

POETRY

From the Ch. Watchman. A MOTHER'S ADDRESS TO THE SPIRIT OF HER DEPARTED BOY Spirit! sweet spirit! oh tell me my love, Hast thou found in the mansions of heaven above, One that loves thee as she who oft has...

VILLAGE HOTEL

THE SUBSCRIBER informs the public that he has recently purchased the House and Tavern Establishment. Formerly occupied by James Elliott Esq. South west corner of the Court House Square in Ashborough. His rooms are large, pleasant and commodious...

PLENTY OF ROOM

His Stables are commodious and dry, will be attended by good and careful hostlers, and kept plentifully supplied with all the varieties of good provender. All are invited to call and make trial. He thinks he can give entire satisfaction. SAMPSON B. GLENN. Jan. 1838.—1-1f.

CAMP MEETING.

By divine permission there will be a camp meeting held at Mount Shepherd meeting house, on Randolph circuit, N. C. Conference, about 10 miles west of Ashboro, commencing on the 17th of August 1838. Aid from our brethren is anxiously solicited. THOMAS BARNUM.

JOB PRINTING

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PROSPECTUS FOR THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE, AND MISCELLANEOUS REPORTER.

Agriculture, Literature, Science, and the Mechanical Arts, the country's stay and nation's wealth.

Notwithstanding the extensive variety of newspapers and periodicals, published throughout the country, and the diversity of subjects therein embraced, it is obvious to every rational and reflecting mind, that the conductors of those powerful, and if rightly guided, those salutary vehicles of information, have been too generally actuated by party motives...

Actuated, therefore by these views, the subscriber intends publishing in Jamestown, N. C. a periodical under, and comporting with the above title; in the execution of which, he designs in the first place, to use all laudable exertions in procuring and disseminating practical information, essential to the interests, and calculated to increase the dignity of the Farmer.

Secondly:—Education, and the Literary Institutions of the country, will find in his columns, a warm and friendly support.

Thirdly:—Science, and the Mechanical Arts, will also be subjects of discussion, and invariably receive a liberal share of attention.

Fourthly:—Due attention will be paid to subjects calculated to promote the cause of Virtue and Religion.

Fifthly:—A brief notice will also be taken of passing events, of an important and interesting nature, both Foreign and Domestic; excluding all Political contests, and subjects calculated to create party animosity.

In short, no pains will be spared, to render the ADVOCATE a valuable and interesting visiter in every family, and to every virtuous and intelligent class of the community.

In order therefore; the more effectually to prosecute our purpose, we respectfully solicit the friendly aid of every intelligent Farmer, Mechanic, Literary and Scientific gentleman, who may have talent and inclination, to communicate to us such discoveries and practical hints, on subjects within our province, as may enrich our columns, and by a reciprocal interchange of thoughts, become a valuable source of information. Communications also on subjects either Religious, or Moral will be thankfully received.

TERMS.

The ADVOCATE, will be published in monthly numbers, consisting of thirty-two octavo pages, (two sheets,) neatly printed on good paper, folded and stitched, and promptly mailed to subscribers; making in a year, a neat volume of 384 pages, and furnished with title page and index, at \$1.25 per year in advance.

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In consequence of the difficulties and losses, invariably attending the collection of small sums, at a distance; no order for the paper will be attended to, until the subscription price be forwarded, or the payment secured by some known responsible person.

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As we intend commencing the publication some time in the month of August next, all persons holding subscriptions, are requested to forward them as early as possible.

All editors favorable to our designs, and those who may feel disposed to exchange with us, will do us a favor by giving our prospectus an insertion.

JOHN SHERWOOD. Jamestown, N. C., June, 1838.

CAMP MEETINGS.

A camp meeting will be held at "Tabernacle," in Guilford county, 9 miles Southeast of Greensboro—commencing on the last Saturday, the 28th of July. Also one at "Old Union," in Randolph county, near Walker's Mills—commencing on the last Saturday, the 26th of August. Ministering brethren are requested to attend. JOSEPH CAUSEY, Sup.

DR. W. B. LANE.

HAVING resumed the duties of his profession, expects in a few days an assortment of Medicines fresh and genuine, selected with care by himself. He may be found at his office at any time, except when professionally engaged. His charges will correspond with the pressure of the times, viz. a visit of ten miles will be charged five dollars, (medicine included.) Greater and less distances will be charged in the same proportion. Ashboro' N. C. Feb. 1838. W. B. LANE.

DOCTOR MENDELHALL.

