Sunday Reading.

CECIL'S COUNSELS.

The sound scriptural views of that eminent man, Richard Cecil, combined with a judicious masculine understanding, rendered his counsels, in every age of Christian experience, peculiarly valuable; but to a recent convert, whose knowledge was necessarily very imperfect, and zeal ill regulated, the advices and warnings of such a man were inestimable. We quote some striking remarks, which fell from his lips, in his first conversation with one under such circumstances, and commend their startling truthfulness to our readers:

"You must not look for perfection either in yourself or others. Not to allow for the infirmities and defects of a fallen nature, is not to understand any thing about the matter; nay, it is to speak directly contrary to the Bible, the standard of all truth. There was never more than one perfect character upon earth, and He was the most tender and compassionate towards the imperfections of men. He knew what was in man, for He looked at the heart; and if He saw that right, He pitied, where those who judge only by the outward appearance, learned, and defended where they condemned.

"There is one distinction you should keep very clear in your mind—that religion itself, in its essence, is perfect; as our rule and standard it is unerring; nor can it be affected by the inconsistencies or imperfections of its professors; the standard remains the same; the failures are true; but when its professors are weighed therein—even the very best of them—they are found wanting. Our aim must be to get every day nearer the standard; for whoever does not labor, not merely desire, but labor to be a better Christian every day, is not yet a Christian at all. Yet in this you must exercise patience. Do not measure yourself by a false standard. There are no doubt giants in the Christian world—but would you be a giant at once? Do not be satisfied to be a dwarf, but remember there must be time to grow.

"Be careful, in your commerce with the world, to keep up to the character you profess. Do not put on a Pharisaical manner of 'Stand by, I am holier than thou.' Yet let it appear, that while you are under the necessity of having their vain conversation, you have no taste for it; no delight or interest in it. An humble, kind, silence often utters much.

"Whenever God gives faith he will try it, and whoever becomes a follower of Christ must deny himself, and take up his cross—must make great sacrifices—such as right hands and right eyes; must expect opposition, persecution, mortification, cruel reproaches, not only from the world but from nearest and dearest friends. A man's 'enemies of his own household.' You must set your face like a flint against threatenings and against allurements.

"But I would warn you of another danger arising from a quarter you may least expect—namely, from the religious world itself. There are stumbling-blocks even in the Church; there are many professors who, when they see a person setting out in religion, will advise on this course and on that. One sort says, 'Religion is in its best estate among us!' Another sort says, 'among us?' and the young convert, having a tender conscience, desirous of being right, is often greatly perplexed, for he finds that in the religious world there is a party spirit. Instead of obtaining the mind of the word, he has to distinguish between lovers of doctrine, till at last he begins to doubt if there be any true spirit of religion at all.

"Do not form too high expectations from the professing world. Do not be in haste to form connections—to make acquaintance—to place confidence—to turn to every professor and say, *Lead on.*

"Do not enter into the list of religious gossip, who may not only puzzle you a great deal about points of doctrine, but may lead you to waste your time to no purpose, in going from house to house, talking, instead of getting into the spirit of unity. There are too many of this sort, whose chief religion lies in going from church to church to hear, and from house to house to prate, but who are too seldom in their closets, too seldom in close converse with God.—Retired Christianity is the source. It is easy to fill the head with notions; but to sit with Mary, at Christ's feet, and be a learner, is far better. Always be afraid of a speculative religion."

From the American Messenger.

TO-MORROW EVENING.

While God was pouring out his Spirit in ——, Ohio, and many were gathered into the ark of safety, a young lady, the daughter of pious parents, turned a deaf ear to the voice of mercy and offers of pardon through the blood of Jesus.

At a meeting one Sabbath evening, her earnest anxiety attracted the eye of the pastor. He spoke with her seriously, urging her to delay escaping mercy no longer; but she hesitated, and pleaded that she might postpone the subject till to-morrow evening.

In the night she was taken suddenly ill. Medical aid was called; but the physicians pronounced her beyond recovery, and another setting out her spirit had fled.

A short time before she breathed her last, she appeared to be in great distress. Knowing she must stand before the judgment seat to receive her final doom, she asked to see the minister. He was called. He tried to point her to the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world," but she could find no peace. With horror depicted on her countenance, she said, "I have sinned against God, in striving against his Holy Spirit. There is no mercy for me.—Oh that I could live my life over again; I would then serve my God as I have striven against him"—begging her pastor at her funeral to warn all her young friends not to put off the salvation of their souls. W. E. D.

