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Under the auspices of this popular Institution, over *three hundred thousand homes* have learned to appreciate—by beautiful works of art on their walls, and choice literature on their tables, the great benefits derived from becoming a subscriber.

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In addition to the above benefits, there will be given to subscribers, as gratuitous premiums, over *Five hundred beautiful Works of Art!* comprising valuable paintings, marbles, parians, outlines, &c., forming a truly national benefit.

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The *Art Journal* is too well known to the whole country to need commendation. It is a magnificently illustrated magazine of Art, containing Essays, Stories, Poems, Gossip, &c., by the very best writers in America.

The Engraving is sent to any part of the country by mail, with safety, being packed in a cylinder, postage prepaid.

Subscriptions will be received until the evening of the 31st of January, 1861, at which time the books will close and the premiums be given to subscribers.

No person is restricted to a single subscription. Those remitting $15, are entitled to five memberships and to one extra engraving for their trouble.

Subscriptions from California, the Canadas, and all foreign countries, must be $3 50 instead of $3, in order to defray extra postage, etc.

For further particulars send for a copy of the elegantly illustrated *Art Journal*, pronounced the *handsomest Magazine in America*. It contains a Catalogue of premiums and numerous superb engravings. Regular price, 50 cents per number. Specimen copies, however, will be sent to those wishing to subscribe, on receipt of 18 cents in stamps or coin. Address,

C. L. DERBY, Actuary,
446 Broadway, N. Y.

N. B.—Subscriptions received and forwarded by H. B. Denman, Agent for Dowagiac and vicinity, where specimen Engravings and Art Journal can be seen.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of an Execution issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Cass, and State of Michigan, to me directed and delivered, I have levied upon and shall sell at public auction, at the Court House in the village of Cassapolis, in the County of Cass aforesaid, on Thursday the 13th day of December, A. D. 1860, at one o'clock in the afternoon, the following described real estate, to wit: Village lots number thirty-one (31,) thirty-two (32,) thirty-three (33,) and thirty-four (34,) in the original plat of Dowagiac village, in the County of Cass and State of Michigan.

JOSEPH N. MARSHALL, Sheriff.

Clarke & Spencer, Attorneys.

Dated at the Sheriff's Office, in Cassapolis, this 29th day of October, A. D. 1860. nov1-28w7

The above sale is adjourned until the twelfth day of January, A. D., 1861, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Cassapolis, in the County of Cass aforesaid.

JOSEPH N. MARSHALL, Sheriff.

Dated, this 13th day of December, A. D., 1860.

PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN — County of Cass Probate Court. — Whereas application has been made to the said court by Edward S. Pratt, administrator of the estate of Asher J. Wheeler, deceased, for the final settlement of his administration accounts in said estate:

And, whereas, no commissioners have been appointed to examine and adjust the claims against said estate:

Notice is therefore hereby given, that the fifth Saturday in December instant, has been appointed by said court for examining and adjusting the claims against said estate, and for the final settlement of the same, at the Probate Office, in Cassapolis, of said county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time and place all persons having claims against said estate will present them to said court for final settlement.

And it is hereby ordered that the above notice be published in the Cass County Republican once in each week, for four weeks in succession, immediately preceding said settlement.

C. SHANAHAN, Judge of Probate.

December 15, 1860. dec6-33w4

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a license granted by Clifford Shanahan, Judge of the Probate Court for the County of Cass in the State of Michigan, I shall offer for sale at public auction: The west half of the south-west quarter of section twenty-three in township seven, south of range fourteen west, in Cass County, Michigan, containing eighty acres of land more or less, on Saturday the twenty-ninth day of December next, between the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon and the setting of the sun the same day, on the premises above described, for the payment of the debts of Kinchen Artist deceased, and the costs and charges of Administration, subject to the right of dower of Sidney Lewis lately the widow of said deceased.

JEFFERSON OSBORN, Administrator.

