A FIRESIDE STORY

BY MRS. CAROLINE A. SOULE.

"Well, there," muttered Mrs. Lee, in a somewhat petulant tone, as she laid down her babe—"thank fortune, the last one is abed and asleep. Now for a little comfort."

Carefully drawing the blanket around the tiny form, she rested one hand for a few moments upon the gently heaving breast, stirred the cradle with the other, singing the while a low lullaby.

Assured from its soft breathing and quiet limbs that it was indeed asleep, she turned from it quickly, drew her low rocker to the stand, picked up the light, and took from underneath a miscellaneous pile in her work basket, an uncut novel.

"What a beautiful title," said she, all traces of weariness vanished with electric rapidity from her countenance. As her eyes glanced over its pages, the dull look they had worn all day disappeared, and the light of anticipated joy flashed in its stead.

"I know I shall be pleased with it; I feel that it will be interesting," continued she. "What charming names the author has chosen. None of your common Johns and Hannahs, your Roberts and Margarets. Oh, no! here is noble Rodrigo, poetic Clarence, sweet Floralla, pretty Lillia, saintly Theresa—why, there is not an ordinary name in the book. The writer must be one of unusual taste!"

Having hastily cut the leaves, she stroked her brow with one hand, grasped the charmed book with the other, as though it were polished gold and she a miser, and commenced with the phrase of enthusiastic novel readers, to devour the pages.

Rapidly did her eyes run over the first chapter. But then—she turned her head with a quick impatient movement. Did she not hear a rustle in the cradle? Yes, a little hand was lifted from beneath the cover.

"Too bad, too bad, he'll be awake all the evening now;" and she glided with a noiseless step to the child's side.

But the eyelids were still closed, the measured breath of slumber stole gently over the half parted lips, and the offending hand rested in quiet beauty upon the soft cheek.

It was a fair, sweet babe, whose little heart had throbbed but one short summer. As it lay there, the spell of stainless sleep upon its brow, it seemed the type of all things pure and blessed.—Eden with all its loveliness, never charmed the gaze of Eve with such a beauteous picture. The holier feelings of a mother's breast were touched as by a hand from Heaven. The angel began to trouble the deep waters of her soul as she stood beside that cradle bed; and when after a vigil of several moments, the child still sleeping, she bent her head and imprinted upon its lips a kiss of love, the healing wave flowed for an instant—then ebbed; for the novel was not yet read.

Resuming her seat, Mrs. Lee again took her book. But the fiction seemed to have lost some of its fascination. For some time her glance vacillated between its finely printed pages and her heaped up basket. She even put on her thimble and threaded a needle. But a moonlight scene, where in a honeysuckle bower, the noble lover draws a trembling girl unto her bosom, and pours into her ears the bewitching words of wild courtship, acted like magic on the reader's mind and she became absorbed in the glowing picture.

The second and third chapters were soon pursued, and she was entering with increased interest upon the fourth, when a sweet voice from the trundle bed called out "Mother, mother!"

Her ear caught the sound, but it made no impression upon her mind until it had been several times repeated; then turning quickly, in no very gentle voice she exclaimed, "What under the sun do you want, Lizzie! I thought you were asleep an hour ago."

"I have been asleep, mother," answered the little daughter, in a timid tone. "I waked up because——"

"Because you are a naughty girl and wanted to plague me. Strange that I can't have a minute's comfort;" and going hastily to the bed, she drew the clothes around the child, and bade her shut her eyes and go to sleep.

"I want a drink, mother. I can't sleep, I am so thirsty."

The mother looked around; there was neither pitcher or glass in the room.

"It's always just so. I never forget to bring up water, but you are sure to want some. Why didn't you drink, last night, when I had a whole pitcher full for you?"

"I wasn't thirsty last night. Do please give me a drink and I'll go right to sleep."

"I am not going down stairs again to-night; so just turn over and shut your eyes," and she sat down again to her novel, leaving the thirsty child to its thoughts or dreams, as the case might be.

Lizzie, as she said, wanted to drink very much, and so she turned and tossed and tried to think of every thing but water, while that was all she could think of.

"If I only had one little swallow," murmured she to herself, "I guess I could get along till morning." But she might as well have wanted a pailful; there was no hope or prospect of getting any. By and by she spied, upon the stove hearth a tin cup. "The babe's milk!" said she. "Perhaps that would be as good as water. I wonder if mother would let me have it." She looks at the parent. She was absorbed in her book; her very being seemed bound up in it. The child knew too much to disturb her. But perhaps she could not get it without disturbing her mother, and she did want a drink so much. She hesitated a while then crept quietly out of bed, stole to the cup, seized it eagerly, and took a swallow. But it tasted better than she thought it would and her thirst was such, she drained it. Alarmed at what she had done, she was in such haste to put it down, that it slipped from her trembling hand, bounding against the stove, falling on the hearth, and rolled thence on the carpet.

"Why Lizzie Lee!" screamed the mother dropping her book and running to the child.—

"I should like to know what you've been about! spilling all the baby's milk, I'll warrant!" as she took up the empty cup. Then seeing the carpet was quite dry, she seized Lizzy by the shoulders, exclaiming in an angry voice, "what have you done with the milk, you little plague? Tell me this minute what has become of that!"

"I was so thirsty, mother," answered the child in a pleading voice, tears started to her eyes. "I could not go to sleep, and so——"

"So you drank it, did you? you naughty girl," continued Mrs. Lee with increased vehemence of tone, "drank it, and I hav'nt another drop of milk in the house. I'll teach you to do such things," and the hand came down heavily upon the shrinking shoulder, once! twice! three times! A wild scream of pain burst from the child's lips. Another, and another; and, angry and excited as the mother was, they pierced her heart as with sharp arrows.

The noise startled a younger child which slept in the same bed with Lizzie. Frightened from its sound slumbers, it shrieked an alarm, when the babe waking at the same moment, joined its voice with the others, not in harmony, but in one of those discords which echo so often in the nursery stunning the ear and bewildering the brain.

With quick step, quick hands, and a softened tone, Mrs. Lee strove to calm the tempest, she had raised. Lizzie's cries soon merged into piteous sobs, but Willie continued their loud screams till the mother in her perplexity, would fain have wrung her hands and sat down and wept with them. She ran from one to the other soothing, singing, entreating. But they would not hush in the least; till as a last resource, she took the babe in one arm and Willie in the other, and thus burdened, paced the chamber. Her limbs ached with the effort, her voice grew plaintive, her heart sad and sore with the upbraidings of a conscience she had strove too long to stifle. She breathed sweet music in the tears of the little sobbing creatures who struggled in her arms, but not a word of anger fell from her pale lips.—She felt she was the guilty cause of all her trouble. A little forethought, a little self denial, a little discipline of temper, and all had been well.

It was a long time ere she ventured to sit down and rock the children, and they did not soon close their eyes in sleep. They would start and scream then draw such long, sad sighs, that the tears which trembled in the mothers eyes would flood her cheeks.

When at last they rested in a sweet, calm slumber, she was at a loss how to put them down without new confusion. There was no one whom she could call upon for aid. No one? Yes there was the little trembling creature whose tender skin still smarted with the chastisement of an angry mother.

"Lizzie," called the mother, after a long while in a very low, gentle voice.

The child was quickly beside her.

"Bring your little chair and sit down close to me and see if you can draw the baby on your lap without waking him."

Lizzie did as directed, and the babe was soon clasped to her heart, her lips breathing childish affection over its unconscious form.