New, Valuable, Tonic's and Anti-Dyspeptic, Vegetable Pills.

THESE PILLS are called New, because they have not hitherto been offered to the Public—they are called Valuable because their value has been fully tested by the inventor, by practice and experience for several years in a section of country peculiarly subject to diseases requiring a remedy of this kind.

These pills are entirely Vegetable, and may be taken with safety, by persons of all ages and conditions. When taken according to the directions accompanying each box they are highly beneficial in the prevention and cure of the following diseases: Fever and Ague, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Flatulent Cholera, Heartburn, Furred Tongue, Distention of the Stomach and Bowels, Incipient Diarrhea, Dysentery or Flux, Habitual Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Worms in Children.

All cases of torpor of the bowels, all cases of pain in the head which are caused (as all most head-aches are) by a disordered state of the Stomach, and in all cases of general weakness after Fever or other severe sickness. Though very efficient, they are exceedingly mild in their operation, causing neither nausea nor debility.

For sale at Jamestown Guilford co. N. C. Also Greensboro', Ashboro' and Lexington, N. C.—Price 50 cents per box.—5-6m

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CIRCULARS for Candidates &c. of ordinary length, from 88 to 820, according to the quantity of matter, and number of copies.

PAMPHLETS.—Suppose 24 duodecimo pages (size of the "Man of Business")—500 copies—good paper, folded, pressed, stitched, trimmed &c.—will cost about \$50.

HORSE BILLS, will cost here, from 88 to 86 according to the length and style in which they may be displayed.

LABELS—for Books, Bails of Cotton yarn &c. \$2 a thousand, unless the quantity be small—then the price will be 1.00 a hundred.

BLANKS.—Warrants, and such blanks as are usually kept on hand for Clerks of Courts cannot be had at this office under 75 cents a Quire, or five cents a sheet, if less than a Quire be taken. Sheriffs' Deeds, or ordinary Deeds of conveyance, 12 1-2 cents a copy, or \$100 a dozen; Attachments, bond and affidavit, 25 cents a copy, or 2.00 a dozen; Deeds of Trust, and Bills of sale, 25 cents a copy, or 2.00 a dozen; all other blanks not kept on hand for Clerks, but printed to order at \$2.00 a Quire. Any instrument will be furnished, and correctly filled up for \$1.00; and if there headwre or calculation wanted, the charge will never be less than \$2.00, but may be more according to the circumstances of the case.

N. B. Nothing can be printed either in the paper, or out of it, for less than 1.00.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE impossibility of carrying on the Watchman as it ought to be conducted while absent on collecting expeditions, and the impossibility of longer doing without the large amount due me for six years of labor, have determined me to sell the establishment at the end of the present year. The subscription at is about EIGHT HUNDRED, and on the increase, and the Job Printing and Advertising good for at least FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS a year. A gentleman of talents and a sound Whig shall have the paper on the most liberal terms. I would not willingly let it go into any other service. An early application is requested. H. C. JONES, Editor and proprietor.

THE GOOD SAMARITAN.

THE CONTRAST.—All nations, from the remotest ages have had ships, but Columbus only found out the way to America. Before the time of the great Spanish navigator, people were only enabled to paddle about the shores. Just so with the Life Medicines. It is but two short years since I first ventured upon an unknown ocean, and I have discovered the precious object I was in search of—HEALTH. Vegetable Medicines were indeed known when I commenced my search, but their use was not. By the use of them, I have not only passed from the dejected invalid, to the hale, hearty and active man of business, but, comparatively speaking I have renewed my youth. I can thus, with confidence in my own experience, advise with my fellow citizens. Does the reader want proof that the VEGETABLE LIFE MEDICINES are suitable to his own case?—I have on file at my office, 546 Broadway, hundreds of letters, from some of the most respectable citizens of this my native land, voluntarily offered in testimony of the virtues of A GOOD VEGETABLE MEDICINE.

Persons whose constitutions have been ruined by the "all-infallible" mineral preparations of the day, will bear me witness that the Life Medicines, and such only, are the true course to permanent good health. JOHN MOFFAT.

GENERAL REMARKS RELATIVE TO Moffat's Life Pills and PHENIX BITTERS.

These medicines have long been known and appreciated, for their extraordinary and immediate powers of restoring perfect health, to persons suffering under nearly every kind of disease to which the human frame is liable.