Nov. 15, 1860. nov22-31w6

DR. GEO. W. FOSDICK,

SURGEON DENTIST,

OFFERS his Professional Services to the citizens of Dowagiac and surrounding country. Having had over twenty years experience in the Profession, feels confident of giving Satisfaction in all branches of Dentistry. I am prepared with the New and Improved CRYSTAL GOLD FOIL, SILVER and SPONGE GOLD FILLING.

☞ All Work Warranted. Terms Cash. Office over Mr. Bates' Provision Store, Front Street, Dowagiac.

Dowagiac, November 22d, 1860. nov22-31y1

NOTICE!

Grinding and Sharpening

RAZORS AND SCISSORS!

THE subscriber in addition to his usual business, is prepared with Machinery of the best kind for GRINDING RAZORS, SCISSORS AND KNIVES. Also, CLOTHES SCOURING done at his Barber Shop. His old customers and the public generally will find the undersigned at all business hours ready to attend to their wants. SHAVING, HAIR CUTTING and CHAMPOOING done in the most fashionable style with neatness and Dispatch. A liberal patronage is solicited.

☞ Shop over W. H. Atwood's Grocery Store.

T. J. MARTIN.

Dowagiac, Nov. 29, 1860. nov29-32tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Dowagiac and vicinity, that he is manufacturing LUMBER of all kinds, and stands ready to fill bills for Houses, Barns, &c., at short notice. Having a supply of Studding, Joist, Boards, &c., on hand, also, a quantity of good Logs on the Yard, he feels confident that all those wanting Lumber at short notice and a good article will receive entire satisfaction by giving him a call.

☞ Mill situated one mile west of Dowagiac on the Creek. JOHN H. OAKLEY, Jr.

Dowagiac, October 25th, 1860. oct25-27tf

A. A. FULLER,
HOTEL KEEPER,
Carriage and Wagon Maker,
Painter and Foundry Man,
VANDALIA, CASS COUNTY, MICH.

August 30, 1860. aug30-19tf

A GOOD Supply of CANDY and NUTS at the Bakery. A. G. TOWNSEND.

Miscellaneous.

The Amalgamation of Languages.—There is a growing tendency in this age to appropriate the most expressive words of other languages, and after a while to incorporate them into our own; thus the word Cephalic, which is from the Greek, signifying "for the head," is now becoming popularized in connection with Mr. Spalding's great Headache remedy, but it will soon be used in a more general way, and the word Cephalic will become as common as Electrotype, and many others whose distinction as foreign words has been worn away by common usage until they seem "native and to the manor born."

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'ardly Realized.

Hi 'ad 'n 'orrible 'eadache this hafternoon, hand I stepped into the hapothecaries hand says hi to the man, "Can you hease me of an 'eadache?" "Does it hache 'ard," says 'e, "Hexceedingly," says hi, hand upon that 'e gave me a Cephalic Pill, hand 'pon me 'onor it cured me so quick that I 'ardly realized I 'ad 'ad an 'eadache.

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☞ Headache is the favorite sign by which nature makes known any deviation whatever from the natural state of the brain, and viewed in this light it may be looked on as a safeguard intened to give notice of disease which might otherwise escape attention, till too late to be remedied; and its indications should never be neglected. Headaches may be classified under two names, viz: Symptomatic and Idiopathic. Symptomatic headache is exceedingly common and is the precursor of a great variety of diseases, among which are Apoplexy, Gout, Rheumatism, and all febrile diseases. In its nervous form it is sympathetic of the disease of the stomach constituting *sick headache*, of hepatic disease constituting *bilious headache*, of worms, constipation and other disorders of the bowels, as well as renal and uterine affections. Diseases of the heart are very frequently attended with headaches; Anæmia and plethora are also affections which frequently occasion headache. Idiopathic headache is also very common, being usually distinguished by the name of *nervous headache*, sometimes coming on suddenly in a state of apparently sound health and prostrating at once the mental and physical energies, and in other instances it comes on slowly, heralded by depression of spirits or acerbity of temper. In most instances the pain is in the front of the head, over one or both eyes, and sometimes provoking vomiting; under this class may also be named *Neuralgia*.

