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mar 24—d

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PARKEVILLE HYDROPATHIC INSTITUTE.

AT a meeting of the Board of Managers of the Parkeville Hydropathic Institute, held fifth month 15th, 1850, Joseph A. Weder, M. D., was unanimously elected *Resident Physician* in the place of Dr. Dexter, resigned.

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The main building is three stories high, standing back from the street about one hundred feet, with a semicircular grass plot in front, and contains thirty to forty rooms. The grounds around the house are tastefully laid out with walks and planted with trees, shrubs, &c. On the left of the entrance to these grounds is a cottage containing four rooms, used by male patients as a bathing house, with every convenience for "packing," bathing, &c.; on the right of the entrance, about two hundred feet distant, stands a similar cottage, used by the ladies for similar purposes.

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5 do outside do do warranted.
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Offices: St. Charles Hotel Building, New Orleans, and 19 Wall street, New York. mar 24—tf

NEW YORK JOURNAL OF MEDICINE and the Collateral Sciences for March, 1851.—The March number of this well established journal is now before the public, containing original communications from the following talented writers of the Medical Profession: W. H. Van Buren, M. D., case of ovarian tumor, in which death resulted from entero-peritonitis arising from a novel cause, illustrated by a plate; remarks on tetanus, by Ezra P. Bennet, M. D., of Connecticut; rupture of bladder, by J. Kneeland, M. D.; reports of hospital cases, by F. D. Lente, M. D., and others of much interest by Drs. Sweet, Church, and Star.

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CHARLES S. LITTLE, IMPORTER and general dealer in English, German, and American Hardware, Cutlery, Edge Tools, &c., 33 and 34 Fulton street, opposite the United States Hotel, New York, respectfully invites the attention of Merchants, making their purchases, to his very extensive assortment, comprising every thing in the line, and to which new and constant supplies are being added. His variety of Tools is adapted to all the various branches of mechanics, especially Coopers and Carpenters. Particular attention given to all orders, all of which are offered at the lowest market prices for cash or on approved credit:

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mar 24—

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Inventors and Manufacturers of the Ethiopian and Fire-proof Paint, Wilmington, Clinton co., Ohio.

W. MYERS, No. 319 Main street, near 8th, Cincinnati, Ohio, to whom all orders must be addressed. The superiority of this paint over all other, for carriage, house, and ship painting, will be seen in its rapid sale. It is not over four months since this paint has been introduced into market, and our agent has been able to order one hundred tons. The paint is ground in oil, and put up ready for use, from the finest black down to any shade to suit the fancy.

Also, inventors and manufacturers of *Tanners' Blacking*. This article is so universally approbated by all who have used it, that it scarcely needs commendation. But to give confidence to those who may not have tried it, we would say that Z. C. Ryon, foreman to A. M. Taylor & Co., Columbia street, Cincinnati, has authorized us to use his name as a recommendation to tanners in general. To all who know Mr. Z. C. Ryon this would be sufficient; but all tanners in the city and country, who have used it, have granted us this privilege. If it were necessary we could fill a newspaper with testimonials; but where all who use are pleased we deem it uncalled for.

The Tanners' Blacking is put up in kegs containing six gallons, ready for use, and will be sent to any point on the canal, railroad, or river, at fifty cents per gallon.

All orders should be addressed, post paid, to
HAVENS & CARROL,
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Also, inventors and manufacturers of a *Water-proof Blacking for Oil-cloth*, that will reduce the cost fifty per cent., and will soon be in market. mar 24

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Swiss, Jaconet, Book Muslins, and Bishop Lawns
Embroidered, Damask, and Plain Canton Crape Shawls
A full assortment of Straw Goods
French and American Artificial Flowers
With a large variety not mentioned above.

All wishing to avoid paying long prices will make money by calling and satisfying themselves. [mar 24—tf

SEED AND AGRICULTURAL WAREHOUSE, TOOLS, &c., &c.—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL—No. 194½ *Market Street, Philadelphia.*—We offer to our friends and customers the largest assortment of Agricultural Implements, Garden Tools, and Seeds ever offered in this market, consisting in part of the following, viz:

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Hay, Straw, and Corn Stalk Cutters in great variety, among which may be found Harvey's superior Premium Straw Cutter, of every size.

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mar 24—tf PROUTY & BARRETT.

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French, Swiss, and German Silks, Fancy and Staple Goods, of the best makes and styles, suitable for the spring season.

