

THE DAILY DISPATCH.

TO ADVERTISERS.—The circulation of the DISPATCH is THREE TIMES as large as that of any other Daily paper in the city of Richmond. It is therefore far superior to any other as a medium of advertising.

RICHMOND, VA. Tuesday Morning, October 5, 1852.

THE FAIRFIELD RACES.

We rejoice, from the bottom of our hearts, to see from the advertisement of Mr. Belcher, that the good old days of sport, as connected with that noblest of animals, the horse, are about to find their parallel in the present season. We rejoice to see, that though she may have abandoned it for awhile, Virginia has no intention of relinquishing for ever, her claim to superiority in this particular. It has been to us a subject of extreme mortification, to see how totally uninteresting, of late years, the public has become to the rearing of horses, once the favorite amusement of the Virginia farmer. We have seen our racers decay, from year to year; we have seen the attendants on the race-course dwindle down to scores, where there used to be thousands; we have seen, time after time, races where there was no contest, and where one horse just walked off before the others, leaving them a sightless distance in the rear. All these things are mortifying to any true Virginian—to any one who takes a pride in the ancient reminiscences connected with his country—who has heard of Florizel and Snapdragon, of Sir Archie, Durroc and Sir Alfred, the last of whom ran, on our day, five four-mile heats in a day—who has seen Eclipse and Henry, and remembers Tree-Hill in all its glory, when thousands attended the races, when the stand was thronged with the beauty and fashion of the city and its vicinity, all eagerly intent upon the sport, all as deeply enlisted in it, as though the lives of their lovers or their brothers were staked upon the issue. Then, between the beaux and the belles, there was betting of gloves, and other trinkets. The ladies looked their prettiest, and the gentlemen did ditto. Glorious old Tree-Hill! The mention of you recalls some of the sunniest hours of our existence; for we were young in those days, and had not tried every possible sensation until they had all become stale and flat.

There is a great hope that these days are about, in part, at least, to return. There has been a revival of the old spirit within the last three or four years, and as the horses were wanting, except in a few instances, many gentlemen, unconnected with the turf, have set in to raising them. The result is, that Virginia begins, already, to return to her ancient supremacy. The number of horses at Fairfield and Broad Rock, under training, amounts already to twenty-five. Unusually fine sport may, therefore, be expected to-day, and for the rest of the week. The Jockey Club Purse is larger than it has been for a number of years. It reaches \$400. Let the public be encouraged the sport, and next year it will be doubled. Let but the races, this fall, be tolerably interesting, let but some few of the heats be broken, and the number of the Jockey Club will be increased to one hundred.

Well, from all we can learn, such will be the fact. There are good horses at Fairfield, and a plenty of them. But no one is so much better than another that he will be allowed to walk over the track. There will be a contest, so we learn, there will be sport in every race run this week. As the weather is fine, we hope there are few, who really love sport, that will deny themselves the pleasure of this delightful recreation. They will see fun, depend upon it. We wish we could persuade the young ladies to go; but we are too far advanced in bachelorhood for that. Perhaps some of the "nice young men," who have more winning ways than we have, can bring them over. They may tell them that their mothers would go to Tree-Hill, and though they may not venture to say that they are no better than their mothers, yet we will say it for them.—Their presence always adds animation and interest to a scene like this, and is attractive to almost every body, old or young. Their smiles and encouragement can revive the good old Virginia sport in a year. We assure such of them as never saw a race—and very few of the present generation have, that they have no idea what it is. The ball-room is nothing compared to it.

We cannot close this article without a tribute to Mr. Belcher. He has held on to the old sport in its darkest hours. His motto has been "don't give up the ship." Through trials and tribulations he has still held on. He has always been as liberal as he has been firm. Truly, if such a man does not deserve encouragement, we know not who does.

SMUT IN WHEAT.

In another column, the reader will find two communications, addressed to Mr. Ruffin, the editor of the Planter, relative to an antidote against this fatal disease in Wheat. The process is the simplest possible. It consists merely in soaking a certain quantity of blue-stone, in a given quantity of water, and immersing the wheat in it. Blue-stone is so cheap and the modus operandi is so easily understood, that if any farmer should fail to try it, and should afterwards have the smut in his wheat, we should not feel the least sorry for him. With respect to the gentlemen, who wrote these letters, it is proper to say that they are both men of high intelligence, so we learn, and excellent practical farmers. We learn from several apothecaries here, that they have for years been in the habit of selling large quantities of blue-stone for this purpose, to persons residing in North Carolina.