Agricultual.

SMUT ON WHEAT.

Smut seems to be a parasitic fungus, of which there are several varieties, as on Indian corn, wheat, etc. The black dust of matured smut is to be regarded as its seeds, each particle of which, however light and evanescent, is capable of germinating and producing its kind when brought into favorable circumstances. It is difficult to say precisely how these seeds find their way into the receptacles of growing wheat. But it is probable that they adhere to the kernels of wheat when sown; and we know that in some way they are carried upward with the growing plant; and are developed at the base of the newly forming kernels, simultaneously with the bursting of the spike from its sheath, or perhaps a little before the head makes its appearance. From this time the fungus grows and developes itself more or less rapidly, as the weather favors or otherwise, drawing its nutriment from the plant, thus partially depriving the forming wheat of its appropriate food, as well as inoculating a hurtful ingredient.

Now, on the supposition that the smut in wheat comes from sporules (smut seeds) distributed with the seed wheat, which we suppose to be correct, it follows that if you could wash the seed before sowing, perfectly clean, there would be no smut in the crop, for however warm, damp and lowery the season, smut will not grow, unless there is seed for it to grow from. But it is impossible to secure perfect cleanliness from these sporules or smut seeds. They are too minute to be all washed away; and their vitality is not destroyed by pure water. Hence, the importance of washing seed wheat in some solution that will destroy the vitality of such of the sporules as fail to be washed out.

Salt, plaster, quick-lime, arsenic, sulphate of copper and other things have been recommended. The first is always at hand, and the next two are seldom far absent from the farm; and we believe that these are sufficient. If the seed be first washed in pure water, then in a weak brine, of say one quart of salt in a pail full of water, and then dried in plaster or quick lime, (the latter not to be used too fresh nor very freely, lest it injure the vitality of the wheat,) we think that there will be little danger from smut, and that the operation will be favorable rather than otherwise to the germination and early growth of the seed wheat.

COMPOSTS.

In or near the garden, and in some out of sight corner, there should be at all times a compost heap for receiving all kinds of rubbish that can have the least value as manure.

Make a shallow excavation of sufficient size, and a little lower at one end than at the other, forming with the earth thrown out a small embankment all around it. Into this throw green weeds, the sweepings of the yard, the refuse of vegetables, leaves, decayed vegetable matter of all kinds, woolen rags, old plaster, charcoal-dust, soot, soap-suds, brine slops from the kitchen and chambers, etc. The heap should be dug over occasionally, adding a little ashes and lime. Animal manures should not be added, as they would do harm by setting free the ammonia. In the latter case, charcoal dust, plaster of Paris, and vegetable mold, leaves, turf, or swamp muck should be used.

One who has never tried the experiment of carefully husbanding the elements of fertility which accumulate about a house, yard, and garden will be astonished at the annual amount and value of the compost which may, with very little trouble, be thus manufactured. Try it.

PRESERVING FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Within the last five or six years an extensive business has grown up in the preservation of fresh fruits and vegetables, in cans and jars, for use in winter and spring. As long as it was possible, the mode was kept a secret by those who made it a matter of commercial speculation; though the principle has been known for a long time, and applied to the preservation of meats and other provisions, for ship stores, which are brought to the table after the lapse of years as fresh as when they were taken from the baker's oven. The principle is simply to raise the temperature of whatever is to be preserved, whether meats or fruits, to the boiling point, and then sealing the vessel air-tight. In its practical application there are some variations—some articles requiring to be more or less cooked, particularly vegetables. Tomatoes, for instance, should be stewed pretty much as they are prepared for the table, and deprived of the water in which they stewed. Green corn, peas, beans, &c., should also be cooked. It is chiefly fruits, however—and peaches more than any other fruits—that are prepared in this manner and now that the season has approached when they will be cheap and abundant, we would recommend to our fair friends to provide themselves with a good supply of jars and cans, so as to be ready to use them at the most convenient time. The most approved are Arthur's self-sealing cans, in the use of which there is not the least difficulty after reading the directions which accompany them. The cans are made of tin, and the jars are a fine article of delf-ware, both of which will last for years. They are a most valuable invention, costing but little, and we hope they will be brought into general use this season.—*Southern Farmer.*

☞ To cure scratches on a horse, wash the legs with warm soapsuds, and then with beef brine. Two applications will cure the worst case.

