

TWENTY EIGHTH CONGRESS,
FIRST SESSION.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1843.

SENATE.

Petitions and resolutions were the order of the day, and the following were offered and appropriately referred:

Mr. CRITTENDEN presented a petition from a large number of persons in Delaware county, for the establishment of a dry dock in Philadelphia.

Mr. WRIGHT, a memorial from the sureties of Samuel Swartwout, praying for a compromise with the Government.

Mr. WALKER asked leave to withdraw from the files the papers of John Grant.

Mr. MILLER, a memorial from the President and Directors of the Bank of the Metropolis, stating that their charter would expire on the 4th of July, and praying an extension of the same.

Mr. STURGEON, a petition, with sundry vouchers, from Mr. Warren, (if we have the right name,) praying that he may receive the difference between the pay of messenger and clerk, for services rendered in the latter capacity.

Mr. ATCHISON, a petition from one hundred and five lawyers in St. Louis, that the circuit court may sit there in October.

Mr. BERRIEN, in behalf of Messrs. Clinch and McIntosh.

Mr. KING, from General Hernandez, in relation to Florida war claims.

Mr. WOODBURY, from citizens of Portsmouth, N. H., for a reduction of postage.

Mr. TALLMADGE, from some individual asking a naval pension.

Mr. FULTON, in relation to General Jackson's fine; also for a naval depot and dock yard at Memphis, Tennessee.

Mr. ARCHER, sundry petitions, names not heard.

Mr. WOODBRIDGE, one from Charles Morgan, praying for a revolutionary pension.

Mr. HANNEGAN, praying for a grant of land for the Wabash and Erie Canal.

Mr. DAYTON, from the widow of George B. McCulloch, asking a pension.

Mr. FULTON gave notice of a bill to provide for drawback upon goods exported to Chihuahua and Santa Fe.

Mr. ATCHISON something, not distinctly heard, in reference to the Oregon emigrants.

Mr. EVANS offered a resolution to refer the annual report of the Secretary of the Treasury, with some specified exceptions, to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. HUNTINGTON presented a memorial from John Ward & Co., in reference to the loan of 1841; they entered into a contract to furnish a large amount, (some five millions,) and only received certificates for a little upwards of three millions. They and their associates ask indemnity for loss sustained in making the monetary arrangement. They impute no blame, however, to the Secretary of the Treasury.

Mr. MILLER gave notice of bills for an insane hospital and the improvement of Pennsylvania Avenue, in the District of Columbia.

Mr. BARROW submitted a joint resolution, directing the Secretary of War to detach from the Engineer corps a competent officer to proceed at once to the mouth of Red River, and make the necessary survey for removing obstructions to its navigation, and that the sum of \$2,000 be appropriated for this purpose; adopted.

Mr. BATES introduced a bill, which was twice read and referred, for the relief of Henry Newman; also a bill to refund the balance due from the General Government to the State of Massachusetts.

Mr. JARNEGAN, a resolution for printing four hundred additional copies of the Post Office report for the use of the Department.

Mr. HENDERSON, a resolution that the Secretary of the Treasury furnish a statement of what is due to Mississippi out of the two per cent. fund, and also under the land distribution act.

Mr. BRESEE, a resolution calling upon the President to state why an additional land office, in the northern part of Illinois, had not been established in conformity with an act of Congress.

Mr. DAYTON gave notice of a bill to settle the title to the Pea Patch island.

Mr. BARROW, a resolution (submitted for one offered the other day) calling upon the Secretary of War to report upon a plan, proposed by a Mr. Herron, for a permanent wharf and dry dock at Pensacola.

A message was here received from the House in relation to their order upon the decease of the Hon. Barker Burnell, and

Mr. BATES rose and pronounced a brief and chaste eulogy upon the deceased, whom he represented as a native of Nantucket, a man of singular purity of character, of ardent temperament, and great devotion to his duties as a public man. It was in an over anxious discharge of these duties that his life was sacrificed. He died in this city, but "moribus dulces reminiscitur Argos" - dying he remembered his Island home.