As these communications will not appear in the forthcoming No. of the Planter, it is proper to explain how we came by them.—They were received by Mr. Bernard, from Mr. Ruffin, too late for insertion, the Planter having been already delayed beyond its time, being very full of matter, and in fact being under the press. Mr. Bernard saw at once their importance, and the necessity of giving publicity to them forthwith, as the seed-time was rapidly approaching. If he had waited for another No. he would have been too late. Therefore, though it certainly would have been beneficial to his Periodical, to have published it first, that was with him a small consideration, and he handed it over to us.

THE METHODIST CONTROVERSY.

The Circuit Court of the United States for the District of New York, decided, in November last, as is well known, that the Church South was entitled to an equal share of the property with the Church North, when it was held by the two as one establishment. A commissioner was appointed to ascertain the amount of this property, of what it consisted, its value, etc. The commissioner has reported (under exceptions from the Church South) on the matters referred to him. The amount of property affected by the litigation was \$562,235 75, in 1845, and in 1852, it was \$596,086 55. All this property constitutes, we believe, what is called the Methodist Book Concern, and belongs to the whole Church, though the Church North is anxious to grab the whole of it. The following amounts have been paid out to Northern beneficiaries:

Table with 4 columns: Year, Beneficiaries, Paid, Total. Rows include 1846, 1847, 1848, 1849, 1850, 1851.

As the Northern Church have the property in their possession, of course, in all that time, the Southern Church got not a cent. Before the separation, the entire organization was composed of seven Bishops, 4,828 Preachers, (Circuit), and over a million of members. They were thus divided: Southern members, 460,525; Northern members, 639,566. Total, 1,100,091.

The beneficiaries of the fund, upon the separation, were chiefly the travelling preachers, and the Court proportioned the amount to be divided according to the number of such preachers in each section. This caused the South to except, and the Court were engaged during the latter part of last week in the trial of the cause. It is believed that it will finally go before the Supreme Court.

CANADIAN RECIPROCALITY.

Hon. John Young, one of the Executive Councillors, on resigning his office, on the 18th, addresses a letter to the Provincial Secretary, in which he touches upon the proposed retaliatory policy. His views are nearly the same with those set forth by us the other day. He thinks it will only have the effect of driving away the Western trade, and sending it all, by the lakes and railroads, to New York, and that it will add greatly to the cost of all the articles which we furnish them, which are, in fact, nearly all they use. He thinks it would be better to open the St. Lawrence, abolish agricultural duties, start a reciprocal trade with the British West Indies, and construct a canal to connect the St. Lawrence with Lake Champlain. Having always been a free trade man, he cannot consent to enter upon the retaliatory policy.

Mr. Young read this letter, and the acceptance thereupon, and followed with a speech, in which he stated that the whole exports of Canada very little exceeded £1,000,000 sterling, while the articles imported from the United States alone, and which are necessary, amount to largely upwards of £2,000,000. The people of the upper province paid, last year, £45,000, at the present rates, and as they were obliged to have the commodities, the tax on the consumer would be enormously increased by the proposed policy. The opening of the St. Lawrence would attract an enormous trade, and soon render Canada independent of America.

AUSTRALIA.

It will be seen that the news from this country continues to be favorable, and that the emigration from the British Isles is greatly on the increase. From the accounts brought by the last arrival, it appeared that 1000 persons were embarking weekly. This intelligence will, doubtless, greatly increase the number. A large emigration from this country may also be expected. According to a statement in the N. Y. Herald, the number that had left that port for Australia, from the 8th of June to the 20th of September, was 1687, and the number of vessels, 14. The fever is fully as high now in England as it was in this country when California was first discovered.

There is one question upon which we have pondered with considerable doubt. When the Spaniards first began to explore the mines of South America, Spain was the most powerful, as well as the most gallant, nation in Europe. From that period may be dated her decline.—The greater part of the gold lands of the world is now in possession of the Anglo Saxon race. Is that race to follow in the footsteps of its illustrious predecessor, and fall in "the general massacre of gold?"

