POETRY.

From the Knickerbocker for Sept.

A PRAYER.

I.

Spare the sufferer, cruel Pain!
Spare the child!
Let her breathe in sleep, again,
Calm and mild.
All our hopes are centered here,
And we pray with many a tear,
Spare the child!

II.

She hath never injured aught
'Neath the Sun!
Pure is she as love's first thought—
Gentle one!
Ah! we cannot bear the fear,
That her life must vanish here,
Just begun.

III.

Spare the sufferer, cruel Pain!
Spare the child!
Let her breathe in sleep again,
Calm and mild.
For ourselves we've little fear—
For the suffering angel hear!
Spare the child!

CHARLES G. EASTMAN.

Woodstock, Vt.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE NOBLE BOY.

BY MRS. E. F. ELLET.

It was a bloody and critical period of the war in the Peninsula, that Morillo, then commanding the fifth Spanish army, about four thousand strong, in conjunction with Penne Villemur, passed down the Portuguese frontiers to the Lower Guadania, intending to fall on Seville as soon as Soult should advance to the succor of Badajos. In the beginning of April, while the French were disheartened by the sudden fall of that city, Penne Villemur and Morillo, issuing out of Portugal, crossed the Lower Guadania, and seized San Lucar de Mayor. This place was ten miles from Seville, which was on garrison by a Spanish Swiss batallion in Joseph's service, aided by "Escopeteros," and by sick and convalescent men. The Spaniards soon occupied the heights in front of the Triana bridge, and attacked the French entrenchments, hoping to raise a popular commotion. Ballasteros, on the other side, had advanced with eleven thousand men, intending to fall on Seville from the left of the Guadalquiver.

But the hopes entertained by the Spaniards, of being speedily in possession of Seville, were cut off by a piece of deceit. False information, adroitly given by a Spaniard in the French interest, led Ballasteros to believe that Soult was close at hand, whereupon he immediately returned to Ronda; while Penne Villemur, also warned that the French would return, retired to Gibraleon.

This disappointment and failure in the execution of a favorable project, cherished for many months, iritated beyond control the naturally severe temper of Morillo. It was evening, and the division of the army under him were encamped some hour's march on their retreat. Preparations might have been seen for a military execution; and a couple of prisoner, captured in their last skirmish, were according to the cruel practice of many of the chiefs in those times to be put to death. The captives were guarded by a file of soldiers, and the executioners, waiting the word of command to draw up, were leaning on their weapons, and talking over the events of the last two days.

Just then, one of the inferior officers, returning to his tent, after giving some orders to the men, was interrupted by a boy apparently ten years of age, who, seizing his hand, and speaking in an accent slightly foreign, besought him with piteous entreaties to procure him admittance to the general. The officer found on inquiry that he was the son of one of the prisioners, a soldier distinguished for his eminent personal bravery, who had not been taken even when overwhelmed by numbers, without receiving many severe wounds.

This soldier, weary and wounded, but invincible in courage, and spirit, for he scorned to ask the clemency of his conqueror, was now to suffer death with his companion in misfortune. The terrible order had been given, for Morillo would not beimpeded in his march by prisoners; and he so hated his country's enemies, that the bravest and most generous among them, could have found no mercy at his hands. The Prisioner's little boy refusing to be separated from his father, had been suffered by the Spaniards to follow him.

"You shall see the general, boy, since you wish it," said the officer, in reply to the child's passionate entreaties: "but he will not grant your father's life. San Lucas! but these French dogs have given us too much trouble already!"

They entered the general's tent. Morillo, by the light of a lamp, burning on the table, was reading a despatch he had just received. Two of his officers stood near him; there was no one else in the tent. The brow of the chief was contracted; and his eyes flashed as if what he read displeased him; and he looked up with an impatient exclamation as the officer entered with the boy. The child, as soon as Morillo was pointed out to him, rushed forward and knelt at his feet.

"What does this mean?" demanded the general.

"Spare him! spare my father!" sobbed the youthful supplicant.

The officer explained his relationship to one of the prisoners about to be executed

"Ah! that reminds me," said the chief, looking at his watch: "Pedro, nine is the hour. Let them be punctual, and have the business soon over."

Again with moving entreaties the child besought his father's life.

"Did thy father send thee hither?" asked the general, sternly.

