the advertisement, are based upon the proof of what it has done in the past four years. The written testimony of 1000 Agents, in Canada, the United States, England and South America, in the possession of the proprietor and can be seen by all interested; is a sufficient demonstration that it is the *best Medicine ever offered to the World.* Get the pamphlet, and study the principle as there laid down, of the method of cure. Put up in 30 oz. bottles, at $2; 12 oz. do at $1 each—the larger holding 6 oz. more than two small bottles. *Look out and not get imposed upon.* Every bottle has "Vaughn's Vegetable Lithontriptic Mixture" blown upon the glass, the *written* signature of "G. C. Vaughn" on the directions, and "G. C. Vaughn, Buffalo," *stamped on the cork.*" None other are genuine. Prepared by Dr. G. C. Vaughn, and sold at the principal Office, 207 Main street, Buffalo, at wholesale and retail. No attention given to letters unless post paid—*orders from regularly constituted Agents excepted*; post paid letters, or verbal communications soliciting advice, promptly attended to, gratis.

Offices devoted exclusively to the sale of this article; 132 Nassau st., New York city; 295 Essex st., Salem, Mass.; and by the principal Druggists throughout the United States and Canada, as advertised in the papers.

Agents in this county; BENTLEY & READ, Montrose; HENRY BURRITT, New Milford; WM. F. BRADLEY, Great Bend; O. W. OWEN, Traveling agent.

NEW GOODS.

BENTLEY & READ,

ARE now receiving a very large and desirable stock of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

which have been bought for CASH, and will be sold *at a very small advance from costs.* We still adhere to our old motto,

NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD,

by any establishment this side of the Delaware, and invite our customers and the public generally, to give us a call and test the truth of our assertions.

Montrose, Oct. 13, 1857.

IRON and Steel, of almost every size and quality ever brought to this market. *BENTLEY & READ.*

BROADCLOTHS, plain and fancy Kerseymeres and Satinetts, (a very large assortment) Kentuck Jeans, Tweeds, Flannels, Vestings, Linsey Woolsey's, Sheetings, Cotton Yarn, Batting &c. as cheap as the cheapest. *BENTLEY & READ.*

FRENCH Merinoes, Alpaccas, plain and fancy, Cashmeres, Mouslain De Laine, Ginghams, Oregon Plaid, Calicoes, &c. for sale right by *BENTLEY & READ.*

HARDWARE, a good assortment, including *Collins' Celebrated Axes*, for sale by *BENTLEY & READ.*

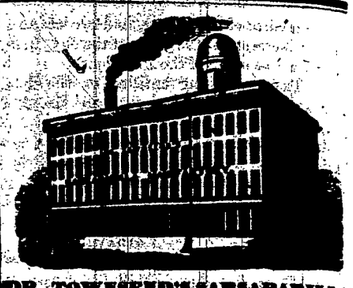
WANTED.

IN exchange for Goods, for which we will pay the highest market price—

Wheat,
Oats, Rye, Corn,
Buckwheat, Flaxseed, Beans,
Butter, Lard, Flannel, Socks, Feathers,
Beeswax, Tallow, Wool, Dried Apples, &c. &c

Nov. 9, 1847. BENTLEY & READ.

WANTED—Butter, Beeswax, Flaxseed, Dried Apples, Furs and Poultry by B. T.



DR. TOWNSEND'S SARSAPARILLA.

THE MOST EXTRAORDINARY MEDICINE IN THE WORLD.

This extract is put up in quart bottles; it is six times cheaper, pleasanter, and warranted superior to any sold. It cures diseases without vomiting, purging, sickening or debilitating the patient.

GREAT FALL AND WINTER MEDICINE.