COMMISSIONER TO CHINA.

The Hon. Humphrey Marshall, Commissioner to China, sailed from New York, in the steamship Pacific, for Liverpool. He will there take the steamer for the Mediterranean, and proceed to Shanghai by the overland route. All must hope that he may be successful in increasing the good feeling which is already entertained towards this country above all others, by the Chinese. Important at all times, the good will of the Chinese has become, since the possession of California, and the immigration from China, far more important than ever. That he will so succeed, all that we have heard of the man entitles us to believe. We have frequently alluded to the immense field for our commercial enterprise, which this unrestricted intercourse with 400,000,000 of people, hitherto secluded from the rest of the world, would open. The mind can scarcely grasp the immense consequences that must necessarily result.

The receipts of cotton at New Orleans on the 27th ult. amounted to 10,783 bales.

LOCAL MATTERS.

POSTAGE ON NEWSPAPERS.—Now is the time for our country friends to subscribe for the Dispatch. The new postage law, which went into operation on the 1st instant, makes a considerable reduction on the postage of newspapers. The Dispatch can now be received in the country on the following postage rates:

FOR DAILY PAPER. To any post office in Henrico Co. Free. To any do in Virginia.....194 cts. per gr. To any do in any other State 32 cts. per gr.

FOR WEEKLY PAPER. To any post office in Henrico Co. Free. To any do in Virginia.....34 cts. per gr. To any do in any other State 61 cts. per gr.

It will be seen, that to any person who may desire a newspaper, for themselves, or families, the amount of postage can no longer be made an objection—and we should take pleasure in forwarding the Dispatch to 50,000 of our country friends as soon as they may send in their orders. The whole cost of our paper, sent daily to any post office in the State, will amount now to only 4 dollars and 78 cents for a year—and the whole cost of our weekly paper only to \$1 and 13 cents for a year—and but a few cents more, if either paper be sent to any part of the United States. This, including subscription price and postage, but 9 cents a week for the daily, and 2 cents a week for the weekly Dispatch.—Either paper is extremely low; but a cheaper paper than the "Weekly Dispatch" is not to be found in the United States.

A corresponding reduction in the rates of postage for all printed matter is made by the new law. Quarterly payments, in advance, may be made either at the mailing office, or at the office of delivery. When made at the mailing office, satisfactory evidence of such payment must be exhibited at the office of delivery. Send your orders. We are ready to accommodate you.

RELIGIOUS MEETINGS.—Meetings for the purpose of religious enquiry and exhortation are now the order, not exactly of the day, but of the night. A marked and serious feeling prevails throughout the churches. Sunday morning nine young men and two ladies were baptized in the pool at the First Baptist Church. There will be another baptism at the same place next Sunday. These persons were the converts under the preaching of the Rev. Mr. Ford, on Church Hill. In the afternoon, Rev. Mr. Bailey, of the M. E. Church, baptized two converts in a pond near Howard's Grove. During the last week some twenty-five persons have professed conversion at the revival meetings in progress at the Centenary M. E. Church. The church is thronged nightly, and there are a large number of penitents. A protracted meeting also commenced at Asbury Chapel, Union Hill, Sunday evening last, and will continue during the evenings of this week. The Baptists will also continue their series of meetings at Springfield Hall, Church Hill, every evening this week.

