NOWHERE, Nov. 23th, 1846.

MESSRS. C. & C. ZARLEY—

From this point of my pilgrimage, I conclude to send a report of progress, and of such other matters and things as have occupied my attention and may interest you. In consequence of the low stage of water, it is considered unsafe to run at night; and we are "lying too" along shore, the solitary hut of the wood chopper, alone, indicating that we are in the land of the living. We have, however, of our own, a world in miniature; a kind of Noah's ark, in which almost every variety of the animal kingdom is represented. A Mississippi steamboat, freighted for the great Southern Emporium of Commerce, affords materials for the study of a lifetime, and the composition of volumes. In itself it is a sublime object; a palace in size, and in the splendor of its workmanship and furniture. The largest and richest portion of the globe contributes every variety of agricultural products, to load its decks; and every nation finds a representative in its cabins—and nowhere, in the same space, can every variety and grade of human character be found. The man of as pure and holy principles as are found on earth; the polished lady and gentleman, down to the most dissolute votary of vice and crime; the drunkard, the thief and the assassin. Babel and Bedlam united could not get up a more perfect confusion. The bawling of cattle and the squeal of pigs, blend in horrible discord with the music of a fiddle and jewsharp, and the shuffle of flat-footed Sambos' and Dinahs' on deck. In the cabin, some accomplished school miss, is displaying her talents, in thumping on an old wheazy piano, and half a dozen others, hanging upon the arms of dandy legged, brainless dandies, are promenading the hall.

I was one week in making the trip from Peru to St. Louis. You will readily infer that the river was low, and we had the full benefit of the sand bars; such is the case; and were it not for one redeeming feature, the journey would have been extremely tedious and unpleasant. I took passage on the "Ohio Mail," a "crack" boat, if disjointed timbers entitle a boat to that appellation. The "Alvarado" sailed at the same time, and there was a strife between these "new and fast" crafts which should be first in St. Louis. The race was exciting in the extreme.

There is nothing particularly interesting in the scenery along the Illinois. The river margins are low and swampy or bordered by a dense forest. The bluffs occasionally appear in the distance, crowned with the cabin of the settler. All the pleasures of the journey are lost in the frequent and vexatious detentions on sand bars. While thus detained, various plans have suggested themselves for removing these annoyances to travellers, and serious injuries to trade. I would advise that some politician, eager for his own success and that of his party, should travel on our western rivers in a low stage of water, and electioneer with the passengers. Late in the fall, would be the most propitious season. The boats are then crowded with passengers; farmers, who are most interested, going to market with their produce, merchants anxious to return with winter supplies, and many others from the South and North eager to conclude the business operations of the season, and reach their homes. A freeze up is expected every day, and the boat is "stuck in the mud," or tetering on the end of a sawyer more than half the time. Under such circumstances, let said politician give assurances and evidence sufficient to convince, that the success of his party will insure liberal appropriations for removing obstructions from our rivers, and the fortune of the man and his party is made, if the impression "*sticks*" half as long as boats often do on a sand bar.—Should this method fail, I have another—Let a man of *uncommon* honesty be appointed to travel on every boat, and collect money, by voluntary subscription from passengers, to be appropriated to the improvement of the navigation of our rivers. When the boat is "dead set," engine puffing and wheezing, boilers strained to the verge of a burst up, and with all their power, only able to produce a convulsive movement, a shudder like the dum ague; and, when officers and crew, aided by more than one impatient passenger, are putting in their best licks, *to do justice to the subject* in the way of loud and not over reverent language, let an appeal to the purse be made, and I am under the impression that individual interest and good sense, would effect this important object. A spirit is awake in the West that will demand redress for past wrongs, and a policy for the future, that shall secure to the merchant a reward for his enterprise and to the farmer, the just recompense of his toils. You will hear from me, when I can write somewhere besides on a boat.

Yours, &c. SIGMA.