For the treatment of either class of headache the Cephalic Pills have been found a sure and safe remedy, relieving the most acute pains in a few minutes, and by its subtle power eradicating the diseases of which headache is the unerring index.

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Bridget.—Missus wants you to send her a box of Cephalic Glue, no, a bottle of prepared Pills—but I'm thinking that's not just it naither; but perhaps ye'll be afther knowing what it is. Ye see she's nigh dead and gone with the Sick Headache, and wants some more of that same as relaived her before.

Druggist.—You must mean Spalding's Cephalic Pills.

Bridget.—Och! sure now and you've sed it, here's the quarther and giv me the Pills and don't be all day about it aither.

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CONSTIPATION OR COSTIVENESS.

No one of the "many ills flesh is heir to" is so prevalent, so little understood, and so much neglected as Costiveness. Often originating in carelessness, or sedentary habits; it is regarded as a slight disorder of too little consequence to excite anxiety, while in reality it is the precursor and companion of many of the most fatal and dangerous diseases, and unless early eradicated it will bring the sufferer to an untimely grave. Among the lighter evils of which costiveness is the usual attendant are Headache, Colic, Rheumatism, Foul Breath, Piles and others of like nature, while a long train of frightful diseases such as Malignant Fevers, Abcesses, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Dyspepsia, Apoplexy, Epilepsy, Paralysis, Hysteria, Hypochondriasis, Melancholy and Insanity, first indicate their presence in the system by this alarming symptom. Not unfrequently the diseases named originate in Constipation, but take on an independent existence unless the cause is eradicated in an early stage. From all these considerations it follows that the disorder should receive immediate attention whenever it occurs, and no person should neglect to get a box of Cephalic Pills on the first appearance of the complaint, as their timely use will expel the insidious approaches of disease and destroy this dangerous foe to human life.

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A REAL BLESSING.

Physician.—Well, Mrs. Jones, how is that headache?

Mrs. Jones.—Gone! Doctor, all gone! the pill you sent cured me in just twenty minutes, and I wish you would send more so that I can have them handy.

Physician.—You can get them at any Druggists. Call for Cephalic Pills, I find they never fail, and I recommend them in all cases of headache.

Mrs. Jones.—I shall send for a box directly, and shall tell all my suffering friends, for they are a *real blessing*.

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Twenty Millions of Dollars Saved.—Mr. Spalding has sold two millions of botttles of his celebrated prepared Glue, and it is estimated that each bottle saves at least ten dollars worth of broken furniture, thus making an aggregate of twenty millions of dollars reclaimed from total loss by this valuable invention. Having made his Glue a household word, he now proposes to do the world still greater service by curing all the aching heads with his Cephalic Pills, and if they are as good as his Glue, headaches will soon vanish away like snow in July.

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☞ Over Excitement, and the mental care and anxiety incident to close attention to business or study, are among the numerous causes of Nervous Headache. The disordered state of mind and body incident to this distressing complaint is a fatal blow to all energy and ambition. Sufferers by this disorder can always obtain speedy relief from these distressing attacks by using one of the Cephalic Pills whenever the symptoms appear. It quiets the overtasked brain, and soothes the strained and jarring nerves, and relaxes the tension of the stomach which always accompanies and aggravates the disordered condition of the brain.

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Great Discovery.—Among the most important of all the great medical discoveries of this age may be considered the system of vaccination for protection from Small Pox, the Cephalic Pill for relief of headache, and the use of Quinine for the prevention of Fevers, either of which is a sure specific, whose benefits will be experienced by suffering humanity long after their discoveries are forgotten.

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☞ Did you ever have the Sick Headache? Do you remember the throbbing temples, the fevered brow, the loathing and disgust at the sight of food? How totally unfit you were for pleasure, conversation or study. One of the Cephalic Pills would have relieved you from all the suffering which you then experienced. For this and other purposes, you should always have a box of them on hand to use as accasion requires.