No, senor, he did not."

"And how darest thou then—?"

"My father has done nothing to deserve death," answered the lad. "He is a prisoner of war."

"Ha! who taught thee to question my justice, answer me!"

"No one, senor, but brave generals do not always kill their prisoners."

"I kill whom I choose," thundered Morillo, "and I hate the French. Boy, thy father shall die—I have said it—begone!"

The officer made a sign to the petitioner, to intimate that there was no hope, and that he must begone. But the boy's countenance suddenly changed. He walked up to the general, who had turned away, and placed himself directly before him, with a calm resolution worthy of a martyr.

"Hear me, senor," said he; "my father is gray-headed; he is wounded; his strength is failing even now, though he stands up to receive the fire of your men. I am young, and strong, and well. Let them shoot me in his place, and let my father go free."

It was impossible to doubt the sincerity of this offer for the face of the devoted child was kindled with a holy enthusiasm. A dark flash rushed to the brow of Morillo, and for a moment he looked on the boy in silence.

"Thou art willing to die," at length he said, "for thy father? Then to suffer pain for him will be nothing. Wilt thou lose one of thy ears to save him?"

"I will," was the fi m reply.

"Lend me thy sword, Pablo;" and in an instant, at one blow, the general struck off the boy's ear. The victim wept, but resisted not, nor raised his hand to wipe away the streaming blood.

"So far good; wilt thou lose the other ear?"

I will, to save my father!" answered the boy, convulsively.

Morillo's eyes flashed. The heroism of a child compelled even *his* admiration; but unmoved from his cruel purpose, he smote off the other ear with his still reeking sword.

There was a dead silence. "And now, senor," said the boy breathing quickly, and looking up into the general's face.

And now, answered Morillo, "depart. *The father of such a child is dangerous to Spain; he must pay the forfeit of his own life!*"

The maimed child went forth from the presence of his inhuman foe. Presently the report of firearms announced that he had witnessed the execution of his father!

Must we blame the cruelty of individuals for such enormities, or not rather the relentless spirit of war that builds up the glory of heroes on a scaffolding of death, and sacrifices daily to the projects of ambition the promptings of humanity?

☞The Duke of Marlborough, struck with the warlike air and fine figure of a soldier taken prisoner at the battle of Blenheim, exclaimed, "Had the French army contained fifty thousand men similar to that grenadier, it would not have been beaten." "Eh! morblue," said the soldier, "there were men enough like me, but the army needed a general like you."

Served Right.—A juror was once fined five dollars for not attending a special court. His excuse was, that he took no newspaper, and was not aware of the time. The judge said, this was an aggravation of the offence, as every good citizen was morally bound to take a newspaper—and fined him ten dollars. A sensible judge, that.

Well Occupied.—A man is supposed to be tolerably well occupied, when he has his wife on one arm, a baby in the other, carrying a basket and cane in his hand, a cigar in his mouth, and another hopeful heir holding on to the skirts of his coat!

Going a Pleasuring.—In Dresden, lately, a little girl was heard to call from the window of a mean house, to her opposite neighbor, "Please, Mrs M., marm sends her compliments, and if it's fine weather, would you go a begging with her to-morrow?"

A native of the Emerald Isle was asked how he could tell when a man was drunk. "Faith," answered Pat, "I'd never be saying a man was drunk at all, without I saw him trying to light his pipe at a pump."

Amount of Salt in the Ocean.—From computations based upon the amount of tides, it is highly probable that the Atlantic and Pacific oceans are in their central parts, not less than nine or ten miles in depth. Were we to place the average depth of the ocean at five miles, it would doubtless be a moderate estimate. In superficial extent it covers full three-fifths of the earth's surface. Assuming, then, five miles as the average depth of the ocean, and (as Bakewell estimates) two and a half per cent. as the average amount of salt contained in it, were the waters entire evaporated, the saline residue would form a stratum of salt more than five hundred feet in thickness, covering three-fifths of the surface of the globe. If, then, this mass of salt were evenly spread over the entire amount of land on the earth's surface, it would cover it to the depth of 750 feet.

"How do you do, ma'm!" asked a visitor. "O I am quite unwell—quite out of spirits." "Why no, ma'am," said the maid, "there's a quart left yet." "Betty, leave the room."