*I Can't do it.*—What a volume of human misery is unfolded in that short sentence! What mighty efforts of undeveloped genius are chained by this conclusion of despondency, when a barrier chances to interpose the onward progress of the will and sometimes of human volition? What domestic unhappiness—what downward marches towards the gloomy and solitary abodes of poverty—what anxious solicitude that fills the breast of the dependent wife—what ardent wrestling with the demon of despair—what social wretchedness—what deep, painful anxiety, what national evils, are depicted in the spirit of that expression! It is the language only of the self-wretched, the determination of the weak and imbecile. It is the voice of the moral coward, who standing upon the shore of some desolate island, in the stormy ocean of life and looking out upon the billows strewn with the wrecks of earthly grandeur and human happiness, is so blinded by fear that he cannot see the surrounding gloom. It is the articulated feelings of the traveller of the desert, who, having gained an eminence, sees nothing but a barren plain before him, thirst parching his tongue and weariness subduing his strength. But shall he lay down without hope? Nay, let him press forward, make but one effort, a green oasis will meet his vision, a cool stream will bubble up from some unforseen fountain, and he will reach his journey's end crowned with the rich rewards of perseverance.

A lady on a visit to the British Museum, asked the person in attendance, if they had a *skull of Oliver Cromwell?* Being answered in the negative—"Dear me," said she, "that's very strange; *they have one at Oxford!*"

The parent who would train up a child in the way he should go, must go the way he would train up his child.

## TAILORING.

F. **Mattern** would inform the citizens of Joliet and vicinity, that he has opened his shop one door south of Duncan's Store, where he will be happy to accommodate his old customers, and the public generally, with work on short notice. To the young men of this place he would say, that no endeavors will be wanting on his part to please the most fastidious taste, and in all cases a fit will be warranted.

He has just received the latest PARIS and NEW YORK *Fashions*, which will enable him to do his work in strict conformity with the prevailing fashions and taste of the day.

☞CUTTING done on short notice, and warranted to fit, if properly made up.

Joliet, Dec 1, 1846

## FOR SALE,

EIGHTY acres of valuable land, belonging to Aseph Webster, and being the west half of the north west quarter of Sec 20, township 35, range 10, situated on the road leading from Joliet to Ottawa, about 2 miles from the former place. The land is of the best quality, and the canal passes through one corner of it, which together with its being situated near the base of the celebrated Mt Joliet, makes it a most desirable location. The above described land will be sold at a reduced price if application is made to the undersigned, residing near this place, immediately.

Wm. HADSELL

## Dr. A. Turner,

Would respectfully announce to that unfortunate class of community who are laboring under **Diseased Eyes,** that he has located in the village of Plainfield, and is prepared by his new and unique method of treatment, to take charge of, and cure, all such cases of Opthalma as have been hitherto regarded incurable.

Those who have either from the judgment of their Physicians, or the great length of time they have suffered, regarded themselves as doomed to perpetual pain or darkness, may take new courage, in view of the unparalleled success attending that particular mode of treatment of the Eye adopted by Dr. TURNER; and only in use by three others in the United States.

Dr. T. will also attend to the wants of the public in the treatment of female diseases, and especially that distressing malady, called hæmorrhoids or piles, which are treated on scientific botanical principles

Dr. T. received his education in one of the best medical colleges in the United States, and is also familiar with the latest hospital practice; and therefore feels fully prepared to exercise his professional skill upon scientific principles.

☞In treatment of the Eye, no fee will be taken until an improvement is experienced.

Plainfield, July 16, 816. a6-6m

## FARM FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale his valuable farm, situated on the road from Joliet to Rockville, seven miles from Joliet, and nine miles from Wilmington. It contains one hundred and forty acres of land; 40 of which are timber of the best quality, and 80 acres under good cultivation, a good house, stabling &c. and a large stream of water runing through it. The farm is beautifully situated at the head of Jackson Grove, land agreeably rolling, and of the best quality. Any person wishing to purchase a valuable, cheap and desirable farm, would do well to call on the subscriber living on the premises

D. J. SHULTZ

Jackson's Grove Oct. 13. 1846

## ROCK RIVER SEMINARY.

*Mount Morris, Ill.*

THE fall term of this Institution will open on the 29th of August, and continue eleven weeks.