Cephalic Pills
CURE
Sick Headache
CURE
Nervous Headache
CURE
All kinds of
Headache.

By the use of these Pills the periodic attacks of *Nervous or Sick Headache* may be prevented; and if taken at the commencement of an attack immediate relief from pain and sickness will be obtained.

They seldom fail in removing the *Nausea* and *Headache* to which females are subject.

They act gently upon the bowels—removing *Costiveness*.

For *Literary men*, *Students*, Delicate Females, and all persons of *sedentary habits*, they are valuable as a *Laxative*, improving the *appetite*, giving *tone* and *vigor* to the digestive organs, and restoring the natural elasticity and strength of the whole system.

The *CEPHALIC PILLS* are the result of long investigation and carefully conducted experiments, having been in use many years, during which time they have prevented and relived a vast amount of pain and suffering from headache, whether originating in the *nervous* system or from a deranged state of the *stomach*.

They are entirely vegetable in their composition, and may be taken at all times with perfect safety without making any change of diet, *and the absence of any disagreeable taste renders it easy to administer them to children.*

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS!

The genuine have five signatures of Henry C Spalding on each box.

Sold by Druggists and all other dealers in Med cines.

A box will be sent by mail prepaid, on the r ceipt of the *PRICE*, 25 *CENTS*.

HENRY C. SPALDING,
48 Cedar Street, New Yo

GREAT FAIR

AT THE

PEOPLE'S STORE,

IN

DOWAGIAC,

OF

NEW AND SPLENDID

FALL GOODS!

A LARGE Stock of which will be opened out for inspection by the

15th Day of August, 1860.

All are respectfully invited to call and see the

NEW STYLES.

TUTHILL & STURGIS.
Dowagiac, Aug. 9th, 1860. may3-2*tf

NEW MILLINERY
AND
DRESSMAKING ESTABLISHMENT.
MRS. DAY

BEGS leave to inform the ladies of Dowagiac and vicinity, that she will endeavor to keep on hand every style and variety of

Fancy Hats,

to suit the most fastidious tastes. She has made arrangements with Cincinnati and Indianapolis firms to send her anything she may desire on short notice. She also designs to keep on hand Ladies' HOOP SKIRTS, SHAKERS, SHOES, GLOVES, JEWELRY, PAPER, PENS, ENVELOPES, &c.

In view of the present financial embarrassments, she will sell at *LOW PRICES* to suit the times.

☞BONNETS made to order on short notice.

REPAIRING AND BLEACHING

promptly attended to. Mrs. Day will also

TEACH DRESS CUTTING

after Madame Brigg's "Improved Model." Dresses cut in ten minutes and WARRANTED TO FIT.

Please call before purchasing elsewhere and examine.

☞ *Store opposite the Postoffice in the house formerly occupied by Dr. Allen.*

Dowagiac, April 19th, 1860. apl19-52y1*

HARDWARE,
BY
SPRAGUE & HAWKS.

WE have now on hand and shall constantly keep a large assortment of

COOKING STOVES,

of various patterns, among which may be found the celebrated New Patent Elevated Oven Cook Stove, known as *THE UNITED STATES.* This stove is pronounced, by those who have given it a fair trial, to be second to none in the country.

We have also several other patterns of Cook stoves warranted to give satisfaction. Also a general assortment of

HARDWARE,
COMPRISING

NAILS,
IRON,
GLASS,
SASH,
DOORS,
HOUSE TRIMMINGS,

Carpenters' Tools, Foreign and Domestic Cutlery, Cross-cut Saw-Mill, and Circular Saws, Tinware of all descriptions.

Our Prices Shall Give Satisfaction!

SPRAGUE & HAWKS.
April 28, 1859 apl28-1*y1

New Store. New Goods.
CLOTHING

25 per Cent Cheaper than they can be bought at any other Establishment in Cass County.