Very carefully did Mrs. Lee lay down her little Willie, and for a few moments she sat beside him, soothing gently his fair brow, twining his golden locks around her finger, and pressing the softest and sweetest of kisses on her still lips.

Then, going to Lizzie, she took from her arms the babe and placing it in the cradle, bent over it, whispering the fondest terms of endearment.

Sitting down beside it, she covered her face and thought grew busy. By and by Lizzie stole quietly to the chair, knelt beside it and buried her head in the mother's lap. Mrs. Lee's hand toyed with the soft brown curls that fell over in such rich profusion, and several times pushed them off the forehead when the child felt the mute pressure of her lips.

For some time both were silent. At length Lizzie looking timidly up, saying in a touching voice, "I am so sorry, mother, I made you so much trouble, I'll try and never be thirsty again when you are reading." The mother's heart started: she drew the child to her bosom, embraced it fondly, closely as though she thought by pressure to still its painful throbbings. Then bearing her to the bed, she sat her down and hastily left the room.

She soon returned, a glass of water in her hand. "Thank you mother," said Lizzie, when she had quenched her thirst, "you will have a good time to read now, for I shall go right to sleep."

With eyes brimful of tears, the mother bent over her child and kissed her again. And Lizzie feeling she was quite forgiven and not dreaming she had been more sinned against than sinning, threw her arms around her parent's neck and gave kiss for kiss. Then, nestling on the warm pillow of her little brother, she closed her weary eyes, and in a few moments was sound asleep.

For a long while the mother knelt beside the couch and when she arose and sat down again by the stand, she left the novel where she had dropped it, but took from her basket an unfinished doll and with rapid fingers plied her needle.

It was late ere she placed her head upon her pillow. When she did, the doll, completed and neatly dressed, lay by the side of Lizzie—the novel, half-read, upon the Lehigh in the stove a handful of light ashes!

GET UP BEFORE THE SUN.

Get up before the sun, my lads,
Get up before the sun!
This snoozing in a feather bed
Is what should not be done.
Between sunrise and breakfast, lads,
Rise, breathe the morning air,
'Twill make you look so bright, my lads,
'Twill make you look so fair.

Get up before the sun, my lads—
Shake off your sloth—arouse!
You lose the greatest luxury
That life has, if you drowse.
Between sunrise and breakfast, lads;
Arise then, do not lose
The key to health and happiness,
By lying in a snooze.

Get up before the sun, my lads,
And in the garden hoe
Or feed the pigs, or milk the cows,
O take the scythe, and mow.
'Twill give you buoyant spirits, lads,
Give vigor to your frame—
Then rise before the sun, my lads,
And these rich blessings claim.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

GATES & COSPER have just received a larger and more complete assortment than ever. They would just say to their friends and the public, **If they want a Fine Time Piece,** or an honest class of Jewelry instead of a *Jew article,* they are prepared to sell as *cheap as any body* or at *any place.* Tallmadge House, Lancaster, may 16.

LAMPS.—A fine lot, Solar Stand Lamps, suspending and side do., Girandoles, some beautiful new patterns; Extra Globes, chimneys, Shades and Frames, Wicks, &c., constantly on hand and for sale cheap by
may 27 GATES & COSPER.

Silver Ware.—The largest lot ever offered in Lancaster. Plain and double threaded, Table, Desert and Teaspoons and Forks, Soup Ladles, Sugar Tongs and Shovels, Creamspoons, Salt and Mustard do. All manufactured to *order* and *warranted fine as Silver Coin.* Just received and for sale by
Lancaster may 16, 1850. GATES & COSPER.

Looking Glasses.—A very large and complete assortment in *Gilt* and *Mahogany* frames, which we will sell *cheaper* than any establishment in the town can. Also, Looking Glass-Plates from 8 by 10 inches to 20 by 40 inches, *cheap.*
May 27 GATES & COSPER.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
JULIAN & ULRICK.

WOULD respectfully inform their customers and the public generally that they have just receiving at their old stand, *directly opposite the Tallmadge House,* a very large and well selected stock of *Spring and Summer Goods,* which they will sell either for cash or country produce as cheap as any house in Ohio.

FOR THE LADIES—They have a large lot of the latest style Dress Goods, such as silks, silk Tissues, Bareges, Emb'd muslins, Linens, Lawns, Alpacas, De Lanes, Ginghams, Calicos, &c.

They also have almost every grade and description of Bonnets, Ribbons, Flowers, Shawls, Parasols, Gloves, Netting, Laces and Hosiery.

FOR THE GENTLEMEN—They have a well selected stock of Cloths, Cassimeres, Sattinetts, Tweeds, Jeans, Summer Wear, Vestings, Cravats, Boots, Shoes and every kind of Hats.

Their stock of *GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE,* Salt, Cotton Yarn, Wicking and Batting is heavy and of a good quality.

If you want good bargains give them a call, as their stock is such as can't help but please and their prices made to suit the times.
Lancaster, April 12, 1850 49

Read! Reflect! Judge Wisely!
Dr Eastman's Balsam of Wild Cherry

THERE is no attempt to deceive the community in regard to the qualities of this MEDICINE. It is not designed to cure every thing, but for coughs and all complaints affecting the Lungs and Chest, that it is possible for any compound of medicines to CURE, no remedy can be relied upon with more certainty of success than the above. Every family who will keep it and use it in all ordinary colds, and when the Cough commences, need seldom be troubled any length of time with it, as it affords almost immediate relief and a great saving of expense, and many times life, by so doing. See Eastman's *Medical Directory* for particulars.
Sold by GEORGE G. BECK, Lancaster,
And regularly appointed Agents throught the country. All orders must be addressed to
EASTMAN & BIGELOW, Zanesville, Ohio.
April 26, 1850. 51

KINKEAD & DOTY,
Wholesale & Retail Grocers,
AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
NO. 70, MAIN STREET, LANCASTER, OHIO
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THE GREAT PLACE
To Purchase Ready Made Clothing.
Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings & Trimmings at prices to suit every body, either at wholesale or retail is at
SMITH & TONG'S,

ON Main street, Lancaster, Ohio, just between *Reber & Kutz's Store and John Lyon's Grocery.*—Our Goods are fresh and of the latest importations, the variety very great and the stock complete.

It is needless to give a lengthy description of our Goods; suffice it to say that we have every thing that would complete a gentleman's wardrobe, consisting of every variety of Coats, P Jackets, Pants, Vests, Shirts, Drawers, Suspenders, Cravats, Stocks, Handkerchiefs, Bosoms collars, socks, Gloves, together with the most fashionable and beautiful styles of

Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings & Trimmings,

so that those who would prefer to have their *Clothes* made to order, can do so by first leaving their measure and a good fit is warranted or no sale.

We keep constantly employed a number of first-rate *Tailors,* and feel prepared to do all manner of *tailoring;* but those who desire their clothes made up after the latest fashions and in the most durable and substantial manner just give us a call.

We sell low, in this there is no mistake, notwithstanding others may say they can sell from 30 to 50 per cent lower than every body else, and as an evidence of what we say, let all call and look at our Goods and we feel confident that those who want *clothing* will surely buy.

Bear in mind that SMITH & TONG are practical Tailors, have followed their business for many years, and might with propriety be said to understand perfectly the quality and make of their Goods, so that any article they sell may be relied upon as being good and substantial, or if found defective in any respect just return it and they will give satisfaction.