MANCHESTER.—A visit to Manchester a few days ago, exhibited to us some recent improvements in that ancient village. Some new houses have lately been erected, and others have had a new and bright face put upon them; the streets are in a better condition than formerly, and stores and work-shops appear to have increased, and to be doing a more lively business than usual. Still, Manchester is not what it ought to be. It has not kept pace with its near neighbor, Richmond, in growth and prosperity, as we conceive it should have done. And the question naturally arises—Why has it not? It possesses all the advantages, if not more, for a town, than are enjoyed by Richmond; the country trade from the South side is equal to that of the North side; the water advantages, we believe, are greater than those of the Richmond side; at least, one-half of the river can easily be commanded for the use of mills and manufactures there; the location is a desirable one for manufacturing establishments as well as a charming one for a town; it has better facilities for communication with the shipping at Rocketts, &c. And yet, Manchester has been languishing while Richmond has been increasing in size and prosperity with astonishing rapidity. We, however, predict that a new and a bright destiny will soon open upon Manchester. It has all the advantages which nature can give it to make it a rival of its namesake in England, and the time is not distant, we prophesy, when these advantages will be properly appreciated, and when enterprise and capital will go there to make it a large and flourishing town. These advantages, indeed, are already being appreciated. Some of our citizens and capitalists have recently turned their attention in that way, and have bought lots for the purpose of improving them; and we have no doubt they will soon find their investments a most profitable speculation. Here we think we can see the beginning of a better state of things for Manchester. The example of a few enterprising men is all that is wanting to give a start and impetus to improvements and prosperity; and our surprise is, that capitalists and enterprise have been so slow in finding their way there. Nothing but whim and fashion have operated against the growth and prosperity of Manchester. It has been fashionable to build and reside in Richmond, although often done by the sacrifice of pecuniary interest. This fashion is now about to change. Moreover, the time is not distant when Manchester and Richmond will be more closely united by a free bridge; and thus another obstacle removed to the prosperity of both places. Manchester, if a few enterprising people will, it can not only be in trade the rival of its English namesake, but it can also be for desirable private residences, to Richmond what Brooklyn is to New York. We hope to live to see it occupy the position it deserves.

KUNKEL'S TROUPE.—This sterling company have consented to stay with us another week before they leave Richmond en route for Charleston and other Southern cities. Every evening's performance fully sustains their already well earned reputation. They spare no pains to make their musical banquets of the highest order. The latest and most winning airs are constantly being incorporated into their portfolio of harmony. There certainly has never been a band of the kind here before that has held together such large audiences for weeks in succession, like this sweet-singing flock of "Nightingales." Artists that can draw so well certainly deserve encouragement.

THE THEATRE.—Carpenters, upholsterers, paper hangers and painters are at work in the interior of the Theatre as busy as bees. When completed, the decorations, scenery and furniture will be of the most attractive and superior character. The Theatre will probably open on the 15th of this month.

BIRDS.—These targets of the amateur and epicure rarer sportsman, are unusually plentiful this season. Shooting birds in the plantations and fields adjacent to Richmond, and within an hour or two's ride or walk, is the most easy practice imaginable. Wild ducks in the marshes, and sora, robins and bats on the wing, fair and plump as Dutch dam-seals, absolutely tarowing themselves into the sportsman's embrace. Add to this, a clear, bracing day, two good dogs, and a pair of India rubber legs, and you will certainly return home from a day spent in sporting with ample materials for bird pie for twelve.

"SOUTHERN AND SOUTH-WESTERN SKETCHES."

This is the title of an octavo volume, "edited by a Gentleman of Richmond," and published by J. W. Randolph. The book is a collection of tales which had their origin chiefly in the South and South-West. In many of them, to use the language of the preface to the book itself, "the peculiar humor of the South and its characteristic qualities of reckless daring and profuse generosity are happily illustrated. Those who love that innocent mirth which leaves no pain, and can relish the honey of wit without the poison which it sometimes leaves, will find in its pages ample sources of entertainment." We most heartily commend it to the attention of the public. The selections are very judicious, and as it is Southern in character, and in every respect home made, it is particularly deserving public encouragement. We trust it will meet with a wide sale. There are many stories in it that are alone worth the price of the book.

"Stories from Blackwood"—This is the title of one of the latest volumes of Appleton's Popular Library, and a rich one it is. Blackwood's Magazine has a remarkable feature in its stories, which are written with power and grace. None of your modern trashy nonsense; but stories which have vigor of conception and vigor of style—stories which have mind as well as spirit in them—stories that are healthy and grateful to the mind of the intelligent reader. The book before us has some very capital ones that have enriched the pages of Blackwood. We feel highly flattered that the first in the list is the "Iron Shroud," a powerfully written story that was selected for the first number of the Daily Dispatch that saw the light. Messrs. Nash & Woodhouse have the book for sale.