M. ALPINER

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Dowagiac and Cass County, that he has just opened a large stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, HATS AND CAPS, and PIECE GOODS, of all qualities and styles, which he offers for examination, and for sale positively *CHEAPER* than they can be bought elsewhere,

Particular attention paid to Merchant Tailoring.

Remember the place, one door East of Alward's Bookstore. M. ALPINER.

Dowagiac, October 4th, 1860. oct4-24m6

NEW FALL & WINTER
MILLINERY GOODS!
OF THE
LATEST STYLES
CAN BE FOUND AT THE OLD STAND OF
MRS. ANN E. SMITH,
(OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOTEL.)

WHERE MRS. SMITH will be happy to wait on all that favor her with their custom, for which she will be truly thankful.

MRS. SMITH flatters herself that she can give entire satisfaction in her line of business.

Please call and see.

Dowagiac, Sept. 27th, 1860. ap26-1*y1

CHEAP WAGON SHOP.

Where can be had a few more of those

LIGHT RUNNING WAGONS

On short notice. The undersigned having bought out Hiram S. Powell's interest in the Wagon Shop, is now prepared to furnish Wagons as cheap as the same quality can be had in town and on as reasonable terms. My Wood and Work is all warranted. Particular attention paid to Repairing.

☞Customers can be certain of getting their work when promised.

I also have a lot of the

MISHAWAKA PLOWS

For sale and a complete assortment of Pow Points for the same

F. O. VAN ANTWERP.
Dowagiac, March 29th, 1860 march29-49y1

JACKSON
BOOK BINDERY,
BEEBE'S BLOCK, SOUTH SIDE OF MAIN STREET.
JACKSON, - - - - - - - - MICH.

THE UNDERSIGNED is now prepared to bind Books, Pamphlets, Magazines, Music, Catalogues, Newspapers, Registers, Receipt Books, and Letters in the neatest manner and at Eastern Prices. All kinds of old Books rebound, *and warranted as good as new,*

CHAS. V. DELAND,
Citizen Office, Jackson, Mich.

Orders from this section will meet with prompt attention by being addressed to

W. H. CAMPBELL,
Republican Office, Dowagiac, Mich.

FRESH OYSTERS

BY the Can and Keg, constantly on hand, at the Bakery. A. G. TOWNSEND,

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AND STILL
THEY COME!

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ALWARD

has just received another New Lot of

WALL PAPER
AND
WINDOW CURTAINS

of the most beautiful and desirable patterns, consisting of

FULL GILT BUFF,
EMERALD GREEN,
SATIN GREEN,
PLAIN AND FIGURED,
GOLD CENTERS,
DOUBLE ENAMELED,
GROUNDED, &c., &c.

Customers cannot fail to be satisfied if they will call and examine my assortment in this class of goods. And they can be assured that I will sell as *LOW* as any store in this part of the County.

A. N. ALWARD.
Dowagiac, October 11th, 1860.

Have you heard the News!

NEW
HARDWARE STORE
$20.000.
To be Sold in Dowagiac.

THE Subscribers having lately rented the Brick Store owned by Joel H. Smith, at the east end of the Square and next door to Mr. Bigelow's Furniture Store, would intimate that they are prepared to furnish on short notice

ENGLISH and AMERICAN
HARDWARE AND CUTLERY,
Mechanic's Tools,
Farmers Implements,
Blacksmith Tools and Stock,
HOUSE TRIMMINGS,
Paints and Oils, Sash and Putty,
MISCELLANEOUS GOODS,
Of all kinds usually kept in a Hardware Store.

STOVES.

We will have a very fine assortment of all kinds of Eastern COOK, PARLOR and BOX STOVES, and will be sold at Competition prices.

Tin Roofing, Gutter and Conductor Pipes will be made and put up on short notice.

JOB WORK of all kinds done with dispatch and in a workmanlike manner.

☞Our prices will be as low for work and on all goods as at Niles or elsewhere for the quality.

