An Awful Chasm.

From Kendall's Santa Fe Sketches—Picayune.

The morning of the 3d September broke bright and cloudless, the sun rising from out the prairie in all his majesto. Singular as it may appear, nearly every shower we had came in the night from the time we left Austin until we reached the Mexican settlements. Again we spent a couple of hours drying our blankets, then saddled up and pursued our journey, and still in a northwest direction.

We had scarcely gone six miles before we suddenly came upon an immense rent or chasm in the earth, far exceeding in depth the one we had so much difficulty in crossing the day before. No one was aware of its existence until we were immediately upon its brink, when a spectacle, exceeding in grandeur any thing we had previously witnessed, came suddenly in view. Not a tree or bush, no outline whatever marked its position or course, and we were all lost in amazement and wonder as one by one we left the double-file ranks and rode up to the verge of the yawning abyss.

In depth it could not have been less than eight hundred or a thousand feet, from three to five hundred yards in width, and at the point where we first struck it, the sides were nearly perpendicular. A sickly sensation of dizziness was felt by all as we looked down, as it were, into the very depths of the earth. Below, an occasional spot of green relieved the eye, and a small stream of water, now rising to the view, then sinking beneath some huge rock, was bubbling and foaming along. Immense walls, columns, in some places what appeared to be arches, were seen standing, worn by the water undoubtedly, and so perfect in form that we could with difficulty be brought to believe that the hand of man was not upon them. The rains of centuries, falling upon an immense prairie, had here found a reservoir, and their workings up the different veins of earth and stone, had formed these strange and fanciful shapes.

Before reaching the chasm we had crossed numerous large trails leading a little more to the west than we were traveling, and we were at once convinced that they all centered at a common crossing close by. In this conjecture we were not disappointed, for a trot of half an hour brought us into a large road, the thoroughfare along which millions of Indians, buffalo, and mustangs had travelled for years. Perilous as the descent looked, we well knew there was no other near. The lead mule was again started ahead, the steadier and older horses were next driven over the sides, while the more skittish and intractable brought up the rear. Once in the narrow path which led circuitously down the deep descent there was no turning back, and our maddened animals finally reached the bottom in safety. Several large stones were loosened from their fastenings by our men during the frightful descent. They would leap, dash and thunder down the precipitous sides and strike against the bottom far below us with a terrific crash.

We found a running stream at the bottom, and on the opposite side a romantic dell covered with short grass and a few scattering cotton woods. A large body of Indians had encamped on this very spot but a few days previous, the wilted limbs of the trees and other "signs" showing that they had made it a resting place. We, too, halted a couple of hours, to give our horses an opportunity to graze and rest themselves. The trail which led upon the opposite side was discovered a short distance above us, to the south, winding up the steep and ragged sides of the precipice.

As we journeyed along this dell all were struck with admiration at the strange and fanciful figures made by the washing of the waters during the rainy season. In some places perfect walls, formed of a redish clay, were seen standing, and were they any where else it would be impossible to believe that other than the hand of man had formed them. The vein of which these walls were composed was of even thickness, very hard, and ran perpendicularly; and when the softer sand which had surrounded them was washed away, the veins still remained standing upright, in some places one hundred feet high and three or four hundred feet in length.

Columns, too, were there, and such was their architectural order, and so much of chaste grandeur was there about them, that we were lost in wonder and admiration. In other places the breast-works of forts would be plainly visible, then again the frowning turrets of some castle of the olden time. Cumbrous pillars of some mighty pile raised to religion or royalty were scattered about, regularity was strangely mixed up with ruin and disorder, and Nature had done it all. Niagara has been considered one of her wildest freaks;—but Niagara sinks into insignificance when compared with the wild grandeur of this awful chasm. Imagination carried us back to Thebes, to Palmyra, and to ancient Athens, and we could not help thinking we were now among their ruins.

Our passage of this place was effected with the greatest difficulty. We were obliged to carry our rifles, holsters and saddle-bags in our hand, and in clambering up a steep pitch one of the horses, striking his shoulder against a projected rock, was precipitated some fifteen or twenty feet directly upon his back. All thought he must be killed by the fall, but singular enough, he rose immediately, shook himself, and a second effort in climbing proved more successful—the animal had not received the slightest apparent injury.

By the middle of the afternoon we were all safely across, after spending five or six hours completely shut out from the world. Again we found ourselves upon the level prairie, and on looking back, after proceeding some hundred yards, not a sign of the immense chasm was visible. The waste we were then upon was at least two hundred and fifty miles in width, and two chasms I have mentioned were the reservoirs, and at the same time the conductors of the heavy quantity of rain which falls upon it during the wet season to the running streams. The prairie is undoubtedly the largest in the world, and the chasms are in perfect keeping with the size of the prairie.

