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Making and Trimming coat in the best style \$8 50 do do pants 2 00 do do vests 1 75 Making coats, without trimmings 6 00 do pants, do 1 25 do vests, do 1 25

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Chronic Rheumatism, Scrofula, Kings Evil, attended with swellings and ulcers, sore eyes, and loss of sight, to a frightful extent, have been cured. Females pining away by reason of deranged secretions, broken calculations, and obstructed menses, (monthly courses) even when attended by spasms or fits, have been readily relieved.

Dyspepsia yields without a struggle to its mild yet powerful action upon the stomach. In Catarrh, or Cough, Rheumatism, and Fistula, it never fails to cure, as we have fully proved. All diseases having their origin in an impure state of the blood and fluids, will be speedily and effectually removed by this invaluable medicine.

This tincture tends directly to excite a healthy action in the stomach, liver, lungs, and kidneys, to purify the blood and other fluids, by expelling every particle of morbid matter from the system, and therefore never fails to prove a valuable remedy for the diseases which cholera has been invariably used. Old sores and ulcers, or any chronic affection; and for the cholera disease, it is an infallible remedy.

This remedy is perfectly vegetable, mild, agreeable, and safe for persons of any age, either sex, or any condition, acknowledged by those who have tried it, to be the best known family medicine.

The justly celebrated tincture creates a craving appetite, and the patient is left at liberty to indulge it. The use of this medicine will change the complexion from a pallid to a fine blooming one. After using this tincture for six weeks, a person of any age may eat anything that a child of ten years of age, in full health, could eat, without the least inconvenience.

Dr. Hampton is in possession of certificates from the Hon. Henry Clay, Col. Richard M. Johnson, Hon. John B. Dawson, of La., and many others, who have been benefited by the use of this tincture. For certificates, &c., see pamphlet.

REMEMBER! Hampton's Vegetable Tincture can be had only at the Segar Store of H. G. RITTER, Pennsylvania avenue, between 11th and 12th streets, and at A. G. GARDNER'S Seed Store, F street, between 9th and 10th streets, opposite the Catholic church.

THE TRUTH SOMETIMES NOT FOUND OUT UNTIL TOO LATE. SUCH is often the case in regard to persons taking medicine. They are induced by plausible reasoning, false representation and doctrines, to employ medicines that, so far from being adapted to their disease or sickness, absolutely increase the symptoms, destroy the constitution, rack the whole system, and bring on a gradual decline, terminating in death; previous to the fatal termination, however, (but unfortunately too late,) the truth is found out that the pills, mixtures, &c. they have been taking were composed of the most powerful and dangerous ingredients, prepared too by persons knowing nothing of disease or the nature of the medicines they recommend, depending altogether upon the "general doctrine of such impostors," that their medicines will "kill or cure." Be advised, then, if you find it necessary to take some medicine for purifying the blood and cleansing the bowels, to take nothing but Dr. Leidy's justly and deservedly celebrated SARSAPARILLA BLOOD PILLS, the only pills containing Sarsaparilla in their composition—the safest and best as well as the most effectual that can be taken.

Old and young, at all times, without regard to weather, may take them without fear of taking cold, and without restraint from occupation or usual course of living. Upwards of 1,000 certificates have been published, various times, of their efficacy. More than 100,000 boxes have been sold in Philadelphia in twelve months. These facts go to prove their value, or so many never would be sold in so short a time, in a place where they are manufactured; this, however, arises in part from the fact that the manufacturer of them (Dr. Leidy) is well known at home as a regular physician and apothecary, knowing the true nature of diseases and of the medicines he recommends, attested by the most celebrated physicians, among whom are Dr. Nathaniel Chapman, Dr. Wm. Gibson, Dr. W. E. Horner, Dr. Samuel Jackson, Dr. Robert Hare, Dr. F. S. Physic, Dr. T. C. James, Dr. W. P. Dewees, Dr. J. Redman Cox, Rev. W. H. Delaney, Robert Adrian, L.L.D., &c. &c.

Orders for Dr. Leidy's BLOOD PILLS are daily received from the North, South, East, and West, and the most flattering accounts, from every direction, of their unparalleled success. A single box (25 cents) may save as many dollars, if taken in time, instead of the dangerous medicines now forced on the public, and by taking which persons so often find it necessary at last to take Dr. Leidy's Blood Pills, to counteract their injurious consequences.