☞Don't forget the place, recollect the name and enquire for SMITH & TONG.
may 31, 1850 4

REMOVAL.
WILLIAM C. EMBRICH

HAS removed his BOOT & SHOE Establishment to the room in *Shaffer's Building one door East of the Tallmadge House,* where in addition to his Stock of his own manufacture, he will constantly keep on hand a general assortment of Cincinnati work for *Ladies, Gentlemen and Children.*

The work will all be done in the best manner and of the best material.

Thankful for the past patronage of the public, he respectfully solicits a continuance of their favors.
Lancaster, may 3, 1850 3m52

ROSS & RICHER
Wholesale Grocers, Commission and Forwarding MERCHANTS,
16 and 17 Front street, between Main and Sycamore,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

CONSIGNMENTS of Produce, for Sale or Shipment, carefully and promptly attended to. Orders for the purchase of every description of property receive strict personal attention.

☞Liberal advances made on consignments for sale in this market.
Cincinnati, November 20, 1850. *3m22

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TALLMADGE HOUSE,
Main Street, Lancaster, Ohio,
LYDY & BROWN, PROPRIETORS.

THE Tallmadge House is pleasantly situated, and has recently been newly furnished. Every attention paid to guests to make their situation comfortable.

WEDDING and PLEASURE PARTIES can be accommodated in the best style, having rooms for such occasions. A large and commodious Stable is attached to the premises.
Lancaster, may 17, 1850. 1y2

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BRASEE & TALLMADGE,
Attorneys and Solicitors,
LANCASTER, OHIO.

WILL practice in Fairfield and neighboring counties. OFFICE—North side of Main, 3 door West of Columbus Street. Lancaster, Feb. 1, 1850 6m39

JOHN GARAGHTY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Foster's Building, Main Street up stairs.
Lancaster December 31, 1849. d12t

J. McDOWELL Jr. R. B. BELL.

JOHN McDOWELL, Jr. & CO,
COMMISSION & FORWARDING MERCHANTS,
NEW ORLEANS,
NO. 12, POYDRAS STREET.
September 20, 1850 *1y20

MEDICAL NOTICE.
DOCTOR O. E. DAVIS,

OFFERS his services to the citizens of Lancaster and vicinity. OFFICE in the Telegraph building. RESIDENCE, first house north of the new school-house, Broad-street.
August 5, 1850. 195

VIRGIL E. & JOSEPH A. SHAW,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law.

OFFICE—On Main Street three doors west of the Hocking Valley Branch Bank.
Lancaster, May 18, 1849. 1y2

STANBERY & VAN TRUMP,
Attorneys at Law,

HAVE Removed their Office to the room formerly occupied by Wm. J. Reese, Esq., immediately opposite the residence of Daniel Sifford, Esq.
Lancaster, March 13, 1850. 45

Boot and Shoe Making.
REED & BAUGHMAN,

AT their OLD STAND on Main street *opposite the Hocking Valley Bank,* continue to keep on hand all kinds of work usual in their line, such as MEN'S *Fine Boots, Men's course fine Boots, Heavy Calf Boots, Coarse Boots.*

WOMEN'S *Morocco and Calf Boots and Shoes.* Also, *Ladies' French Morocco Buskins with double or single soles.*

Thankful for the many past favors received from the public, a continuation of their patronage is respectfully solicited. The best of work will at all times be kept on hand and will be sold at fair and reasonable prices. We invite all to come and examine our stock, as we intend at all times to keep on hand a general assortment.
Lancaster, march 29, 1850 1y47

NEW BOOKS.—Chamber's Miscellany, 10 Vols
Aspects of Nature, by Humboldt
Cosmos, a description of the Universe, do
Eldorado, Adventures in the Path of Empire, by Bayard Taylor
Hume's History of England, 5 vols
Milman's Gibbon's Rome, 4 do
Macaulay's England, 2 do
Rollin's History, 2 & 4 do
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For sale low by JOHN L. TUTHILL,
October 26, 1850. Opposite Shaffer's Hotel.

SCHOOL BOOKS.—A large lot, just received, embracing every kind used in our schools, and will be sold at prices to please.

Country Merchants can be supplied at the lowest wholesale prices.

Also, a fine stock of Miscellaneous books, embracing many new and valuable works, all of which will be sold at the lowest possible prices.
JOHN L. TUTHILL,
October 26, 1850 Opposite Shaeffer's Hotel.

German Grammar.—Ollendoff's new method of learning to read, write and speak the German language. Also, German Bibles, Testaments & Hymn Books, just received and for sale low at the book store of JOHN L. TUTHILL,
July 19, 1850. *Opposite Shaffer's Hotel.*

FARM FOR SALE.—A valuable farm containing EIGHTY ACRES, three and a half miles south-west of Lancaster, on the ridge road. There is about Forty Acres well improved, with a good two story LOG HOUSE, BARN, and a fine YOUNG ORCHARD of Choice FRUIT, and two never failing Springs. For sale by private contract, at any time between this date and the first of March next. Terms reasonable. Possession given next April, and title indisputable. S. H. ZINK.
Lancaster, October 31, 1850 36

RECEIPT OF NEW GOODS.

THE subscriber is now receiving and opening, at his STORE ROOMS,
First & 2d Doors East of the Swan Hotel
LANCASTER, OHIO:
An Extensive and Superior Stock of
Spring and Summer Goods,
selected in the Eastern Markets, with unusual care, from the latest importations; all of which will be sold at unusually low rates, to conform to the times—embracing all descriptions of
FANCY & STAPLE DRY GOODS,
in the *Silk, Linen, Cotton and Woollen* departments including some of the *most splendid* Dress Goods, and *innumerable fancys,* ever introduced in this market.

Also—A full Stock of Straw Goods, Parasols and Umbrellas; China, Glass and Queensware; warranted Boots and Shoes; with a full stock of GROCERIES, including a prime lot of TEAS, COFFEE, &c.

To all which the public attention is particularly invited! T. U. WHITE.
Lancaster, march 25, 1850. 82

Boots, Shoes, Leather and Findings.

THE undersigned have commenced receiving their Spring and Summer stock of Goods, which consist in part of the following articles:
Ladies' Black, Bronze, High & Low Buskins & Gaiters
" Fine Kid Slippers and Ties.
Misses' Black, Bronze & col'd Buskins and Slippers
Children's Black, Bronze & col'd Shoes and Gaiters
Men's Calf and Morocco Boots
" Buskin and Cassimere Gaiters, on hands and made to order;
" Coarse Boots, from $1,75 to $2,00 per pair
" Kip monroes for $1,00 " "
Boy's coarse Boots from $1,50 to $1,75 " "
All kinds of Findings, such as Kit, Thread, Pegs, Boot Webbing, Boot and Brogan Laces;

They have also on hand, a first rate article of *Spanish Sole Leather,* morocco, Linings and Bindings;

Also, continue to manufature and have on hand a splendid assortment of their own work, which is so well known as to need no other recommendation.

Their thanks are returned to the many friends who have hitherto extended to them so liberal a patronage.

The public generally and the Ladies in particular, are invited to call and examine their stock before purchasing elsewhere. WORK, SON & WORK.
Lancaster, march 29, 1850 47

College and School Text-Books.

