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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Murdock.—J. E. Murdock will give readings at the Hall, in this town on Tuesday 28th inst.

Sale of Good Stock.—Jacob B. Ash, Auctioneer, sold for Mr. C. N. Price, on the A. McIntire farm, about two miles from Elkton, on Thursday last, calves, aged from 8 to 10 months old, at from $51 to $62; 1 young bull, $82; cows, $100 and over; horses, from $100 to $250.

Installation of Officers.—The following Officers were installed, for the insuing quarter, by J. M. Ash, D. G. W. C. T., of Elkton Lodge, No. 73, I. O. G. T., on last Monday evening, February 6th:

W. C. T., L. M. Haines; W. V. T., Mrs. Annie Collins; W. R. S., Wm. H. Davis; W. F. S., Amos E. Howard; W. T., Geo. W. Ash; W. C., Mrs. Mary King; W. M., John Benson; W. I. G., R. A. Jaquette; W. O. G., F. W. Davis; W. R. H. S., Mary J. Davis; W. L. H. S., S. Rebecca Davis; W. D. M., Joanna Sloan; W. A. S., H. F. Walker.

Teacher's Association.—The Teacher's Normal Association was in session at Port Deposit, on Saturday. The Vice President, Miss Annie Smith, called the house to order. Fifteen members were present, and the exercises were of more than usual interest. An able and highly interesting essay on the Teacher's Vocation, was read by Miss Steveson, recalling much that is pleasant in the experience of all teachers that were present. The President read an essay on the Position and Responsibilities of the Teacher—clear, forcible and logical, as usual, but not any more romance in it than could be found in "Brooks' Mathematical Series." After hearing reports of committee and the passage of several important resolutions—of which further anon—the exercises were closed by the reading of "Good news from Ghent to Aix," by Browning; read by Miss Annie Smith. Will you, Mr. Editor, please explain to me why the ladies are better elocutionests than men?

For the same reason that they are *prettier* than men, we suppose. To make them more attractive that they might draw all men to them.—ED.

The Jurles.—The following is the list of Grand and Petit Jurors, drawn by Judge Stump, on Wednesday last, for the March term of Court:

GRAND JURORS.	PETIT JURORS.
Thos. B. Hopper,	Stephen B. Ford,
Joshua R. Way,	W. W. Davis,
H. H. Duyckinck,	John Shaw,
George W. Hessey,	Thomas V. Ward,
W. W. Black,	Zimri Taylor,
John R. Bond,	Lewis T. Roberts,
R. C. Levis,	Joseph B. Pugh,
Wm. Lindsay,	Isaac C. Bouchell,
Edward S. Jones,	Henry H. Kimble,
Wm. Otley,	Wm. M. Knight,
Thomas Patton,	Thomas J. Scott,
Jas. E. Oldham,	H. D. M. Howard,
John W. Ewing,	John W. Holt,
John Cavender,	J. Alfred Mackie,
H. C. Ellison,	Roswell Wakeman,
John M. Reed,	Jos. L. England,
James K. Willis,	Granville S. Jeffries,
John Hammersmith,	Irwin G. Griffith,
John S. Everist,	Wm. P. Howard,
Sam'l Chamberlaine,	Wm. Campbell,
Benj. C. Reynolds,	Wm. Taylor,
Fred'k McNamee,	John C. Way,
Theo. J. Vanneman.	F. H. Elderdice,
	Wm. T. West,
	John W. Caldwell.

Mr. B. F. May advertises for rent his store-house, in this town, opposite the Court House, on Main street, an old established stand, and one of the best localities for a store in the place.

Mr. Oakim Britton, of Zion, was stricken with paralysis, on Tuesday last, which terminated fatally in a few hours.

Mrs. Mary Mearnes, an old resident of the same neighborhood, departed this life on Monday last. Her funeral took place on Wednesday, attended by a large number of relatives and neighbors.

Capt. L. G. Ford has removed from Elkton to the Masden farm, at Chesterville, Kent county, Md.