They are prepared only, and sold Wholesale and Retail, at Dr. Leidy's Health Emporium, No. 191, North Second street, below Vine street, Philadelphia. And by CHARLES STOTT, Agent for the District.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES. WALLACE ELIOT & CO., corner of F and 12th streets, have just received a fresh supply of Drugs and Medicines, viz: Alcohol Sup. Carb. Soda Gum Camphor Prepared Chalk Sulph. Quinine Pearl Sage Gua Arabic (extra) Rice Flour Lump Magnesia Refined Liquorice Cream Tartar Turkey Opium

And a variety of other articles, too numerous to mention. Also, an assortment of popular PATENT MEDICINES, now in use; such as Oldridge's Balm of Columbia; Thompson's Eye Water; Leidy's Sarsaparilla Pills; Brandreth's Pills; Peters' Pills; Pease's Candy; Frey's Vermifuge.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL BOOK DEPOSITORY.—Books of the American Sunday School Union may be always had at the Bookstore of R. FARNHAM, corner of 11th street and Pennsylvania avenue, at the same price as at the Depository in Philadelphia.

FRESH GROCERIES. THE subscriber is now in receipt of his SPRING GOODS, per packet Alexandria, from New York. His assortment now comprises nearly every article in his line, among which are the following, viz:

- SUGARS—Loaf, powdered, crushed Lump, brown, New Orleans, Muscovado, Porto Rico, Havana, and clarified Molasses—Sugar-house, Porto Rico, N. Orleans, New Ibera, and Sugar-house syrup COFFEE—Mocha, Java, Angustura, Rio, Maricao, Cuba, and St. Domingo TEAS—Old Hyson, Gunpowder, Imperial, Young Hyson, Hyson Skin, and Black. Particular attention paid to the better quality of Teas. SPICES—Nutmeg and Mace, Allspice and Cloves, Pepper, Ginger, &c. FRUIT—Raisins, Prunes (in jars), Figs, Apples, Tamarinds, &c. FISH—Shad, Salmon, Mackerel, Cod, and Herring CANDLES—Wax (white and colored), Sperm, Tallow, and Adamantine OIL—Sperm, Lard, and Salad SOAP—Fancy, Windsor, and Common FLOUR—25 lbs. superior New York, 30 lbs. Virginia assorted brands MISCELLANEOUS—Honey (in the comb), Maple Sugar, Macarons, Vermicelli, Pickles, Sweetmeats, Sardines, Catsups, &c., &c. Pearl Barley, Irish Moss, Hams, Fine Apple, Sapsago, and N. York Cheese, Salt, Brooms, &c., &c. S. HOLMES, 7th street.

BONNETS, RIBANDS, FLOWERS, &c. I HAVE on hand, and shall be receiving, during the season—Florence and Rutland Braid bonnets Gimp and English Straw do Pedal Braid and Devon do Misses Bonnets, of every kind Ribands of every kind and quality Artificial Flowers, &c., &c. The above bonnets were purchased of the manufacturer, and will be sold very cheap in order to make quick sales. The ladies will please call at WM. R. RILEY'S, Corner 8th street, opposite the Centre Market.

WHITE GOODS. I HAVE just received from the importers—Striped and Plaid Lace Muslins Striped and Plaid Cambric Muslins Plain Jackonet and Cambries Swiss, Mull, Book, and Tarleton Muslins Crape Laine, and White Crape Bobbin Edgings, silk and wash Tules and Netts Together with trimmings of every description WM. R. RILEY, Corner 8th street, opposite the Centre Market.

FRENCH CASSIMERES, &c. WILLIAM R. RILEY has on hand Cloths of every quality, and at all prices—Fancy French Cassimeres, Plaids, Silk, Satin, Cashmere, and Marseilles vestings Drab d'Ete and Summer Cloths Gambroons and Summer Tweeds Linen Drillings of all kinds Check Gingham and Brown Linens Also, Irish Linens, very cheap Linen Sheetings, Russia Diaper, Table Diapers, and Crash Together with almost every article in the dry goods line. Customers will please give me a call, as I am determined to sell cheap, in order to make quick sales. WM. R. RILEY, Corner 8th street, opposite the Centre Market.

DOMESTIC GOODS. Bleached and Brown Shirtings and Sheetting Brown and Bleached Drillings Linen and Cotton Osnaburgs Plaid Cottons, Bed Tick, Stripe Shirtings and Checks Customers in want of such goods will please give me a call. WM. R. RILEY, Corner 8th street, opposite the Centre Market.

BALZARINES, LAWNS, FOULARDS, &c. RICH worsted Balzarines, new style striped Balzarine Lawns Rich Paris Lawns, Rich striped Linen Foulards Blue-black Poul de soie Silk Calicoes of every quality; Also, Shawls of every description Just received and for sale low by WM. R. RILEY, Corner 8th street, opposite Centre Market.