JOURNAL OF A SUMMER TOUR.—This is a work which appeared some time since, and which has been just reprinted by Appleton & Co. It is in three parts—1st, the Journey from Ostend to the Lake of Constance; 2nd, from the Lake of Constance to the Simplon; 3rd, from the Simplon through a part of Tyrol to Geneva. It is from the pen of the author of "Mary Herbert," "Gertrude," &c. It is intended for the children of a Village School, and is a description of one of the most interesting of journeys, and its incidents, told in a simple and attractive manner, which is, while well suited to the youthful mind, interesting to all. Messrs. Nash & Woodhouse have the work for sale.

DRUNK.—Daniel M. Gordon, living on 17th street, was found lying drunk in the street Sunday last, by officer Pierce, and taken to the cage. It being his first appearance, Justice Evans fined him \$1 and discharged him with a reprimand.

RUNAWAY.—A negro named George Gales, slave to Wm. D. Campbell, of Petersburg, ran away from his master some months ago, and has been working on the canal ever since, passing himself off as a free negro. He was arrested by Watchman Grainger Sunday night, and yesterday committed to jail until claimed.

FIGHTING.—Two negroes, named Thomas Shelton and James Sherrod, created a great uproar in the region of the New Market on Sunday morning, by fighting, throwing stones and yelling at the top of their voices. Thomas defied arrest, but both of the worthies were speedily knocked down, tied and caged. They were yesterday warmed up to the tune of 25 lashes each.

BAILED.—Thomas D. Walk, imprisoned for misdemeanor, yesterday gave bail and was discharged from custody.

ASSAULT.—Sunday evening, a negro boy was towing to Alderman Evans was walking peacefully along the streets, two men, grossly intoxicated, made an attack upon him with their fists, beating him severely. No cause was assigned for the attack, and the police are on the track of the assailants.

HENRICO COUNTY COURT.—Before the first class of Justices. This court was engaged yesterday in registering free negroes, recording deeds, and transacting civil business generally.

IMPROVING.—E. K. Barnes, son of Mr. Jacob F. Barnes, whom we stated in yesterday's paper was very severely injured by a fall Sunday afternoon, near the Danville Depot, was much better when our reporter heard from him late yesterday afternoon.

THE NEW CURE FOR FEVER AND AGUE.—The committee empowered to select a site for this building will meet on Thursday afternoon next, when it is expected that the location will be settled upon.

MAYOR'S COURT.—For a wonder, the criminal calendar at this court yesterday, was as short as a debtor's memory of his creditors. Before a storm there is a calm.

Second Building Fund Committee.—The members of the Second Building Fund Company are hereby notified that a meeting of the company will be held at the office of commissioner William F. Davis, near the State Court House, on Wednesday Evening, the 6th inst., at 7 1/2 o'clock. The punctual attendance of all the members is requested. ADAMS & CO'S. oc 5-2t A. W. MORTON, Sec'y pro tem.

Deutscher Demokratischer Whig Club.—Die Mitglieder des Deutschen Demokratischen Whig Clubs so wie alle Deutschen Whigs hier, werden hiermit ersucht sich Dienstag Abend den 5ten October um 7 1/2 Uhr im Clubzimmer zu versammeln. In Auftrug des Praesidenten. oc 5-1t

Dunlop, Moncreu & Co. ask the attention of dealers to the auction sale of Groceries, &c. THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock, without regard to weather. oc 5

ATTENTION! CHILDREN.—At the personal solicitation of a number of citizens, the Nightingales will give a Grand mid day SUNDAY on Saturday afternoon, October 9th at 3 o'clock. The whole Troupe as well as Master Adams, will sing their sweetest songs, and perform their best dances. Children will be admitted at 10 cents, adults 25 cents. Family tickets, admitting five, \$1. oc 5-1t

AUCTION NOTICE.—Particular attention is requested to the sale of stock of Groceries, Shoes, &c. to take place THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock, at the store of R. B. Craddock, (who is doing business) on corner of Broad and 2nd streets. See advertisements. oc 5

THE NOTES OF THE ARCHBISHOP'S EXCHANGE BANK OF WASHINGTON CITY will be redeemed at the office of Messrs H. T. Fair & Co., at par when presented in sums of five dollars or over, until further notice. ADAMS & CO'S. oc 4-4t