TERMS.

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| Tuition in Common English Branches for the Term, | $4,00 |
| Higher English Branches, | 5,00 |
| Board, Washing, Fuel, and Room rent per week, | 1,50 |
| Incidentals and Bed-washing, for the Term, | 1,00 |

Students furnish Beds, Towels, and Lights.

P. JUDSON, Agent.

Mount Morris, July 29, 1845. n7-tf

SCARFS.—J. A. Matteson has just received 2 doz. silk stripe Hemani Scarfs; also 2 doz Polka do.

## CLEMEN'S INDIAN TONIC.

### Infallible cure for Chills or *Ague & Fever.*

*And a Sure Remedy for Billious, Remittent and other Fevers.*

This Invaluble Medicine is purely vegetable.

THE unexempled success of this truly *unrivalled* Tonic, in curing in a few hours where all other remedies have failed, and that too, in cases of from six months to ten years standing—warrants the assertion, that if taken according to the directions, it is infallible. A long list of certificates in proof its infallibility, might be added; but those upon the wrapper are deemed sufficient

It is not in the least nauseating, nor does it operate upon the bowels; but its salutary action upon the whole system is so charming, that every one is highly delighted at their speedy recovery health. Such a remedy, the afflicted have long been in want of; one that cures speedily and permanently, where the usual caution to improper exposure is observed.

☞From the great popularity of this medicine, many imitations professing to be CLEMENS' INDIAN TONIC, are afloat. Therefore be sure to ask for that prepared by GEO. W. HOUSE, Nashville Tennessee, who is sole proprietor.

CAUTION.—To prevent fraud observe upon the directions upon the bottle, the written signature of Geo. W. House. Also moulded in the bottle an Indian, with the words "Clemens' Indian Tonic, prepared by Geo. W. House." All others are counterfeit.

For sale by BROWN & Co, Joliet. 14

**12** BOTTLES QUININE, for sale at June 23 LOWE'S, Chicago st.

SHOVELS, PICKS and BARS, can be had cheap at MATTESONS

**20** Pieces FLANNELS for sale at Lowe Cheap Store

COLLIN'S Axes *warranted genuine* at LOWE'S.

## Dr. BRAGG'S Indian Queen Vegetable Sugar Coated Pills

COMPRISE the Tonic and anti-Billous. The Tonic Pills are acknowledged to be the most successful medicine ever offered to the public for the treatment and cure of Agua and Fever, Chills and Fever, Billious, Remittent and Inflamatory Fevers. In intermittents or agues, organic derangement has taken place. These Pills never fail to make a permanent and lasting cure, within twelve to eighteen hours, without the aid of any other medicine. So great indeed has been their efficacy, that a permanent cure has always been warranted—direction a strictly followed. But this medicine has now become so generally known, and so extensively used, throughout the western and south-western States, that such a warranty is not longer asked or expected.

THE INDINAN QUEEN VEGATABLE SUGAR COATED TONIC PILLS,

Will be found highly beneficial in all cases of debility, (especially in those cases produced by repeated and long continued attacks of Fever,) and in promoting digestion. From one to three of these pills taken 20 or 30 minutes before eating, will seldom fail to excite a healthy appetite, promote digestion, give tone to the stomach, and invigorate the system generally. Price $1 00.

Dr. Bragg's Sugar Coated Pills have been thoroughly tried, and long experience has established their superior efficacy over every other medicine offered to the public for the radical cure of every of every form of disease, and particularly of those billous affections so prevalent throughout our southern and western States. The proof of this is found in the fact that *those who have once used these pills,* have ever after preferred them, and resorted to their use in preference to any other kind of medicine—returning regularly at the commencement of each sickly season for this valuable medicine—and urging their friends to do the same. Innumerable cases of chill and fever, obstinate and of long standing, have been so suddenly cured by *Bragg's Pills,* that their effects have almost appeared miraculous. Let the patient who doubts this try them, and he will find himself equally delighted and astonished.