WANTED

In exchange for Goods or Cash;
50,000 pounds Rags. 20,000 pounds Old Copper.
1,000 pounds Old Pewter and Lead.

WALKER & CO.
Dowagiac, March 29th, 1860.

HEENAN
VICTORIOUS!

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WM. A. ROOD,

WOULD inform the citizens of Dowagiac and vicinity, that he is prepared to take

PICTURES

at all times, in cloudy or fair weather, and he is also prepared to execute all the various styles of *PICTURES* now taken in the West, at very reasonable prices.

☞Rooms first door north of A. N. Alward's Bookstore, where you are respectfully solicited to call and examine his Style of Pictures, which for richness of tone, beauty of finish and durability are unsurpassed.

The subscriber having had seven years experience in the ART, is satisfied that he can give entire satisfaction to all those who choose to favor him with their patronage.

Children's Pictures taken in *TWO SECONDS.* Pictures set in Pins, Rings, Lockets, &c. Also, Pictures taken for *TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.*

WM. A. ROOD.
Dowagiac, May 31st, 1860. may31-6*tf

Honest Old Abe Lincoln
IS ELECTED.

And the consequence is

TOWNSEND & MOSHER

ARE determined to sell Goods cheaper than ever. We have the Greatest Variety of Goods in Dowagiac, consisting of

DRY GOODS,
Ready Made Clothing,
Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes,
STONEWARE & GLASSWARE,
KEROSENE OIL, TANNERS OIL, WINTER STRAINED OIL, BURNING FLUID, AND SYRUP.

And then last but not least, the Largest and Best lot of

Toys and Yankee Notions

ever brought to this market.

Call and examine our stock for yourselves and if you dont want to purchase we will not charge you anything for showing you Goods.

TOWNSEND & MOSHER.
Dowagiac, June 21st, 1860. june21-9*

HOWARD ASSOCIATION,
Philadelphia.

A Benevolent Institution established by special Endowment for the Relief of the Sick and Distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Epidemic Diseases, and especially for the Cure of Diseases of the Sexual Organs.

MEDICAL ADVICE given gratis, by the Acting Surgeon, to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.,) and in cases of extreme poverty, Medicines furnished free of charge.

VALUABLE REPORTS on Spermatorrhœa, and other Diseases of the Sexual Organs, and on the NEW REMEDIES employed in the Dispensary, sent to the afflicted in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Two or three Stamps for postage will be acceptable.

Address, Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Acting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors. GEO. FAIRCHILD, *Secretary.*
EZRA D. HEARTWELL, *President.*

july19-13y1

NEW FIRM.

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REASON CARLIN,

HAVING become proprietor of the Stock of Goods recently owney by Wm. CARLIN, will continue to sell goods at the old stand, for

CASH OR READY PAY,

As cheap as they can be bought at any store in Dowagiac. The stock comprises everything usually kept in a first Class *RETAIL STORE.*

REASON CARLIN.
Dowagiac, March 10th, 1860.

NOTICE!

All persons indebted to me, either by Note or Book account, are hereby requested to call and settle the same immediately, and thereby save cost.

WILLIAM CARLIN.
Dowagiac, March 10th, 1860. mar15-47y1

IN FULL
OPERATION.
VAN RIPERS'
WOOLEN MILLS.

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ON account of the extensive business which the subscribers have been doing, they have been obliged to enlarge their Mill, and build New Machinery in order to accommodate their many customers. And hoping that they will receive a liberal patronage from their old friends, they would again issue their call for Wool for manufacturing into

CLOTHS, SATINETS,
Cassimeres, Jeans,
Blankets, Flannels,
STOCKING YARN,
&c., &c.,

which will be manufactured at less than the usual rates.

Also on hand, a large supply of Manufactured Goods, which cannot be equalled for wear, to

Exchange for Wool.

The very best of

ROLL CARDING

will be done for those who will bring Clean Wool.