THE LIST OF OCTOBER is the day on which most of our city schools commence their Winter campaign. Teachers, Parents and Pupil, will not forget that every variety of School Books may be had at WEST & BROTHERS, (near the Post Office) at moderate prices. oc 1

THE EXPRESS arrives and leaves daily, by Mail Trains, always in charge of trustworthy Agents. This mode of receiving or forwarding goods of whatever description, combines economy, and what is of greater importance, Speed. Our wagon will call for goods to go away, and deliver everything without extra charge. oc 5

Office No. 5, Fourteenth street, near the Post office. oc 10

THOS. H. WILSON, ARCHT. & CIVIL ENGINEER, Office two doors from Main, on 12th street, opposite the office of the James River and Kanawha Company. Desires to be consulted on every description of Houses with estimates, contracts, and agreements. Buildings superintended, and all size details furnished for every portion of the country. Lessons given in the Architectural Office of Art Drawing; all on or 25-1m

Home Testimony.—Read!

By the appearance of a new style of Portrait in the show case of our old established Daguerrotypist Messrs Thomas A. Root, of the music store, Bayly & Nimmo, and others, in which the heads, executed with all the depth of tint and color of Van Dyke, appear to start like magic from the deep obscure water back ground, (which, by the way, has been always the highest style of art, striking with the force of itself upon the mind of the examiner, and leaving him to the imagination the task of filling up details which too often exhibit in the hands of unskilled artists deformities which do not really exist. These pictures have the advantage, from their strength, of being seen in any light, as the eye naturally follows the concentration of the picture. Mr. P. is the originator of this beautiful style. oc 4

To the Citizens of Richmond and Transient Visitors.—If you wish to have your hair cut and dressed in the most fashionable and tasteful style, and your whiskers changed to a SON'S SHAVING, Hair-Dressing, and Hair-Curling, in the American Hotel Bazaar, on N. B.—He can furnish you with a hot, cold or shower bath, at any hour, at 25 cents, or five tickets for \$1. oc 27

LIVER PILLS.—PREPARED FROM THE MASS OBTAINED AT THE ROCKBRIDGE (VA.) ALUM SPRINGS.—These Pills are Purely Cathartic, Tonic and Alterative in their effects upon the system. They excite the action of the Liver in many cases where Colic, Cholera, and Stomachic affections which do not really exist. These pills are also peculiarly efficacious in Female Diseases. oc 2

MAWES K. SUTTON, NOTARY PUBLIC.—Particular attention paid to writing DEEDS and other legal instruments. Office in the Law Building, Richmond, Va. my 6

Baker's Celebrated Premium Bitters.—Have you ever used them, you or any part of your family? If not, lose no time in procuring a bottle. If their speedy relief has ever been equalled, it has not been heard from. As a sure cure for Dyspepsia in all its various stages, (as well as the large number of voluntary certificates now in the hands of the proprietor, and the great demand for it wherever it has been introduced) no medicine ever introduced to the public has so rapidly gained the popularity possessed by these Bitters, with so little aid from the public press. They are a preventive of Ague and Fever, a never failing remedy in nervous headache, a corrector of disordered stomachs, and the best tonic for disordered bowels, and with delicate females, they will be warranted against the world to act more in accordance with nature than any tonic known.—Price only 50 cents per bottle. To be had at the drug stores of

PURCELL, LADD & CO., A. BODEKER, ADIE & GRAY, BENNETT & BEERS, and GAYNOR & WOOD, Main street; H. BLAIR, W.M. P. LADD and S. BRIGGS & REEVE, Broad street, Richmond, Va. oc 5

The Best Cough Syrup in the World.—Dr. J. S. ROSE'S Cough Syrup, or Expectorant.—Avoid quackery and take medicines prepared by a regular physician. Consumption Curable!—After an excruciating and protracted Cough in Philadelphia for 30 years, I have compounded a Cough Medicine, suited to Coughs from colds, or adapted to a Consumptive Patient. I have cured thousands of persons with a lung disease, and all complaints of the chest. For allaying inflammation, and curing a cough, there is no preparation equalling this compound. Others allow coughing, while this cures. More than 30,000 bottles have been sold in Philadelphia in the past few weeks. They are now using it in their practice in this country and in Europe. It can be had in bottles at 50 cents and \$1, with my Medical Adviser gratis, by calling at the stores of Purcell, Ladd & Co., Bennett & Beers, Adie & Gray, Gaynor & Wood, O. A. Dural, R. R. Duval, Alex. Dural, R. R. Duval, J. Blair, S. M. Zachrisson, and W. P. Ladd, Richmond, Va. oc 5-1t J. S. ROSE, M. D., Philadelphia.