Also, sole agency for the United States of J. M. Caron & Co.'s Fancy Gilt and Silk Buttons, and other fabrics.
mar 24—

AMERICAN TELEGRAPH

[Correspondence of the American Telegraph.]

Capon Springs.

A Hot Day in Washington—Departure in the Cars—Storm—Journey to Harper's Ferry—Rest on the Sabbath—The Town, Armory, &c.—Journey to the Springs—The Waters, the Pastimes, the Comfort, and the Company.

To the Editors of the American Telegraph.

CAPON SPRINGS, August 2, 1851.

GENTLEMEN: We left Washington for this place, in the cars for Baltimore, on the 25th ultimo, when the thermometer had run up to 93° at my house on the Avenue. When the train was in motion, the air seemed as the breath from a furnace, and when at rest we were almost overcome with the heat; but just as we entered Mount Clare Depot, a threatening storm began to display the most brilliant lightning I ever beheld; the dashing storm that soon followed, nearly deluging the city, refreshing the air greatly, my flagging spirits bracing up under its influence.

Next morning at eight o'clock, on our way for Harper's Ferry, near Sykesville, we come upon some twenty or more small mountains, in an area of about three miles. During the transit of the train of cars through the valley of these hills, I stood upon the platform of our car, watching the locomotive, and the serpentine form of our very long train, as it threaded its way in obedience to the will of the iron horse, that was dodging right and left to avoid a direct contact with these hills; now winding its way round to the right, in the next moment shearing off to the left and entirely hiding itself from our view; and so on, round and about, right and left, until we shot off in a straight line, leaving these mounds in our rear. It was to me the most fearful and exciting five minutes of my life; for I had, when a boy at school, some experience in a train of thirty or more boys running hand-in-hand, when suddenly the leader turns short round, that motion gives a slight shock to his next neighbor, which increases as it runs out to the end of the train of boys, where, the poor little fellow having nothing to check him, is thrown out into the air from the train, like the threads from a coach-whip when it is cracked; and I expected to see the last car thrown off in this way from the same cause. At one o'clock we arrived at Harper's Ferry, where we remained until the next day—the wise Virginians, in their legislative councils, having determined that there shall be no public traveling in her borders on the Sabbath day; and I must say that the majesty of the scenery on every hand here is in every way calculated to bring men to pause, before they transgress that law of the Decalogue which declares, "Thou shalt keep holy the Sabbath day," and all others of the ten commandments also.

I will not attempt to describe what wonders of nature and art I saw at Harper's Ferry. That has been often done by abler pens. I will only remark what struck my mind very forcibly: that there are here two great antagonistical principles at work, the one building up the place, and the other pulling it down—their great water-power and their great rum-power! Their grave-yards tell a dismal story of rum's doings here! But by the late movements of the temperance army—aided by the wholesome regulation and restraint of Major Symington, who dismisses every drinking man out of his force of five hundred hands employed at this time in the United States Armory here for the manufacture of rifles and muskets—it is admitted that rum is surrendering. From the neat little houses going up around the hills here, belonging to the mechanics in the Armory, we may infer the proof. Major Symington is to leave this post on the 5th, I think I was informed, of this present month. He has been stationed at Harper's Ferry for about ten years. It is to be hoped that his successor [Huger, the person on the trial of Talcott whom the President handled so severely] will keep up this regulation. There is a very general regret at Harper's Ferry that the Major is to leave this place.

On Monday, at twelve o'clock, we were again off for Winchester, thirty-two miles further on, accompanied by a party of friends, who had come down on the Cumberland train from the Bedford Springs, where they left 400 visiters. Between Harper's Ferry and Winchester there is a most beautiful country, interspersed with some splendid farms. Their corn looked finely indeed, which surprised us, considering the dryness of the season. And as we dwelt upon these immense fields of this great staple of our country, standing erect in the fields like so many soldiers in green, with spreading tassels above, like so many open extending hands, as though in token that they were for all mankind, we regretted that this provision should be prostituted to the *Still*, to produce a monster to curse and kill those whom it was sent to bless and nourish.