N'th Car'lina Mineral Springs.

CABARRUS COUNTY, N. C.

I WILL open a SCHOOL for girls, at this place on the 1st of July. Board can be had at $7 or $8 per month. For Tuition, such as Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Grammar and Geography, at $2 per month. Painting and Needle Work if required. The value of this water is known to many through this county. It has cured Dyspepsia, Diseases of the Liver and Kidney and Nervous Affections. This Mineral Spring is not a place of public resort, as many of our watering places. I exercised it for the situation for which it is now offered, and will be free from contagious diseases. Any directions, post paid, will receive attention.

SARAH SOSSERMAN.

Pioneer Mills, Cabarrus co., April 20, 1858.

To Cotton Planters.

THE undersigned is prepared to sell the best quality of Cotton Gins, with 10 inch saws at $2 per saw, delivered at the landings of the Cheraw, York and N. C. Rail Roads. The advantages these Gins have over those shipped from other States is, that they will last longer, one set of ribs being equal to three. The brush being covered with tin instead of cloth and being more easily repaired and at less expense.

As regards the speed of these Gins, quality of lint and discharge of clean seed, I would refer to M. L. Wallace, Morrow's T. O., to E. G. Palmer, Fairfield, and A. B. Davidson, Charlotte.

JAMES M. ELLIOTT.

Winnsboro, May 25, 1858. 11-6m

Cash Paid for Hides,

BY S. M. HOWELL, 3 doors South of the Mansion House.

Charlotte, April 6, 1858. 3tf

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500 GALLONS PURE LINSEED OIL, Wholesale and Retail, at PRITCHARD'S.

Feb. 9, 1858. 3tf

Citrate Magnesia.

A N agreeable refreshant and laxative, as pleasant to the taste as soda water. Sold by H. M. PRITCHARD, Irwin's Corner.

Dec. 1

Saponifier.

O R CONCENTRATED LEY.—Warranted to make soap without fat, and with little trouble. The best and cheapest article in use. Price 25 and 50 cents a can. Sold by H. M. PRITCHARD, Irwin's Corner.

Dec. 1

Wanted,

1,000 CORDS OF TAN BARK, for which the cash will be paid. M. B. TAYLOR.

May 31, 1858. 12tf

Heeker's Farina!

THE superiority of this article over Corn Starch Tapioca, Sago, &c., is an article of diet for invalids and children, is unquestioned by the most locality. Full supply at PRITCHARD'S *Family Drug Store.*

Sept. 15, 1857. 2tf

Tanners, or Train Oil.

FOR Tanners and Finishers use in dressing and preserving Leather and Harness. For sale by M. H. PRITCHARD, Irwin's Corner.

Dec. 1

DeGrath's Electric Oil.

A SUPPLY of this celebrated Oil for sale at my Drug Store, Irwin's Corner.

H. M. PRITCHARD.

May 1, 1858. 9tf

10,000 LBS. Pure ground WHITE LEAD in oil and assorted engaged matrices, and use for Cans at PRITCHARD'S, *Irwin's Corner.*

Feb. 5.

Pure French Brandy,

HOLLAND Gin, Whiskey, Sherry and Port Wines, London Ale and Porter, for medical use. Sold by H. M. PRITCHARD.

Dec. 1

Starch,

BLACK Pepper, Ginger, Baking and Washing Soda, Cream Tartar, Nutmegs, Mace, Cinnamon, Cloves and Flavoring Extracts of every kind. For sale at wholesale and retail, by H. M. PRITCHARD, Irwin's Corner.

Dec. 1

Fresh Congress water,

IN pint bottles—just received from Saratoga Springs, by H. M. PRITCHARD, Irwin's Corner.

Dec. 1.

Important Land Sale.

HAVING determined to remove to the South-West, I offer for sale my valuable and highly improved LANDS on Rocky River, 8 miles west of Concord, Cabarrus county, and 6 miles from the N. C. Rail Road. One tract of 600 acres, lying on both sides of the river, in a high state of cultivation and unsurpassed richness of soil. Another tract of 300 acres on which I reside, unusually well-improved, having excellent buildings. A good

TAN YARD

with all suitable fixtures for successful business in tanning and forming. The above lands are well-watered, salubrious in locality and a large proportion of woodland, affording an inexhaustible supply of good timber.

