Daily Intelligencer.

A Sea Dream.

We sit in a silver boat,
On a silver rolling sea,
And the winds around us float,
And the clouds around us flee.

On the wings of moistest silver
The clouds do fleet and flow,
And they sink in the argent splendor
Of the moon's declining glow.

They kiss the cold horizon
With their silver-threaded lips.
And shadow the trembling sea
In a silver dusk eclipse.

And melt into vapoury nothing,
Where the trees wave to and fro.
And the blue sea hugs the distance
In the far horizon's glow.

My love hath a tongue of silver,
And he talks of the roses white,
Of the flowers, so fair and fragrant,
That gleam on a bridal night.

They bloom in the bottomless sea,
Where he will carry me soon,
No more to ride on the billows,
Or to gaze on the weird-like moon.

But there with him forever,
Where comes nor night nor day,
We'll wonder at willess pleasure,
And frolic our life away.

In the hulk of some old ship,
Where the gurgling waters flow,
Where the blood-red rubies shine,
And diamonds still brighter glow.

At hide and seek we'll play,
And clatter dead men's skull's,
As we prank with lightsome feet,
And skim her decks like gulls.

Ah! this is the life for me,
So I kiss adieu to the moon,
For her silver torch flares faintly,
As she wanes from her midnight noon.

DUEL BETWEEN ABE LINCOLN AND GEN SHIELDS.—The Chicago *Press and Tribune* relates the following anecdote of Abe Lincoln and Gen. Shields:

A great deal of fun was had by the jokers in Springfield, about an affair in which, long time ago, our good friend Lincoln, *the* candidate for the Preridency, was engaged. A young lady of that city, now the wife of a distinguished statesman, wrote a paragraph in a burlesque vein for the Sangamon *Journal*, in which Gen. Shields was good humoredly ridiculed for his connection with some public measure. The General was greatly incensed, and demanded of the editor the name of the offending party. "Old Sim" put him off with a request for twenty-five hours to consider the matter, and, shortly afterwards, meeting Lincoln, told him his perplexity. "Tell him I wrote it!" said Lincoln; and tell him he did.—After a deal of diplomacy to get a retraction of the offensive parts of the paragraph in question, Shields sent a challenge, which Lincoln accepted, named broadswords as the weapons, and an unfrequented, well-wooded island in the Mississippi, just below Alton, as the place. "Old Abe" was first on the ground, and when Shields arrived he found his antagonist, his sword in one hand and a hatchet in the other, with his coat off, clearing away the underbrush! Before the preliminary arrangements were completed, John J. Hardin, who, somehow, had got wind of what was afloat, appeared on the scene, called them both d—d fools, and by his arguments, addressed to their good sense, and by his ridicule of the figure that they, two well-grown, bearded men, were making there, each with a frog-sticker in his hand, broke up the fight. We do not know how Gen. Shields feels, but we have heard of Lincoln's saying that the acceptance of the challenge was the meanest thing he ever did in his life. Hardin, than whom a braver man never stood, never came out of that terrible charge at Buena Vista, to which he led the 2d Regiment of Illinois Volunteers. If the events of his life passed in quick review before his mind as he lay wounded and dying in that fatal ravine, we doubt not this act of his, by which he prevented two really brave men from engaging in fatal strife, was not the least of the consolations of that bitter hour.

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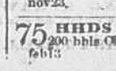

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SOOTHING SYRUP
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We have put up and sold this article for over ten years, and can *say, in confidence and truth* of it, what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—NEVER, IN A SINGLE INSTANCE TO EFFECT A CURE when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary all are delighted with its operations, and speak in terms of highest commendation of its magical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "WHAT WE DO KNOW," after ten years' experience *and pledge our reputation for the fulfillment of what we here declare.* In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered.

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Stomach Bitters!

IT IS A FACT THAT, AT SOME PERIOD, EVERY member of the human family is subject to disease or disturbance of the bodily functions; but, with the aid of a good tonic and the exercise of plain common sense, they may be able so to regulate the systems as to secure permanent health. In order to accomplish this desirable object, the true course to pursue is certainly that which will produce a natural state of things at the least hazzard of vital Strength and life. For this purpose, Dr. Hostetter has introduced to this country a preparation bearing his name, which is not a new medicine, but one that has been tried for years, giving satisfaction to all who have used it. The Bitters operate powerfully upon the stomach, bowels and liver, restoring them to a healthy and vigorous action, and thus, by the simple process of strengthening nature, enable the system to triumph over disease.

For the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Nausea, Flatulency, Loss of Appetite, or any Bilious Complaints, arising from a morbid inaction of the Stomach or Bowels producing Cramps, Dysentery, Colic, Cholera Morbus, &c., these Bitters have no equal.

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FEVER AND AGUE.—This trying and provoking disease, which fixes its relentless grasp on the body of man, reducing him to a mere shadow in a short time, and rendering him physically and mentally useless, can be driven from the body by the use of HOSTETTER'S RENOWNED BITTERS. Further, none of the aforestated diseases can be contracted, even in exposed situations, if the Bitters are used as per directions. And as they neither create nausea nor offend the palate, and render unnecessary any change of diet or interruption of ordinary pursuits, but promote sound sleep and healthy digestion, the complaint is removed as speedily as is consistent with the production of a thorough and permanent cure.

For Persons in Advanced Years, who are suffering from an enfeebled constitution and infirm body, these Bitters are invaluable as a restorative of strength and vigor, and need only be tried to be appreciated. And to a mother, while nursing, these Bitters are indispensable, especially where the mother's nourishment is inadequate to the demands of the child, consequently her strength must yield, and here it is where a good tonic, such as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, is needed to impart temporary strength and vigor to the system. Ladies should be all unanimous in this remedy for all cases of debility, and, before so doing, should ask their physician, who, if he is acquainted with the virtue of the Bitters, will recommend their use in all cases of weakness.

CAUTION.—We caution the public against using any of the many imitations or counterfeits, but ask for HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS, and see that each bottle has the words "Dr. J. Hostetter' Stomach Bitters" blown on the side of the bottle, and stamped on the metallic cap covering the cork, and observe that our autograph signature is on the label.

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