PROFESSOR'S Anthon's, Bullion's, Andrew's and Stoddard's series of classical Book.
Professor Davis' Mathematical series.
" Robinson and Ray's Algebra, together with a full supply of Books used in our academies and common schools, for sale low at the book store of
JOHN L. TUTHILL,
Lancaster, July 19, 1850. *Opposit Shaffer Hotel*

NEW GOODS.—We are now opening a large portion of our purchase of *Fall & Winter Goods,* which have been bought at the lowest prices and will be sold at corresponding low rates. The styles and quality of our stock are of the most beautiful and durable kind, and we invite all our old customers and the public generally, to call and examine the stock.
LITTLE & DRESBACHS.
Lancaster, september 20, 1850. 20

DRESS TRIMMINGS.—A large assortment of Velvet Ribbons, Jenny Lind Braid, Neck Ribbons and Beltings for sale by LITTLE & DRESBACHS.
Lancaster, October 25, 1850. 25

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GREAT COUGH REMEDY!
AYER'S
CHERRY PECTORAL
For the Cure of
COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, AND CONSUMPTION.

In offering to the community this justly celebrated remedy for diseases of the throat and lungs, it is not our wish to trifle with the lives or health of the afflicted, but frankly to lay before them the opinions of distinguished men and some of the evidences of its success, from which they can judge for themselves. We sincerely pledge ourselves to make no wild assertions or false statements of its efficacy, nor will we hold out any hope to suffering humanity which facts will not warrant.

Many *proofs* are here given, and we solicit an inquiry from the public into all we publish, feeling assured they will find them perfectly reliable, and the medicine worthy their best confidence and patronage.

FROM BENJAMIN SILLIMAN, M. D., L. L. D., ETC., Professor of Chemistry, Mineralogy, &c., Yale College, Member of the Lit. Hist. Med. Phil. and Scien. Societies of America and Europe.

"I deem the CHERRY PECTORAL an admirable composition from some of the best articles in the Materia Medica, and a very effective remedy for the class of diseases it is intended to cure."

NEW HAVEN, Connecticut, Nov. 1, 1849.

Professor Cleaveland, of Bowdoin College, Maine, writes—"I have witnessed the effects of your 'CHERRY PECTORAL' in my own family & that of my friends and it gives me satisfaction to state in its favor that no medicine I have ever known has proved so eminently successful in curing diseases of the throat and lungs."

Rev. Dr. Good writes—"That he considers 'CHERRY PECTORAL' the best medicine for Pulmonary Affections ever offered to the public," and states that "his daughter after being obliged to keep her room four months with a severe settled cough, accompanied by raising of blood, night sweats, and the attendant symptoms of consumption, commenced the use of the 'CHERRY PECTORAL,' and had completely recovered."

HEAR THE PATIENT—Dr. Ayer—Dear Sir: For two years past I was afflicted with a very severe cough, accompanied by spitting of blood and profuse night sweats. By the advice of my attending physician I was induced to use your CHERRY PECTORAL, and continued to do so till I considered myself cured, and ascribe the effect to your preparation. J. RANDALL.

Hampden ss. SPRINGFIELD; Nov. 27, 1848.

This day appeared the above named James Randall, and pronounced the above statement true in every respect. LORENZO NORTON, Justice.

THE REMEDY THAT CURES.

PORTLAND, Maine, Jan. 10, 1847.

Dr. Ayer: I have been long afflicted with *Asthma* which grew yearly worse until last autumn, it brought on a cough which confined me in my chamber, and began to assume the alarming symptoms of consumption. I had tried the best advice and the best medicine to no purpose, until I used your CHERRY PECTORAL, which has cured me, and you may well believe me. Gratefully yours. J. D. PHELPS.

If there is any value in the judgement of the wise; who speaks from experience, here is a medicine worthy of the public confidence.

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WE daily hear of the most astonishing cures being effected by that great popular medicine, the genuine H. G. FARRELL'S ARABIAN LINIMENT, the greatest remedy ever discovered for almost all complaints requiring an external application, either in man or beast. In the short length of time it has been introduced to the people of the United States, it has gained a reputation unequaled by any other medicine in the known world. Why is it? The answer is plain; because no medicine of the kind has ever been put before the public so *deserving* of the rich laurels it has required; and it will continue to gain friends as long as it performs the most extraordinary cures of various descriptions, after the doctors and all other remedies had failed. We do not only *say* that the genuine H. G. Farrell's Arabian Liniment *can* and *does* perform cures which *no other medicine can do,* but you have here certificates of what it *has done.*

Thadeus Smith, of Mudd creek, Tazewell county, Illinois, says: "I had lost the use of my arm for more than a year, by palzy or paralysis; the flesh had entirely withered away, leaving nothing but skin, muscle and bone. I tried all the best doctors and all the remedies I could hear of, but they did no good. I then commenced the use of H. G. Farrell's Arabian Liniment, and a few bottles entirely cured me, and my arm is now as strong and fleshy as the other. It is also first-rate for burns, sprains and bruises.

The celebrated DOCTOR JAYNE, whose reputation as a benefactor to mankind extends over the whole world, reports that a lady of one of the first families in Philadelphia had been confined to her bed *fourteen years with Rheumatism,* and was *cured* by H. G. Farrell's Arabian Liniment. He also says: "Your liniment is going rapidly; send me a supply immediately by Leech's fast line."

My daughter, when 6 months old, was taken with a swelling in the tonsils, which grew larger and larger, till when 6 years old she had great difficulty in swallowing her food. Every night, watch was kept, fearing she would suffocate. The best doctors attended her, but could give no relief. I took her to the most eminent doctors in the East, they said there was no help for her but to outgrow it. With a sad heart I returned home with her, when she became so much worse that the doctors had to be called in again; they decided the tonsils must be cut off, as the only means of giving relief. My wife would not consent to this, and she determined to try your liniment, which gave relief the *very first* application, and by a continued use she entirely recovered. She is now 10 years old, and fleshy and healthy as could be desired. Your liniment is also the best in use for sprains, bruizes, cuts, burns, headache, &c.; and it will remove the most severe pain in a few minutes. It also cured caked udder in my cow in a few days. GEORGE FORD.
Peoria, March 29, 1849.

Mr. H. G. FARRELL: Your Arabian Liniment is the greatest medicine for horse flesh in the world. I had a mare about to foal, when she became so helpless that she could not rise from the ground; she was in this way for several days, when with 7 others I succeeded in raising her up, which was the only way it could be done, when I commenced the use of your excellent liniment, rubbed in well over the loins, and astonishing as it may appear, before I used up a bottle of the dollar size, she was able to get up and walk herself.—I would not have given ten dollars for her before, and many advised me to shoot her to put her out of misery: she is now one of my best mares. I suppose it was a strain in the loins. G. W. HUNT.
Peoria, Illinois, July 2, 1849.

LOOK OUT FOR COUNTERFEITS!—As they are in circulation. The true and only genuine H. G. Farrell's Arabian Liniment always reads with the H. G. his initials, before Farrell's, thus, "H. G. Farrell's Arabian Liniment;" and his signature is also on the label of the bottle, and these words are blown in the glass bottle, "H. G. Farrell's Arabian Liniment, Peoria." Do not touch any other, and look well before you purchase, or you will get imposed upon.

Manufactured ONLY by H. G. Farrell, sole inventor and proprietor, and wholesale Druggist, No. 17, Peoria, Ills; to whom all communications must be addressed; and for sale by G. KAUFFMAN, Lancaster,
J. CAMPBELL, Pickerington,
R. B. WALKER, West Rushville,
and by regular agents throughout the United States.
☞Call and get a Farrier Book, free of charge
November 15, 1850. 28

Life, Fire and Marine Insurance
BY THE
KNOX INSURANCE COMPANY
VINCENNES, STATE OF INDIANA.