N. B.—Bring on your Wool as fast as possible.

G. & J. J. VAN RIPER.
La Grange, May, 1860. may31-6*tf

With fingers unwearied and fair,
With eyes of joyous appeal,
The good wife sits in her easy chair,
Driving her treadle and wheel.
Stitch! stitch! stitch!
With fingers of iron and steel,
As with a voice both merry and free,
She sang at her treadle and wheel.

CHARLESTON CONVENTION
SQUASHED!

The great excitement of (JOHN & BOB) over the Center Market—the wonderful and miraculous changing of

SWORDS AND BAYONETS INTO SHEARS!

on Front street, and while the wonderful Knights of the Shears are making such *havoc* in all kinds of *Garments*, it will become NECESSARY for the LADIES to have one of

West & Wilson's
CELEBRATED
SEWING MACHINES!
TO MAKE UP SAID GARMENTS;

And they can be had by going to

GEO. R. SMITH'S TAILOR SHOP,

over BROWNELL'S HARDWARE STORE, and paying him

Only thirty Dollars!

When they will get one of the

Cheapest & Best Machines

ever brought before the public. They are equal in capacity to the Grover & Baker $100 Machines and take the same stitches; with two threads from two spools and need no rewinding of the thread. This is the **ONLY** cheap family sewing machine that I have ever seen that I could

CHEERFULLY RECOMMEND!

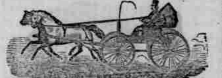
I have had about four years' experience with Sewing Machines, and have not as yet seen or heard of a Machine that equals the WEST & WILSON'S for a family SEWING MACHINE.

To those who are in want of a Machine that is good for something, don't let the swindling pedler of one and two thread humbugs get your money, but come and buy a good machine, where if any thing should give way or get out of place, you can have them repaired FREE OF CHARGE.

ALL MACHINES WARRANTED.

GEO. R. SMITH, Agent.
Dowagiac, May 10, 1860. may10-3tf

NEW LIVERY STABLE.



PALMER & CO.

WE are now prepared to supply those who may favor us with a call, with

GOOD AND SUBSTANTIAL LIVERY STOCK

Consisting of Single Seated, Open and Covered

Buggies

Two-seated opened and covered

Carriages;

Also fancy and single two-seated

Sleighs;

And all the appendages usually attached.

Our Horses are young, sound, gentle and fleet. Carriages new, and will be kept at all times clean and tidy, to suit the most fastidious.

We would respectfully solicit, and hope to merit, a share of the patronage of our friends and the public.

☞Enquire at the Exchange Hotel, or at the store of L. Brewer & Co.

Dowagiac, April 23d, 1858. apr30-1y

CENTER MARKET
DICKINSON & SANDERS

WOULD announce to the citizens of Dowagiac and vicinity, that they have become permanently located in their

New Meat Market,

One door west of the Post Office, where their customers can always depend on finding every thing in the shape of meat usually kept in a first class market, no pains will be spared in procuring the best quality of meats.

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Dowagiac, Dec. 29th, 1859. dec29-30tf

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Sept. 30th 1858. n23y1

Scrofula, or King's Evil,

is a constitutional disease, a corruption of the blood, by which this fluid becomes vitiated, weak, and poor. Being in the circulation, it pervades the whole body, and may burst out in disease on any part of it. No organ is free from its attacks, nor is there one which it may not destroy. The scrofulous taint is variously caused by mercurial disease, low living, disordered or unhealthy food, impure air, filth and filthy habits, the depressing vices, and, above all, by the venereal infection. Whatever be its origin, it is hereditary in the constitution, descending "from parents to children unto the third and fourth generation;" indeed, it seems to be the rod of Him who says, "I will visit the iniquities of the fathers upon their children."

Its effects commence by deposition from the blood of corrupt or ulcerous matter, which, in the lungs, liver, and internal organs, is termed tubercles; in the glands, swellings; and on the surface, eruptions or sores. This foul corruption, which genders in the blood, depresses the energies of life, so that scrofulous constitutions not only suffer from scrofulous complaints, but they have far less power to withstand the attacks of other diseases; consequently vast numbers perish by disorders which, although not scrofulous in their nature, are still rendered fatal by this taint in the system. Most of the consumption which decimates the human family has its origin directly in this scrofulous contamination; and many destructive diseases of the liver, kidneys, brain, and, indeed, of all the organs, arise from or are aggravated by the same cause.