### Oath before the Mayor.

*State of Missouri,* } DOCTOR A. G. BRAGG, be-
*City of St Louis,* } ing by me duly sworn deposes and says, that his *Sugar Coated Pills,* now so generally known throughout the southern and western States, *do not contain one particle of Mineral of any kind,* as has been erroneously stated. He further states that he is at this time manufacturing and putting up ready for market from **25** to **30,000** boxes of these pills per week—and that the orders and calls from agents and others for these pills, have become so numerous, even at this healthy season of the year, that some applications are necessarily delayed from ten to twelve days on account of deponent's inability to manufacture them fast enough to supply the increasing demand. Dr. Bragg further states, that it is his intention to extend and increase his manufactory until he can furnish the southern and western States with an ample supply of this celebrated pill. A. G. BRAGG.

Sworn to, and subscribed before me, this 9th day of June, A. D. 1846. P. G. CAMDEN, Mayor of the City of St. Louis.

*For Sale by*

Jeremiah Letts, Wesley Cleveland, Asa McDonald, and M. Wheeler, *Hickory Creek;* John S. Dillon, *Marseilles;* Robert Peacock, *Morris;* Matteson & Campbell, *Aux Sable;* A. Peltier, *Dresden;* Samuel L. Palmer, *Kankakee;* D. A. Watson, *Wilmington;* P. Boucher, *Baurbonais' Grove;* Willard Wood, *Crete;* Edward Poor, *Yankee Settlement;* J. Taylor, *Will co.;*

DEMMOND & WOOD, }
J. A. MATTESON, } *Joliet.*

AGENT—Emanuel Deloin, 48 Main Street, St. Louis, wholesale and retail depot. 9-6m

## DR. HULL'S COUGH LOZENGES

Are now acknowledged by the Faculty to be the most scientific and successful preparation ever discovered for the relief of coughs, colds, consumptions, asthma, whooping cough, catarrh, tightness of the lungs or chest, bronchitis, and similar pulmonary affections. They are made from the most valuable expectorant or cough medicines, and are undoubtedly superior to everything in use for those complaints.

Sold by Brown & Co., Joliet; W. S. Myers, Lockport.

## JEDDIAH WOOLLEY JR., SURVEYOR AND AGENCY OFFICE,

CHICAGO STREET, JOLIET, ILL.

Will attend to Surveying or giving descriptions of Land or Town lots in Will, Kendall, Grundy, or La-Salle counties to all those who shall favor him with a call; and will have at all times on hand Maps of the above counties, with correct delineations of Timber and Prairie and Streams, with falls of water wherever they occur, either on the Des Plaines, Du Page, Kankakee, or Illinois rivers; and also the principal Roads: together with a representation of the Illinois & Michigan Canal.

The experience Mr. Woolley has had as Surveyor in the above counties in the last fifteen years will warrant him in saying that he can give general satisfaction.

In all cases his charges will be reasonable, and prompt in his attention to business. His office nearly opposite the Eagle Tavern.

*References.*

HON. J. WENTWORTH, }
G. W. DOLE, } Chicago
R. L. WILSON, }

Joliet, May 5, 1845. 47tf

## Wanted.

A good cook, either a man or woman, and four girls who understand working in a Public House, can have a good situation by applying immediately at the NATIONAL HOTEL, Joliet.

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| 5000 | Yds Brown Sheeting | |
| 2500 | " fine | do do |
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for sale by the peice or yard at LOWE'S

Cotton & Linnen Twilled Bagging can be bought cheap for ready pay at A. Matteson's.

**600** Yds Grain Bagging for sale at Lowe's, on Chicago St Joliet. Oct 27, 1846.

**25** PS. Blue Merrimac prints, for sale at Lowe's by the piece or yard *cheap*

## NECTAR LEAF TOBACCO.

A fancy article of Plug "James Thomas" brand, by box or pound.

DEMMOND & WOOD

Oct. 29, 1846.

Sperm Oil Warrented Pure at LOWE'S on Chicago St.

