Baby's Skies.

Would you know the baby's skies?
Baby's skies are mamma's eyes,
Mamma's eyes and smile together
Make the baby's pleasant weather.

Mamma, keep your eyes from tears,
Keep your heart from foolish fears,
Keep your lips from dull complaining,
Lest the baby think 'tis raining.

FROM PEN AND PLOW.

MAY.

BY JEFFREY GIFFORD.

THE bright and sunny May is here,
The hours are rife with light and bloom,
Balm fills the air, the sky is clear,
The flowers revel in perfume;
The trees have donned their green attire,
And the scarlet bush is veined with fire.

The birds are singing sweet and glad,
The butterfly is on the wing;
Where dwelleth gloom and lives are sad
The welcome May will rapture bring.
'Mid fields and woods the brook does stray,
Babbing of happiness and mirth;
While the golden hours of lovely May
Lie mellow on the Earth.

The Northern Pacific railroad is now in the hands of a receiver.

Main claims to have been the first State to allow women to solemnize marriages.

"Ah, parson, I wish I could carry my gold with me," said a dying man to his pastor. "It might melt'" was the consoling answer.

☞ The Southern Presbyterian General Assembly meets in St. Louis, and the Northern General Assembly meets in Cleaveland, O., both on the 20th.

A Pennsylvanian boasts that he makes a soap that would "wash a politician's character white as snow." There must be a good deal of "lye about that soap."

First class in geography—"How many States in the Union?" 'The books say thirty-sever, but the newspapers have it thirty-nine." "The newspapers are ahead, as usual, my son. Go to the head."

The Hickory Press says that the wheat crop in this part of the State (Catawba county) is not damaged to the extent supposed when the heavy frosts occurred.

The New York Ledger says: "Better is the lowliest cottage exclusively to a young married couple, than the best apartments in a palace with a mother in-law installed therein!"

A handsome young bride was observed to be in a deep reflection on her wedding day. One of her bridesmaids asked her the subject of her meditation. "I was thinking," she replied, "which of my old beaux I should marry if I should become a widow."

The Northern Central Railway Company having leased the railroad hotel at Hanover Junction, will not allow liquor to be sold there in future. The surprise of many passengers, when they see the deserted, forlorn looking appearance of the bar room, is amusing to behold.

THE New York *Tribune* pungently put the question thus: Commissioner Douglass was removed from office because there were no charges against his personal or official conduct. Secretary Delano is kept in office because he has been charged with grave official irregularities for which no defense is possible.

Ex-Senator Carl Schurz had actually taken passage on the doomed vessel Schiller, the captain being an old friend. He was detained, however, by the Delmonico dinner, and a passenger on the Pomerania, who gave up his stateroom for Schurz's accommodation, took passage on the Schiller. The Pomerania touched at Plymouth, England, last Sunday.

THE CHROMO BUSINESS.—Our impression was that only those who subscribed for papers received chromos; but we are just informed that an enterprising young clergyman, in the West, is presenting the inducement of a seventy-five cent chromo, neatly framed, to every couple coming to him to be married.

An Alexandria maiden, because her father forbid the banns, put all her lover's letters into a bushel basket, set fire to them, and then sat down in the flames with suicide intentions, but will probably recover. This should serve as a warning to young men, when writing to their sweet-hearts, not to employ "words that burn."

BEECHER.—The Plymouth pastor, last week, received one hundred and five new members into his church. An account of the ceremonies attending this reception of the faithful says: Between the administering of the bread and wine, Mr. Beecher stood on the floor almost hidden behind a vase of lilies and prayed."—*Exchange.*

Wonder if Elizabeth was there, and her poor husband Theodore. Where was the man who had his bed defiled by the hypocritical scoundrel, Beecher?—*Democrat.*

CURIOUS PHENOMENON.—On the night to the 28th of April last, a very remarkable freak of nature accurred in Pass al'Outre, at the mouth of the Mississippi river. Suddenly, in a spot close to the channell, where there had been an unbroken sheet of water, an island, having an area of about eight acres, rose to the surface, and continued to rise until it reached a height of eight feet. It now seems likely to remain as a permanent obstruction of the pass. The phenomenon is very interesting, but it is specially important in view of the fact that the Government is about to expend large sums of money for the constuction of jetties in one of these passes, and if such upheavals of the bottom of the river are to occur, there is a probability that the money may be wasted.—*Baltimore American.*

THE EUPEPTIC SPRINGS,

Located in Iredell County, North Carolina,

Fifteen miles from Statesville, which is on the W. N. C. R. R., and terminus of the A. T. & O. R. R., have for many years had quite a local reputation for curing Dyspepsia, Chills, Dropsy, Scrofula, Rheumatism, Amenorrhœa, Chlorosis, Hysteria, Cutaneous and other Diseases arising from a deranged Liver, or other internal organs.