THIS Company is now prepared to insure lives, against losses by fire and also against those losses that occur in the transportation of property. It is doing business on a *large capital;* and its directors are men of wealth, & are well known throughout the West. The Directors of this company in establishing an agency in Lancaster, are prompted by no other than a liberal spirit of honorable compotion; and they are led to hope that the well established reputation of their company will be the introduction to a liberal patronage.

This company will take short risks on the lives of persons going to California. Apply to
VIRGIL E. SHAW, *Agent.*
Lancaster, march 29, 1850. 1y47

CO-PARTNERSHIP.—GILBERT DEVOL, JOSEPH KURTZMAN and ANDREW C. LIVINGSTON have entered into a co-partnership in the **Foundry and Machine Business,** under the firm-name of G. DEVOL & CO., and will carry on the business in all its various branches.

Thankful for the past favors bestowed upon the establishment, they hope to receive a liberal share of public patronage in future.

The old business will be settled up by GILBERT DEVOL at the Foundry, where it is hoped all indebted will make an early call.
G. DEVOL,
J. KURTZMAN,
A. C. LIVINGSTON.
Lancaster, April 15, 1850. 3m1

JUST STOP A LITTLE ONCE!

SUPERIOR Westphalia HAMS
Best mould Candles
Good White, Yellow and Brown Soap for common Washing and Extra Lard for Culinary purposes.
Just at hand, and for sale low at No. 106, by
M. Z. KREIDER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in *every thing!*
Lancaster, April 19, 1850. 50

TRICKS OF QUACKS.

LET EVERYBODY READ THIS CAREFULLY.—There is Sarsaparilla for sale in the different towns called S. P. Townsend's Sarsaparilla. It is advertised as the ORIGINAL, GENUINE, and all that. This Townsend is no doctor and never was; but was formerly a worker on railroads, canals, and the like—yet he assumes the title of Doctor for the purpose of gaining credit for what he is not. He says "he has attended two medical schools, and practiced for fifteen years!!" Now the truth is, he never practiced medicine a day in his life! Such *wilful,* wicked misrepresentation looks bad to the character and veracity of the man. I wish most sincerely, he had never made those statements of himself or of me. When will men learn to be honest and truthful in all their dealings and intercourse with their fellow men? He applied to one Ruel Clapp to assist him in manufacturing his mixture, stating the large sums he would make, as an inducement to embark in the business. These men have been insulting and libelling me in all possible forms, in order to impress the public with the belief that the Old Doctor's Sarsaparilla was not the *genuine, original Sarsaparilla,* made from the *Old Doctor's Original Recipe.* This S. P. Townsend says I have sold the use of my name for $7 a week. I will give him $500 if he will produce one single solitary proof of this. His statements of Thompson, Skillman & Co., are nothing but a tissue of falsehoods, simply made to deceive the public, and keep the truth down in regard to his *souring, fermenting compound.* This is to caution the public to purchase none but Old Dr. JACOB Townsend's Sarsaparilla, having on it the Old Doctor's likeness, his *family Coat of Arms,* and his signature across the Coat of Arms.
Principal Office, 102 Nassau-street, N. Y. City.
JACOB TOWNSEND.

Old Dr. Jacob Townsend,
THE ORIGINAL DISCOVERER OF THE
Genuine Townsend Sarsaparilla.

Old Dr. Townsend is now about 70 years of age, and has long been known as the *AUTHOR* and *DISCOVERER* of the *GENUINE ORIGINAL "TOWNSEND SARSAPARILLA."* Being poor, he was compelled to limit its manufacture, by which means it has been kept out of market, and the sales circumscribed to those only who had proved its worth, and known its value. It had reached the ears of many, nevertheless, as those persons who had been healed of sore diseases, and saved from death, proclaimed its wonderful

HEALING POWER.

This GRAND AND UNEQUALLED PREPARATION is manufactured on the largest scale, and is called for throughout the length and breadth of the land, especially as it is found incapable of degeneration or deterioration.

Unlike young S. P. Townsend's, it improves with age, and never changes but for the better; because it is prepared on *scientific principles* by a *scientific man.* The highest knowledge of Chemistry, and the latest discoveries of the art, have all been brought into requisition in the manufacture of the Old Dr's Sarsaparilla. The Sarsaparilla root, it is well known to medical men, contains many medicinal properties, and some properties which are inert or useless, and others, which if retained in preparing it for use, produce *fermentation* and *acid,* which is injurious to the system. Some of the properties of Sarsaparilla are so *volatile* that they entirely evaporate and are lost in the preparation, if they are not preserved by a *scientific process,* known only to those experienced in its manufacture. Moreover, these *volatile principles,* which fly off in vapor, or as an exhalation, under heat, are the very *essential medical properties* of the root, which give to it all its value.

Any person can boil or stew the root till they get a dark colored liquid, which is more from the coloring matter in the root than from anything else; they can then strain this insipid or vapid liquid, sweeten with sour molasses, and then call it "SARSAPARILLA EXTRACT or SYRUP." But such is not the article known as the

GENUINE OLD DR JACOB TOWNSEND'S SARSAPARILLA.

This is so prepared that all the inert properties of the Sarsaparilla root are first removed, everything capable of becoming acid or fermentation is extracted and rejected; then every particle of medical virtue is secured in a pure and concentrated form; and thus it is rendered incapable of losing any of its valuable and healing properties. Prepared in this way, it is made the most powerful agent in the

Cure of Innumerable Diseases.

Hence the reason why we hear commendation on every side in its favor by men, women, and children. We find it doing wonders in the cure of *CONSUMPTION, DYSPEPSIA,* and *LIVER-COMPLAINT,* and in *RHEUMATISM, SCROFULA, PILES, COSTIVENESS,* all *CUTANEOUS ERUPTIONS, PIMPLES, BLOTCHES,* and all affections arising from

IMPURITY OF THE BLOOD.

It possesses a marvellous efficacy in all complaints arising from *Indigestion,* from *Acidity of the Stomach,* from unequal circulation, determination of blood to the head, palpitation of the heart, cold feet and hands, cold chills and hot flashes over the body. It has not its equal in *Colds* and *Coughs;* and promotes easy expectoration and gentle perspiration, relaxing strictures of the lungs, throat and every other part.

But in nothing is its excellence more manifestly seen and acknowledged than in all kinds and stages of

FEMALE COMPLAINTS.

It works wonders in cases of *Fluor Albus* or *Whites, Falling of the Womb, Obstructed, Suppressed,* or *Painful Menses, Irregularity* of the menstrual periods, and the like; and is effectual in curing all the forms of *Kidney Diseases.*

By removing obstructions, and regulating the general system, it gives tone and strength to the whole body, and thus cures all forms of

Nervous Diseases and Debility,

and thus prevents or relieves a great variety of other maladies, as *Spinal irritation, Neuralgia, St. Vitus' Dance, Swooning, Epileptic Fits, Convulsions,* &c.

It cleanses the blood, excites the liver to healthy action, tones the stomach, and gives good digestion, relieves the bowels of torpor and constipation, allays inflammation, purifies the skin, equalizes the circulation of the blood, producing gentle warmth equally all over the body, and the insensible perspiration; relaxes strictures and tightness, removes all obstructions, and invigorates the entire nervous system. Is not this then

The Medicine you pre-eminently need?