**150** DOZ. Spools cotton thread for sale at Lowe's by the dozen. Oct. 27, 1846.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of Lewis Kercheval, deceased, are hereby notified and requested to attend at the January Term of the Probate Court, for Will County, to be held in Joliet, on the first Monday in January next, and present his or her claim for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

ROBERT STEVENS, Executor,
EUNICE P. KERCHEVAL, Executrix.

Joliet, Nov. 16th, 1846.

WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY—The great American remedy for *Consumption of the Lungs, Affections of the Liver, Asthma Bronchitis, Pain or Weakness in the Breast or Lungs' Chronic Cough, Pleurisy, Hemorrhage of Lungs, and all affections of the Pulmonary Organs.*—Nature's own prescription.

☞The Moss of Iceland, the Wild Cherry Bark and Pine of our Northern Latitudes are the principal ingredients in the compound. The great secret of its efficacy consists in the method in which it is prepared. Such in fact is the nature and simplicity of this medicine, so mild and safe and pleasant in its operation, that it must justly be termed "*Nature's own Prescription,*" and although but two years have elapsed since it was first made public, we can proudly say it has acquired a celebrity unprecedented by any medicine in use, and evidently destined to become one of the most popular and valuable medicines ever discovered.

This great remedy for all diseases of the lungs continues to send joy and happiness to many a cheerless fireside; and still there is room to diffuse its health giving magical wand, Whosoever will, let him come and be cured.

WILL MIRACLES NEVER CEASE?—More evidence of its surprising Health Restoratives virtues. From Dr. Baker, Springfield, Washington co. Kentucky.

Springfield, Ky, May 15, 1845.

GENTS. I take this opportunity of informing you of a most remarkable cure performed on me by the use of Wistar's Balsam of wild cherry.

In the year 1840 I was taken with an inflamation of the bowels, which I labored under for six weeks, when I gradually recovered. In the fall of 1841 I was attacked with a severe cold, which seated itself on my lungs, and for the space of three years I was confined to my bed. I tried all kinds of medicines and every variety of medical aid without benefit, and thus I wearied along until the winter of 1844, when I heard of "Wister's Balsam of wild cherry."

My friends induced me to give it a trial, though I had given up all hopes of recovery, and had prepared myself for another world. Through their solicitation I was induced to make use of the "Genuine Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry." The effect was truly astounding! After five years of affliction, pain and suffering; and after having spent four or five hundred dollars to no purpose, and the best and most respectable physicians had proved unavailing, I was restored to health by the blessings of God and the use of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of wild cherry.

I am now enjoying good health, and such is my altered appearance, that I am no longer known when I meet my former acquaintances.

I have gained rapidly in weight, and my flesh is firm and sound. I can now eat as much as any person, and my food seems to agree with me. I have eaten more during the last six months than I had for five years before.

Considering my case almost a miracle, I deem it necessary for the good of the afflicted, and a duty I owe to the proprietors and my fellow men (who should know where relief may be had) to make the subject public.

Many the blessings of God rest upon the proprietors of so valuable a medicine as Wistar's Balsam of wild Cherry. Very respectfully yours,

WILLIAM H. BAKER

We might publish a thousand certificates but do not deem it necessary knowing that a single trial will do more to establish its efficacy than a volume of testimonials. There are hundreds of Balsams recommended as positive specifics for pulmonary diseases, but where is the evidence of these puny nostrums ever curing an aggrivated case like the one mentioned above. ☞Be not deceived☜. If you would have the true article, and that which will cure, if cure be possible, then remember that KING of all other medicines, WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY.

Such is the unprecedented success of this Balsam, "nature's favorite prescription,"—a congenial to our wants; as it is prepared from chemical substances which the Author of Nature has placed in our land for wise purposes—that many who know nothing of the mode of preparation are endeavoring to reap pecuniary benefits by selling an article similar in name or appearance, or by representing their own trash as superior to this Balsam, or by putting up a mixture and solemnly asservating that it is imported from a foreign country which is not the case. All these deceptive arts go to show that Wistar's Balsam is known to the world to be the great remedy, and to sell any mixture must be like this in name or purport to be like this in substance.

☞Believe not the cunningly wrought fabrications and take only the original and genuine WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, no other can be like it.