"Come, let us Reason Together." LET THE WHOLE AFFLICTED WORLD READ.—The Testimony of a Lady after Thirty eight Years Suffering.—NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, April 13, 1852.—Messrs. Tyler & Adams, I have been afflicted with Rheumatism, at times, from my twelfth year. I will be fifty years of age the 18th of this month. The attacks were at times so severe as to render me helpless. I have tried various remedies, but to very little effect. Last October I was attacked in my shoulders, sides, back and hips, I could not rest day or night; I could not move any part of my body without giving pain. At this time I also tried many remedies, internal and external, without receiving any relief. I was at last advised to try HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE. Before I had taken one bottle of which I felt much better, and as continued taking it, I felt strength coming to my back and limbs, and my stomach was renewed and revived every way. I have taken five bottles, and am much better than I ever expected to be. I intend to use it whenever I need it, and would recommend it to the afflicted, believing it unequalled. Yours, ELIZABETH BAGWELL. See advertisement in another part of to day's paper. Call on O. A. STRECKER and get pamphlets gratis. oc 17

The Lustral Hair Tonic, for cleaning, purifying, preserving and growth of the Hair, Prepared from the original recipe of Dr. J. C. BARNETT & BEERS, Druggists, No. 125 Main street. This admirable preparation is a most effective remedy for itching and falling out of the Hair, causes it to grow luxuriantly, and restores it to its glossy, and beautiful, and prevents it from turning grey, and is the only article which effectually cleanses the head from dandruff. oc 5-1t

Numbers of ladies and gentlemen in this city and vicinity are in the constant habit of using it to their entire satisfaction. It has become a necessary appendage to their toilet. Large bottles at 50 cents each. Be sure to ask for Bennett & Beers' Lustral Hair Tonic, in order to prevent mistakes as the name is sometimes misread, which would be apt to prove injurious if used. oc 2-21m

A Great Cure for Fever and Ague!! DR. ROSE'S FEVER AND AGUE TONIC.—The true and the most common form of disease, and is indeed the ever runner of most if not all other diseases, demands for its radical cure a remedy which has been well tested; possessing full power to eradicate disease and strengthen the constitution. This mixture, having never failed in a single case, is pronounced by thousands to be that remedy. This compound is truly the doctor most friends, and the rich man's security. The Cery, bar, and the press have already re-echoed the above statements. oc 5-1t

Small doses of this wonderful Tonic is always sufficient to convince the most skeptical. The infant and the aged may use it alike, regulating the dose as per directions. Directions.—After purging freely with my Railroad and Bilious Pills, take one teaspoonful every hour during the absence of Fever. In cases of debility, one teaspoonful three times a day. In cases of Yellow or high Bilious Fever, one teaspoonful every half hour after an emetic. Price 50 cents per bottle. oc 5-1t

For sale by Bennett & Beers, Adie & Gray, Gaynor & Wood, O. A. Dural, R. R. Duval, J. Blair, S. M. Zachrisson, and W. P. Ladd. oc 5-1t

Public Taste Improved.—SIMONS Daguerrotypy are new admired by all who see them; by reason for the richness of the coloring, and the truthfulness of the representation, and distinctness of the figure, enabling the spectator to see them in any light with the greatest ease—since for the strength of their light and shade, clearness of the eye, and the general artistic finish of the picture, but come to me and get a superior picture for one dollar, case included. Warranted equal to any in the country. FRANK MOULSON, No. 110 Main street. oc 21

W. A. POWELL, Architect and Civil Engineer, Office two doors from Main, on 12th street, opposite the office of the James River and Kanawha Company. Desires to be consulted on every description of Houses with estimates, contracts, and agreements. Buildings superintended, and all size details furnished for every portion of the country. Lessons given in the Architectural Office of Art Drawing; all on or 25-1m

