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he still continues to keep the best bread and
flour, butter, eggs, cakes, sweets, biscuits
and other articles which are in general de-
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Jan. 15, 1863.—1y

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so combined with other substances of still
greater alternative power as to afford an effec-
tive antidote for the diseases Sarsaparilla is
reputed to cure. It is believed that such a
remedy is wanted by those who suffer from
Stomach complaints, and that one which will
accomplish their cure must prove of immense
service to this large class of our afflicted fellow-
citizens. How completely this compound will
do it has been proven by experiment on many
of the worst cases to be found of the following
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SCURF AND SCORFULOUS SORES, ULCERS,
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RALGIA OF THE DOWELDER, DERMATITIS, DYS-
PEPSIA AND INDIGESTION, ERYSIPELAS, ROSE
OR ST. ANTHONY'S FIRE, and indeed the whole
class of complaints arising from IMPURITY OF
THE BLOOD.

This compound will be found a great pro-
moter of health, when taken in the spring, to
expel the foul humors which foster in the
blood at that season of the year. By the timely
expulsion of them many rankling disorders
are nipped in the bud. Multitudes can, by
the aid of this remedy, spare themselves from
the endurance of foul eruptions and ulcerous
sores, through which the system will strive to
rid itself of impurities, if not assisted to do
this through the natural channels of the body
by an alternative medicine. Cleanse out the
vitiated blood whenever you find its impurities
bursting through the skin in pimples, eruptions,
or sores; cleanse it when you find it is ob-
structed and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it
whenever it is foul, and your feelings will tell
you when. Even where no particular disorder
is felt, people enjoy better health, and live
longer, for cleansing the blood. Keep the
blood healthy, and all is well; but with this
pabulum of life disordered, there can be no
lasting health. Sooner or later something
must go wrong, and the great machinery of
life is disordered or overthrown.

Sarsaparilla has, and deserves much, the
reputation of accomplishing these cures, and
the world has been egregiously deceived by
preparations of it, partly because the drug
alone has not all the virtue that is claimed
for it, but more because many preparations,
pretending to be concentrated extracts of it,
contain but little of the virtue of Sarsaparilla,
or any thing else.

During late years the public have been mis-
led by large bottles, pretending to give a quan-
ty of Extract of Sarsaparilla for one dollar. Most
of these have been frauds upon the sick, for
they not only contain little, if any, Sarsapa-
rilla, but often no curative properties what-
soever. Hence, bitter and painful disappoint-
ment has followed the use of the various extracts of
Sarsaparilla which flood the market, until the
name itself is truly despised, and has become
synonymous with imposition and cheat. Still
we call this compound Sarsaparilla, and intend
to supply such a remedy as shall rescue the
name from the load of obloquy which rests
upon it. And we think we have ground for
believing it has virtues which are irresistible
by the ordinary run of the diseases it is intend-
ed to cure. In order to secure their complete
eradication from the system, the remedy should
be judiciously taken according to directions on
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it is entirely unnecessary for us to recount the
evidence of its virtues, whenever it has been em-
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throughout this section, we need not do more than
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it ever has been, and that it may be relied on to
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Piles, Rheumatism, Eruptions and Skin Diseases,
Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Tetters, Tumors and
Salt Rheum, Worms, Gout, Neuralgia, as a
Dinner Pill, and for Purifying the Blood.

They are sugar-coated, so that the most sensi-
tive can take them pleasantly, and they are the
best aperient in the world for all the purposes of a
family physic.

Price 25 cents per Box; Five boxes for \$1.00.

Great numbers of Clergymen, Physicians, States-
men, and eminent personages, have lent their
names to certify the unparalleled usefulness of these
remedies, but our space here will not permit the
insertion of them. The Agents below named fur-
nish gratis our AMERICAN ALMANAC in which they
are given; with also full descriptions of the above
complaints, and the treatment that should be fol-
lowed for their cure.

Do not be put off by unprincipled dealers with
other preparations; they make more profit on
Demand AYER'S, and take no others. The sick
want the best and there is for them, and they should
have it.

All our remedies are for sale by

OLD IRON.

OLD IRON taken in exchange for goods
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Feb. 5, 1863.—1y

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1,318 PIECES OF ASSORTED JEWELRY FOR \$50.

A COMPLETE List of Fine Gold, Plated
and Oricid Jewelry, sent free.
Address J. A. SALISBURY, Agent,
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PROVIDENCE, R.

THE CONSCRIPTION ACT!

Full Particulars of the Enrolment.