Purchasers would do well to examine soon, as it is seldom that so rich and well-improved farms are offered in market.

C. J. HARRIS.

April 6, 1858. 5tf

Charlotte Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

THIS COMPANY continues to take risks against loss by fire, on Houses, Goods, Produce, &c., at usual rates.

☞ Office between Park's Store and Brawley's Building.

OFFICERS.

M. B. TAYLOR, *President.*
C. OVERMAN, *Vice President.*
E. NYE HUTCHISON, *Sec'y. & Treas'r.*

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A. C. STEELE.

JOHN L. BROWN, S. T. WRISTON and A. C. STEELE, *Executive Committee.*

May 18, 1858. 10tf

S. M. HOWELL,

Saddle & Harness Manufacturer,

THREE DOORS SOUTH OF THE MANSION HOUSE,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

☞ All kinds of Saddles and Harness made at the shortest notice.

☞ REPAIRING promptly executed.

Jan. 19, 1858. 37tf

JAMES M. EDNEY,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

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BUYS and forwards every kind of merchandise for 2½ *per cent. Commission.* Refers to Gen. Swain and Mordecai, N. W. Woodin, J. W. Osborne, C. F. Mommsen, A. M. Gorman, Esqs. and Rev. C. F. Deems, Hon. W. A. Graham, and others. *Dealer in* Pianos, Melodeons, Organs, Harps, Guitars, Music, Sewing Machines, Iron Safes, Pumps, Garden Engines, &c. A printed list of all the different makers, kinds and prices *sent free.* Publisher of an elegant lithograph of "*Hickory Nut Gap,*" N.C. ($1,) and the "Cherokee Tourists; or, Indian Going to Health."—This invaluable family adviser should be in every house. It treats of all diseases, has a copious glossary and prescribes the remedies thus nature's bountiful stores, for all our infirmities and misfortunes. It is printed on fine white paper, handsomely bound fourth edition, 300 pages, and is mailed *free for one dollar.*

New Rosewood Pianos, $150.

Feb. 16, 1858. 1y

IN QUART BOTTLES.

FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD.

And for the Cure of

SCROFULA, MERCURIAL DISEASE, SYPHILITIC DISEASE, RHEUMATISM, CUTANEOUS ERUPTIONS, INDIGESTION, LIVER COMPLAINT, DYSPEPSIA, BLOTCHES, BOILS, TUMORS, ULCERS, PIMPLES, TETTER, ERYSIPELAS, PROSTRATION, FEMALE COMPLAINTS, LOSS OF APPETITE, FEVER, GENERAL DEBILITY.

DESCRIPTIVE, &c.

Every succeeding year adds to our conviction that we can make no more honest statement than that SARSAPARILLA is the most powerful of all the medicines we know of for the cure of the diseases mentioned above, for the cure of which it is recommended. Some of the most remarkable cures we have ever made have been with this preparation. We have not the space to publish more than a few of the certificates of its wonderful efficacy in the cure of the most aggravated and obstinate cases of Scrofula, Mercurial Disease, Rheumatism, Ulcers, Pimples, Blotches, Tetter, Scald-Head, Ringworm, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Female Complaints, Loss of Appetite, Fever, Prostration, Loss of Vitality, Nervous Debility, &c.

HEALTH AND STRENGTH

are the result to those who use this medicine. Each case has its peculiarities, and we have some testimony of the wonderful effects of the Sarsaparilla in almost every case. We have not the space to publish more than a few of the certificates which have reached us, but we feel confident that the cures here recorded, and those which are not published, but which are on file, are the most decisive evidence that can be adduced in favor of any medicine. We have published the following certificates from the most responsible parties, and we feel confident that the cures here recorded will be found to be all that we have claimed for the Sarsaparilla.

Another Cure of Scrofula.

NEW YORK, April 1, 1854.

MESSRS. A. B. & D. SANDS:—Gentlemen: I have for nearly three years been troubled with that dreadful disease, scrofula, accompanied by the usual symptoms of that disease, such as a very bad cough, night sweats, and I was so reduced that I was unable to walk without assistance. I had tried a great deal of medicine, without effect, some of my neighbors, who had been cured of a similar complaint by your Sarsaparilla, advised me to make a trial of it. I have now been well over 3 months, and feel as well as I ever did in my life. I cannot speak too highly of your Sarsaparilla, and I feel it my duty to make this statement, that others may be benefited.

I remain, gentlemen, yours, &c., JOSEPH A. J. HORTON.