THE MUSTANG.—*A Second "White steed of the prairies."*—Mr Grogg, in his interesting work upon Santa Fe and the Prairies, recently published, gives part of a chapter to a description of the wild horses of the Western wilderness. "The beauty of the mustang is proverbial. One in particular, has been celebrated by hunters, of which marvelous stories are told. He has been represented as a medium-sized stallion of perfect symmetry, milk white, save a pair of black ears—a natural pacer, and so fleet, it has been said, as to leave far behind every horse that had been tried in pursuit of him, without breaking his pace."

An Irishman, viewing Mount Auburn Cemetery, remarked that he thought it must be a healthy place to be buried in!

☞"You may talk of the 'bonds of affection' the 'ties of fellowship,' and all that," says Krantz, "but I know of no stronger attachment than that which a Sheriff entertains for a poor debtor who can't fork up."

☞"Our union is perfect," as the two convicts said, that went hand-cuffed to prison.

"A NIMBLE SIXPENCE
BETTER THAN A
SLOW SHILLING!"

THE Subscriber has on hand and is constantly receiving additions to the

Most splendid assortment

Of Goods ever offered to the people of this vicinity, which he will sell cheaper than

Any other Concern in the Town or County.

"It was the remark of a Roman Consul," that small profits and quick returns are better than large profits and slow returns, wherefore the subscriber has resolved, not only for his own but for his customers' benefit, to adopt, as far as possible, the cash system.

The subscriber hardly thinks it worth while to enumerate all the articles he has on hand, and will only say, that

ANY MAN WOMAN OR CHILD WISHING TO PURCHASE

Any description of Goods usually kept at a country store, had better call before purchasing elsewhere, as they can be

ACCOMMODATED WITH ANYTHING

From a Shingle nail to a Balsorine dress.

Barnard, May 1, 1844. 207 J. B. DANFORTH, Jr

R. H. BAILEY,

MANUFACTURER OF SILVER
SPOONS AND SPECTACLES,
AND DEALER IN
Jewelry, Cutlery, Plated and Brittainia Ware,
Fancy Goods, &c.,
Table, Tea, Sugar, Desert, Cream, Salt, and Mustard SPOONS, Sugar Tongs and Butter Knives,
warranted equal to the best city work in finish, pattern, or material known to
ANY COUNTRY DEALER.

Gold, Silver, German Silver, Steel Spectacles of all ages and descriptions, silver thimbles, gold and silver pencil cases, gold rings and pins of every pattern, gold beads and a large assortment of Cutlery, Rogers and Westholm's celebrated wharncliffe knife, Graves and Sons razors, Chapman's strop, Rogers & Anderson's scissors and shears, ivory, shell, metalic, horn and wood Combs, wallets, pocket books, silk purses, teeth, hair, shaving and cloth Brushes, Farina and Fancy Cologne, Buffalo, Macassar and Bear's Oil, Washballs, Oxyginated, Brown, Windsor and Fancy Soap, Opera Glasses, Mirrors, Thermometers, teabells, nursing tubes, catheters, tweezers, percussion caps, letter stamps, sealing wax, wafers, pins and needles, fancy boxes, dolls, toys, &c. &c.

Brittania coffee and teapots, Castors, and Communion Ware, constantly on hand.

N. B. Looking glass Plates and spectacle glass of all kinds set to order, Jewelry spectacles and spoons repaired with neatness and despatch.

☞Cash paid for gold silver.

Old pewter, copper, brass, and most kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods.

Don't forget the place—directly opposite Whitney's Hotel. 207 3m

Woodstock, May 1, 1844.

DALLEY'S
MAGICAL PAIN EXTRACTOR.

THE WONDER AND BLESSING OF THE AGE.

HUNDREDS of thousands of people have proved it and all confess it an entire master of pain, swelling, sore pile, sore eye, and of every inflammable affection. Five minutes will convince any one that pain by burns and scalds are indeed trivial. (See pamphlets.) It is our duty to tell all men this salve is a blessing, is capable of saving all pain and even life when every other remedy known and the faculty is useless. Every family will use it. Wicked, low wretches are counterfeiting it, and by their trash much life will be lost and suffering endured.—With fiend-like effrontery they pretend it to be genuine. H. H. Dalley is not written on each box, no Magical Pain Extractor is genuine; avoid it as poison, useless and dangerous.