AN ACT for enrolling and calling
out the National forces, and for
other purposes:

WHEREAS, There now exist in the
United States an insurrection and
rebellion against the authori-
ty thereof, and it is, under the Con-
stitution of the United States, the
duty of the government to suppress
insurrection and rebellion, to guar-
antee to each State a republican
form of government, and to pre-
serve the public tranquility; and
whereas, for these high purposes, a
military force is indispensable, to
raise and support which all persons
ought willingly to contribute; and
whereas, no service can be more
praiseworthy and honorable than
that which is rendered for the
maintenance of the Constitution
and Union, and the consequent
preservation of free government;
therefore

Be it enacted by the Senate and
House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Con-
gress assembled, That all able bodied
male citizens of the United
States, and persons of foreign birth
who shall have declared on oath
their intention to become citizens
under and in pursuance of the laws
thereof, between the ages of twenty
and forty-five years, except as here-
inafter excepted are hereby declared
to constitute the national forces,
and shall be liable to perform mili-
tary duty in the service of the United
States when called out by the
President for that purpose.

Sec. 2. And be it further enact-
ed, That the following persons be,
and they are hereby, excepted and
exempt from the provisions of this
act, and shall not be liable to mili-
tary duty under the same, to wit:
Such as are rejected as physically
or mentally unfit for the service;
also, first, the Vice President of the
United States, the Judges of the
various courts of the United States,
the heads of the various Executive
Departments of the government,
and the Governors of the several
States. Second, the only son liable
to military duty of a widow depen-
dent upon his labor for support.
Third, the only son of aged or in-
firm parent or parents dependent
upon his labor support. Fourth,
where there are two or more sons
of aged or infirm parent or parents
subject to draft; the father or if he
be dead the mother may elect which
son shall be exempt. Fifth, the
only brother of children not twelve
years old, having neither father nor
mother, dependent upon his labor
for support. Sixth, the father of
motherless children, under twelve
years of age, dependent upon his
support. Seventh, where there are
a father and sons in the same fam-
ily and household, and two of them
are in the military service of the
United States as non-commissioned
officers, musicians or privates, the
residue of such family and house-
hold, not exceeding two, shall be
exempt. And no persons but such
as herein excepted shall be exempt;
Provided, however, that no person
who has been convicted of any fel-
ony shall be enrolled or permitted
to serve in said forces.

Sec. 3. And be it further enact-
ed, That the National forces of the
United States now in the military
service, enrolled under this act,
shall be divided into two classes,
the first of which shall comprise all
persons subject to do military duty
between the ages of twenty and
thirty five years, and all unmarried
persons subject to do military duty
above the age of thirty five and un-
der the age of forty five; the second
class shall comprise all other per-
sons subject to do military duty;
and they shall not, in any district,
be called into the service of the
United States until those of the first
class shall have been called.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted,
That, for greater convenience in en-
rolling, calling out and organizing
the National forces, and for the ar-
rest of deserters and spies of the
enemy, the United States shall be
divided into districts, of which the
District of Columbia shall consti-
tute one, each territory of the Uni-
ted States shall constitute one or
more as the President shall direct,
and each Congressional district of
the respective States, as fixed by a
law of the State next preceding the
enrolment, shall constitute one;
Provided, That in States which
have not by their laws been divided
into two or more Congressional
districts, the President of the Uni-
ted States shall divide the same into
as many enrolment districts as he
may deem fit and convenient.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted,
That for each of said districts there
shall be appointed by the President
a provost marshal, with the rank,
pay and emolument of a captain of
cavalry, or an officer of said rank
shall be detailed by the President,
who shall be under the direction
and subject to the orders of a provost
marshal general, appointed or
detailed by the President of the
United States, whose office shall be
at the seat of government, forming
a separate bureau of the War De-
partment, whose rank, pay and
emoluments shall be those of a col-
onel of cavalry.

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted,
That it shall be the duty of the pro-
vost marshal general, with the ap-
proval of the Secretary of War, to
make rules and regulations for the
government of his subordinates; to
furnish them with the names and
residences of all deserters from the
army, or any of the land forces in
the service of the United States, in-
cluding the militia, when reported
to him by the commanding officers;
to communicate to them all orders
of the President in reference to
calling out the National forces; to
furnish proper blanks and instruc-
tions for enrolling and drafting; to
file and preserve copies of all en-
rolment lists; to require stated re-
ports of all proceedings on the part
of his subordinates; to audit all ac-
counts connected with the service
under his direction; and to perform
such other duties as the President
may prescribe in carrying out the
provisions of this act.