The great beauty and superiority of this medicine over all other is, while it eradicates diseases it invigorates the body. It is one of the very best Fall and Winter medicines known; it not only purifies the whole system, and strengthens the person, but it creates new, pure and rich blood; a power possessed by no other medicine. And in this lies the great secret of its wonderful success. It has performed within the past two years more than 25,000 cures of severe cases of disease; at least 10,000 of these were considered incurable. More than

2,000 cases of Chronic Rheumatism;
3,000 cases of Dyspepsia;
4,000 cases of general debility and want of energy;
7,000 cases of the different female complaints;
2,000 cases of Scrofula;
1,500 cases of Liver complaint;
2,500 cases of diseases of the kidney and dropsy;
8,000 cases of Consumption;

And thousands of cases of diseases of the blood, viz; Ulcers, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, pimples on the face &c., together with numerous cases of sick headache, pain in the side and chest, spinal affections, &c.

This we are aware must appear incredible, but we have letters from physicians and other agents from all parts of the United States informing us of the extraordinary cures. R. Van Bushkirk, Esq., one of the most respectable druggists in Newark, N.J. informs us that he can refer to more than 150 cases in that place alone. There are thousands in the city of New York which we will refer to with pleasure, and to men of character. It is the best medicine for the preventive of disease known—it undoubtedly saved the lives of more than

5,000 CHILDREN THE PAST SEASON.

As it removed the cause of disease, and prepared them for the Summer season. It has never been known to injure in the least the most delicate child.

RHEUMATISM.

This Sarsaparilla is used with the most perfect success in Rheumatic complaints, however severe or chronic. The astonishing cures it has performed are indeed wonderful. Other remedies sometimes give temporary relief, this entirely eradicates it from the system, even when the limbs and bones are *dreadfully swollen.*

☞ Hear Mr. Seth Terry, one of the oldest and most respectable lawyers in Hartford, Conn. The following is an extract of a letter received from him:

DR. TOWNSEND—I have used one bottle of your Sarsaparilla, and find it is excellent in its effects upon a chronic rheumatic pain to which I am subject, from an injury occasioned several years ago in a public stage. Please send me two of your bottles to the care of Dr. Seymour. I have conversed with two of our principal physicians, and recommend your Sarsaparilla. SETH TERRY.

Hartford, March 12, 1845.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

Cleanse and strengthen. Consumption can be cured. Bronchitis, Consumption, Liver Complaints, Colds, Catarrh, Coughs, Asthma, Spitting of blood, soreness in the Chest, Hectic Flush, Night Sweats, Difficult or profuse Expectoration, Pain in the side &c have been and can be cured.

DR. TOWNSEND—Dear Sir: Nearly twenty years ago I took a violent cold, which settled on my lungs and affected me severely; indeed, finally it became a constant hacking cough, but not so severe as to prevent me from attending to my business.—Within the last few years it increased on me gradually. At last I became reduced—I breathed with difficulty, and raised with my cough much bad matter, and for the last nine months previous to using your Sarsaparilla, had regular night sweats, indeed my friends and myself supposed I would die with the consumption; but I have the happiness to inform you that to my surprise after using three bottles of your Sarsaparilla I find my health restored. It revived me gradually, and I am now enjoying much better health than I have for the last 25 years. I had almost entirely lost my appetite, which is now also returned. You are at liberty to publish this in the papers with my name if you choose.

My little girl, who is three years old, had a very bad cough the whole of last winter. We became very much alarmed on her account. While using the medicine, I gave her some of it, and it soon entirely relieved her, as well as myself, and she is well now, and hearty as any child I ever saw. She was also full of little blotches; it took them away, and her skin is smooth and fair now, and I am satisfied she recovered her health from using your excellent medecine. S. W. CONANT, 443 Bowery.

GIRLS READ THIS.

You who have pale complexions, dull eyes, blotches on the face, tough skin, and are "out of spirits," use a bottle or two of Dr. Townsends Sarsaparilla. It will cleanse your blood, remove the freckles and blotches, and give you animation, sparkling eyes, fine spirits, and beautiful complexion—all of which are of immense value to unmarried ladies.

GREAT FEMALE MEDICINE.

Dr. Townsend's Sarsaparilla is a sovereign and speedy cure for Incipient Consumption, Barrenness, Leucorrhœa or Whites, obstructed or difficult Menstruation, Incontinence of Urine, or involuntary discharge thereof, and for the general prostration of the System, no matter whether the result of inherent cause, or produced by irregularity, illness, or accident.

