Sunday Reading.

EARTH AND HEAVEN.

Is this the believer's only heritage? Does this vale of tears open to no brighter region? To this stormy sea is there no quiet haven? Beyond this firmament, so often overcast, is there no cloudless sky? We toil on, struggling with the elements, alternately parched, and chilled, famished and surfeited; we buffet with human selfishness and Satanic malice; we grope in a labyrinth of fallacies; we chase fatuous lights; calumny shoots her poisoned arrows; bulletins of war come daily, written over, within and without, in blood; the earth, we stand on heaves beneath us; presently it opens and we are swallowed up.

What means this mysterious drama? Is the whole tale thus told? Is man's life only a riddle? Many bright dreams have we; there are traditions of Paradise and a golden age; for thousands of years have men been talking of Hesperian regions; but for thousands of years have they dreamed, sinned, and suffered, till they drop into the grave.

Amid this perplexity and gloom, a voice is heard, "Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." We go to him; we find him infinitely benignant; yet perfect rest we do not find. The sun loses none of its fierceness thereby, nor frosts aught of their chill; disease has the same virulence, and slanderous tongues have the same venom as before. Emancipation from sin and its consequences is any thing but complete. Even to the day of our exit from earth do we go sighing, O, wretched man that I am! who shall deliver me from the body of this death? How, then, is it true, "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord?" What are we to think of those who up to the hour of their departure, still sin, suffer, and grieve? The messenger of the Apocalypse answers, "They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more; neither shall the sun light on them, nor any heat. For the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall feed them, and shall lead them to living fountains of waters; and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes."

Complete deliverance, then, from all evils is the future portion of believers. They enjoy exemption from physical evils. The resurrection body will be perfectly free from all infirmities; all; all its organs discharge their offices with perfect exactness, and the vital forces play forever, with unabating freshness. But, without dwelling upon these considerations of that kind, we are authorized to affirm an entire removal of every evil incident to the present constitution of things; and keeping within the range of scriptural imagery, we might safely enlarge upon many points of joyful contrast.—*Better Land.*

NECESSITY OF CONVERSION.

Reader, until I see conversion and faith in Christ, I cannot and dare not feel satisfied about a dying man's soul. Others may feel satisfied if they please, and say after their friend's death, they hope he has gone to heaven. For my part, I would rather hold my tongue and say nothing. I would be content with the least measure of repentance and faith in a dying man, even though it were no bigger than a grain of mustard seed; but to be content with anything less than repentance and faith, seems to me next door to infidelity.

Reader, what kind of evidence do you mean to leave behind as to the state of your soul? Lay to heart what I have been saying and you will do well.

When we have carried you to your narrow bed let us not have to hunt up stray words and scraps of religion to make out that you were a true believer. Let us not have to say in a hesitating way one to another, "I trust he is happy: he talked so nicely one day, and he seemed so pleased with a chapter in the Bible on another occasion, and he liked such a person, who is a good man." Oh! let us be able to speak decidedly as to your condition. Let us have some standing proof of your penitence, your faith and your holiness, that none shall be able for a moment to question your state. Reader, depend upon it, those you leave behind, you can feel no solid comfort about your soul. We may use the form of religion at your burial, and express charitable hopes. We may meet you at the church yard gate, and say, "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord." But this will not alter your condition. If you die without conversion to God—without repentance and without faith in Christ, your funeral will be only the funeral of a lost soul.

WORDS OF CONSOLATION TO THE BEREAVED.