At sundown, we halted at the side of a water-hole, and encamped for the night. By this time many of the men were entirely out of provisions, while those who still had a little beef left, had saved it by stinting themselves on the previous days. The worst of our sufferings had now commenced.

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The opinions of the following highly distinguished Medical gentlemen are respectfully submitted:

Nathaniel Porter, M.D., Professor of Theory and Practice of Medicine, in the University of Maryland.

The preparation of Dr. Love, intended to cure intermittent fever, seems to me to be of great value, in such cases as require tonics, more especially in those protracted Intermittents in which a strong action is required to be excited. I believe it will generally succeed where there is no local affection to be overcome.

January 4, 1842 NATHANIEL POTTER.

Opinion of Richard Wilmot Hall, M. D. Professor of Obstetrics, Hygiene, and Medical Jurisprudence in the University of Maryland.

BALTIMORE, January 26, 1842.

Being acquainted with the composition and virtues of Dr. Love's Vegetable Elixir, I can speak of it as an excellent tonic and aromatic remedy, one well suited especially to the cure of the remittent fevers of our country.

RICHARD WILMOT HALL, M. D.

The opinion of J. T. Ducatel, M. D., late Professor of Chemistry in the University of Maryland, State Geologist, &c. BALTIMORE, Jan. 27, 1842.

Dr. W. S. Love having submitted to me a vial of his Vegetable Elixir for the cure of intermittent fevers, and made me acquainted with the ingredients that enter its composition, all of which I recognize as members of the materia medica, recommended for their febrifuge properties, I strongly recommend its use in the cases assigned by him. As the constituents of this Elixir are moreover, combined according to the requisitions of the art, they will doubtless severally contribute to the desired result.

J. T. DUCATEL.

James H. Miller, M. D., Professor of Anatomy, Physiology and Pathology, in the Washington Medical University of Baltimore. BALTIMORE, Jan. 20, 1842.

Dear Sir—In reply to your inquiry respecting the article presented for my inspection which you designate as "The Vegetable Elixir," it affords me pleasure to state that I consider it an elegant preparation, and admirably adapted to the treatment of intermittents whether febrile or neuralgic, or any form of disease demanding tonics.

Most respectfully, yours, etc.

Dr. Love. J. H. MILLER.

S. K. Jennings, M. D., Professor of Materia Medica, Therapeutics, Hygiene and Medical Jurisprudence, in the Washington Medical University of Baltimore.

Being informed distinctly, what are the constituted material of Dr. Love's Vegetable Elixir, I cheerfully hereby signify my entire consent to the opinion given by Professor N. Potter, in respect of its tonic power in such cases as he refers to in his certificate on the subject.

SAMUEL C. JENNINGS.

Baltimore, January 7, 1842.

Thos. Owings, M. D., Baltimore.

I concur in the opinion of Professor Potter, of the curative power of Dr. Love's Elixir. I have seen it used in several obstinate and protracted cases of intermittent fever, with entire success. THOMAS OWINGS.

BALTIMORE, January 26, 1842.

I have been made acquainted with the component parts of Dr. Love's Vegetable Elixir for the cure of intermittent fevers, and have no hesitation in stating my belief that it will prove eminently serviceable in this disease.

EDWARD FOREMAN, Professor of Chemistry, Washington University, Baltimore.

Wm. M. Kemp, M. D. of Baltimore.
January 4, 1842.

I have read Professor Potter's views of the Vegetable Elixir and they are so exactly in accordance with my opinion, that I subscribe fully his sentiments. I have seen you use it successfully. WM. M. KEMP.

Dr. Love.

All I ask for my medicine is *a fair and impartial trial.* If that be given to it, in return I will promise the patient, not only *speedy restoration to health*—but health with an *unimpaired*, and perhaps *invigorated constitution*—blessings, whose value is beyond calculation.

☞ Persons living in districts subject to the Ague and Fever, should always keep a supply of the Elixir on hand, as there is nothing like timely resort to remedial means, and especially where the cure is so certain, so prominent, and so effectual.

THE VEGETABLE ELIXIR is prepared and sold wholesale and retail, at 65 Lexington street, Baltimore, where agents may be supplied on application to

WILLIAM LOVE, M. D.