Arriving at Winchester, we took dinner, and off over the mountains to the Springs, twenty-three miles distant, in coaches—fine teams, excellent coaches, and careful drivers. With these we reached the Springs at about eleven o'clock at night, hands in our pockets, as though it were November! We went to bed, and called for more blankets. Early in the morning we sallied forth to take a look around, rather surprised at appearances. The buildings were more extensive than we had expected, and much grander. We learned that seven hundred persons were here. We went to breakfast at half-past eight oclock, and from the thinness at the table we thought seven hundred an over estimate; but at dinner every plate had a representative; they were *not up* for breakfast!

Of the *water* we cannot say much. It is tasteless, plain, simple water to my palate; and from my experience and observation, its very great qualities are hard to find out. But it is universally admitted, all round, that this water is great. Go to the Springs with half a dozen friends, taste, shake your head, look wise, declare it excellent, and then drink six tumblers; and then back to the house and talk about the water, and they will look grave, and tell you to bring a horse affected with the bots, they will show you what it can do.

But the mountain air will almost lift you from your feet, it is so very bracing and pure. I have not had a dull feeling since I have been here. I go to bed at twelve to rise at five, and run foot-races in the mountains before breakfast; then ten-pins till eleven, when we go out on the mountain road to meet the coaches, and get the Washington *Telegraph*, Baltimore *Sun*, &c. We are all on the *qui vive* about the Cubans; for we too are for the patriots as well as yourselves.

We have to-day eight hundred persons here, and they are still coming—composed principally of Baltimoreans, Washingtonians, and people from the surrounding country.

Capon Springs have many attractions. The mountain air is first; the accommodations are ample for one thousand; the table is very good indeed. The mountain mutton is the sweetest morsel that was ever rolled over your tongue; the servants are polite, and, with a little more of our friend KIRKWOOD's drilling, will be all right.

We learn that the President and one of his Cabinet will be along here soon, and this may account for the quantity and quality of the visiters. We have at least twenty classes, running through all shades, from the negro to the F. F. V. Of all places in this wide world, these summer resorts are the last places to which to bring the starch! Every thing should be free and easy, and as social as circumstances will admit of. But what is most strange in this particular is, that where you see the stiffness standing prominently out and around, by a closer inspection you will find the fabric of the coarser texture!

In my next I will give you the ball-room view, the dancing, drinking, card-playing, &c., &c. P.

[Communicated.]

"England our Mother Country—Let us never forget her."

To the Editors of the American Telegraph.

GENTLEMEN: Such was the sentiment drunk on board "the Golden Gate" on her late pleasure trip from Annapolis to New York. Let it be added, it was "drunk by acclamation." Mr. Aspinwall, the wealthy owner of the boat, was its author.

In the company who drank this toast, (leaving out the ladies, who have a right to be tories whenever they please,) were the Hon. Daniel Webster, Secretary of State, Mr. Meredith, of Baltimore, Mr. Edward Curtis, of New York, the Hon. N. K. Hall, Postmaster General, Commodore Perry, Dr. Wainwright, Hon. Henry C. Heartt, and others whose names are not given.

At the time chosen for this display of humble loyalty to the "mother country," our citizens, who have been trapanned into a visit to the World's Fair, are meeting with all kinds of insults and humiliation in London. The citizens of the southern States, whom Daniel O'Connell said were unworthy to touch the hand of a gentleman, (meaning himself,) are publicly assailed in the press, proscribed from the hospitalities of the city, and caricatured along with their yankee brethren, in every imaginable form, from the London *Times* to *Punch*. At the late Mayor's feast, where representatives from the whole world "and the rest of mankind" were present, no American was permitted to contaminate the atmosphere of European, Asiatic, and African gentility there assembled. The whole current of public feeling in Great Britain towards this country, as evidenced in every possible way, is an exhibition of concentrated envy, jealousy and malice. In the meanwhile let us not shut our eyes to the alarming fact that her undermining movements in central America to obstruct every project of this nation, either for the benefit of the central American States or our own, are unceasing and active. In addition, if any thing more is needed to rouse the public attention, every energy of her intrigue is put forth *to sever this Union*. Whilst the activity of northern agitators is kept alive by the visits of their black and white agents to London, where they receive (what is denied to Southerners) the attentive hospitality of London, a member of Parliament is sent to our own shores to act in proper person here to stir the flames of civil discord.