The juveniles have been enjoying themselves skating for some days,—indeed many have had *ice on the brain*. So demonstrative and enthusiastic have some of them been, that they were enable to stand on their heads, make sprawling spread eagles, and see stars ere darkness o'ershadowed them.

The Right Rev. Henry C. Lay, Bishop of this Diocese, will preach at St. Mark's Chapel, near Perryville, on Saturday, the 11th of Feb., at 11 o'clock, A. M., and at St. Mary's Church, North East, on Sabbath the 12th of Feb., at 11 o'clock, A. M., on which occasion the Rite of Confirmation will be administered. 2

Public Sales Next Week.—F. Green, near Cherry Hill, will sell farm stock and implements, on Saturday, 18th inst.

R. L. Thomas, Administrator, will sell personal property of Hugh Armour, dec'd, near North East, on Monday, 13th inst.

W. W. Moore, Executor, will sell stock and furniture of Mrs. Agnes R. Brickley, at Brickley's Mills, on Wednesday next, 15th inst.

V. S. Caleb, near Cherry Hill, will sell a large quantity of fine stock and farm implements, on Thursday, 16th inst.

James H. Ray, Executor, will sell at the Court House door, in Elkton, on Thursday next, real estate of Ellen Batten, dec'd; also, real estate of Margaret Currender.

C. W. Eader, agent, will sell on the Dunot farm, three miles from Elkton, on Tuesday next, 14th inst., stock and farm implements.

Pe DeFiganere, near Charlestown, will sell stock, farm implements and household goods, on Friday, 17th inst.

G. E. Wollaston, Fox Chase, will sell stock, farm implements, store fixtures, etc., on Monday next, 13th inst.

Joseph Wells & Son, in this town, will sell horses, harness, etc., on Saturday, 18th instant.

THE EARTHQUAKE.—It has been thought that the recent earthquake did not visit Philadelphia, but either it or somebody very like it must have hit Oak Hall, if we may judge from the upheaving of mountains of fine clothing there, and the swallowing up of low prices, which has been noticed at Wanamaker & Brown's.

We find the following in the Philadelphia *Evening Telegraph*, but do not vouch for the truth of the story. Our readers in the northern part of the county will recognize the little church here referred to, which is not near Lancaster city, as stated, but about three miles west of Rising Sun, and near the site of the old Octoraro Forge, now Scott & Addison's bending and saw mills.

A FIGHTING PARSON.

Not very far from Lancaster is a little edifice called the Octoraro Methodist Episcopal Church, over whose congregation Parson Gregg sometimes presides. Parson Gregg is a man who ever fears the Lord, but never stands in dread of man, be he never so mighty. The Octorara Church, generally known as the "Gray Horse," stands in a sort of desert, and lies one-half in Pennsylvania and one-half in Maryland; that is, the old Mason and Dixon's line cuts it in two, and leaves the sacred building equally divided between the two States. Whenever their is a revival the ungodly from the southern side of the line come over and raise Cain among the faithful. They congregate about the door and issue cat-calls, and they swear and cut up generally like barbarians. When meeting is over they force their attentions upon the young ladies of the church, and on meeting the parson they always insist upon his taking a drink. This invariably offends the good man, the more since they are almost always tipsy, and invariably blasphemous.

Lately a party of them came over the line and disturbed the meeting. Parson Gregg paused a moment in the delivery of his sermon, and rolling up his sleeves, uttered himself as follows:

"Young men! If there's another disorderly sound from among your disreputable crowd I'll come down from this sacred desk, and in the name of the Lord put a head on every mother's son of you. Get down on your knees, you hounds, and pray for better manners, or else levant."

Saying which he proceeded with his sermon, a most edifying discourse.

In a moment the noise again began. An audible swear of the first magnitude filled the room with its bad odor, and caused the worshippers to shrink within themselves with horror.