Sec. 7. And be it further enacted,
That it shall be the duty of the pro-
vost marshals to arrest all desert-
ers, whether regulars, volunteers,
militiamen, or persons called into
the service under this or any other
act of Congress, wherever they may
be found, and to send them to the
nearest military commander or mili-
tary post; to detect, seize and con-
fine spies of the enemy, who shall,
without unreasonable delay, be de-
livered to the custody of the gen-
eral commanding the department
in which they may be arrested, to
be tried as soon as the exigencies of
the service permit; to obey all law-
ful orders and regulations of the
provost marshal general, and such
as may be prescribed by law, con-
cerning the enrolment and calling
into service of the National forces.

Sec. 8. And be it further enact-
ed, That in each of said districts there
shall be a board of enrolment, to be
composed of the provost marshal
as president, and two other per-
sons, to be appointed by the Presi-
dent of the United States, one of
whom shall be a licensed and prac-
ticing physician and surgeon.

Sec. 9. And be it further enact-
ed, That it shall be the duty of the
board to divide the district into sub-
districts of convenient size, if they
shall deem it necessary, not exceed-
ing two, without the direction of
the Secretary of War, and to ap-
point, on or before the tenth day of
March next, and in each alternate
year thereafter, an enrolling officer
for each sub district, and to furnish
him with proper blanks and in-
structions; and he shall immedi-
ately

proceed to enrol all persons
subject to military duty, netting
their respective places of residence,
ages on the first day of July fol-
lowing, and their occupation; and
shall, on or before the first day of
April, report the same to the board
of enrolment, to be consolidated
into one list; a copy of which shall
be transmitted to the provost mar-
shal on or before the first day of
May succeeding the enrolment;
Provided, nevertheless, That if,
from any cause, the duties prescrib-
ed by this section cannot be per-
formed within the time specified,
then the same shall be performed
as soon thereafter as practicable.

Sec. 10. And be it further enact-
ed, That the enrolment of each class
shall be made separately, and they
shall "only embrace" those whose
ages shall be, on the first day of
July thereafter, between twenty and
forty five years.

Sec. 11. And be it further enact-
ed, That all persons thus enroled
shall be subject, for two years after
the first day of July succeeding the
enrolment to be called into the mili-
tary service of the United States,
and to continue in service three
years or during the war; and when
called into service shall be placed
on the same footing, in all respects,
as volunteers during the present
rebellion; not, however, exceeding
the term of three years, including
advance pay, and bounty as now
provided by law.

Sec. 12. And be it further enact-
ed, That whenever it may be
necessary to call out the National
forces for military service, the
President is hereby authorized to
assign to each district the number
of men to be furnished by said
district; and thereupon the enroll-
ment Board shall, under the direc-
tion of the President, make a draft
of the required number, and fifty
per centum in addition, and shall
make an exact and complete roll
of the names of the persons so
drawn, and of the order in which
they were drawn, so that the first
drawn may stand first upon the
said roll, and the second may stand
second, and so on. And the per-
sons so drawn shall be notified of
the same within ten days there-
after, by a printed or written no-
tice, to be served personally, or by
leaving a copy at the last place of
residence, requiring them to appear
at a designated rendezvous to re-
port for duty. In assigning to the
district the number of men to be
furnished therefrom, the President
shall take into consideration the
number of volunteers and militia
furnished by and from the several
States in which said districts are
situated, and the period of their
service since the commencement of
the present rebellion, and shall
make said assignment as to equal-
ize the numbers among the dis-
tricts of the several States, allow-
ing for the numbers already fur-
nished as aforesaid, and the time
of their service.

Sec. 13. And be it further enact-
ed, That any person drafted and
notified to appear as aforesaid, map
on or before the day fixed for his
appearance, furnish an acceptable
substitute to take his place in the
draft; or he may pay to such per-
son as the Secretary of War may
authorize to receive it, such sum,
not exceeding three hundred dol-
lars, as the Secretary may deter-
mine, for the procurement of such
substitute, which sum shall be fixed
at a uniform rate by a general order
made at the time of ordering a draft
for any State or Territory; and
thereupon such person so furnish-
ing the substitute, or paying the
money, shall be discharged from
further liability under that draft.
And any person failing to report
after due service of notice as herein
prescribed without furnishing a
substitute, or paying the required
sum therefor, shall be deemed a
deserter, and shall be arrested by
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