In conformity with a resolution in honor of the deceased, for the third time upon a similar occasion this session, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Immediately after the reading of the journal, Mr. ADAMS rose and pronounced the following eulogy upon the decease of the Hon. Barker Burnell:

At the general session of the 27th Congress it became my duty, amidst the arduous labors and important deliberations of the House, to announce the decease of one of my then colleagues, a member of the House from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The same melancholy service has been devolved upon me again, and at the very threshold of a new Congress, when every heart should bound with hope that the legislation of the nation has fallen into hands busily intent and abundantly qualified to advance the prosperity and promote the general welfare of this great community.

The event is saddened with the reflection that one of our number, among the most ardent, zealous, upright, and intelligent co-operators with us for the accomplishment of that glorious purpose, the happiness of the people, has been taken from us in the midst of his honorable and useful career, cut down by the scythe of death.

I am to communicate to this House the demise of Barker Burnell, late an active and efficient member of the 27th Congress, and by the suffrages of an enlarged constituency destined, had it pleased the omnipotent Disposer of events, to take an active, vigilant, and laborious part in the proceedings of Congress now first assembled

in these Halls. Such has not been the will of Heaven. This Hall shall bear his voice no more.

He was a native of Nantucket, a small island of the ocean, appendant to the State of Massachusetts, long renowned as the mother of a race of men, for unblemished integrity, for perilous enterprise, for energy of exertion and hardihood of endurance, unsurpassed by any other portion of the members of the terraqueous globe. In saying this, I do but repeat, in humbler strains and simpler language, the magnificent tribute of justice to the forefathers of the present age, nearly seventy years since pronounced by the most eloquent lips that ever graced the British House of Commons. The panegyric of Edmund Burke upon the Nantucket whaler has resounded in every corner of the earth where the English language is spoken or understood. It has stood the test of time, and will be cherished in the memory of man so long as that language shall live to express the thoughts of the wise, the benevolent, and the good.

Sir, the islanders of Nantucket, our cotemporaries, have not degenerated from the virtues of their fathers, and of that race of men, Mr. Burnell was the worthy representative upon this floor. Born and nurtured among them as one of themselves, and chosen by their voluntary, unbought suffrages, he reflected upon the deliberative councils of the nation the express image of their character. He had represented them before in both branches of the legislature of his native Commonwealth. Those of us now present who held seats in this Hall at the last Congress, have seen and heard him here. Two years from last May he came, full of life and hope and vigorous energy, to serve his country as a trusty councillor, and faithfully did he fulfil his trust. So thought his constituents, who, with the increased numbers of congenial spirits on the adjoining continent, had, with a confidence in him riveted by experience, recommitted the charge of their interests to his hands - to his hands, already enfeebled by the insidious disease which was hurrying him to the tomb. During a great part of the last session of Congress, he was disabled for attendance in his seat, and at the close of that Congress he was left in the confinement of a sick chamber. There, on the first of May last, I took leave of him, in the tender and affectionate nursing care of a partner worthy of himself, and to whom his life was more precious than her own. I left him with a yet lingering hope that we might, under happy auspices, meet here again. That hope was destined to be disappointed. His dissolution was near at hand, and on the 15th of June last he expired, far from his beloved native island, but with all the appliances of domestic love and friendly kindness that could soothe the bed of death - by strangers honored and by strangers mourned.

After adopting the usual resolutions, the House adjourned.

NATIONAL THEATRE - A CARD. - The lessee of the above establishment has the pleasure of announcing to the citizens of Washington and vicinity, that he has effected an engagement with the celebrated Italian Opera troupe, from Havana, whose performances, both in Philadelphia and New York, have been attended by the most fashionable and crowded audiences. They will appear on Saturday evening, the 16th inst. in Bellini's grand opera of

IL PURITANI.

dec 15

THE GRAND EXHIBITION OF STATUARY, representing the trial of our Saviour before Pontius Pilate, in a group of Twenty-three Figures the Size of Life, splendidly dressed in appropriate costume, will open at the

APOLLO HALL, WASHINGTON, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14th, 1843.