Parson Gregg came down from the pulpit in a state of quiet rage. He took off his coat and hung it over the chancel rail, and then went for those wicked young men, only one of whom he succeeded in overhauling within the portals of the church. Him he basted satisfactorily. Following close upon the trail of the others, he came up with the most outrageous heathen of all, one Jim Page Bedloe, whom he tackled without a word of grace. Parson Gregg gave Bedloe a most clerical and canonical walloping. When he had finished pounding him with his fist he resorted to his heels. Jim went home wiser and sorer than when he came.

The Parson then returned to his pulpit and finished his sermon. He will never be troubled any more.

PORT DEPOSIT ITEMS.

—As the train from Perryville, Saturday last, at 9 A. M., left that depot, and before it was under full headway, a man was seen on the track walking. The whistle sounded, the man heard—but in trying to get off, fell with his left arm across the track; before it was withdrawn the engine severed it above the wrist. The unfortunate man is named Lewis Fresh.

—In the colored Public School, a son of Rev. Mr. Whitton, Pastor of Bethel African M. E. Church, was stabbed about the groin by another colored pupil named John Bailey, on last Tuesday morning. Bailey was sitting and had a foot on the bench.—Whitton asked him to put the foot down; he declined. W. then struck B. with a small stick, whereupon Bailey stabbed him. Drs. Jamar and Milner rendered professional service. On Wednesday he was taken before Esquire Beach, and Sheriff Denny will have another boarder.

—Up town the whites had a "skrimage," some cut heads, skinned faces, broken glasses and chairs—a drunken quarel. Perhaps these things will replenish the corporation treasury as such conduct is finable by the town ordinances.

—At 4 P. M., Tuesday last, James Armstrong, Sr., father of the members or the firm of Armstrong & Co., iron founders of this place, died at the residence of his son.

—On March 4th, at 2 P. M., the Teachers' Association, for this part of the county, will meet at the Public School room in this place. Public School teachers of the 6th, 7th and 8th Districts are invited to join.—Essays, readings, arguments make the time fly, and these monthly meetings can be made a power for good, if the teachers will become interested.

—Money of the Homestead Association sold, Monday night, for 26 per ct. premium.

—Noland & Co., expect to resume operations at their Sash Factory, on the 13th.

—Rev. W. E. England, Hon. J. Tome and J. J. Abrahams, Esq., were appointed a committee to present to the Wilmington Conference Educational Committee, (which was in session at Smyrna, Del., on Wednesday,) sundry resolutions and inducements looking to the selection of Port Deposit as the site of the contemplated Academy for boys.

FOURTH DISTRICT TIEMS.

Fluctuating.—The thermometer the last few days has been ranging from 38 degrees as low as 2 degrees above zero.

Religious—Rev. Mr. Johns has recovered from his recent illness, and preached at the Rock Church last Sabbath. The young men's prayer meeting, in the session house at said church, is still in progress, beginning half an hour before the regular service.

Exhibition.—The Sabbath-school exhibition at Wesley, on the 1st inst., was very creditable and successful. It was repeated the following evening.

Accident.—Two ladies were driving on the road near Fair Hill, on the night of the 3d inst., when the horse fell on the ice and broke the shafts. After getting up he attempted to run away, when assistance was rendered by two gentlemen traveling the same thoroughfare.

Accusations.—A writer in last week's *Democrat*, from this District, finds fault with many things,—in truth, nearly everything that is moving or being done. There may be truth in some of his statements—some of us eat too much pound cake and not enough *pone;* who would eat the latter when they can get the former. People might be doing worse than eating either.

Debating.—The Debating Society of Scott's Mills seems to be reviving some of its old spirit, notwithstanding the "big suppers, grand entertainments," &c. Their meeting last Monday evening was largely attended, and the question, "Was the South more to blame than the North, for the late Civil War?" was calmly and ably debated by both sides. After discussing it for two hours, it was moved to postpone it until Monday evening, Feb. 13th, when it is expected that there will be some able speakers present.