Dr. Judson thus wrote to a friend in the hour of trials: "So the light of your dwelling has gone out, my poor brother, and it is all darkness there, only as you draw down by faith some faint gleams of the light of heaven, and coldness has gathered round your hearthstone; your home is probably desolate, your children scattered, and you a homeless wanderer over the face of the land. We have both tasted of those bitter cups once and again; we have found them bitter, and we have found them sweet too. Every cup stirred by the finger of God becomes sweet to the humble believer. Do you remember how our late wives and others used to cluster round the well-curb in the mission premises, at the close of day? I can almost see them sitting there, with their smiling faces, as I look out of the window at which I am now writing. Where are ours now? Clustering around the well-curb of the fountain of living water, to which the Lamb of heaven shows them the way; reposing in the arms of infinite Love, who wipes away all their tears with his own hand. Let us travel on and look up. We shall soon be there. As sure as I write and as you read these lines, we shall soon be there. Many a weary step we may yet have to take, but we shall get there at last. And the longer and more tedious the way, the sweeter will be our repose."

DO NOT DELAY.

Lord, I do discover a fallacy, whereby I have long deceived myself; which is this: I have desired to begin my amendment from my birthday, or from some eminent festival, that so my repentance might bear some remarkable date. But when those days were come, I have adjourned my amendment to some other time. Thus, whilst I could not agree with myself when to start, I have also lost the running of the race. I am resolved thus to befool myself no longer. I see no day but to-day; the instant time is always the fittest time. In Nebuchadnezzar's image, the lower the members, the coarser the metal. The further off the time, the more unfit. To-day is the golden opportunity, to-morrow will be the silver season, next day but the brazen one, and so on, till at last I shall come to the toes of clay, and be turned to dust. Grant, therefore, that to-day I may hear Thy voice. And if this be obscure in the calendar, and remarkable in itself for nothing else, give me to make it memorable in my soul, hereupon, by Thy assistance, beginning the reformation of my life.—*Fuller.*

HOW PRAYER IS ANSWERED.

One of the pupils in a school in Germany came to his master one day in a great trouble, because, as he said, God would not answer his prayer.

"And what did you pray for?"

"I prayed to God that he would give me an humble heart."

The child said, with tears, "Since I prayed for this, the other boys have been cross and unkind to me. They tease me and mock me at every turn, so that I can hardly bear it."

"My dear boy, you prayed that God would give you an humble heart, and why, then, should you be vexed, if the other boys are the means of humbling you? It is in this way he sees fit to send you an humble mind."

The poor child had not thought of that. He had fancied that God would have taken some other way with him, and thus he was mistaken in thinking that his prayer was not answered.

THE PRONOUNS OF THE BIBLE.

Luther pronounced pronouns to be the sweetest and most consolatory expression to be found in the word of God. What, in fact, more tenderly elevating than where the prophet Isaiah heralds peace and refreshing to the people of Israel? "Comfort ye, comfort ye, *my* people, saith *your* God." No longer the "Lord God, the Lord strong and mighty;" but "*your* God," and "*my* people." And how marked the difference between saying, "The Lord is a shepherd," and "The Lord is *my* shepherd;" between the heathen, who acknowledge God as the "Father of gods and men," and the ransomed of his Well-beloved, who behold in the Lord, "*Our* Father which art in heaven;" who say, "The Lord will hear *me* when I call upon him," and to whom he says, "Lo, I am with *you* always, even unto the end of the world."

Agricultural.

IMPROVEMENT OF MEADOWS.

From the constantly increasing price of hay, farmers are beginning to give the subject of the improvement of grass lands and permanent meadows their earnest considerations, and we confidently look forward to the speedy introduction of underdraining, irrigating and topdressing permanent meadows, to an extent altogether improbable, but for our well known go-ahead habits.

The practice of underdraining meadows will appear ridiculous to some who have never witnessed the great improvement in the quality and quantity produced by it. Underdraining lies at the very foundation of all improvements of meadows. Irrigating and topdressing are comparatively useless on any meadow surcharged nine months of the year, with stagnant water. There are hundreds of thousands of acres which now produce nothing but coarse innutricious herbage which by underdraining would become the most profitable land on the farm. And much of such land is so situated that it could be irrigated with very little trouble or expense. A dam on a natural stream, and cutting a few artificial ditches, are in many situations all that is necessary to irrigate a large meadow. The English farmers are far behind those of several countries in irrigation, but they are very far in advance of American agriculturists, while from their moist climate, the advantages of irrigation would be supposed to be less than in our dry, hot, shore seasons. There are but few farms in England on which there are no permanent meadows more or less artificially watered. And the immense quantity of fodder produced on these lands materially helps to keep up and increase the fertility of the upland portions of the farm.