In many hundreds of certified instances, they have extricated sufferers from the very verge of an untimely grave, after all the deceptive nostrums of the day had utterly failed, and to many thousands they have permanently secured that uniform enjoyment of health, without which life itself is but a partial blessing. So great, indeed, has their efficacy invariably and infallibly proved, that it has appeared scarcely less than miraculous to those who were unacquainted with the beautiful philosophical principles upon which they are compounded, and upon which they consequently act. It was to their manifest and sensible action in purifying the springs and channels of life, and enduing them with renewed tone and vigor, that they were indebted for their name, which was bestowed upon them at the spontaneous request of several individuals whose lives they had obviously saved.

The proprietor rejoices in the opportunity afforded by the universal diffusion of the daily press, for placing his VEGETABLE LIFE PILLS within the knowledge and reach of every individual in the community. Unlike the host of pernicious quackeries, which boast of vegetable ingredients, the Life Pills are purely and solely vegetable, and contain neither Mercury, Antimony, Arsenic, nor any other mineral, in any form whatever. They are entirely composed of extracts from rare and powerful plants, the virtues of which, though long known to several Indian Tribes and recently to some eminent pharmaceutical chemists, are altogether unknown to the ignorant pretenders to medical science; and were never before administered in so happily efficacious a combination.

Their first operation is to loosen from the coats of the stomach and bowels, the various impurities and crudities constantly settling around them; and to remove the hardened masses which collect in the convolutions of the small intestines. Other medicines only partially cleanse these, and leave such collected masses behind, as to produce habitual constipation, with all its train of evils, or sudden diarrhoea, with its imminent dangers. This fact is well known to all regular anatomists, who examine the humane bowels after death; and hence the prejudice of these well-informed men against the quack medicines of the age.

The second effect of the VEGETABLE LIFE PILLS is to cleanse the kidneys and the bladder, and by this means, the liver and the lungs the beautiful action of which entirely depends on the regularity of the urinary organs. The blood, which takes its red color from the agency of the liver and the lungs before it passes into the heart, being thus purified by them, and nourished by food coming from a clean stomach, course freely through the veins, renews every part of the system, and triumphantly mounts the banner of health in the glooming cheek.

The following are among the distressing variety of human diseases, to which the Vegetable Life Pills are well known to be a certain relief:—

DYSPEPSIA, by thoroughly cleansing the first and second stomachs, and creating a flow of pure healthy bile, instead of the stale and acid kind.—Flatulency, Palpitation of the Heart, Loss of Appetite, Heart-burn and Head-ache, Indigestion, Intemperance, Anxiety, Languor, and Melancholy, which are the general symptoms of Dyspepsia, will vanish, as a natural consequence of its cure. Constipation, by cleansing the whole length of the intestines with a solvent process, and without violence; all violent purges leave the bowels costive within two days. Diarrhoea and Cholera, by removing the sharp acrid fluids by which these complaints are occasioned, and by promoting the lubricative secretion of the mucous membrane. Fevers of all kinds, by restoring the blood to a regular circulation, through the process of perspiration in some cases, and the thorough solution of all intestinal obstructions in others. THE LIFE PILLS have been known to cure Rheumatism permanently a three weeks, and lost in but that time, by removing local inflammation from the muscles and ligaments of the joints. Dropsies of all kinds, by freeing and strengthening the kidneys and bladder; they operate most delightfully on these important organs, and hence have ever been found a certain remedy for the worst case of Gravel. Also, Worms, by dislodging from the turnings of the bowels the slimy matter to which these creatures adhere; Asthma and Consumption, by relieving the air vessels of the lungs from the mucus, which even slight colds will occasion, which if not removed becomes hardened, and produces those dreadful diseases. Scoury, Ulcers, and Invertebrate Sores, by the perfect purity which these Life Pills give to the blood, and all the humor; Scorbatic Eruptions, and Bad Complexions, by their alternative effect upon the fluids that feed the skin, the morbid state of which occasions all Eruptive complaints, Sallow Cloudy, and other disagreeable Complexions. The use of these Pills for a very short time, will effect an entire cure