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SANDS'S SARSAPARILLA—For the REMOVAL AND PERMANENT CURE OF ALL DISEASES ARISING FROM AN IMPURE STATE OF THE BLOOD, OR HABIT OF SYSTEM, NAMELY:—RHEUMATISM, SCIATICA, OR LUMBAGO, SCROFULA, OR KING'S EVIL, OBSTINATE CUTANEOUS ERUPTIONS, PIMPLES, OR PUSTULES ON THE FACE, BILES, BLOTCHES, CHRONIC SORE EYES, RINGWORM OF TETTER, SCALD HEAD, ENLARGEMENT AND PAIN OF BONES AND JOINTS, STUBBORN ULCERS, SYPHILITIC SYMPTOMS, AND DISEASES ARISING FROM AN INJUDICIOUS USE OF MERCURY, ASCITES, OR DROPSY, EXPOSURE OR IMPRUDENCE IN LIFE.—ALSO, CHRONIC CONSTITUTIONAL DISORDERS WILL BE REMOVED BY THIS PREPARATION. Its timely administration has been attended with the happiest results in many anomalous affections; but it is chiefly intended to fill the void which exists between cathartic and aperient medicines, hence its *modus operandi* is that of all alterative *directly*; *indirectly*, proving a lasting tonic to the system. Diseases of the osseous and glandular system, also of the joints and ligaments, are safely and certainly cured by its use, as the peculiarity of its operation consists in removing the germ or cause of disease, and the health of the patient is speedily restored.

Sarsaparilla has enjoyed a high reputation in the treatment and cure of diseases for many years, but the value of no other article in the Materia Medica, that at one time held so high a rank, has at others been placed so low: the cause of which is chiefly owing to the great variation in the manner of its preparation, and want of care in selecting the proper article. A distinguished medical writer who resided many years in the section of country which produces the best quality of Sarsaparilla truly observes, "of six or eight species of the root which I found growing in the woods, I never found but *one* to manifest to the taste any of the sensible properties of the genuine medical Sarsaparilla, the rest being insipid and nearly inert." As the medical profession do not act as their own Pharmaceutists, but rely on the skill of the Apothecary for preparing and compounding different formulæ, it is a matter of the utmost importance that there should be a correct standard preparation of Sarsaparilla, on which the 'Faculty' and public generally can rely with implicit confidence; such is the article now offered. It combines the *Utile cum Dulce*, and in many instances has given speedy relief and made a perfect cure when the patient was apparently fast verging to the grave. The proprietors have devoted many years in experimenting and testing various modes of preparation to enable them to concentrate in the in the most efficient form all the medicinal value of the root, and this most desirable result has been at last triumphantly accomplished by means of an entirely new, ingenious and costly apparatus. The Sarsaparilla is combined with other articles selected wholly from the vegetable kingdom, all of which are the most powerful purifiers of the blood; and these are concentrated into a fluid extract of great power. The patient therefore who uses this preparation has all combined that can be useful for the removal of his complaint.

The numerous objections to different forms in which Sarsaparilla has been heretofore prescribed, are well founded: the quantity of sugar contained in the syrup, will in most instances nauseate and surfeit the stomach, if a sufficient dose be taken to be of any benefit—the decoction and infusion being so liable to spoil, combined with the difficulty of preparation, render them both comparatively useless and inert; hence the superior value and efficacy of the article now under consideration.

In addition to the other advantages of this preparation, it will be found exceedingly palatable, so that even to a child it may be readily administered, and to the most delicate person it may be given, without offending or disagreeing with the stomach.

As the addition of mineral poisons is frequently objected to, this preparation is guaranteed entirely free from anything of that nature, leaving it to the judgment of the physician or patient to make such additions, and in such quantities as the case may require. SANDS'S SARSAPARILLA is adapted to all the various cases where the medicinal virtues of the root are required, and in order to derive the full advantages of the preparation, it is recommended to pay some regard to the diet, avoiding salt food, high seasoned meats, and stimulating drinks, and to keep the bowels regular.

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MORISON'S Hygeian Medicines.—NOTICE.—Whereas, A. A. Samanos, of 94 Broadway, New-York, is making an improper use of Messrs. Morison & Co.'s appointment for the sale of their Medicines. This is, therefore, to inform the public that Mr. Samanos is not authorized to sell 'MORISON'S PILLS' in New-York, and that Messrs. Morrisons' *only* Agents in New-York are Messrs. FIRTH & HALL, of No. 1 Franklin square, from whom alone the Medicines can be had genuine. (Signed) MORISON & CO.

Dated British College of Health, New Road, London, June 16th, 1842. jy9 tf

GOVERNOR OF RHODE ISLAND.

Important Testimony—If further proof is required to establish the fact of the inestimable value Dr. Starkweather's Hepatic Elixir, the following communication from the Hon. Samuel W. King, Governor of the State of Rhode Island, contains adequate testimony to substantiate it beyond dispute, and must put entirely at rest the idea that this potent remedy is classed with the many useless and dangerous nostrums which are palmed upon the public merely for the sake of gain.

Please read the following statements communicated to the undersigned by His Excellency, under date of

JOHNSTON, Jan. 29, 1842.

Mr. Charles Dyer, Jr.: My dear Sir—Your communication of yesterday, asking my opinion of Dr