Nothing can be more surprising than its invigorating effects on the human frame. Persons all weakness and lassitude, from taking it once become robust and full of energy under its influence. It immediately counteracts the nervelessness of the female frame, which is the great cause of barrenness.

It will not be expected of us, in cases of so delicate a nature, to exhibit certificates of cures performed, but we can assure the afflicted that hundreds of cases have been reported to us. Several cases where families have been without children, after using a few bottles of this invaluable medicine, have been blessed with healthy offspring.

DR. TOWNSEND—My wife being greatly distressed by weakness and general debility, and suffering continually by pain and a sensation of bearing down, falling of the womb, and other difficulties, and having known cases where your medicine has effected great cures, and also hearing it recommended for such cases I have described, I obtained a bottle of your Extract of Sarsaparilla and followed the directions you gave me. In a short time it removed her complaints, and restored her to health. Being grateful for the benefits she received, I take pleasure in thus acknowledging it, and recommending it to the public.

M. D. MOORE.

Albany, Aug. 17, 1847. Grand & Lydius sts.

To MOTHERS & MARRIED LADIES.—This Extract of Sarsaparilla has been expressly prepared in reference to female complaints. No female who has reason to believe she is approaching that critical period "the turn of life," should neglect to take it, as it is a certain preventive for any of the numerous and horrible diseases to which females are subject at that time of life. This period may be delayed several years by using the medicine. Nor is it less valuable for those approaching womanhood, as it is calculated to assist nature, by quickening the blood and invigorating the system. Indeed this medicine is invaluable for all the diseases to which women are subject.

It braces the whole system, renews permanently the natural energies, by removing the impurities of the body, not so far exhausting the system as to produce a subsequent relaxation, which is the case of most medicines taken for female weakness and disease.

SCROFULA CURED.—This certificate conclusively proves that this Sarsaparilla has perfect control over the most obstinate diseases of the blood. Three persons cured in one house is unprecedented.

DR. TOWNSEND—Dear Sir: I have the pleasure to inform you that three of my children have been cured of the scrofula by the use of your excellent medicine. They were afflicted very severely with bad sores; have taken only four bottles; it took them away, for which I feel under deep obligation.

Yours, respectfully,
ISAAC W. CRAIN, 106 Wooster street.

New York, March 1, 1847.

OPINIONS OF PHYSICIANS.—Dr Townsend is almost daily receiving orders from Physicians in different parts of the Union.

This is to certify that we, physicians in the city of Albany, have in numerous cases prescribed Dr Townsend's Sarsaparilla, and believe it to be one of the most valuable preparations in the market.

H. H. PAULDING, M. D.
J. WILSON, "
R. P. BRIGGS, "
F. ELMENDORF, "

Albany, April 1, 1846.

U. S. OFFICES.—Capt. G. W. M'Lean, one of the U. S. Marine corps, and a member of the New Jersey Legislature, has kindly sent us the following certificate. It tells its own story.

HANOVER, January 25, 1847.

A year since I was taken with the influenza, and my whole system left in a debilitated state. I was induced to try Dr Townsend's sarsaparilla, and after taking two or three bottles was very much relieved, and attributed it entirely to said medicine. I have continued taking it, and find that I improve every day.—I believe it saved my life, and would not be without it under any consideration. G. W. McLEAN.

PILES! PILES!

Dr. Townsend's Sarsaparilla is no less successful in curing this disgusting complaint, than for diseases of the blood, Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, and nervous debility. Read this:

Dr Townsend—The effects of your sarsaparilla are truly wonderful. For the last 6 or 8 years past I have been subject to severe attacks of the piles, during which I have suffered all the tortures of that complaint, and had despaired of ever finding relief except in death. I have the pleasure to inform you that "there is yet a balm in Gilead." I have used two bottles of your Sarsaparilla, and feel no remains of my old complaint. I send you this for publication, and any person you may refer to me I would be happy to inform of the benefits I have received at your hands. Yours truly