This splendid Exhibition is the production of a celebrated Female Artist, and is intended to represent that moment in the trial of our Saviour, when Caiaphas says to him, "I adjure thee by the living God, that thou tell us whether thou be Christ, the Son of God." Jesus answers, "Thou hast said, nevertheless I say unto you, hereafter shall ye see the Son of man sitting on the right hand of power, and coming in the clouds of Heaven!" This was equivalent to calling himself the Son of God, which of course was considered by the High Priest as blasphemy; and he immediately raised his hands in affected horror, and says, "He hath spoken blasphemy! what further need have we of witnesses? Behold now ye have heard his blasphemy!"

The scene illustrates the appearance of the Roman Court, under Pontius Pilate, and the Jewish Court, under Caiaphas, the High Priest - and the Grouping, Costume, and the Decorations of the figures, are all in strict accordance with ancient history.

This piece of Statuary is universally considered a magnificent Work of Art: a beautiful and interesting spectacle, and an impressive and valuable commentary on the passage of Holy Writ, to which it refers. Hours of Exhibition from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Admission 25 cents, children half price. Pamphlets to be had at the Hall. dec 13-1w

ANIMAL MAGNETISM. - Mr. WEBSTER will commence a series of lectures and experiments on MESMERISM, at the ASSEMBLY ROOMS, on TUESDAY night, to continue every night during the week. Many new experiments, of the most beautiful and astonishing character will be instituted. The celebrated Clairvoyant, well known by the familiar name of "Frederick" the Great, will be the subject for the experiments. A committee will be appointed every night by the audience to superintend the experiments and report them to the audience. All experiments will be furnished by the audience. Doors open at 7 o'clock dec 12-1f

CARD TO THE PUBLIC. - Having bought out the large and splendid room situated on the corner of 4th street and Pennsylvania avenue, formerly Fossett's Billiard Room, I take this opportunity to make it known to my friends and the public generally, that I have opened the above establishment for the amusement of those who feel disposed to give me a call. My Liquors need no recommendation, as you will find on trial; and my Cigars are of the most choice brands. JOHN WATERS, Jr.

N. B. A Lunch set on the counter every night at 10 o'clock. dec 14-1f

CHOICE MADEIRA WINE. - The subscriber has for sale, at moderate prices, at the Exchange Hotel on C street, wines of the following celebrated importations:

Ceylon, imported in 1834, in the ship Henry Clay Black Warrior, also via India, in 1840. Reserve, from the Parish of San Martin direct. All from the House of Messrs. J. Howard March & Co. of Madeira, and in bottles. THOMPSON TYLER.

MANESCA'S FRENCH COURSE, an Oral System of Teaching Living Languages, illustrated by a practical course of lessons in the French through the medium of the English, by Jean Manesca, fourth edition, revised. For sale by R. FARNHAM, corner 11th street and Penn. av.

Where may be found all the French School books now in use, and sold at very low prices. nov 6

[From the New York Courier and Enquirer.]
A Secret worth knowing. - An old acquaintance called upon us yesterday, whose appearance was so entirely regenerated, that we did not readily recognize him. His white locks had been made to assume the color of the raven, while in softness and vitality of appearance, they were such as decorated his head in the days of his youth. The preparation by which this metamorphosis was effected, is an invention of Batchelor, 165 Broadway, and is used without the least possible annoyance. It is a liquid which simply requires to be applied to the hair with a brush occasionally, when dressing, and will produce any shade of color required, from brown to jet black. As premature gray hairs are always unwelcome, and as beards are so generally worn, many of which have not the most seemly hue, it is certainly a secret worth knowing to be informed where a most certain, pleasant, and effectual remedy for these annoyances can be obtained.

This Dye can be had at S. PARKER'S Perfumery and Fancy store. Also at J. H. GIBBS'S Dressing rooms, Gadsby's hotel. Sole agents for the District. dec 15-3t [Intelligencer, Globe, Georgetown Advocate, and Alexandria Gazette.]

TO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, STRANGERS, AND CITIZENS, IN WANT OF FINE BOOTS AND SHOES.