of Red Swell, Erysipelas, and a swelling in the throat, in the Chlorosis of the skin, Typhoid Fever, Cold and Influenza, will always be cured by one dose, or by two, given in the usual way. Pills, as a remedy for the most distressing and obstinate malady the Venereal L'fe Pills deserve a distinct and emphatic recommendation. It is well known to hundreds in this city, that the Proprietor of these valuable Pills, was himself afflicted with this complaint for upwards of thirty five years, and that he tried in vain every remedy prescribed within the whole compass of Western Medicine. He however, at length, tried the medicine which he now offers to the public, and he was cured in a very short time, after his recovery had been pronounced not only improbable, but absolutely impossible by any human means.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.—The Proprietor of the VEGETABLE LIFE PILLS does not follow the base and mercenary practice of the quacks of the day, in advising persons to take his Pills in large quantities. No good medicine can possibly be so required. These Pills are to be taken at bed time every night, for a week or fortnight, according to the degree of the disease. The usual dose is from 2 to 4 according to the constitution of the patient. Very delicate persons should begin with but two, and increase as the nature of the case may require; those more robust, or of a very costive habit, may begin with 3, and increase to 4, or even 5 Pills, and they will effect a sufficient happy change to guide the patient in their further use. These Pills sometimes occasion sickness and vomiting, though very seldom, unless the stomach is very full, this, however, may be considered a favorite symptom, as the patient will find himself at once relieved, and by perseverance will soon recover. They usually operate within 10 or 12 hours, and never give pain, unless the bowels are very much incarcerated. They may be taken by the most delicate female under any circumstances.—It is, however, recommended, that those in latter periods of pregnancy should take but one at a time, and thus continue to keep the bowels open, and even two may be taken where the patient is very costive. One pill in a solution of two table spoons full of water may be given to an infant in the following doses:—a tea spoon full every two hours till it operates; for a child from one to five years of age, half a pill—and from five to ten, one pill.

THE PHENIX BITTERS, are so called, because they possess the power of restoring the expiring members of health, to a glowing vigor through the constitution, as the Phoenix is said to be restored to life from the ashes of its own dissolution. The Phoenix Bitters are entirely vegetable, composed of roots found only in certain parts of the western country, which will infallibly cure FEVERS AND AGUES of all kinds; will never fail to eradicate entirely all the effects of Mercury, infinitely sooner than the most powerful preparations of Sarsaparilla, and will immediately cure the determination of BLOOD TO THE HEAD; never fail in the sickness incident to young females; and will be found a certain remedy in all cases of nervous debility and weakness of the most impaired constitution. As a remedy for Chronic and Inflammatory Rheumatism, the efficacy of the Phoenix Bitters will be demonstrated by the use of a single bottle. The usual dose of these bitters is half a wine glass full, in water or wine, and this quantity may be taken two or three times a day, about half an hour before meals, or a less quantity may be taken at all times. To those who are afflicted with indigestion after meals, the Bitters will prove invaluable, as they very greatly increase the action of the principal viscera; help them to perform their functions; and enable the stomach to discharge into the bowels whatever is offensive. This indigestion is easily and speedily removed, appetite restored, and the mouths of the absorbent vessels being cleansed, nutrition is facilitated, and strength of body and energy of mind are the happy results. For further particulars of MOFFAT'S LIFE PILLS and PHENIX BITTERS, apply at Moffat's office, No. 546 Broadway, New York, where the Pills can be obtained for 25 cents, 50 cents, or \$1 per box; and the Bitters for \$1 or \$2 per bottle.—

Numerous certificates of the wonderful efficacy of both, may be there inspected.

Some obstinate and complicated cases of chronic and inflammatory Rheumatism, Liver Complaints, Fever and Ague, Dyspepsia, Palsy, Piles, injuries from the use of Mercury Quinine, and other diseases of long standing, may be found necessary to take both the Life Pills and the Phoenix Bitters, in the dose before recommended.

N. B.—These Pills and the Bitters will give all Mercury out of the system infinitely faster than the best preparations of Sarsaparilla, and are a certain remedy for the rushing of blood to the head, or all violent headaches, the Douleur, &c.—All persons who are predisposed to apoplexy, palsy, &c., should never be without the Life Pills or the Bitters for one close in time will save life. They regulate the circulation of the blood, draw all pressure from the head, restore perspiration and throw off every impurity by the pores of the skin.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

Persons using the Life Medicines, are advised to take the Pills at night, in sufficient quantities to operate two or three times on the bowels in the course of the next day. All so take a table spoon full of the Bitters an hour before each meal. For those of a delicate or feeble constitution, half the quantity may be sufficient.—13-1y

For further particulars of the above medicine, see Moffat's "Good Samaritan"—a copy of which accompanies the medicine. A copy can also be had on application to the Agent Mr. E. G. Moffat at Asheborough N. C.

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A large quantity now on hand FOR SAE

The article will be constantly kept on hand. Asheboro' N. C.

J. M. A. DRAKE.