The letter of Mr. Duncan, a commissioner from Virginia, gives the last touch to the actions of that government. He says it is well known *that England has offered to aid South Carolina, should she secede from the Union.*

In the face of these continued, systematic, and atrocious insults and injuries, a company of Americans, of which the Secretary of State is chairman, and the Postmaster General is the mover of resolutions, unite "by acclamation" to drink, in the presence of a slip of British aristocracy, the degrading, humiliating sentiment—"*England our Mother Country—Let us never forget her.*"

That Daniel Webster should unite in the sentiment, will be a surprise to no one who recollects his visit to London in 1840, his letter from London withdrawing from the Presidential canvass and throwing his weight into Gen. Harrison's scale, his subsequent appointment as Secretary of State, the immediate mission of Lord Ashburton, and the surrender of our northeastern boundary to England. He is so totally English in his feelings and sympathies, that he could well preside at a meeting which would go one step farther, and drink, in pure brandy, "Her majesty Queen Victoria!"

That Mr. Hall, the Free-soil associate of the Free-soil president, should unite in it, is disgraceful enough, but unfortunately he has too many Northern fanatics to unite with him in any sentiment which is degrading to a high-toned American feeling.

Dr. Wainwright, it appears, is a D. D. He belongs to a class who should deserve public respect, and always have it when they deserve it by their conduct. Too many of his cloth have been the enemies of freedom in this country, from 1808 to the present day. If he is of the Osgood and Parrish tribe of 1812, or of the Theodore Parker tribe of the present day, he is a thorn in the side of freedom. If he is of the noble class of the Boardmans, Lords, Harts, and others, who have thrown the weight of character of consistent Christians into the scale of their country, then I will only say to him, he was "wrong shipped" on board the Golden Gate, and should hereafter choose his company better.

One name in that company stirred up patriotic recollections of the highest character. It was the name of the immortal hero of Lake Erie—a name which filled the trump of fame in 1813 with the loudest blast, when he tore from the masts of a British fleet the bloody standard of St. George, and run up the stars and stripes of the American Union in their stead; who thus opened the path to victory to the veteran Governor of Kentucky, who, prompt as the lightning, seized the opportunity, and pursued and captured, or slew, the assassins of the River Raisin and Fort Meigs. I am sure he would not have received such a sentiment with acclamation.

And *no one* in that company could be found—not even a *female* voice—to whisper its disapproval of that toast. There are some recollections of "Our Mother," which *they*, at least, should never forget. Wherever the army of England set foot on our shores, during the war of 1812, and they had *time* and *opportunity*, woman became the victim of remorseless cruelty. In the West, they fell with their infants, beneath the tomahawk of the allies of England, warring under her flag. At Havre-de-Grace and Hampton a worse fate befell them; for, to the sensitive and the virtuous, *death* is preferable to *dishonor!* At New Orleans, "Beauty and Booty"—the usual watch-word of our good old "Mother's" sons across the water—was sternly met by "Victory or Death" of the dauntless Jackson and his citizen soldiers; and on that ensanguined field were avenged a thousand wrongs; among those wrongs none rankled more deeply than the outrages perpetrated upon the female sex.

There are recollections connected with the "mother country" which I trust will never be forgotten; but they are things that do not remain in the memories of such as composed that company of the *elite* who dined and wined on board the Golden Gate. But *the people* of this country have better memories. To them I leave the making out and preservation of a catalogue of reminiscences, which will rise up in awful array, should these nations ever meet again in mortal conflict. K.

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"Aristides," &c.

MESSRS. EDITORS: Time has not hitherto permitted me the opportunity of giving attention to the communication of "Aristides," of the 31st ult., although but little has been required at my hands from him. In other words, his concessions were so full that, but for one or two remarks, I should not have thought the further pursuit of the subject necessary. But "Aristides" has either forgotten a few things contained in his first communication, as well as some facts now matters of the political history of the country, or else he has inclined to "dodge" somewhat.

This correspondent avers, in his last article, that "there need be no controversy between me (him) and 'Michigan' (myself) relative to what Messrs. Cass and Buel did, or did not" do in favor of the retention of "Mr. Indian Agent Sprague, the Abolitionist, in office" in the State of Michigan. It may be so, now that "Aristides" has acknowledged that Mr. Buel has never written letters to the Secretary of the Interior for such retention, and by implication retreats from his former assertion that Gen. Cass has never done either.

But his *first* charge that *both* these gentlemen had written such letters, was the gist of the controversy. And when he says that "Michigan should recollect that in the first place I (he) used the statement that those gentlemen had interested themselves to keep Mr. Sprague in office, *as coming from