HOW TO APPLY GUANO TO CORN.

If placed in immediate contact with the corn, it will destroy its germinating principle, and yet the nearer it can be placed the roots of the plant the better, so that it is mixed with sufficient soil to prevent injury. For this reason, applying it in the hill,—incorporating it thoroughly with the soil, is better than sowing it broadcast. Dr. Reynolds, in an excellent article on this subject, in the *New England Farmer* says:

"One of the best fields of corn which I saw in this town, the past season, was raised with guano in the following manner: After the ground had been properly prepared, a furrow was made for the row, of the common depth. The guano was sprinkled in this furrow through its entire length. It was then covered with the hoe to the entire depth of two or three inches, and the corn dropped upon this covering, the kernels being placed eight or ten inches apart. The yield was estimated, notwithstanding the drouth, at a hundred bushels per acre."

GROWING CUCUMBERS.

We clip the following from an exchange. We have tried the same plan, and proved its excellence.

Take a large barrel, or hogshead; saw it in two in the middle, and bury each half in the ground even with the top. Then take a small keg and bore a small hole in the bottom; place the keg in the centre of the barrel, the top even with the ground, and fill in barrel around the keg with rich earth, suitable for the growth of cucumbers. Plant your seed midway between the edges of the barrel and the keg, and make a kind of arbor a foot or two high for the vines to run on. When the ground becomes dry, pour water on the keg in the evening—it will pass at the bottom of the keg into the barrel, and rise to the roots of the cucumber vines, and keep them moist and green. Cucumbers cultivated in this way will grow to a great size, as they are made independent both of drought and wet weather. In wet weather the barrel can be covered, and in dry the ground can be kept moist by pouring water in the keg.

HOW MUCH MANURE DO WE USE ON AN ACRE?

An acre of land contains 43,000 square feet, 4,840 square yards, or 160 square rods. By those who have guano, it is said 300 pounds is sufficient to manure an acre; 302¼ lbs. would give just one ounce avoirdupois to the square yard. One cubic yard would give a trifle over one cubic inch to the square foot. A cubic yard of highly concentrated manure, like night soil, would, if evenly and properly spread, manure an acre very well. A cubic yard of long manure will weigh about 1,400 lbs.; a cubic foot not far from 50 lbs. A cord contains 128 cubic feet; a cord and a quarter would give about a cubic foot to the square rod. If liquid manure be used, it would take 170 bbls. to give one gill to a square foot upon an acre, which would be equal to about 50 pipes or large hogsheads. It would be useful if farmers would be a little more specific, as to the amount of manure applied.—*Rural New Yorker.*

GROUND FOOD FOR CATTLE.

The London Agricultural Gazette, a work of undoubted excellence, stated that two horses, in every respect equal allowed each five pounds of oats, daily, hay enough—amounting in all to seventeen pounds of feed per diem. For one of the horses the grain was crushed, for the other not. One hundred parts of the excrements, (solid,) of each horse examined chemically, on the fourth day after the experiments were commenced. The excrement from the horse fed on crushed oats contained no traces of nutritive matter, consisting of starch and gluten, was found: arising indubitably, from the constitutional inability of the animal to the perfect mastification of the grain: an evil that must necessarily vary in the magnitude of the results, with age and rapidity of feeding. No difference was found in the excrement of animals fed on chopped and unchopped hay, though the facility of eating the former, and the consequently greater period of rest obtained was a decided advantage.—*Germantown Telegrayh.*

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200 sides Hemlock Sole LEATHER,
50 " Baltimore white oak Bend and Sole do.
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Boot and Shoe Emporium.