Phelps and Blakesly, corner of Third & Chestnut sts, St. Louis, Mo, General Agent for the West. The true and only genuine Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry is sold by J A Matteson & Co., *Morris,* A Peltier, *Dresden,* H D Hisley & Co., *Wilmington.* E E Bush, *Lockport,* L Murry & Sons, *Newark,* and by J. A. MATTESON, *Joliet*

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors of the Estate of S. W. DILLEY, late of Iroquois county, Illinois, deceased, to present their claims to the Probate Justice of the Peace, at his office in Middleport, Illinois, for adjustment, on Monday the 1st day of February next, when and where due attention will be given by the undersigned administrator of said estate.

JAMES BYRNS, Adm.

November, 16, 1846.

## wolves! wolves!

WOLVES can be destroyed by calling at Mattisons, and purchasing a small quantity of Strychnine.

A Choice lot Young Hyson, Gunpowder and Imperial Tea at Matteson's

## Lockport Mills' 'Extra Family Flour

*—Warranted—*

for sale at COMSTOCK'S.

### ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against the Estate of Leon Bourasseau, deceased, are notified and requested to present the same for adjustment at the Term of the Probate court of Will county, to be held at the office of the Probate Justice, in Joliet on the 1st Tuesday in January next.

MARGARET BURASSEAU, Administratrix.

Joliet, Nov. 16th, 1846.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the Estate of John Munson deceased, are notified and requested to present the same for adjustment, at the Term of the Probate Court of Will county to be holden at the office of the Probate Justice, in Joliet, on the 1st Wednesday in January next.

AMASA S. THOMAS, Adm'r
MARYANNA THOMAS, Adm'x.

Joliet, Nov. 16, 1846.

**Ladies Nails at LOWE'S.**

# JOLIET HARD-WARE STORE!

## T. P. DUNHAM, & CO.,

HAVE RECEIVED, and are prepared to offer to the Inhabitants of Joliet, and the public generally at their **Store opposite the "National Hotel,"** the BEST SELECTED AND MOST EXTENSIVE STOCK OF HARDWARE, ever offered in this market. Our goods were recently purchased of the Manufacturer and Importer, at the LOWEST NEW YORK CASH PRICES, which will enable us to sell for ready pay, at a smaller advance on cost, than ever before sold in this place

Among their articles may be found the following:

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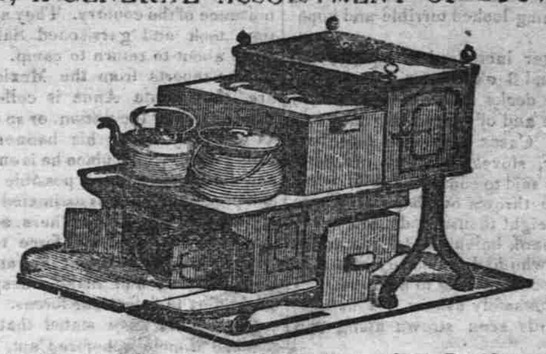
| Pocket and Table Cutlery, | Shears and Scissors, | Snuffers and Trays, |
| Brass and Japan'd Candlesticks, | Locks and Latches, | Butts and Screws, |
| Putty and Glass, | Cut and wrought nails, | Straps and Hinges, |
| Draught and Trace Chains, | Simmonds' and Hunt's axes, | Coffee and Spice mills, |
| Britannia Teapots, | Sad Irons, | Augers and Bitts, |
| Socket and firmer chisels, | Horse, shoe & white w brushes | Scale-Beams, |
| Shovels, Spades and Hoes, | Hay and Manure Forks, | Scythes and Snaths, |
| Carpenters and Joiners' Tools, | Rope and Cord, | Squares, Bevels, Rules and hammers, |
| Blacksmiths' Anvils and Vices, | Bench and Molding Planes and Plows of all varieties, | |

IRON—Waggon and Buggy Tire, English and American, Spring, American blistered, Cast and Plow Steel, Steel Springs, Wagon and Buggy Boxes. Round, Hoop, Horse shoe and Scroll Iron.