The subscriber takes pleasure in informing his numerous customers, and the public generally, that he has just received, by late importations, a choice lot of French Calfskins, from Paris, of which he is now manufacturing, daily, his new style of CORK-SOLED BOOTS (unequaled in this or any other city). Also, fine Dress Boots and Booties, for Gentlemen's wear, very cheap for cash. Ladies' wear of all kinds, from a satin gaiter to calfskin walking shoe, at prices as low as any other establishment in the city.

As I sell no work but my own manufacture, all articles sold by me will be warranted. Don't forget the store directly on the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 10th street. dec 15-3t JOHN MILLS [Intell., Globe, Madisonian, Spectator, & Capitol.]

FOR RENT. - The dwelling part of a two story brick house, situated on 7th street, in the neighborhood of the General Post Office. Apply to JOSEPH H. FRANCE. dec 14-1f 7th street, between D and E sts.

TO LET. - A new three story brick building on K street, west of Franklin Row. The house stands on a spacious lot, contains eight rooms, and has a double portico the entire length of the building on the east front. There is also a carriage house and stable in the rear of the premises. Apply to J. C. MCKELDEN. dec 13-3t 7th st., near Gen. Post Office.

TO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS AND OTHERS. The Proprietor of the EXCHANGE HOTEL, respectfully informs Members of Congress and strangers, that he is prepared at all times to furnish dinners and suppers for parties, at reasonable prices, and at short notice, having every convenience for that purpose. THOMPSON TYLER. dec 12-1f

RAZORS, SHAVING SOAP, AND BRUSHES. - I have on hand a large and general assortment of the above articles, which will be sold at greatly reduced prices for cash. Also - Hair, tooth, cloth, nail, whisker, and shoe Brushes Buffalo, shell, and Brazilian side, tuck, and neck Combs Buffalo, horn, and ivory dressing combs Shell, ivory, buffalo, and horn pocket combs Together with a great variety of useful and fancy articles. may always be found at CLEPHANE'S Perfumery and Fancy Emporium, corner of Penn. av. and 12th st., under Mad. Office. dec 9

BOWLING SALOON NOW OPEN. J. M. FARRAR, PROPRIETOR. SITUATED ON THE CORNER OF SIXTH STREET AND MISSOURI AVENUE. dec 11-1m

NATIONAL EATING HOUSE. - The above well known establishment has been recently newly fitted up in all its various departments, and the proprietor is now ready to supply all his customers and the public with all the delicacies (and substantial ones too) of the season, served up in the very best manner, a la Francaise or a l'Americain. One or two newly furnished parlors have been added to the establishment, for the better accommodation of clubs or other parties. Dinners or single dishes served hot, in any part of the city, at the shortest notice. The proprietor, grateful for the patronage which the public has been pleased to award him, pledges his best efforts to merit its continuance, and to secure to his house that reputation for excellence and accommodation which it has for so long a time maintained. W. WALKER. N. B. Members of Congress, or others, forming clubs in any part of the city can be supplied as above. nov 25-3wif

FOREIGN AND AMERICAN SNUFFS. - I have just received a very large supply of foreign, and American Snuffs, embracing the largest assortment ever offered for sale in this city, named, in part, as follows:

AMERICAN. 216 pounds American Gentleman 241 Genuine Congress 211 Imitation do 237 Demi Gros 312 Guignon 800 Yellow, brown, and black Rappee 456 Plain unscented do 250 Lancaster do 350 Maccabau do 184 Imitation do 120 Fine Scotch do 20 do No 1 and 2, in bottles 167 Natchitoches do 12 dozen do in bottles

FOREIGN. 10 dozen Maccabau de la Martinique de chez Jos. Lamorelle 3 Hardham's No. 9 and 27, in lead 3 Veritable Rapé de Paris sans opprét 1 Friberg & Freyer's Magee, in tin 2 Bolongoro Borgis, Rappe Morocco

The above Snuffs, with a large stock of Cigars, Fancy Articles, Perfumery, &c., were selected by myself from the principal American and importing houses in New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore, and are offered for sale as cheap as any store in this city. JAMES M. DORSETT, Snuff, Tobacco, and Fancy Store, No 11, east of Gadsby's Hotel. dec 9

SEALING WAX, which burns without a light, just received at GILMAN'S Drug Store. dec 7