The following persons are agents for the sale of the genuine article in Vermont:

S. J. Allen, Woodstock; Potter and Parker, Pownal; M. K. & S. S. Scott, Bennington; S. P. Peck, East Bennington in Bennington County; T. Childs & O. Smith, Wilmington; Perry & Dexter, Dovers North'l Cheney, Jr. Townshend; David F. Cushing, Cambridgeport, Windham County; Joseph Hadley of So. Chester; Sharwin & Richardson, Chester; A. L. Thompson & Co., Springfield; Bartlet & Whitcomb, Weathersfield; Dan'l Tatt & Sons, Tattsville; O. Bailey, So. Woodstock; Walton Brown, Felchville; Davis & Wheeler, Cavendish; Geo R. Moulton, Bridgewater. 211 6m.

BUTTER SALT by the sack or bushel for sale very cheap at the Stone Store by GEO. R. CHAPMAN.

May 10, 1844.

DOOR SPRINGS.
HARTWELL'S PATENT.

GEO. R. CHAPMAN.

Woodstock Nov. 30, 1843. 185tf

BARNARD INSTITUTE.

A SCHOOL for the instruction of young Ladies and Gentlemen will be opened at Barnard, by

MR J. C. CROOKER, A. B.,

commencing on Monday, Sept. 2d to continue 12 weeks.

Instruction will be given in the following branches, viz.: English Grammar, Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, Application of Algebra to Geometry, Logarithms, Trigonometry, Mensuration of Heights and Distances, Surfaces and Solids, Surveying, Conic Sections, Natural, Moral and Intellectual Philosophy, Astronomy, Chemistry, Rhetoric, Logic, Topography, composition and the French Language.

TEXT BOOKS.

Mitchel's Geography, Adams' Arithmetic, Smith or Swett's Grammar, Day's Algebra, Davie's Legendre's Geometry, Trigonometry and Mensuration, Gibson's Surveying and Logarithms, Hutton's Conic Sections, Comstock's Chemistry and Natural Philosophy, Abercrombie's Intellectual and Wayland's Moral Philosophy, Olmsted's Astronomy, Burritt's Geography of the Heavens, Hedges' Logic, Blair's Rhetoric, Robins' History, Bovers' French Dictionary, Bolmar's Levizac's French Grammar, Perin's Fables, Vie de Washington.

TUITION—Those who attend to the common English branches only, will be charged $2,50
Higher branches from 3,00 to 3,50
French Language extra 3,00

☞Particular attention will be paid to those who wish to qualify themselves for teaching. Instruction will also be given in Fencing, Broad-sword Exercise and Military dull if desired. Board can be obtained in good families from $1,25 to 1,50 per week. A building is now being fitted up suitable for the accommodation of the school.—Further reference can be made to the Principal or the following board of Trustees.

EBEN'R ATWOOD, JOS. B. DANFORTH
SETH CONANT, HIRAM AIKENS.

Barnard, July 22d, 1843.

This certifies that Mr J. C. Crooker was engaged as Principal of the South Woodstock High School, in the fall of 1843, and that he gave entire satisfaction. We therefore very cheerfully recommend him to an enlightened public as a good and faithful instructor.

AMMI WILLARD, } *Trustees of the*
WILLARD BOWMAN, } *So. Woodstock*
JAMES C. SLAYTON, } *High School.*

So. Woodstock, July 6th, 1844. 220-3w

STATE OF VERMONT, } The Hon. the Probate Court
HARTFORD DISTICT SS. } for the District of Hartford aforesaid.

To all persons concerned in the estate of James Gilson late of Hartland, in said District deceased, GREETING.

Whereas, Eben M. Stocker, Danl. Morgan and Samuel Gilson Executors of the last Will and Testament of said deceased, requests said Court to allow them the further time of one year from and after the 6th day of September, A. D. 1844, to make payment of the debts and close the settlement of the estate.

Therefore, you are hereby notified that said application will be heard at a session of the Probate Court to be held at the Probate office in Woodstock on the 4th day of September next, at which time you may be heard in the premises.

And this order shall be published three weeks successively in the Spirit of the Age, a newspaper printed at said Woodstock in this State, the last of which publication shall be before the day assigned for hearing as aforesaid.

Given under my hand at the Probate Office at Woodstock, this 13th day of August, A. D. 1844.