But can any of these things be said of S. P. Townsend's inferior article? This young man's liquid is not to be

COMPARED WITH THE OLD DR'S,

because of one GRAND FACT, that the one is INCAPABLE of DETERIORATION, and

NEVER SPOILS,

while the other DOES: *souring, fermenting,* and *blowing the bottles* containing it into fragments; the sour, acid liquid exploding, and damaging other goods! Must not this horrible compound be poisonous to the system?—*What! put acid into a system already diseased with acid?* What causes Dyspepsia but acid? Do we not all know that when food sours in our stomachs, what mischief it produces?—flatulence, heartburn, palpitation of the heart, liver complaint, diarrhœa, dysentery, colic, and corruption of the blood? What is Scrofula but an acid humor in the body? What produces all the humors which bring on Eruptions of the Skin, Scald Head, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, White Swellings, Fever Sores, and all ulcerations internal and external? It is nothing under heaven but an acid substance, which sours, and thus spoils all the fluids of the body, more or less. What causes Rheumatism but a sour and acid fluid which insinuates itself between the joints and elsewhere, irritating and inflaming the delicate tissues upon which it acts? So of nervous diseases, of impurity of the blood, of deranged circulation, and nearly all the ailments which afflict human nature.

Now is it not horrible to make and sell, and *infinitely* worse to use this

SOURING, FERMENTING, ACID "COMPOUND" OF S. P. TOWNSEND,

and yet he would fain have it understood that Old Dr. Jacob Townsend's *Genuine Original Sarsaparilla,* is an IMITATION of his inferior preparation!!

Heaven forbid that we should deal in an article which would bear the most distant resemblance to S. P. Townsend's *article!*

We wish it understood, because it is the *absolute truth,* that S. P. Townsend's article and old Dr. Jacob Townsend's Sarsaparilla are *heaven-wide apart, and infinitely dissimilar;* that they are unlike in every particular, having not one single thing in common.

As S. P. Townsend is no doctor, and never was, is no chemist, no pharmaceutist—knows no more of medicine or disease than any other common, unscientific, unprofessional man, what *guarantee* can the public have that they are receiving a genuine scientific medicine, containing all the virtues of the articles used in preparing it, and which are incapable of changes which might render them the AGENTS of Disease instead of health?

But what else should be expected from one who knows nothing comparatively of medicine or disease? It requires a person of some experience to cook and serve up even a common decent meal. How much more important is it that the persons who manufacture medicine designed for

WEAK STOMACHS AND ENFEEBLED SYSTEMS,

should know well the medical properties of plants, the best manner of securing and concentrating their healing virtues, also an extensive knowledge of the various diseases which affect the human system, and how to adapt remedies to these diseases!

It is to arrest frauds upon the unfortunate, to pour balm into wounded humanity, to kindle hope in the despairing bosom, to restore health, and bloom, and vigor into the crushed and broken, and to banish infirmity that OLD DR JACOB TOWNSEND has SOUGHT and FOUND the opportunity and means to bring his

Grand Universal Concentrated Remedy

within the reach, and to the knowledge of all who need it that they may learn and know, by joyful experience, its

Transcendant Power to Heal.

For sale by GEORGE G. BECK,
Oct. 12, 1849 23 Main street, Lancaster.

FAIRFIELD FACTORY.
EZRA CARPENTER,

RESPECTFULLY informs the public that he has associated in business with himself ROBERT and GEORGE LOWRY. He has also added to his Establishment the most improved machinery, which will enable them to manufacture Cloth, Kerseys, Flannels, Kersemere, Satinet, Tweed and Blankets in the best style, and at the shortest notice.

Common Wool will be manufactured into Cloth for forty cents per yard.

Three-quarters blooded merino and upward, superfine finish, 60 cents per yard.

Sattinet 40 cents per yard. Blankets $3 to $3,50 per pair. Flannels, &c., in proportion.

Every body is aware that fine cloth is more valuable than coarse, and that the difference in the price depends more on the labor bestowed, than the cost of the raw material. The difference therefore, in the price of manufacturing fine and coarse wool will be explained by the finish which, will not be inferior to Eastern Goods.

Wool Carding, Cloth Dressing and Spinning,

Will be done in the best manner, at customary prices. In as much as the expenses of the business are heavy, and profits light, prompt payment will necessarily be required for all orders in their business.

20,000 lbs. Wool Wanted—for which Goods will be given in exchange.
May 17, 1850 2

French Books.

FRENCH Grammars, Dictionaries and Readers Testaments and Bibles; also, Spanish Books.
October 4, 1850. JOHN LEHMAN.

CLOTHING STORE.
SPRINGER & TROUT,
Shawk's Row, Main Street opposite George G. Beck's Drug Store,

HAVE received a handsome variety of READY MADE CLOTHING, which, FOR CASH, they will sell as low as any other establishment of the kind in Lancaster. They deem it unnecessary to enumerate the articles, but invite their friends to give them a call before they purchase at other places.

They would say to their old friends and the public, that, in connection with the above, they still continue their old business of **Fashionable Tailoring,** in which line of business they flatter themselves they will be able to give general satisfaction. Give us a call.
Lancaster, April 26, 1850.

REMOVAL.

JOHN C. FLOOD has removed his Shop to the House nearly *opposite the residence of Mr. P. Bope,* on Broad street, North of the court house, where he will continue the business of **Blacksmithing,** in all its various branches. He is prepared to Iron and repair *Wagons, Buggies, Ploughs, &c.*

Buggy Springs made and repaired to order, together with all other kinds of work done by Blacksmiths.

Horse-Shoeing.—Particular attention paid to this branch of the business.

All his work will be done in *good workmanlike manner* and *cheap for cash* or good trade.

Thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to business in his new place to continue to merit a good share of public patronage.
Lancaster, April 19, 1850 50tf

CHECKERED
WHOLESALE & RETAIL
CLOTHING
AND FURNISHING EMPORIUM!

WE wish to inform our old friends and customers, that in addition to our former large assortment of furnishing Goods, we now, have added to it, one of the most extensive stock of

Spring & Summer Clothing,

that has ever been offered West of the Mountains. We cannot go into full particulars, nor are we willing to bribe the sickly efforts of a POET'S *shadow,* to give a doggeral description of our different articles. But to be candid and brief we are prepared to clothe every *Man, Youth* and *Boy,* of all sizes and ages, in Fairfield county (from head to foot) full TEN PER CENT CHEAPER than those small concerns can possibly do. We dislike very much to make a blowing-horn out of a Goose Quill, by showing you a stock of *Clothing on paper,* and having a whole *Trunk full* to offer you.

What we set forth in this notice, you will find on examination to be true to the letter.
☞Don't forget the *Old Checkered Clothing Store.*
☞Between the two Tin-Shops.
☞Opposite the Hocking Valley Bank.
Lancaster, may 17, 1850 COULEHAN & CO.

SILK Under Shirts for Gentlemen and Ladies for sale at the *OLD CHECKERED STORE.*
Lancaster, may 17, 1850. 2

The Graefenberg Medicines.

THE Children's Panacea. Price, 50 cents per bottle, with full directions.

The Graefenberg Dysentery Syrup, a certain and immediate cure for Dysentery, Diarrhea, Cholera Morbus, Asiatic Cholera, &c. price 50 cents per bottle.

Dr. Libby's Pile Ointment, warranted a certain cure, price, $1 per bottle.

The Green Mountain Ointment, price, 25 cts per box.

The Graefenberg Eye Lotion, price 25 cents per bottle, with full directions.

The Graefenberg Sarsaparilla Compound price $1 per bottle.

The Graefenberg Health Bitters, price 25 cents per package.