YEAST SUBSTITUTE, superior in every respect to the ordinary Yeast now in use, for making Rolls, Buckwheat Cakes, Loaf Bread, &c., for sale, with directions for use, at GILMAN'S Drug store. nov 27

SPECTACLES. - My attention has been called to an article in the public papers and circulated in handbills about this city called Perifocal Spectacles, said to be constructed in accordance with the philosophy of nature, in the form of a Concavo-Convex Ellipsoid. What is meant by the philosophy of nature may be hard to tell, but certainly they are at variance from the laws or principles of Optics, as certainly no Ellipsoid can converge the rays of light to a perfect focus. They are said not to be the French meniscus or Wollaston's periscopic (one and the same construction of glasses.) The meniscus lens is a truly ground surface, concave on one side; the other side, possessing a greater degree of sphericity, consequently becomes a magnifying glass. This species of glass will converge the rays of light the same as a double convex lens. The application of this form of lenses in the shape of Spectacles, gives the eye a greater field of vision.

The celebrated Dr. Brewster, in speaking of these Spectacles says that they give decidedly more imperfect visions than common spectacles, because they increase both the aberration of figure and of color; but they may be of use in a crowded city in warning us of the oblique approach of objects. Now, as spectacles are intended to assist nature, and the eye, the most perfect masterpiece of Divine Mechanism, (in its natural state,) every part has the very form and office which the laws of optics require for the most perfect vision of an object. Is it not preposterous to apply a piece of bent concave or convex glass with an untrue form or figure to its assistance? On the contrary, it is not reasonable to conclude that their continued use would destroy the eye entirely? Spectacles are probably the most ancient of all optical instruments, and yet has undergone the least change of any. The subject has been well considered by Opticians throughout all Europe for ages, and the general conviction is that a truly ground concave or convex lens is the most suitable for assisting decaying or unnatural visions of the human eye. R. PATTEN.

The subscribers have for sale at their manufactory, on Pennsylvania avenue, south side, between 10th and 11th streets, a general assortment of the best of Spectacles, with truly ground glasses. Glasses of the best quality fitted to old frames, &c. Also, Surveyor's Compasses, Levels, and Drawing Instruments, of the best quality. R. PATTEN & SON. * Instruments made to order, and warranted. dec 9-1m

HOSE INDUSTRY. - J. MAGUIRE, Hat Manufacturer, Seventh street, opposite the Patriotic Bank, has for sale a good assortment of splendid Mole skin, Cassimere, Nutria Beaver, Plain Russia, and Silk Hats of the latest fashion of his own make and finish, which he warrants equal in style, finish, and quality, to any imported, and at the lowest possible prices. Those disposed to encourage their own mechanics, will please give him a call and judge for themselves. All kinds of muffs, furs, and caps of every style and quality sold very cheap. Five rooms above the store for rent. They will be furnished, if preferred. nov 24-1m

BOOTS AND SHOES. The subscribers would inform the citizens of Washington that they have on hand a neat assortment of BOOTS and SHOES, which they will do well to call and examine. They will also make up work of every description, from a Cork sole boot to a Lady's slipper, as well as as cheap as it can be done in this city. As they have not grown rich on the public as yet, they cannot afford to sell at COST, but will be satisfied with a small profit. Repairing, &c., shall receive prompt attention. MOORE & TURPIN, One door from the corner of 10th street and Penn. avenue, north side. dec 7-1f

PERFUMERY AND FANCY ARTICLES. - German and French Cologne Water, Hair and Tooth Brushes, Combs, assorted Extracts &c. &c. - Just received at GILMAN'S Drug Store. dec 6

BRITISH LUSTRE. - 200 lbs. British Lustre, for cleaning Stoves and Grates, just received at GILMAN'S, (late Todd's) Drug Store. dec 6

CAMPINE OIL, GLASSES, AND WICKS. - I have this day received a fresh supply of the above. Z. D. GILMAN. dec 6

WINDSOR GLASS of all sizes, and at very reduced prices, can be had for cash at GILMAN'S Drug Store. dec 6

APOTHECARIES' HALL MAGNESIA, superior, in every respect, to the common calcined, and quite equal to the celebrated Henry's Magnesia, and at a less price. A fresh supply of the above just received at GILMAN'S Drug store. dec 6