This society has had a considerable drawback this winter, in the way of a suitable room, but they expect to be able to move to their new hall (over the Jackson School) in about two weeks, when a general invitation will be extended to the ladies, as well as the gentlemen, to attend its meetings.

The Farmers' Club of the Rock Church, after arguing the question, "Are all people the descendants of Adam?" for two nights, and not being able to arrive at any decision, have appointed a special meeting to take place Wednesday evening, 15th inst., at which time the negative propose to prove that part of this human race are *not* descendants of Adam.

—We will give attention to the Essay on "The Duties and Trials of the Teacher," in our next issue. Also, the article on Temperance.

NORTH EAST ITEMS.

Good Templars.—Mt. Horeb Lodge of I. O. G. T., have elected the following named officers for the ensuing quarter, viz.: W. C. T., Henry C. Baker; W. V. T., Mary West; W. S., Charles Benjamin; W. T., John Roach; W. C., Bessie D. Ford; W. M., T. W. Nowland; W. I. G., Ella Benjamin; W. O. G., A. M. Goodman.

High Water.—The melted snow of last week greatly swelled the ponds and streams of this neighborhood. Up to that time there had been a scarcity of water, specially for the propulsion of machinery.

The Revival.—The protracted meeting in the Methodist Episcopal Church continues. There are penitents at the altar from night to night, and quite a spirit of revival among some of the membership.

Sunday School Matters.—At a meeting of officers and teachers of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School, last Sabbath afternoon, the following named officers were elected for the ensuing quarter, viz.: Superintendent, James S. Crawford; Assistant Superintendent, Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell; Librarian, Wilbur F. Simpers; Assistant Librarian, Charles Benjamin; Treasurer, Jesse West; Secretary, James M. Lum.—A committee to examine the library, and prepare a catalogue of the books therein, was appointed, as follows, viz.: Jesse West, Wilburn F. Simpers and James M. Lum. It was resolved to hold hereafter monthly meetings of the teachers and officers of the school.

Sale of Property.—Mr. W. D. Alexander, Agent of the P., W. & B. Railroad, at this place, has purchased Mr. George Chandler's mill property, in this town, for $7,000.

A Fashionable Wedding.—Mr. Thomas W. Rittenhouse, of Rising Sun, and Miss Ella F. Mauldin, of North East, were married, in traveling costume, on Wednesday afternoon last, at the residence of the bride's sister, in this place. The house was closed, and artificially lighted. The company was brilliant indeed, the ladies being elegantly attired. The table was bountifully supplied with the richest creams, cakes and fruit, and ornamented with pyramids of most rare and beautiful flowers, while the room was tastefully hung with evergreens. The bride's presents from friends were numerous, rich and costly, consisting of furniture, silver-ware, &c.—Thomas Warren, the septuagenary grandfather of the groom, was present, and presented the happy pair the following "Marriage Ode," which was written by himself, and read by Rev. Thos. L. Poulson, who performed the ceremony:

And what if an ode or a little effusion
We should now offer, though far from complete;
We hope it will not be any intrusion,
Though *novel* may be this kind of a treat.

Though it won't be *unique* will at once be admitted,
But in common parlance it may be called *rare;*
Be this as it may, why it will be submitted
In all the simplicity which it may wear.

Prompted we are, without any persuasion;
Our instrumentality now is here shown;
The paramount object of this occasion
Among those present is very well known.

We see it before us, significant, truly,
And it is, *de facto*, a wedding that's here;
And we suppose the arrangements will duly,
According to custom or programme, appear.

Friends and relatives are gathered together
In consideration of such an event;
And is it not kind, and courteous, and clever,
Without any doubt most respectfully meant.

Some interest in it we feel, peradventure,
For having a *card*, why should we be a guest;
And this being so, why should we not venture,
Without ostentation, along with the rest?

To the altar of Hymen came our connection,
With his betrothed who is now his bride;
They plighted their faith in love and affection,
And the nuptial tie it was formally tied.

In other words this is the consummation
Of the marriage here which is solemnized;
And it seems like a little home ovation
That has been but seldom by us realized.