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ROMAN EYE BALSAM,

For Weak and Inflamed Eyes

This Balsam has been used for many years in the various practices connected therein with the greatest success. In cases where the

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or the skin of the eyelids is much relaxed, it is a valuable remedy. Its effects are immediate, and in most cases a few applications only are required. There are numerous cases of inflammation and weakness of the eyes, and partial blindness, from which persons have suffered for years, which have been cured by the use of this Balsam.

MINERS, MECHANICS,

and persons exposed to smoke, will find the effects of their exposure to smoke, dust, &c., to be counteracted by the use of this Balsam.

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Salt Rheum, Ring-Worm, Tetter, Scald-Head, Barber's Itch, Blotches, &c.

These diseases of the skin, existing under different forms and presenting various appearances, are usually known under the common name of Salt Rheum. Not all of them are generally recognized to be the same in nature, and are treated by different classes of remedies. Most often they are treated by the use of the internal remedies, and are considered constitutional diseases, and are treated accordingly. But experience has shown that in a large number of cases the application of a local remedy, in the form of an ointment, is all that is necessary to effect a cure. The facility with which the patient recovers

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IN ONE YEAR.

THE RESTORATIVE OF PROF. O. J. WOOD FOR RESTORING hair perfectly and permanently, has never yet had a rival, volume after volume might be given from all parts of the world and from the most intelligent to prove that it is a *perfect Restorative*. Get and use the circular and you cannot doubt; read also the following.

☞ THE HAIR.—People have for centuries been afflicted with bald heads, and the only remedy, heretofore known, has been those abominable wigs. By a recent discovery of Professor Wood these articles are being fast dispensed with, but, a great many per ons still patronize them, because they have been so often imposed upon by Hair Tonics of different kinds. To all such persons we earnestly make the request, that they will try once again, for in Wood's Restorative there is no such thing as fail. We know of a lady who was bald, who used the article a short time, and her head is now covered completely with the finest and most beautiful curls imaginable. We know of numerous cases where hair was rapidly falling out, which it restored in greater perfection than it ever had been before.

It is also without doubt one of the best articles for keeping the hair in good condition, making it soft and glossy, removing dandruff, and has proved itself the greatest enemy to all the ills that hair is heir to.

It is the duty of every one to improve their personal appearance, though some may differ in regard to the ways of doing it; but every one will admit that a beautiful head of hair either in man or woman, is an object much to be desired, and there are no means that should be left untried to obtain such a consideration.—[*Woman's Advocate,* Philadelphia.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, Nov. 17, 1856.

O. J. WOOD & CO.—Gentlemen: As I have been engaged in selling your Hair Restorative the last season, for one of your local agents (R. M. Hackman,) and having experimented the beneficial effects of it myself, I would like to obtain an agency for the State of Ohio, or some State in the West, should you wish to make such an arrangement, as I am convinced there is *nothing equal to it in the United States, for restoring the hair.* I have been engaged in the Drug business for several years, and have sold various preparations for the hair, but have found nothing that restores the secretive organs or invigorates the scalp as well as yours, being fully convinced that your restorative is what you *represent* it to be, I would like to engage in the sale of it, for I am satisfied it must sell.

Yours truly, S. T. STOCKMAN.

WAYLAND, MASS., Feb. 5, 1857.

PROF. O. J. WOOD & CO.—Gents: Having realized the good effects of your Hair Restorative, I wish to state, that finding my hair growing thin, as well as gray, I was induced from what I read and heard, to try the article prepared by you, to promote its growth and change its color as it was in youth, both of which it has effected completely.

Yours &c., JAMES FRANCIS.

O. J. WOOD & CO., Proprietors, 312 Broadway, N. Y., (in the great N. Y. Wire Railing Establishment) and 114 Market-st. st, St. Louis, Mo.

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AYER'S Cathartic Pills,

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Invalids, Fathers, Mothers, Physicians, Philanthropists, read their Effects, and judge of their Virtues.

FOR THE CURE OF

Headache, Sick Headache, Foul Stomach.

PITTSBURGH, PA., Mar 1, 1856.

Dr. J. C. AYER, Sir: I have been repeatedly cured of the worst headache my body can have by a dose or two of your Pills. It seems to act on the liver and bowels when other cathartics do not. I am subject to bilious attacks and find no medicine so effectual as your Pills. Yours with great respect, ED. W. PREELE, *Clerk of Seventh Church.*

Bilious Disorders and Liver Complaints.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 20, 1856.