Passing down Main street, we were struck show case of our old established Daguerrotypist Messrs Thomas A. Root, of the music store, Bayly & Nimmo, and others, in which the heads, executed with all the depth of tint and color of Van Dyke, appear to start like magic from the deep obscure water back ground, (which, by the way, has been always the highest style of art, striking with the force of itself upon the mind of the examiner, and leaving him to the imagination the task of filling up details which too often exhibit in the hands of unskilled artists deformities which do not really exist. These pictures have the advantage, from their strength, of being seen in any light, as the eye naturally follows the concentration of the picture. Mr. P. is the originator of this beautiful style. oc 4

To the Citizens of Richmond and Transient Visitors.—If you wish to have your hair cut and dressed in the most fashionable and tasteful style, and your whiskers changed to a SON'S SHAVING, Hair-Dressing, and Hair-Curling, in the American Hotel Bazaar, on N. B.—He can furnish you with a hot, cold or shower bath, at any hour, at 25 cents, or five tickets for \$1. oc 27

LIVER PILLS.—PREPARED FROM THE MASS OBTAINED AT THE ROCKBRIDGE (VA.) ALUM SPRINGS.—These Pills are Purely Cathartic, Tonic and Alterative in their effects upon the system. They excite the action of the Liver in many cases where Colic, Cholera, and Stomachic affections which do not really exist. These pills are also peculiarly efficacious in Female Diseases. oc 2

MAWES K. SUTTON, NOTARY PUBLIC.—Particular attention paid to writing DEEDS and other legal instruments. Office in the Law Building, Richmond, Va. my 6

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The Best Cough Syrup in the World.—Dr. J. S. ROSE'S Cough Syrup, or Expectorant.—Avoid quackery and take medicines prepared by a regular physician. Consumption Curable!—After an excruciating and protracted Cough in Philadelphia for 30 years, I have compounded a Cough Medicine, suited to Coughs from colds, or adapted to a Consumptive Patient. I have cured thousands of persons with a lung disease, and all complaints of the chest. For allaying inflammation, and curing a cough, there is no preparation equalling this compound. Others allow coughing, while this cures. More than 30,000 bottles have been sold in Philadelphia in the past few weeks. They are now using it in their practice in this country and in Europe. It can be had in bottles at 50 cents and \$1, with my Medical Adviser gratis, by calling at the stores of Purcell, Ladd & Co., Bennett & Beers, Adie & Gray, Gaynor & Wood, O. A. Dural, R. R. Duval, Alex. Dural, R. R. Duval, J. Blair, S. M. Zachrisson, and W. P. Ladd, Richmond, Va. oc 5-1t J. S. ROSE, M. D., Philadelphia.

"Come, let us Reason Together." LET THE WHOLE AFFLICTED WORLD READ.—The Testimony of a Lady after Thirty eight Years Suffering.—NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, April 13, 1852.—Messrs. Tyler & Adams, I have been afflicted with Rheumatism, at times, from my twelfth year. I will be fifty years of age the 18th of this month. The attacks were at times so severe as to render me helpless. I have tried various remedies, but to very little effect. Last October I was attacked in my shoulders, sides, back and hips, I could not rest day or night; I could not move any part of my body without giving pain. At this time I also tried many remedies, internal and external, without receiving any relief. I was at last advised to try HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE. Before I had taken one bottle of which I felt much better, and as continued taking it, I felt strength coming to my back and limbs, and my stomach was renewed and revived every way. I have taken five bottles, and am much better than I ever expected to be. I intend to use it whenever I need it, and would recommend it to the afflicted, believing it unequalled. Yours, ELIZABETH BAGWELL. See advertisement in another part of to day's paper. Call on O. A. STRECKER and get pamphlets gratis. oc 17

The Lustral Hair Tonic, for cleaning, purifying, preserving and growth of the Hair, Prepared from the original recipe of Dr. J. C. BARNETT & BEERS, Druggists, No. 125 Main street. This admirable preparation is a most effective remedy for itching and falling out of the Hair, causes it to grow luxuriantly, and restores it to its glossy, and beautiful, and prevents it from turning grey, and is the only article which effectually cleanses the head from dandruff. oc 5-1t

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