How pleasant, how cordial seemeth the greeting!
How good is the humor prevailing around!
For the bride was saluted by most of the meeting,
Who here such a jocular liberty found.

Let those who are satisfied with their condition,
Still live on a life of celibacy here;
While the couple before us enjoy the fruition
That belongs to their own legitimate sphere.

May the sun of prosperity happily brighten
Your pathway in life as you tread in it still;
If cares grow too heavy, O may they lighten,
And Providence guard you from all that is ill.

To my grandson and bride now this cogitation
Is freely bestowed by a Bucks county friend,
Along with his heartiest *congratulations;*
For in honor of you and your wedding it is penned.

CHESAPEAKE CITY ITEMS.

Religious.—Protracted meeting began here on Sunday night last, and it bids fair to be very successful. Great interest is manifested on the part of the members. Prayer meetings are held every afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

Deceased.—Mrs. Bowen, wife of E. P. Bowen, Esq., of this town, died on Thursday evening of last week. Her funeral took place on Sunday morning, at 10 o'clock. Her remains were interred at Bethel Cemetry.

Sabbath-School.—The teachers of the M. E. Sabbath-school held a meetiug, on Sabbath afternoon last, to elect officers for the present year, which resulted in the election of the following: Superintendent, William Lindsey; Assistant, James T. Houck; Librarians, W. T. Leed, Elliott P. Brooks and Harry Bouchell; Secretary and Treasurer, W. T. Reed. The proposed exhibition is postponed for the present.

Good Templars.—At a regular meeting of Chesapeake Lodge, I. O. of G. T., held on Monday evening last, Mr. W. T. Reed, D. G. W. C. T., installed the following officers: W. C. T., George Fillingame; W. V. T., Mary E. Johnson; W. S., Lizzie Bosce; W. F. S., Lizzie Reed; W. F., Daniel Mears; W. C., Willian Crouch; W. M., John Mears; W. I. G., Ida Grose; W. O. G., Frank Conrey; W. A. S., Cornelius Hudson; W. D. L., Sallie Buskirk; W. R. H. S., Amelia Hayes; W. L. H. S., Margaret Price This flourishing Lodge intend celebrating their second anniversary, on the 8th of March next.

Supper.—The Order of American Mechanics had a supper on Wednesday evening, in their Hall, to which none but members were admitted. Everything passed off pleasantly. No intoxicating liquors were allowed, for which the Order has the good will and esteem of all good citizens.

Business.—Business is rather dull in Chesapeake City, at present, and our merchants complain of dull times, which might to some extent be improved if they would advertise their stock in *The Whig.*

NEW LEEDS ITEMS.

—John W. Wood and Gabriel Moore have obtained a patent for their corn and phosphate drill. It is to be drawn by two horses, and to run out two rows at a time, to drop the corn and phosphate in the right place, the phosphate falling on each side of the corn, and then the earth is thrown over the corn, finishing it all up at the same operation. Coming back the wheel will follow in the last track and thus gauges the rows of equal width. There is an arrangement for running check rows at thirty hills' apart, before planting commences, so that the intermediate check rows can be adjusted, and the corn worked both ways.

—A new road has been laid out down the creek from I. D. Carter's Paper Mills to New Leeds, and John McCrery has commenced the work of opening it. This road passes by Butterman's Hill, where there is a water-power on the Little Elk, of more than 30 feet fall, the best on the stream.—This is the property of I. D. Carter, and the race for a mile is partly dug out. There is more manufacturing on the Little Elk, than on any other stream in the county, and a railroad along its banks, may be looked for, at no distant day.

Canned Tomatoes, Peaches and Corn, at the BEE HIVE.

RISING SUN ITEMS.

Cold Weather.—Monday, 2d instant, the thermometer was down to within 2° of zero, decidedly the lowest point here this winter.