Sir: I have used your Pills in my family and hospital practice ever since you made them, and cannot therefore say they are the best cathartic we employ. Their employment relieves us of the necessity of keeping a dozen different kinds of cathartics ready for disorganized liver organs. Indeed, I have seldom found a case of liver disease in which they do not usefully yield to them.

Testimony yours, ALBERT G. ELL, M. D., *Physician of the Marine Hospital.*

Dysentery, Relax, and Worms.

FORT GIBSON, ARKANSAS, Lt. Chs. Stew., Nov. 16, 1855.

Dr. AYER: Your Pills are the production of medicine. They have done my wife more good than I can tell you. She had been sick and pining away for months. Worms had taken possession of her, and she could not retain any food. She commenced taking your Pills which soon cleared her, by expelling large quantities of worms (dead) from her body. Then she took another box and they have cured her entirely of Chronic dysentery. We do not hesitate to say we owe her life and health with the blessing of God, to your Pills, which others seem so paid from the twenty dollars doctors' bills, and yet which cost them, without being cured entirely even once. Such a medicine as yours, which is actually good and honest, will be patted here.

ALEX. A. GARRITT, *Paymaster.*

Indigestion and Impurity of the Blood.

From Rev. J. C. Bliss, Pastor of Albion Church, Indiana.

Dr. AYER: I have used your Pills with extraordinary success in my family and among those I am called to visit in distress. Dyspepsia the source of disorder and pain in the blood they are the best I have ever found. I have proved them in my family, and I can confidently recommend them to my friends.

Yours, J. C. BLISS.

WARSAW, WYOMING CO., N. Y., Oct. 28, 1855.

DEAR SIR: I am using your Cathartic Pills to my great satisfaction and find them an excellent purgative to cleanse the system and purify the blood.

JOHN G. MEACHAM, M. D.

Erysipelas, Scrofula, King's Evil, Tetter, Tumors, and Salt Rheum.

From a Prominent Merchant of St. Louis, Feb. 4, 1856.

Dr. AYER: Your Pills are the purgative of all that is great in medicine. They have cured my little daughter of obstinate sores upon her face and neck of the best kind of scrofula, pronounced incurable by others. Her mother has been long afflicted with blotches and pimples on her skin and to her kin. After one child was cured she also took your Pills, and they have cured her. ASA WHITRIDGE.

Rheumatism, Neuralgia, and Gout.

From the Rev. Dr. Minton, of the Methodist Epis. Church.

PROSPECT HILL, SOMERVILLE, TENN., Oct. 4, 1856.

DEAR SIR: I am so much benefited by the relief your pills have afforded me, I do not expect my case to be the exception. I do not expect any cure to be. A sense of duty to my fellows and brought on alternating attacks, which visited me, namely, rheumatism, Neuralgia, Gout, Sick-headache, Lost Appetite, Costiveness, Nervous debility, I had tried all the skill of physicians, for seven years without any permanent relief, by the advice of your venerable agent in Baltimore, Dr. Sellers, I tried your Pills. Their effects were quick, but sure. By persevering in the use of them, I am now entirely well.

Yours, REV. ALFRED MINTON.

SPRING CHURCH, NATCHITOCHES, LA., 1 Dec., 1855.

DR. AYER: I feel it my duty to inform you that your Pills of Hydrocyanic Gout—a painful disease that has afflicted me for years. CLEMENT PRIEULT.

For Dropsy, Plethora, or Kindred Complaints, requiring an active purge, they are an invaluable remedy.

For Costiveness or Constipation, and as a Dinner Pill, they are unprovided and effective.

Fits, Suppression, Paralysis, Inflammation, and with **Deafness,** and **Partial Blindness,** have been cured by the alterative action of these Pills.

Most of the Pills in market contain Mercury, which, although a valuable remedy in skilful hands, is dangerous in a popular pill. Not so the alterative compounds that we offer to the American age. These contain no mercury or mineral substance whatever.

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All of which will be sold, Wholesale and Retail, cheaper than has ever been offered in this Vicinity.

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THE copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to us are requested to be prepared with the amount they are due us in a "few days," as settlements must be made.

JONAS RUDISILL,
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Aug. 18, 1857. 93tf

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P. S. WHISNANT.

Aug. 18, 1857.

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AND

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