Roger's Liverwort & Tar

For the complete cure of Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Asthma, Bronchitis, Spitting of Blood, and all other Lung Complaints tending to Consumption.

This preparation is getting into use all over our country. The numerous letters we receive from our various agents, informing us of cures effected in their immediate neighborhoods, warrant us in saying it is one of the best, if not the *very best* Cough Medicine now before the public. *It almost invariably relieves and not unfrequently cures the very worst cases.* When all other Cough preparations have failed, this has relieved the patient, as Druggists, dealers in Medicines, and Physicians can testify. Ask the agent in your nearest town, what has been his experience of the effects of this medicine. If he has been selling it for any length of time, he will tell you

IT IS THE BEST MEDICINE EXTANT.

Below we give a few extracts from letters we have received lately regarding the virtues of this *medicine.*

Dr. S. S. Oslin, of Knoxville, Ga., says:—*I have been using your Liverwort and Tar very extensively in my practice for three years past, and, it is with pleasure I state my belief* IN ITS SUPERIORITY OVER ALL OTHER ARTICLES *with which I am acquainted, for which it is recommended.*"

Messrs. Fitzgerald & Bennece, writing from Waynesville, N. C., say:—" *The Liverwort and Tar is becoming daily more popular in this country,* AND WE THINK JUSTLY SO. *All who have tried it speak in commendable terms of it, and say it is very beneficial in alleviating the complaints for which it is recommended.*"

Our Agent in Pickens District, S. C., Mr. S. R. McFall, assures us "*that he uses it with great benefit in his own family, and recommends it to his neighbors.*" He gives an instance of a negro woman, in his vicinity, who had been suffering with disease of the Lungs for years, attended with a severe cough, who was relieved by the Liverwort and Tar.

Such are the good reports we hear of this Medicine from all parts of the South. For a report of the surprising cures it has performed in the Western and Northern and Eastern States, we would invite the suffering patient to read the pamphlet which accompanies each bottle. To all, we say, *have hope, have hope!*

TRY THE MEDICINE!!
BE WARNED IN SEASON!!!

And neglect not that cough which is daily weakening your constitution, irritating your throat and lungs, and inviting on that dread disease, Consumption, when so soothing and healing a remedy can be obtained as Dr. Rogers' Syrup of Liverwort and Tar.

Beware of Counterfeits and Base Imitations!

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SOLE AGENTS FOR THE SOUTHERN STATES, to whom all orders and applications for Agencies must be addressed. Sold also by the principal Druggists in every village.
April, 17 1855. 9—1y

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C. T. EBERHARD & CO.
February 28, 1854. 3tf

Wait for the Waggons!

WHAT FOR! say you. Well, we will tell you. It is because JENKINS & TRAVELBEE have opened a

MAMMOTH STOVE STORE,

in Williams's New Brick Building, Charlotte, N. C., just opposite the Bank of Charlotte, where can be found the largest, cheapest and best stock of

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BRASS KETTLES, STOVE PIPES, &c.,

constantly on hand.

☞All ORDERS sent to us will be promptly attended to by
JENKINS & TAYLOR.
Charlotte, March 7, 1854. 4tf

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ABYSSINIA MIXTURE,

For Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Costiveness, Piles, Affections of the Kidneys and Bladder, Gravel, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, the Whites, Weakness and other Female complaints. Price per bottle, 75 cents and $1 25.

Gold Mine Balsam,

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Notice.

THE copartnership under the name of *H. SEVERS & CO.*, was dissolved on the 24th of October, 1854, by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm, and to H. Severs individually, are earnestly requested to make payment by the 1st of January, 1855, or they will find them in the hands of others for collection.