Old Citizen Gone.—John Dawson, for a long time a resident of this place, died near the Brick Meeting House, January 27th.—Some six months ago, he perceived a sore spot on one toe; this spread and became Grangrenous, and in spite of all efforts to prevent, gradually involved the entire limb, reaching the body, causing intense suffering, and finally death.

Hall.—Our citizens and secret societies are about having their yearly attack of the Hall Fever. Last year it was very severe; but did not last long. It is to be hoped it will result in a Hall being constructed this time. A Town Hall is very much needed.

Good Roads.—The traveling community have been rejoicing over the extraordinary good roads,—a favor we seldom receive here in winter.

Arrived.—The printing press for our newspaper. Look out for a new X.

CECILTON ITEMS.

Died.—Mrs. Rachel Hall, wife of Josiah Hall, died at the residence of her son, James Hall, in Frederickton, on Wednesday 1st inst. The deceased was interred in the Methodist burying ground, at Cecilton, the grave being handsomely trimmed with artificial flowers.

Sickness prevails in the neighborhood to an alarming extent. Some very severe cases are reported.

The Singing School which has been conducted in Cecilton, for two years, by Prof. Quimby, has closed recently, not to be reopened, it is reported.

Protracted Meeting is still in progress at the Methodist Episcopal Church, in this place, but less interest seems to be manifested than at the commencement. Inclement weather has, doubtless, served to lessen the attendance. The choir of this Church is small but in musical talent has few superiors.

PILOT TOWN ITEMS.

Accidents.—E. J. Warner, while splitting wood in the woods, on the 2d inst., received a severe wound on the chin, by an iron wedge bouncing out of the log. The wound was dressed by Dr. G. B. Wood. On Saturday last, John Dawney, in the employ of McGucken, Showers & Co., near Bald Friar, received a severe contusion on the head, by the falling of a stone of about 40 pounds, which struck him on the side of the head. The wound was dressed by Dr. Wood. He is out of danger, I believe.

☞ At the cor. of 3d & Orange sts., in the City of Wilmington Del., there is an establishment from which issues weekly thousands of pounds of an article which to every housewife is like "good news from a far country." That establishment belongs to Moore & Bro;—that article is *Wilmington City Soap.*"

Elkton Building Society meets to-night.

Goods are cheap and terms cash, at THE BEE HIVE.

The place to buy Carpets and Oil Cloths, is at BURTON'S Cash Store.

You cannot tell the value of this paragraph, until you go to the BEE HIVE, with *little* money, and get a *big* lot of goods.

Canned Fruit, such as Peaches, Tomatoes, Corn and Strawberries, at BURTON'S.

Don't Fail to Read This.—We are well satisfied, and all those having tried acknowledge the same, that the cheapest place in the town to buy is at LEVIS', when we take into account the quality of Goods he sells.

Large stock Queensware at reduced prices, to make room for the Cloth and Cassimere Department, at BURTON'S.

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MARRIED.

CAMERON—DAVENPORT.—In Philadelphia, on the morning of February 7th, by the Right Rev. Wm. Bacon Stevens, W. WALLACE CAMERON, of Omaha, formerly of Cecil county, and MARY W. DAVENPORT, of Philadelphia.

See Cecil DIED. Feb. 4,

COOK.—At her residence, near Darlington, Harford county, Maryland, on January 30th, SARAH J. COOK, in the 35th year of her age, wife of Wm. A. Cook, and daughter of the late John D. Michener, of Cecil county, Md., formerly of Bucks county Pa.

[Oxford *Press* please copy.]

THE MARKETS.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY.

Elkton Markets.

WHITE WHEAT	$1 10a1 40
RED WHEAT	1 10a1 40
WHITE CORN,	75a75
YELLOW CORN	70a70
OATS	50@52
CLOVERSEED,	7 00

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Nattan's Crystal Discovery for the Hair.

A perfectly clear preparation, in one bottle, easily applied as water for restoring to gray Hair its natural color and youthful appearance; to eradicate and prevent dandruff; to promote the growth of the Hair and stop its falling.