222 3w OEL BILLINGS, Register.

STATE OF VERMONT, } The Hon. the Probate Court
DISTRICT OF HARTFORD SS. } for the District of Hartford, aforesaid.

To all persons concerned in the estate of Dexter Spalding, late of Bridgewater, in said District, deceased, intestate. GREETING.

WHEREAS, Eben M. Stocker of Hartland, Administrator of the Estate of the said deceased, proposes rendering an account of his administration, and presenting his account against said estate, for allowance, at a session of said court to be held at the Probate office in Woodstock, in said District on the 4th day of September next;—Therefore, you are hereby notified to appear before said Court at the time and place aforesaid, and show cause, if any you have, why the said account should not be allowed.

Dated at Woodstock, in said District, this 1st day of Aug., A. D. 1844. OEL BILLINGS, Register.

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LEBANON INSTITUTE.

THE Fall term of this school will commence August 28th and continue eleven weeks, under the superintendence of J. C. C Hoskins, A. M., the present popular and efficient Principal.

Miss C. Giddings, late of Reading Seminary, Mass., will take charge of the female department and the best of assistance will be procured in both departments.

Miss C Jeanette Partridge will continue to give lessons on the Piano Forte.

TUITION.

Common English branches, $3,00
Higher " " 3,50
Languages, 4,00

For Music the usual extra charges

Board can be procured on the most reasonable terms.

H. A. SIMONS, Secretary.

221 3w

LINSEED OIL, White Lead and other Paints—Paint and Varnish Brushes &c.,

ALSO,

Paper hangings for sale at a low price at STEARNS' Cheap store, No 6, Edson's Building.

SAW MILL SAWS for sale by GEO. R. CHAPMAN.

April 8 1844

AUCTION SALE,
AT
AUCTION ROOM,
EVERY SATURDAY AFTERNOON.
GILMAN HENRY.

112-tf

DAIRY SALT.

GROUND Rock Salt a superior article for butter for sale cheap by CHAS DANA Jr.

April 18, 1844.

FRESH ARRIVAL OF
NEW AND SPLENDID
JEWELRY!!

RUSSEL & CLARKE,

HAVE just received an additional supply of RICH JEWELRY consisting of Rings, Pins, and all manner of TRINKETS usually kept in the Jewelry line.—Also, new and beautiful patterns Gold Levers, and Lepine Watches, (cheaper than ever) Gold chains, Keys and a great variety of "curious livings" that cannot fail to suit the purchaser both in elegance of style and cheapness of prices.

SILVER WORK

warranted of the most undoltcrated material and of beautiful patterns and finish, known only to the most experienced city workmen.

CUTLERY

acknowledged by all to be the richest and largest assortment of PINE CUTLERY ever brought into town and at prices that astonishes even the proprietors, themselves,—and finally a little general assortment of every thing that is nice and desirable for either gentlemen or lady

☞Don't forget that RUSSEL & CLARKE'S "is the place to get you Money's worth.

April 18, 1844.

CONCORD RAIL ROAD.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ON and after November 1st, Passenger Trains will run daily, (Sundays excepted,) in connection with the Boston and Lowell, and Nashua and Lowell Railroad, as follows:

Leave Boston at 7 A. M. 11 A. M., and 5 P. M.
Leave Concord at 4 3-4 A. M., 11-4 A. M., and 3 P. M.
Trains from intermediate places will run as follows, viz:

UP TRAINS.

Leave Lowell at 8 1-4 A. M., 12-1-4 P. M., and 6 1-4 P. M.
" Nashua at 9 A. M., 1 P. M., and 7 P. M.
" Manchester 9 3-4 A. M., 1 3-4 P. M., and 7 3-4 P. M.

or immediately on the arrival of the cars from Boston.

DOWN TRAINS.

Leave Manchester 5 1-2 A. M., 12 M., and 33-4 P. M.
" Nashua at 6 1-2 A. M., 1 1-4 P. M. and 4 3-4 P. M.
" Lowell at 7 1-4 A. M., 2 P. M. and 5 1-2 P. M.,

or immediately on the arrival of the cars from Concord.

The second train from Concord arrives in Boston in season for Passengers to take the 4 o'clock train to New Yorx

The road connects with the Boston and Maine Railroad, so that Passengers may pass betwixt Concord, Haverhill, Exeter, Dover and Portland either way daily.