OIL BLACKING, &c. - If you want dry feet all winter, prepare your boots and shoes with Leather Preservative or Oil Blacking, which will render the leather soft, make it more durable, and entirely impervious to water. It is also excellent for carriage tops, harness, &c. It can be had at GILMAN'S Drug Store, near Brown's Hotel. nov 8-1m

ELEGANT SHAWLS. - Will be opened this day - 1 carton splendid embroidered Thibet shawls 1 do rich figured Thibet and cashmere 1 do large and very heavy black silk shawls 1 do rich changeable silk shawls 8-4 square and very elegant

50 pieces splendid silks, every style and quality 50 pieces mousseline de laine and cashmeres, some entire new style 10 superfine Thibet cloths, for ladies' dresses, every shade of color 25 pieces chusan and cashmere de casse 10 pieces elegant silk velvets for dresses and bonnets 5 cartons rich velvet and satin ribands 50 dozen linen cambric handkerchiefs, gloves, hosiery, &c. 20 pieces black and colored alpaccas, silk fringes, &c. The above with every article in the fancy goods line, will be sold on the most favorable terms. BROADELOTHS. I will open to day a large assortment of the best - London broadcloths London, French, and American cassimeres Velvet and satin vestings London tweeds for coats and pantaloons A large assortment of gentlemen's fancy scarfs and cravats, fashionable style Lambswool and merino shirts and drawers Plaid and figured cloths for cloak linings ALSO. 150 pieces superior and low priced cassinets 100 pair 12-4, 11-4, and 10-4 Whitney blankets Wide and narrow white and colored dannels The above goods having been purchased at auction at the north at very low prices, great bargains may be expected by those who may favor me with a call. dec 2-1m R. C. WASHINGTON.

LIFE AND SPEECHES OF HENRY CLAY, in 12 two volumes, handsomely bound, embellished with a view of the statue on Cumberland road, and a fac-simile of a letter from Mr. Clay. For sale by R. FARNHAM, corner 11th street and Penn. av. nov 6

GROCERIES, BUTTER, APPLES, &c. - S. HOLMES, 7th street, nearly opposite the Patriotic Bank, has just received by the vessels Victory, Zone, Alexandria, and John Bell, from New York, his full and winter stock of Family Groceries, Butter, Cheese, Fruit, &c., and now offers for sale, in addition to a general assortment of Groceries, 103 firkins and tubs of choice New York Butter 80 boxes Cheese from good dairies 150 bbls of Apples, of various kinds 25 bbls New York Flour 25 " Virginia do [halves, and quarters 20 " New York Buckwheat flour, in wholes, 20 boxes Do. Do., put up for small families 12 bbls Mackerel, in wholes, halves, and quarters 8 " Shad Newfoundland and Smoked Salmon 75 choice Hams, Dried Beef 30 boxes Chemical Soap Fancy Soaps, in large quantity Cranberries, Caddish, Dried Fruit, &c., &c. He respectfully invites purchasers to examine his stock before they buy. nov 28-4f

FAMILY GROCERIES. - S. HOLMES has now received his full supply of Fall and Winter Goods, comprising a complete assortment. His stock of fresh teas, sugars, spices, fruits, coffee, butter, cheese, cranberries, apples, buckwheat, and family flour, macaroni, salmon, smoked and pickled, &c., &c., is worthy of attention, which he respectfully invites. Seventh street, nearly opposite the Patriotic Bank. dec 9

SPERM AND MOULD CANDLES. - The subscriber has on hand a fine lot of sperm, mould, adamantine, and the patent sperm candle; also, a superior article of lamp oil. S. HOLMES, 7th street. dec 9

A CHOICE LOT OF SWEETMEATS. - Peach, pine apple, citron, lime, preserves, raspberry jelly, and currant jelly, for sale by S. HOLMES, 7th street. dec 9

FRESH LOBSTERS. - A small lot prepared for the table, for sale by S. HOLMES, 7th street. dec 9