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Feb 4, 1871—3m.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Deafness, Blindness & Catarrh.

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Jan 23, 1869—1y

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Established facts are silent arguments which neither pen nor tongue can shake, and it is upon established facts that the reputation of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, as a health-preserving elixir, and a wholesome and powerful remedy, is based. When witnesses come forward in crowds, year after year, and reiterate the same statements in relation to the beneficial effects of a medicine UPON THEMSELVES, disbelief in its efficacy is LITERALLY IMPOSSIBLE. The credentials of this unequaled tonic and alterative, extending over a period of nearly twenty years, include individuals of every class, and residents of every clime, and refer to the most prevalent among the complaints which afflict and harass the human family. Either a multitude of people, strangers to each other, have annually been seized with an insane and motiveless desire to deceive the public, or Hostetter's Bitters, for no less than a fifth of a century, have been affording such relief to sufferers from indigestion, fever and ague, biliousness, general debility, and nervous disorders, as no other preparation has ever imparted. To-day, while the eyes of the reader are upon these lines, tens of thousands of persons, of both sexes, are relying upon the Bitters as a sure defense against the ailments which the present season engenders, and their confidence is not misplaced. The local potions which interested dealers sometimes endeavor to foist upon the sick in its stead, are everywhere meeting the fate that is due to fraud and imposture, while the demand for the great vegetable specific is constantly increasing.

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PAIN KILLER

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The PAIN KILLER is by universal consent allowed to have won for itself a reputation unsurpassed in the history of medical preparations. Its instantaneous effect in the eradication and extinction of Pain in all its various forms incident to the human family, and the unsolicited written and verbal testimony of the masses in its favor, have been, and are its own best advertisements.

The ingredients of the PAIN KILLER, being purely VEGETABLE, render it a perfectly safe and efficacious remedy taken internally, as well as for external applications, when used according to directions. It stains linen from its use is readily removed by washing with alcohol.

This Medicine, justly celebrated for the cure of so many of the afflictions incident to the human family, has now been before the public for over THIRTY YEARS, and has found its way into almost every corner of the world; and wherever it has been used, the same opinion is expressed of its medical properties.

In any attack, where prompt action upon the system is required, the Pain Killer is invaluable. Its almost instantaneous effect in Relieving Pain is truly wonderful; and when used according to directions, is true to its name, a PAIN KILLER. [Jan 14—1m

DR. SCHENCK advises Consumptive to Go to Florida in Winter.

Having for the last thirty-five years devoted my whole time and attention to the study of lung diseases and consumption, I feel that I understand fully the course that ought to be pursued to restore a tolerably bad case of diseased lungs to healthy soundness. The first and most important step is for the patient to avoid taking cold, and the best of all places on this continent for this purpose in winter, is Florida, well down in the State, where the temperature is regular, and not subject to such variations as in more Northern latitudes. Palatka is a point I can recommend. A good hotel is kept there by Peterman. Last winter I saw several persons there whose lungs had been badly diseased, but who, under the healing influence of the climate and my medicine, were getting well.

One hundred miles further down the river is a point which I would prefer to Palatka, as the temperature is more even and the air dry and bracing. Mellonville and Enterprise are located there. I should give a decided preference to Mellonville. It is two miles from river or lake, and it seems almost impossible to take cold there. The table in Florida might be better, and patients complain at times, but that is a good sign, as it indicates a return of appetite, and when this is the case they generally increase in flesh, and then the lungs must heal.

Jacksonville, Hibernia, Green Cove, and many other places in various parts of Florida, can be safely recommended to consumptives, in winter. My reasons for saying so are that patients are less liable to take cold there than where there is less even temperature, and it is not necessary to say that where a consumptive person exposes himself to frequent colds, he is certain to die shortly. Therefore my advice is, go well down into the State out of the reach of pervading east winds and fogs. Jacksonville, or almost any other of the localities I have named, will benefit those who are troubled with a torpid liver, a disordered stomach, deranged bowels, sore throat or cough, but for those whose lungs are diseased a more southern point is earnestly recommended.