MOURNING GOODS. SILK Warp, Alpaes Lustre, black worsted Baraise Black and White Lawns, Gingham and Calicoes Black Love Veils and Handkerchiefs Black Italian Crapes, for sale low, by WM. R. RILEY, Corner 8th street, opposite the Centre Market.

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MISCELLANEOUS. For the Whig Standard. WHIG SONG. BY A LADY OF THE DISTRICT. TUNE—"Yankee Doodle."

Here in old Baltimore we are met, Whigs sent from all the nation, All fast and firm with this intent, To give Clay his right station. And next as our Vice President, Our thoughts we'll not long try on, A gallant son New Jersey's tent, In Theodore Frelinghuysen.

Thro' bright New England's merry shores, One name holds sovereign sway, And where Niagara's torrent roars, Resounds the watchword—Clay. Thence back to Boston's famous town, Where Ocean drank the Hyson, The second place they'll gladly give To Theodore Frelinghuysen.

Far in the West, his own proud land, One voice all men obey, And for a leader, where they stand With us, they shout for Clay. For his Lieutenant, from the sea To where roams the Bison, The East and West will both agree On Theodore Frelinghuysen.

Through all the glorious Southern States One name still rules the day, Firm as the earth, whose name he shares, Triumphant still is Clay. Oh! Clay's the firmest thing on earth, 'E'en where they sow their rice on, I know they'll mingle in their mirth The name of Frelinghuysen.

GLIMPSES OF THE GIFTED. A LEGEND OF VENICE. "Where are the ardent hopes of youth, When life look'd bright and fair, And young Romance was rob'd like Truth? Echo answers—where?" Mrs. Cornwall Baron Wilson.

How apt we all are to view things through the medium of our own peculiar tastes and pursuits! To the Artist the idea of Venice would conjure up but one great recollection, making it holy ground for evermore—it was Titian's burial place! While the architect would set about comparing the chaste and classic style of Palladio with the lighter graces of Sansoveno, or the grand conception of San Michelo, a graver and darker task awaits the would-be-historian of "the city of the hundred isles!" While the simple tale-teller has but to bend down a charmed ear to the haunting chronicles of the gifted and the beautiful, long since passed away from earth, and repeat them to other lands as best he may.

It was evening—just the evening for those summer festivals which the Venetians enjoy so much, and who would not? where one can steal apart from the heavy atmosphere of crowded rooms, and wander away into what seems almost a realization of fairy land, while the beings who fit across our path, or break in upon our silent musings with their sweet and gladsoone laughter, serve to confirm, rather than dissipate the illusion. The palazzo of the Signor Bernardi overlooked the Adriatic, and upon the night of which we write was thronged with all the beauty and aristocracy of Venice; its lofty halls, its cool marble balconies, and spacious grounds, absolutely glittering with gemmed robes and bright fair faces, which passed and vanished from the gaze only to be succeeded by others yet more bewitching; until one grew bewildered by so much loveliness, and ready to echo in very truth the disputed assertion of a recent traveller, "that the Venetian women are superb!"

But there was one at that festival at whose approach maidens' hearts fluttered strangely, and happy she who could procure a smile, or even a passing glance, on which to dream, when the living idol should be departed. If he spoke to those around him on the gravest subjects, such as history, or even agriculture, (a favorite study of his,) they hushed their own sweet tones to listen, it being enough for them that it was his voice, or stood a little apart, gazing as if they would imprint every feature upon their memories for ever, while the neglected cavaliers cursed the pale stranger in their hearts.

It was Bartholomeo Arnigio, the poet, the historian, the present star of Venetian society! There was a mystery about his early origin, which had hitherto defied the penetration of the most curious, and was excessively fascinating. Some said he was a prince, every one agreed to allow him to be a genius, and it was most certain he was far from happy—all dangerous and irresistible qualifications with his fair worshippers. To be gifted and unhappy! therein lay the spell, which neither rank nor beauty was needed to work out in young romance-loving, and girlish hearts, although that whisper of royalty was doubtless not without its attraction. A poet—the very name is magic! For who does not love a poet, and yearn—often, alas! how vainly!—to be permitted nearer and more familiar glimpses of that spirit which is but a glorious mystery to all others? forgetting that, on a closer inspection of their idol, they are certain to find many a blemish which may escape the observation of multitudes who worship afar off—or, with a dim foreboding of this sad truth, deeming it a blessed privilege to make it the care of her whole future life, that they be ever shielded thus from the world—or else, in her deep fondness and trust

changing, as by fairy wand, the very clouds into sunshine! A strange wild creed, which they may turn back to the recollection of with a smile, as they grow older and wiser; while a few perish in their young faith.