CIGARS, TOBACCO, &c. - 60 doz Appleby's fine cut tobacco 40 doz Pomeroy, Holmes, and Kingland do A great variety of plug do 9,000 doz Havana segars, which will be sold at wholesale or retail, by S. HOLMES, 7th street. dec 9

SOAP. - 30 boxes chemical soap 6 boxes fancy, palm, and other kinds Also, the bar soap in common use, for sale by S. HOLMES, 7th street. dec 9

MACKEREL. - No. 1, 2, and 3, for sale at retail or by the barrel, by S. HOLMES, 7th street. dec 9

HOARHOUD CANDY. - The subscriber has recently been appointed agent for the sale of Pease's Hoarhound Candy. He could speak from personal knowledge of its beneficial effects in cases of severe cold, coughs, &c., but, lest he may be deemed an interested witness, he adduces the following, among numerous other testimonies, to the same import: Hermitage, April 17, 1843.

I have the pleasure to acknowledge your kind favor of the 1st ultimo, by the hand of my friend, Mr. J. Armstrong, and with it your most esteemed present, a package of your Hoarhound Candy, for which receive my sincere thanks. I can only add, that many thousands receive from its use as much benefit as I have done, then will its inventor go down to posterity as one of its benefactors. I am gentlemen, very respectfully, Your friend and obdt servt. ANDREW JACKSON. Messrs. Pease & Sons.

Washington, April 6, 1843. The President desires me to return Messrs. Pease & Sons his acknowledgments and very sincere thanks for the box of Candy received at their hands. He has used it with much benefit to himself, as a remedy for cold and cough. I am, with very much respect, JOHN TYLER, Jr., Private Secretary.

Albany, May 18, 1842. Gentlemen: You will pardon me for the delay in replying to your letter of the 14th ultimo, and acknowledging the receipt of a box of your Clarified Essence of Hoarhound Candy. Allow me to thank you for this kind respect, and to express the hope that you will be liberally patronized in your efforts for the public. The article is got up in beautiful style, and is highly commended by those who have had occasion to use it. Your obdt servt. WM. C. BOUCK. Messrs. Pease & Sons.

City Hall, New York, June 27, 1843. Messrs: I have repeatedly used your Candy for coughs and colds, and always found relief, but official duties prevented me from writing to you before. But as I have lately been cured of the influenza, I cannot withhold from recommending the same to the public. I am yours, truly, ROBT. H. MORRIS. Messrs. Pease & Sons, 45 Division street.

London, Oct. 14, 1843. Gentlemen: I have to thank you for the box of your, I doubt not, justly celebrated Clarified Essence of Hoarhound Candy, and also for the very obliging terms in which you have been pleased to present it. I have not, I am happy to inform you, as yet had occasion to use it, but will do so when necessary, with a confidence in its efficacy which is well warranted by the experience of others. Very respectfully, your obedient servant, M. VAN BUREN.

After all, the best recommendation of it is a personal application which he invites those afflicted with coughs and all public speakers to make. He will keep a constant supply at his Family Grocery Store, on 7th street, nearly opposite the Patriotic Bank. dec 9 S. HOLMES.

FRENCH VEGETABLE PILLS. - These Pills are the scientific prescription of a celebrated French Physician, for the cure of a certain, well known disease, called GONORRHEA. They are universally used throughout Europe, particularly by the French, who, by their special attention to this disease, are the best qualified to judge of their importance; and, having been recently introduced into the city of New York, their use is becoming very popular, and successful; they are found invaluable for all chronic diseases of the urinary organs, especially for Gleet, or any Chronic Inflammation of the Urethra, not connected with Gonorrhoea.

The high importance attached to these Pills, is, from the fact, that all the ingredients are vegetable, and entirely destitute of all mercurial preparation; and very agreeable and pleasant to the taste, as well as extremely convenient to take without exposure.

This composition having been examined and approved by the first Physicians in the city of New York, is pronounced decidedly superior to all the nauseous and offensive medicines of the shops, and quack medicines of the day; and Physicians generally are invited and respectfully urged to make a fair trial of these Pills, as it is sincerely believed, that any other preparation now in use.

To be had wholesale and retail at J. F. CALLAN'S, 7th street, at \$1 per box. dec 12-3t