For fifteen years prior to 1869, I was professionally in New York, Boston, Baltimore and Philadelphia every week, where I saw and examined on an average five hundred patients a week. A practice so extensive, embracing every possible phase of lung disease, has enabled me to understand the disease fully, and hence, my caution in regard to taking cold. A person may take large quantities of "Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, Seaweed Tonic and Mandrake Pills," and yet die if he does not avoid taking cold.

In Florida, nearly everybody is using Schenck's Mandrake Pills, for the climate is more likely to produce billious habits than more northern latitudes. It is a well established fact that natives of Florida rarely die of consumption, especially those of the southern part. On the other hand, in New England, one-third, at least, of the population die of this terrible disease. In the Middle States it does not prevail so largely, still there are many thousands of cases there. What a vast percentage of life would be saved if consumptives were as easily alarmed in regard to taking fresh cold as they are about scarlet fever, small pox, &c. But they are not.—They take what they term a little cold, which they are credulous enough to believe will wear off in a few days. They pay no attention to it, and hence it lays the foundation for another and another still, until the lungs are diseased beyond all hope for cure.

My advice to persons whose lungs are affected even slightly is, to lay in a stock of Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, Schenck's Seaweed Tonic and Schenck's Mandrake Pills and go to Florida. I recommend these particular medicines because I am thoroughly acquainted with their action. I know that where they are used in strict accordance with my directions they will do the work that is required. This accomplished, nature will do the rest. The physician who prescribes for cold, cough or nightsweats, and then advises the patient to walk or ride out every day, will be sure to have a corpse on his hands before long.

My plan is to give my three medicines, in accordance with the printed directions, except in some cases where a freer use of the Mandrake Pills is necessary. My object is to give tone to the stomach—to get up a good appetite. It is always a good sign when a patient begins to grow hungry. I have hopes of such. With a relish for food and the gratification of that relish comes good blood, and with it more flesh, which is closely followed by a healing of the lungs. Then the cough loosens and abates, the creeping chills and clammy night-sweats no longer prostrate and annoy, and the patient gets well, provided he avoids taking cold.

Now there are many consumptives who have not the means to go to Florida. The question may be asked, Is there no hope for such? Certainly there is. My advice to such is, and ever has been, to stay in a warm room during the winter, with a temperature of about seventy degrees, which should be kept regularly at that point, by means of a thermometer. Let such a patient take his exercise within the limits of the room by walking up and down as much as his strength will permit, in order to keep up a healthy circulation of the blood. I have cured thousands by this system, and can do so again. Consumption is as easily cured as any other disease if it is taken in time, and the proper kind of treatment is pursued. The fact stands undisputed on record that Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, Mandrake Pills and Seaweed Tonic have cured very many of what seemed to be hopeless cases of consumption. Go where you will, you will be almost certain to find some poor consumptive who has been rescued from the very jaws of death by their use.

So far as the Mandrake Pills are concerned, everybody should keep a supply of them on hand. They act on the liver better than calomel, and leave none of its hurtful effects behind. In fact they are excellent in all cases where a purgative medicine is required. If you have partaken too freely of fruit and diarrhœa ensues, a dose of the Mandrake will cure you. If you are subject to sick headache, take a dose of the Mandrakes and they will cure you in two hours. If you would obviate the effect of a change of water, or the too free indulgence in fruit, take one of the Mandrakes every night or every other night, and you may then drink water or eat watermelons, pears, apples, plums, peaches or corn, without the risk of being made sick by them. They will protect those who live in damp situations against chills and fevers. Try them. They are perfectly harmless, They can do you good only.

I have abandoned my professional visits to Boston and New York, but continue to see patients at my office, No. 15 N. SIXTH Street, Philadelphia, every Saturday, from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Those who wish a thorough examination with the Respirometer will be charged five dollars. The Respirometer declares the exact condition of the lungs, and patients can readily learn whether they are curable or not. But I desire it distinctly understood that