STAGES immediately on the arrival of the first train at Concord, leave by various routes for Hopkinton, Newport, Claremont and Windsor; for Lebanon and Hanover Plymouth and Haverhill; Canaan and Orford; Meredith Bridge, Centre Harbor and the White Mountains. On the second day from Boston, Stages reach Royalton, Middlebury Montpelier and Burlington connecting there with the Steamboat line to Montreal and by Steamboat and Stages to Ogdensburgh; Stages also run from Haverhill to Stanstead connecting there with Stages to Montreal. Numerous other stages connecting with the Concord Rail Road run to the principle towns in New Hampshire, Vermont and the Canadas.

Stages run daily from Franklin and Sandbornton to the 11 o'clock train, returning after the arrival of the second train from Boston.

MERCHANDISE TRAINS

Run daily as follows:

Leave Boston at 3 3-4, P. M., and arrive at Concord the same evening.

Leave Concord at 3 3-4, P. M., and arrive at Boston the next morning.

Freight, First Class, $4; Second Class, $3.

Freight should be delivered at Concord and Boston an hour at least before leaving, to insure a delivery by the first succeeding Train.

All Passengers' Baggage should be marked, and when valued at more than $50, notice should be given and extra charges paid, or no claim for damage or loss beyond such sum will be allowed. N. G. UPHAM, Sup't.

Oct. 31, 1843. 181-4

ALBERT KING, AGENT.

AT his OLD STAND, lately occupied by J. G. Tribon, has refitted the shop and furnished it with every article usually called for in the Grocery line; such as Dry and Pickled Fish, Tobacco, Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Oil, Fruits, Nuts, &c. &c., which he will sell as low as can be purchased in this vicinity, and so MISTAKE.

ALSO

constantly on hand refreshments of every description, and drinks such as beer, mead, cider, &c. &c

His old friends and patrons and the public generally are respectfully invited to call and see for themselves.

At the old stand opposite Whitney's.

Woodstock Aug. 14, 1844 221—tf

Wool! Wool!!

THE subscriber is ready to pay CASH for wool.—Those having the article to sell, will do well to call on him before selling, as he is determined to pay the

HIGHEST PRICE.

GEO. R. CHAPMAN, at the stone store.

June 10.

TYSON FURNACE.

THE subscriber agent of the TYSON FURNACE at Plymouth Vt, would respectfully inform the former friends and patrons of the establishment and the public generally that they have now on hand and continue ready to make a large assortment of

The most approved pattern Cooking Stoves; do do do Parlor do do. also PARLOR & BOX STOVES, in great variety, together with every variety of

Hollow Ware,

CALDRON & POTASH KETTLES, PLOUGHS & MILL CUTTINGS.

The proprietor of the establishment having much reduced the expenses of the work and being desirous to REDUCE the large stock of manufactures now on hand, is determined so to reduce the price of the wares, for cash, short credit, or good barter pay as cannot fail to induce purchasers to call and examine. Their CUPOLO FURNACE will be in operation on Wednesday and Saturday of each week, running a first rate quality of Iron, for which orders for all kinds of custom work are respectfully solicited.

JOSEPH MARTIN, AGENT.

June 7. 18-tf-160

100,000 Shingles for SALE.

50,000 Heart and 50,000 common Spruce Shingle for sale low, enquire of ZERAH LELL or GILMAN HENRY.

Woodstock, Feb. 26, 1844. 198-tf

Dwelling House for *SALE!*

THE HOUSE near the foot of Elm street, built for and occupied until lately by the Misses Aylwins, is offered for sale on very reasonable terms—it was thoroughly built, and is very convenient. Possession given immediately. For further particulars enquire of

L. A. MARSH, or GILMAN HENRY.

Woodstock, Feb'y 26, 1844. 198 tf

FURNITURE.

THE undersigned would inform the citizens of Woodstock and vicinity that he has purchased the entire interest of I. M. and G. Fisher in the Cabinet business, and may be found at all times at the shop on pleasant street, where there will be kept on hand as good an assortment of furniture as can be found in the State, which will be sold cheap for cash or short credit.

Those desirous of purchasing will do well to examine for themselves before purchasing elsewhere, as they can not fail of being suited.