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N. B. The BILLIARD SALOON will be carried on by the undersigned, (at the old stand) opposite the Court-House, where they will be ready to accommodate, one and all, who wish to partake of a good glass of

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ALSO, ALL KINDS OF

Wines, Liquors and Lemon Syrup,

will be sold by the gallon, at the *lowest price for CASH.*

J. DULS & CO.
October 31, 1854. 38tf

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Saddle & Harness Manufacturer,
THREE DOORS SOUTH OF SADLER'S HOTEL,
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I WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Charlotte and the surrounding country, that I have now on hand an extensive assortment of

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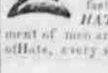
October 24, 1854. 37tf

Hats.



JUST received and opening a splendid lot of Beebe's and Leary's most fashionable Fall and Winter style *HATS*, together with a large assortment of men and boys' *CAPS*, Leather and Wool offHats, every variety, at

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October 25, 1854 37tf

Shoe Makers Wanted

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February 13, 1855. 32tf

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February 16, 1853. 3tf

CHARLOTTE
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THE subscriber hereby informs his friends and the public, that he manufactures out of the best materials, and by the best of workmen, every kind of

Carriages and Buggies.

And he furthermore warrants every article made by him, to be just what he represents it. He devotes all his time, talents and means to his trade, and flatters himself that he can give general satisfaction to all who may call on him.

J. TROTTER.
December 6, 1853. 44tf

Notice.

ALL those indebted to the firms of Fox & Orr and Fox & Caldwell, or to myself individually, are requested to make immediate payment. In my absence the Books and Accounts will be in the hands of Mr. J. P. Smith, who is authorized to settle the same.

C. J. FOX.
Charlotte, March 14, 1854. 5tf

R. HAMILTON,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Corner of Richardson and Laurel Streets,
COLUMBIA, S. C.
June 6, '54. 1y

A Painter Wanted.

A GOOD HOUSE PAINTER, who is a single man, and can come recommended as a fine finisher, can obtain immediate and permanent employment by inquiring of the subscriber at Charlotte, N. C.

J. W. RAINEY.
June 6, 1854. 16tf

WARDLAW, WALKER & BURNSIDE,
COTTON FACTORS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
NORTH ATLANTIC WHARF,
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☞Commission for selling Cotton 50 cts per Bal
Sept. 27, 1853. 34tf

FEVER AND AGUE.

DR. EDWARD BLEECKER'S STAMPEDE MIXTURE—For the Fever and Ague, Chagres Fever, Dyspepsia and all Bilious Affections.

The Proprietor of this Medicine will state, without hesitation or fear of contradiction, that the *STAMPEDE MIXTURE* has cured more persons where it has been introduced, than any other medicine in use for the above diseases. This medicine has neither Arsenic nor Quinine in its composition, all of the ingredients are of a perfectly healthy character, and highly stimulating and invigorating in their tendency. Persons while using this medicine will not be affected by exposure to water or a damp atmosphere no more than when in their usual health. Planters in sections of the country where the Ague prevails, will do well to adopt this medicine, as the patient is not obliged to lay by while under treatment, and they may be assured of a speedy cure. The Proprietor could introduce thousands of certificates from those of the highest respectability, but prefers saying to the sick buy one bottle and you will have the infallible proof in yourself. Full directions for its use accompany each bottle.

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For Dyspepsia and all other Bilious Complaints, here is not a better Medicine in the market.

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For sale by Druggists in all parts of the United States and Canadas.

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September 4, 1854. 30-1Y

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Our establishment and business is now so well known as being one of the MOST EXTENSIVE in this country, that it is hardly necessary to repeat what we have often said before, viz: That we are prepared to offer one of the

Largest and Most Extensive Stock of Foreign and Domestic

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to be found in this Country, embracing all that is New, Rich and Desirable in Dress Goods of every variety,

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800 cases Negro Plains and Kerseys,

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BANCROFT, BETTS & MARSHALL.
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July 4, 1854. 2!

Fashionable Tailoring,

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VESTINGS,

for Gentlemen's wear, and will be sold for *CASH* at a small profit, or made to order according to the latest styles. Shop next door to Daniels & Allison.