For sale by Reinmund, Beck & Son, Lancaster; Gares and Taylor, Groveport; D. B. Rinehart, Lithopolis; A. D. Benadum Waterloo; A. R. Mithoff, Lockvill; W. F. Breck & Co. Carroll; Leonard & Brother, Basil; William Myers, Havensport; E. Geohegan, Baltimore; James Claypole, New Salem; P. Hane, Pleasantville; W. I., & J. W. Clement, Royalton, Nathan Worrall, Amanda; Samuel Dum, Greencastle.

General Depot at J. D. Daughty's Drug Store, north east corner of Main and 5th street, Cincinnati, Ohio.
August 30, 1850. 8m16

Notions

A LARGE stock of well selected Fancy Notions such as Pocket Books, Pencils, Spectacles, Shirt Buttons, Fans, Baskets, Knitting Needles, Pins, &c.
Just received by G. KAUFFMAN.

Moore's and Pennock's
PATENT WHEAT DRILLS
For Drilling Wheat, Rye, Oats, Corn, Barley, Beans, Peas, &c. &c. &c.

THESE Machines operate well on all kinds of land, & are not injured by coming in contact with rocks, roots, &c. They will plant point rows, and irregular shaped fields, without sowing any part twice over. They will with ease for two horses, plant from 10 to 12 acres per day of Wheat, Rye, Oats, Barley and other small grain. They will readily plant from 12 to 15 acres per day of Corn, Beans, Peas, &c.

They will save from 2 to 3 pecks of seed per acre, and yield from 20 to 25 per cent more than broadcast seeding, by distributing the grain uniformly at any desired depth, and leaving a ridge of earth between the rows. The roots of the young plant are protected during the winter by the action of the frost and rain mouldering the earth upon them, instead of being thrown out and exposed as in broadcast. On this account the stalk is stronger and less subject to mildew, and is not so liable to injury by fly. The farmer is frequently prevented by rain from harrowing in his grain after it is sown, which harrowing is not necessary in seeding with the Machines, as they complete the work at once.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

UNIONVILLE, *Chester County, Pa., Feb. 8, 1848.*

I do hereby certify that I have used one of Pennock's Patent Drills for five years, and put in from 50 to 70 acres of wheat for myself every year since, and have never failed having a good crop. I think I can safely say that I have realized from 50 to 50 per cent, or that it is has averaged me from $300 to $400, and even $500 a year, over the usual broadcast seeding. My land being low, I have lost greatly by the winter throwing the roots entirely out, which is wholly obviated by drilling. I would not take $500 for my Drill if I could not get another of the kind. JOHN HUEY.

HOCKING TOWNSHIP, *Fairfield Co., Ohio, July 28, 1850*

This may certify that I purchased and used last season one of Moore's Patent Wheat Drills, and without hesitation I recommend it to all wheat growers, as one of the most valuable improvements offered to the agricultural community—for the simple reason that it does the work better—takes one third less seed—saves from 25 to 30 per cent of labor in putting out—and will in my opinion give a yield of 25 per cent more generally, and upon lands liable to freeze out when sown in the common way will give more than double the yield. I drilled some 70 acres last fall for my neighbors all of whom concur with me in the opinion that it has many decided advantages over all other modes of putting out wheat. I drilled a field for John Arney, Esq., who sowed another field in the common way and I believe all who have examined the two fields, give it as their opinion that the drilled field will nearly if not quite double the broadcast in the yield notwithstanding the field sown in the common way was the freshest and stronger ground.

In a field of mine of fifteen acres I had three acres sown broadcast, two bushels of seed per acre, the balance of the field was drilled with one bushel of seed per acre—the drilled wheat was much the largest and when we came to harvest the thickest on the ground. This machine operates well on stumpy, hilly or cloddy ground, which I have fully tested and have no hesitation in saying is much better than either the Plow or harrow. JOSHUA CLARKE.

FAIRFIELD COUNTY, OHIO, July 27, 1850.

This may certify that we have used on our farms, the last year, in seeding wheat, Moore's Patent Grain Drill; and from the results, are well convinced that it answers a most valuable purpose. We find it well adapted to all kinds of lands, hilly, stony and stumpy. Upon such land we found no difficulty in using it. We believe it cannot be surpassed on any kinds of land; and on low and wet lands we have found it to answer the purpose most admirably—wheat sowed by this Drill, not being subject to freeze out on low lands, as that sowed in the ordinary way, by broadcast. From our experience, we are fully satified that there is a great saving in seed, by using this Drill, and a much larger yield in the crop—and we shall continue the use of this Drill hereafter in seeding all our wheat, and recommend it to all farmers.

SAMUEL KIRKWOOD,
J. A. HARRISON,
ANDREW PEARSE,
JOSEPH YODER,
SAMUEL BYLER,
SAMUEL ZOOK,
WILLIAM BUSBY,
DAVID RUGH.

REFERENCES.—George Weaver, John Arney, Esq., Alfred McVeigh, Esq., John Ellinger, Daniel Kutz, Lancaster, Fairfield county, Ohio; John A. Collins, Esq. Abraham Stutzman, Jeremiah Miller, Christian Byler, Fairfield county, Ohio.

The subscribers have in their possession the patent right of the counties of Fairfield, Pickaway, Franklin and Licking, of the State of Ohio, for the above Machines, and would respectfully announce that they are prepared to fill all orders with which they may be favored, either personally or by letter, from persons living in their counties. Address
WRIGHT & SELBY,
Lancaster, Fairfield county, August 16, 1850 15

JOHN R. MUMAUGH.

WILL attend to the settlement and collection of claims in Fairfield and adjoining counties.
OFFICE—Tallmadge Block, Second Floor.
Lancaster, January 4, 1850. 35

1000 DOLLARS REWARD,
Is offered for a better recipe for the Cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, Spitting of Blood, Night Sweats, Diseases of the Throat, Pain in the Side and Breast, and all diseases tending to Consumption, than
DR. HALL'S
BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS.
A COMPOUND SYRUP OF
☞CANCHALAGUA.☜

Canchalagua is a new article of medicine, lately introduced into this country from
☞CALIFORNIA!!☜

Read what men of the highest standing in our country, say of its remarkable CURATIVE properties.

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HON. JOHN C. JONES, formerly Consul of the United States at the Sandwich Islands, says in a letter published in the New York Mercantile Times, dated
Boston, Dec. 10, 1848.

My Dear Sir—My own experience has shown me, in very many cases, during a residence of some years in Alta California, how almost certain the CANCHALAGUA is to break up a fever, and its powerful effect as a Tonic to strengthen the patient after the fever has left. Indeed, taken as a tonic merely, the Canchalagua surpasses all others, in its strengthening qualities, which have come under my observation.

As a household medicine, it may be deemed invaluable; as an antidote, it is unsurpassed in ALL maladies tending to PULMONARY AFFECTIONS. As a febrifuge and purifier of the blood, its medicinal qualities are without equal; and as a tonic, it is the ne plus ultra.

With great regard, your obedient servant, JOHN C. JONES.

Extract of a letter from Alfred Robinson, Esq., author of "Life in California."
NEW YORK, Jan. 27, 1849.

Dear Sir—I will comply with pleasure with your request, and impart such knowledge as I possess of the essential qualities of the CANCHALAGUA, a plant but little known as yet in the United States, but which from its superior medicinal properties, is destined to supersede many of the drugs now in common use.

During a long residence in *Alta California,* I had frequent opportunities of witnessing its beneficial effects, and of observing the great estimation in which it was regarded by the inhabitants generally; thus enabling me to write freely, and with great confidence, as to its ASTONISHING MEDICINAL VIRTUES.