Grain, Lumber and most kinds of farming produce taken in exchange for furniture. GEO. FISHER.

Woodstock, July 20th, 1844. 218 tf

DISSOLUTION

THE copartnership existing between the subscribers under the firm of I. M. & G. FISHER, is dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm, are requested to call and settle the same immediately to save cost. I. M. FISHER, GEO. FISHERR.

Woodstock, July 20th, 1844.

EXPERIENCE of four years has fully tested the virtues of DR. SHERMAN'S MEDICATED LOZENGES. Several million boxes have been sold and given perfect satisfaction to all who have used them.

Physicians and Clergymen, Lawyers, Professors, rich and poor, high and low—in fact nearly the whole of the American people have given them their sanction and they are now fast spreading their influence in every part of the known world.

WORMS CAUSE DEATH

To thousands, without their ever being suspected. Children and adults often suffer much from them, when a box of Sherman's Worm Lozenges would give them immediate relief. Hundreds of instances have come to my knowledge, where persons on the brink of the grave fast wasting away, and the Physicians trying their skill in vain, and resorting at last, as the only hope, to Sherman's Worm Lozenges, which have restored them to health and happiness. How often have mothers called at the warehouse and poured forth their thanks and blessings for the restoration of their dear beloved offspring. Never before has a perfect remedy been discovered for the entire eradication of all kinds of worms.

HEADACHE, PALPITATION,

Lowness of Spirits, Fatigue, Fainting, Despondency, Nervous disease generally, and Sea Sickness, are all subject to the curative properties of Sherman's Camphor Lozenges. They cure severe headaches &c, in ten minutes. In fact they operate like a charm, and no person should go to sea without them as they are infallible in Sea Sickness. Persons subject to fatigue, or attending crowded parties will find them to relieve them of all lassitude and oppression.

COUGH, COLDS, CONSUMPTION,

Asthma, tightness of the chest, whooping cough, cough attending measles and all affections of the lungs, are immediately relieved by Sherman's Cough Lozenges. They entirely cure all recent cases in a few hours, and often the most alarming cases of consumption yield, as if by magic, to their happy influence, as in the case of the Rev. Mr Anthony, the Rev. Mr Streeter, and hundreds of others, even when they had been given up as incurable.

SHERMAN'S POOR MAN'S PLASTER.

1,000,000 *sold yearly, and for only* 12 1-2 *cents.*

Rheumatism, Lumbago, pain or weakness in the breast, side, back, or any part of the body, immediately relieved by the best of all plasters, cost what they may. Worn on the lower part of the spine they cure the piles and female weakness, falling of the Womb; they draw corns out by the roots without the least pain. Joseph Hoxie was almost bent double—this plaster cured him in a few hours. Mr David Williams, an old Revolutionary soldier was cured of Rheumatism, of several years standing by it. The doctor defies the world to produce a better plaster, or better Lozenges than his. He is an experienced educated Physician, a member of the Medical Society of the city of New York, and all his preparations are in high repute with his medical brethren as well as with all other classes of the community. Always see you get the genuine Sherman's Lozenges or Plasters, as they alone are known and have stood the test for years.

For Sale by S. J. ALLEN and by appointed Agents in every town in the State 177-1y

WRIGHT'S
INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS,
—OR—
Indian Purgative.

THOUGH many medicines have been before the public a much longer period than WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS, yet none stands now in higher repute, or has more rapidly attained a firm hold upon popular estimation. The thousands that have used them throughout the length and breadth of the Republic, all bear cheerful testimony to their thorough efficacy and mild operation when employed in the most distressing disorders "which flesh is heir to."

THE MEDICINE.

The theory of disease on which *Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills are founded is this, viz: that there is only one primary cause of all the disorders that afflict the human family*, and that is corrupt humours or, in other words—Impurity of blood. This principle is now so generally admitted, that it may in fact be said to be sustained by an universality of opinion, the few dissenters constituting but a very feeble minority. It is useless, therefore to discuss the soundness of this theory in this place and connection.

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CAUTION.

The citizens of New England are respectfully informed that in consequence of the great popularity which Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills have earned by their astonishing goodness, a gang of counterfeiters are now industriously engaged in palming on the unsuspecting, a valueless and perhaps dangerous medicine, under the name of Indian Vegetable Pills.

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