The men wondered what any one could see in Bartholomeo Arnigio, who was no longer young, and had, perhaps, never been remarkable for beauty, save that intellectual sort with which genius redeems and marks out her children. His forehead was broad and massive, but shadowed by dark lines of thought, or it may be, sorrow; his eyes gray, and somewhat sunken, with a wild restless expression, and his face fearfully pale. Even his most enthusiastic admirers could trace nothing of majesty in the tall, stooping figure, and nervous deportment of their poet; although its attenuation, together with the somewhat feeble step, took a still deeper hold on their sympathies. They could not have been blind to the fact how, among that courtly and brilliant crowd, he stood alone, as it were, and conspicuous, certainly, neither for grace nor elegance, but therefore it was they clung more tenaciously to the idol of their own creating, because he needed it the more, which, after all, is but woman's nature.

The poet, far from triumphing in the sensation he created, seemed rather to shrink from it, with a strange mingling of pride and reserve, and it was evident, infinitely preferred entering into a long discussion of his favorite themes, with the many grave and learned personages present, to sunning himself in the bright glances which everywhere met his, with a sort of bashful encouragement; and weary, at length, even of this gorgeous scene, quitted the crowded saloon, and escaped into the grounds surrounding the palazzo.

But for man's own evil passions, what a paradise this world of ours, with its blue skies, and birds and flowers, would be? Arnigio, with his lofty brow bent down, and his eye fixed dreamily on the earth, walked on, utterly unconscious of the calm beauty of the night or the lapse of the time, until he discovered at length, that he had unknowingly passed the boundaries prescribed to visitors, and entered the more private part of the grounds, and was about to retrace his steps, when they were arrested by a vision of such rare loveliness, that the poet paused involuntarily, and remained, as it were, spell-bound to the spot, while the girl passed without perceiving him. She was apparently scarcely more than sixteen, and simply attired in a white robe, girded about the waist by a zone of silver; her bright hair, unadorned, and wholly without ornaments, hanging about her like a veil. One might almost have taken her for a spirit, so little of earth was there in the radiant beauty of that fair young face—in the passionate dreaming of those dark starry eyes. And yet, after all, she was but a mortal maiden, with a heart full to overflowing of innocent joy, and hope, and a deep love of the romantic—the effect of education, and the folly of her age—for she was but a child.

She paused before an overshadowing tree, and smilingly as she did so, produced a sharp knife, while Arnigio likewise stood still, wondering what she would do next, and then the girl, stooping down, carved a name upon the bark. The name was Bartholomeo, a very common one in Italy, and yet the poet's heart beat strangely, and he waited impatiently for that small white hand to resume its loving task. But the maiden had shaken back the bright curls from her forehead, and was looking a little thoughtful; perhaps, like him, she remembered that there were many Bartholomeos in the world, and half feared to disclose more of her hoarded secret to the prying and inquisitive eyes of others. And yet, she argued, there was no need to be ashamed of loving him! And then she bent down again before the tree. There is a strange pleasure in tracing a beloved name, however the cold hearted may laugh at us for the assertion. The poet bent eagerly forward, his breath almost waving the curls of her long hair; it was his which she had carved.

For a moment Arnigio stood irresolute, whether or not he should advance, and make himself known to his young worshipper; but it was not the irresolution of passion, but pity, mingled slightly with some gentler feeling. He sorrowed, rather than exulted, over what he had seen, and yet wanted resolution to break through a spell that was strangely fascinating. And the girl, meanwhile, twining her white arms playfully around the trunk of that aged tree, rested her head against it, and sat smiling to herself, in all the luxury of her own glad thoughts.

"Poor child!" murmured the poet—"others must have put this strange folly and infatuation into thy young heart. And, as you become older and wiser, it will pass away of itself. There is no need for words to awaken thee from the wild dream. So beautiful! Thou wilt have a thousand lovers, and the real will ultimately sweep away all memory of the ideal."

BIRD SEED, CANARY AND HEMP SEED.—For sale by CHARLES STOTT.

SWAIM'S PANACEA.—For sale by CHARLES STOTT. ap 25—1m

RUSSIA ISINGLASS. A FRESH supply just opened, by C. H. JAMES, Corner 14th and E sts. ap 13—

SANDS'S SARSAPARILLA. JUST received, a fresh supply of the above celebrated article, by C. H. JAMES, Corner 14th and E sts. ap 13—

PLAYING CARDS. A large stock of Lemuel Smith's (successor of Caleb Bartlett) American Playing Cards, made of linen, and of superior quality, just received, and for sale, wholesale or retail, at New York prices, by JAMES M. DORSETT, Snuff, Tobacco, and Fancy Goods Store, mar 29 Pa. Av. No. 11, East of Gadsby's Hotel.