A supply of it there, in every family, is considered of VITAL IMPORTANCE. In the Spring of the year, it is resorted to as a matter of course, when an infusion of it is drunk two or three times a day, for about a week. It imparts TONE and VIGOR to the digestive organs, and regulates all nervous and arterial derangements.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant, ALFRED ROBINSON.

The above statements of Messrs. JONES and ROBINSON are also corroborated by LUIZ HENRIQUE FERREIRA D'AGUIAR, Consul General from Brazil to the United States, and by ARCHIBALD FOSTER, Vice Consul from Brazil, at Boston.

From the New York Journal of Commerce.

CANCHALAGUA.—Our communication with California, has led to the introduction into this country of this remarkable medicinal plant. But for the respectable sources of our information, we should be disposed to doubt much of the astonishing virtues ascribed to it. In California and Mexico, it is regarded as an assured remedy for all the maladies which "flesh is heir to." In this country, it has proved beneficial in eradicating ☞*ALL THE DISEASES WHICH TEND TO CONSUMPTION;* and we cannot doubt but that it will be appreciated generally.

We also take pleasure in referring to the following Distinguished Individuals who have derived personal benefit from the use of the CANCHALAGUA, and have given their written statements in favor of its efficacy.

THOMAS SHAW, Esq., of Boston, a merchant well known in the United States, from his connection with the American Baptist Missionary Union.

SAMUEL J. HASTINGS, Esq., of New York,
J. PETERSON, of Boston,
JAMES P. ARTHUR, of Boston.

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CONSUMPTION CAN BE PREVENTED!
CINCINNATI TESTIMONY.
Cincinnati, Jan. 16, 1849.

Dear Sir—I take great pleasure in recommending to the public, a most efficacious remedy for the cure of all Pulmonary Affections, DR. HALL'S BALSAM for the LUNGS. I do not profess to understand the treatment of Consumption in all its different stages and in all the phases that it assumes before it consigns its victims to the grave, but of one thing I am assured, that if I had not made use of this invaluable remedy, I should myself have fallen a victim to its unyielding grasp. It is generally conceded that this disease is less understood, and more difficult to treat than almost any other. It is also admitted, that it should be attended to in the first stages. Any one who can discover a remedy that will check it in its first symptoms, is entitled to the gratitude of his fellow men. I believe that Dr. W. Hall has discovered a remedy.

During the months of January and February last, my lungs became so much affected as to cause great uneasiness at EVERY BREATH!!! I drew My cough, expectoration, and the VIOLENT PAINS in MY SIDE, indicated that the disease WAS SEATED ON MY LUNGS. At this time I commenced using DR. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS, which gave me IMMEDIATE RELIEF, and ONE BOTTLE RESTORED me to HEALTH. I am satisfied that if I had not used this VALUABLE MEDICINE, I SHOULD NOT HAVE SURVIVED THE WINTER!!! and I am confident that the most VIOLENT ATTACKS of CONSUMPTION!! treated in time with this prescription, MIGHT BE CURED.
ROBERT S. SKINNER,
Room No. 17 College building, Walnut street, Cincinnati.

This is to certify that I am acquainted with Mr. Skinner, and I believe his statement to be entitled to the fullest confidence of the public.
S. D. HOWE,
No. 1, College Building.

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CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED!!!
TESTIMONY OF A PHYSICIAN.

Messrs. STARR & CO.—Dear Sir.—The public generally, are fully aware of the thousands of remedies for Diseased Lungs, under the titles of Sarsaparillas, Pills, Plasters, Liniments, &c., that are daily brought to their notice through the newspapers, by way of advertisements. My object in writing this note for publication, is to induce the public, or at least those who are afflicted, (if they will use patent medicines,) to use one that contains articles of REAL USE in PULMONARY DISEASES. I am conscious that in so doing I am acting most unprofessionally, and derogatory to the interests of medical science and the regular practitioners of medicine. The medicine to which I refer is "Dr. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS." I have prescribed it in a large number of cases, and ALWAYS WITH SUCCESS. ONE CASE IN PARTICULAR, to which I wish now to refer, was GIVEN UP by SEVERAL PHYSICIANS who had been called in consultation with myself. The patient HAD ALL THE SYMPTOMS OF CONFIRMED CONSUMPTION!! *SUCH AS COLD NIGHT SWEATS, HECTIC FEVER, HARRASSING COUGH,* with Continued *PAIN* in the *LOBE* of the *RIGHT LUNG,* attended with *SEVERE DIARRHŒA!* He commenced immediately to get better by the use of the above named medicine, and was SOON RESTORED to his USUAL HEALTH!! I have also found Dr. Hall's Balsam the most VALUABLE EXPECTORANT for BREAKING UP DISTRESSING COUGHS and COLDS THAT I HAVE EVER USED.
Cincinnati, Nov. 27, 1849. W. D. WRIGHT, M. D.

☞ MORE CINCINNATI REFERENCES.☜

The proprietor is not willing that his mere assertion shall be the only certificate of the virtues of this great remedy for CONSUMPTION; nor has he room to publish in the columns of a newspaper the hundreds, aye thousands of certificates which have been voluntarily proffered him by those who have been CURED by it, but will refer the public to the FOLLOWING WELL KNOWN CITIZENS OF CINCINNATI:

Mrs. SARAH McLEAN, sister-in-law to HON. JUDGE McLEAN, 5th st. 2 doors west of Walnut; JOHN KEYS, Esq. Secretary of the Water Works; Mr. ALFRED A. NORTH, Druggist, cor. Clark and John streets; EBENEZER HARRISON, Magistrate; Mrs. MENKEN, 5th street, 3 doors east of Lodge; GEORGE SEIG, Esq. Gazette Office; Mr. D. McGOVERAN, Saddler, 5th street, 5 doors west of Race; T. SHIMER, Esq., Byron House; JAS. READ, Esq., Deputy Marshall; Mr. ASPINWALL, Watchmaker, Clinton buildings, Western Row; *Mrs. EZEKIEL ROSS, 7th street, between Cutter and Linn, south side.

*Note. Mrs. Ross had been afflicted with DISEASED LUNGS for FIVE YEARS, during which time she tried all the various Popular Remedies, and for the last FIVE MONTHS was under the care of an EMINENT PHYSICIAN of Cincinnati, without the LEAST PERMANENT BENEFIT, AND HAD GIVEN UP ALL HOPES of RECOVERY. DR. HALL'S BALSAM RESTORED her, and she yet enjoys PERFECT HEALTH!! The afflicted would do well to call on her, and hear from HER OWN LIPS to WHAT SHE IS INDEBTED for her LIFE AND HEALTH!!

☞IT IS REQUESTED THAT IN ALL CASES where this Medicine does not give RELIEF in the SHORT SPACE of 24 or 48 HOURS to return the bottle, and the money will be CHEERFULLY REFUNDED.

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A. S. SCOVILL,
Corner of Fifth and Race streets.
Also by LAPPING, LOW & CO. and PETER, ROBINSON & CO. } Louisville, Ky
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June 23, 1850. Main street, Lancaster, Ohio

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VAUGHN'S
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As this medicine, under its reduced price, will be purchased by those who have not hitherto made themselves acquainted with its virtues, the proprietor would beg to intimate that his article is not to be classed with the vast amount of "Remedies of the day;" it claims for itself *a greater healing power, in all diseases, than any other preparation now before the world;* and has sustained itself for eight years by its superior medical virtues, and, until this reduction, commanded double the price of any other article in this line.

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June 14, 1850. 1y6

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JOHN GARAGHTY.
Lancaster, December 31, 1849. d12t