D. L. REA.
Charlotte Sept. 26, 1854. 33tf

CHARLOTTE
MARBLE YARD.

HAVING disposed of our entire interest in the Marble Yard to Messrs. Wm. Tiddy & Son, we recommend them to our friends.

STOWE & PEGRAM.
September 26, 1854.

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MONUMENTS, GRAVESTONES,
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and other patterns cut from marble, according to the most approved taste and style, and upon the most accommodating terms ever offered in the Southern country. The Yard is situated on the North West corner of the Charlotte Depot Yard, where the subscribers, or his agents, may always be found.

WM. TIDDY & SON.
September 26, 1854. 33tf
Democrat and Concord Gazette will copy.

A. C. WILLIAMSON,
Attorney at Law,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.

WILL practice in this and the adjoining counties and will attend to all professional business entrusted to his care.
Charlotte January 26, 1852. 1tf

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YOUNG MEN

Especially, who have become the victims of *Solitary Vice*, that dreadful and destructive habit which sweeps to an untimely grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to ecstacy the living lyre, may call with full confidence on him.

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No Mercury or Nauseous Drugs Used.

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DR JOHNSTON,

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When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an ill timed sense of shame or dread of discovery deters him from applying to those who from education and respectability, can alone befriend him. Destroying the constitutional symptoms of this horrid disease, make their appearance, such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased nose, nocturnal pains in the head and bones, down as far as deafness, nodes on the shin bones and arms, blotches on the head, face and extremities, progress on with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nose fall in, and the victim of this awful disease becomes a horrid object of commiseration, till death puts a period to his painful sufferings by sending him to that bourne from whence no traveller returns. To such therefore, Dr Johnston pledges himself to preserve the most inviolable secrecy, and from his extensive practice in the first Hospitals in Europe and America, he can confidently recommend a safe and speedy cure to the unfortunate victim of this horrid disease. It is a melancholy fact, that thousands fall victims to this dreadful disease, owing to the unskilfulness of ignorant pretenders, who by the use of that deadly poison, mercury, ruin the constitution and either send the unfortunate sufferer to an untimely grave, or else make the remainder of his miserable.

TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE.

Dr J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences.

There are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Loins, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.

Mentally—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded; Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Forebodings, Aversion of Company, Self Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.

Thousands of persons of all ages can now judge what is the cause of their declining health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale and emaciated, with a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of consumption.

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DY FOR ORGANIC WEAKNESS.

By its use a speedy and important remedy will be had, the organs speedily restored and full vigor restored. Thousands of the most Nervous and Debilitated individuals who have lost all hope have been immediately relieved. All impediments to

MARRIAGE,

Physical or Mental Disqualifications, Nervous Debility Tremblings and Weakness, or exhaustion of the most fearful kind, speedily cured by Dr Johnston.

Young men who have injured themselves by a certain practice indulged in when alone, a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school, the effects of which are nightly felt even when asleep, and if not cured, renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body.

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MARRIAGE,

Should reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connubial happiness. Indeed, without these, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage; the prospect hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another becoming blighted with our own.

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It is with the greatest reluctance that Dr JOHNSTON permits his card to appear before the public, deeming it unprofessional for a physician to advertise, but unless he did so, the afflicted would become strangers, could not fail to fall into the hands of unprincipled boasting impostors, individuals destitute of knowledge, name and character, cunning, shameless hawkers, mechanics, &c., advertising themselves as physicians; ignorant quacks, with *filthy, lying recipes, cures of Great Wonderful Cures* from patients that never can be found, or obtained for a few dollars from the Worthless and Degraded, and many other disgusting and contemptible artifices to ensnare the afflicted, trifling month after month, or as long as money can be obtained, and in despair leave you with ruined health, to mourn over your galling disappointment. It is this conduct that induces Dr J to advertise *for he alone can be known to you.* To those unacquainted with his reputation, he deems it necessary to say that his credentials and diplomas always hang in his Office.

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