ALSO, A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF STOVES,



COMPRISING, Four, Six Boilers, Elevated, Ovens, Parlor, Cook, Pate, Box and Sheet Iron Stoves of the latest, best and most approved patterns.

They are Manufacturers of and Dealers in Plain Tin and Japan'd Ware of all kinds, wholesale and retail. Repairing done, and Eave-Troughs and Conductor pipe, put up on short notice. As we find it difficult to enumerate all of our goods, we would respectfully solicit the attention of those wishing to purchase—suffice it to say, we are inclined and will sell our *goods very* CHEAP *for* CASH!

Joliet, June, 19, 1846

ADDRESS TO THE PUBLIC.

## WINER'S ARCANUM

## EXTRACT

VERSUS.

## SARSAPARILLA.

THIS MEDICINE has acquired an extended and established celebrity throughout the country, which has been sustained by its virtues and efficacy alone, as a remedy for

SCROFULA, or King's Evil,
ULCERATED SORE THROAT,
Long-standing RHEUMATIC Affections,
Diseases of the SKIN, White Swellings,
Diseases of the BONES, all Ulcerous Cases,
SYPHILITIC & MERCURIAL Diseases,
Affections of the Liver; DYSPEPSIA:
COSTIVENESS; all CHRONIC & NERVOUS Complaints, occurring in debilitated and cachectic constitutions:

Diseases caused by an IMPURE State of the BLOOD:

Over SYPHILIS, and those very disagreeable Affections resulting therefrom, and which have heretofore been considered incurable, such as Ulcers of the Larynx, Throat, Nose, Nodes, &c.—The ARCANUM EXTRACT is a complete Antidote to the serious Evils produced by the injudicious Use of MERCURY. As a SPRING and FALL PURIFIER it cannot be surpassed, working its way through the system with a silent and effective force.—

Cleansing the BLOOD:
Removing DYSPEPTIC INFLUENCES;
Soothing the NERVES;
Removing INTERNAL Obstructions and Diseases that would otherwise cause injury to the LIVER and LUNGS.

Persons whose Constitutions are broken down by the use of MERCURY, ARSENIC, Bark, or QUININE, and any who are suffering from DISEASED LIVER, or an injudicious treatment of any of the above Diseases should use the ARCANUM EXTRACT without delay.

In complicated cases of SCROFULA and SYPHILIS, and in cases where the Syphilitic Virus of the Parent causes a developement of Scrofula in the Child, this is THE ONLY REMEDY upon which a reasonable hope of Recovery can be founded.

In numerous instances, also, where ulceration had laid bare both ligament and bone, and where, to all appearance, no human means but amputation could have saved life, Patients have been snatched from the grave and restored to health, the devouring disease being completely eradicated by the use of this inestimable Extract.

The Proprietors of the ARCANUM EXTRACT have had this Medicine used in all the above Diseases with the most gratifying Results. In using the Medicine neither Business or Pleasure need be interrupted, requiring only the usual restraint of moderation in diet, and is equally applicable and efficacious to the infant as well as the adult.

*** Pamphlets, giving a Description for what the ARCANUM EXTRACT is applicable, with observations on Insensible Perspiration, and a Treatise on Diseases in general, accompany each Bottle. Agents are supplied with the above pamphlets for gratuitous Circulation.

The *ARCANUM EXTRACT* is prepared by *JOHN WINER,* Hamilton, Canada West, and *JOHN WINER & Co.,* 83 Maiden Lane, New York, Sole Proprietors.

*PRICE—ONE DOLLAR PER BOTTLE.*

*Sold by CHAS CLEMENT, agent for Joliet; also by L. M. BOYCE, agent for Chicago.*

## DR. SPENCER'S VEGETABLE PILLS

*And Vegetable Tonic and Restorative*

### Bitters,

ARE acknowledged by the hundreds and thousands who are using them, to be not only the most mild and pleasant in their operation, but the most perfectly innocent, safe, and efficient medicines ever offered to the public. Those who once make a trial of these pills and bitters, never afterwards feel willing to be without them, which is sufficient proof of their good qualities.

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