One quarter of all our people are scrofulous; their persons are invaded by this lurking infection, and their health is undermined by it. To cleanse it from the system we must renovate the blood by an alterative medicine, and invigorate it by healthy food and exercise. Such a medicine we supply in

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the most effectual remedy which the medical skill of our times can devise for this everywhere prevailing and fatal malady. It is combined from the most active remedials that have been discovered for the expurgation of this foul disorder from the blood, and the rescue of the system from its destructive consequences. Hence it should be employed for the cure of not only Scrofula, but also those other affections which arise from it, such as ERUPTIVE and SKIN DISEASES, ST. ANTHONY'S FIRE, ROSE, or ERYSIPELAS, PIMPLES, PUSTULES, BLOTCHES, BLAINS and BOILS, TUMORS, TETTER and SALT RHEUM, SCALD HEAD, RINGWORM, RHEUMATISM, SYPHILITIC and MERCURIAL DISEASES, DROPSY, DYSPEPSIA, DEBILITY, and, indeed, ALL COMPLAINTS ARISING FROM VITIATED OR IMPURE BLOOD. The popular belief in "*impurity of the blood*" is founded in truth, for scrofula is a degeneration of the blood. The particular purpose and virtue of this Sarsaparilla is to purify and regenerate this vital fluid, without which sound health is impossible in contaminated constitutions.

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Intermittent Fever, or Fever and Ague, Remittent Fever, Chill Fever, Dumb Ague, Periodical Headache, or Bilious Headache, and Bilious Fevers, indeed for the whole class of diseases originating in biliary derangement, caused by the Malaria of Miasmatic Countries.

We are enabled here to offer the community a remedy which, while it cures the above complaints with certainty, is still perfectly harmless in any quantity. Such a remedy is invaluable in districts where these afflicting disorders prevail. This "CURE" expels the miasmatic poison of FEVER AND AGUE from the system, and prevents the development of the disease, if taken on the first approach of its premonitory symptoms. It is not only the best remedy ever yet discovered for this class of complaints, but also the cheapest. The large quantity we supply for a dollar brings it within the reach of every body; and in bilious districts, where FEVER AND AGUE prevails, every body should have it and use it freely both for cure and protection. It is hoped this price will place it within the reach of all — the poor as well as the rich. A great superiority of this remedy over any other ever discovered for the speedy and certain cure of Intermittents is, that it contains no Quinine or mineral, consequently it produces no quinism or other injurious effects whatever upon the constitution. Those cured by it are left as healthy as if they had never had the disease.

Fever and Ague is not alone the consequence of the miasmatic poison. A great variety of disorders arise from its irritation, among which are *Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Headache, Blindness, Toothache, Earache, Catarrh, Asthma, Palpitation, Painful Affection of the Spleen, Hysterics, Pain in the Bowels, Colic, Paralysis*, and *Derangement of the Stomach*, all of which, when originating in this cause, put on the *intermittent type*, or become periodical. This "CURE" expels the poison from the blood, and consequently cures them all alike. It is an invaluable protection to immigrants and persons travelling or temporarily residing in the malarious districts. If taken occasionally or daily while exposed to the infection, that will be excreted from the system, and cannot accumulate in sufficient quantity to ripen into disease. Hence it is even more valuable for protection than cure, and few will ever suffer from Intermittents if they avail themselves of the protection this remedy affords.

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Dowagiac, July 19, 1860. july19-13tf

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October 27th, 1859. oct27-27yr

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All the above will be sold on liberal terms, one half or more cash down, and the ballance secured by mortgage with interest.

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MARCUS SHERRILL.
Jefferson, Sept. 17th, 1860. sep20-22m3

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