The Mineral properties of the water of the Spring longest known are so admirably combined, that invalids and children drink it with avidity, and in large quantities, without injury to the stomach.

From my own experience and observation for over six years, I am fully satisfied there is no water in this country superior (if equal) to this, to build up broken down constitution; especially those nerve exhausted patients, permaturely worn down by excessive mental labor. An invalid sleeps here equally as well as on the seaside, for these reasons, viz: The water has the effect of producing sleep, and there are two ravines that meet here, making from the Brushy Mountains on the North and Northwest, which bring currents of mountain air that give cool nights, even in the most sultry weather.

Several other Mineral Springs have recently been discovered, so that persons needing different kinds of water may find them here.

There are also Free Stone Spring on the place affording abundance of water for washing and other purposes.

For a number of years the water of one of the Mineral Springs has been used for culinary purposes, and has imparted equally beneficial effects in winter as well as in summer.

The object of the proprietor is to make this a quiet retreat for invalids, where every comfort may be had at all seasons of the year, and for less money than at any watering place in the United States.

Having in course of erection additional buildings sufficient to accommodate a large number of persons, good board at reasonable prices can be had at private houses, on the grounds.

Familes wishing to board themselves, may rent a neat and comfortable two story frame cottage with stone chimney and two fire places, and have the privilege of water, wood, bathing house, wash house, stables, &c., at $5 per week, payable weekly, or $50 for the season, if paid in advance. One story house and named privileges for $3 per week or $30 for the season. Discount as above.

Heavy articles of furniture, such as bedsteads, chairs, tables, and cooking vessels, will be furnished each family desiring them at $1 per week, or $10 for the season.

Milk, butter, vegetables, &c., will be kept by the Proprietor to furnish families at prices as low as the country will afford.

The water will be sent in barrels to invalids, delivered on the railroad, at ten to twenty cents per gallon; or in bottles at the same per quart, *if the packages are returned.*

Competent physicians, who live near, will be pleased to attend on the sick, but in their absence the Proprietor will furnish medicines and give advice for reasonable compensation.

A comfortable chapel has been fitted up for Divine Service and school purposes; efforts are now being made to secure a competent teacher. A good library and several good family papers will be kept in the reading room for the use of guest, and the children and youths will be furnished with instruments of music, athletic games, &c., free of charge.

Good horses, vehicles and careful drivers will be kept for the accomodation of guest at moderate prices.

☞ Ample livery accomodations can be had at Statesville.

As a sudden transition from the low countries to the mountains, or *vice versa*, is often attended with very great risk to persons unaccustomed to such changes, it may be economy, and a pleasure to those who wish to visit the mountains in the summer, to call at these Springs in passing to and fro, not only to make the trip more gradural, but to prepare the system for the change.

The health of my family and self were greatly impaired by living in a miasmatic region for a number of years; to recuperate, we came to this place six years since. Our health has been fully restored by these waters.

That the public may have some idea of the curative properties of the water, a few testimonials are appended.

These certificates were given in regard to the Spring in use for a number of years, the others were recently opened, and as soon as an analysis can be had, the public shall be advised of their properties.

An effort is now being made to obtain a Post Office at the place, bearing the name of the Springs, until then Olin is our office.

JOHN F. FOARD, M. D., Proprietor.

September 4th, 1874.

Testimonials:

SNOW CREEK, Iredell County, N. C., Sep. 1st, '69.

DR. FOARD.—In answer to your inquiry concerning my knowledge of the effects of your Springs, I would state, that I have for the last ten years recommended the waters to patients laboring under certain diseases. In most cases the benefit has been very obvious, and in some remarkable. The diseases to which the water is best adapted, (so far as my observation extends) are Dyspepsia, Liver Disease, Degeneration of the Blood, whether idiophatic or the consequence of acute diseases, many diseases of females: Amenorrhœa, Chlorosis, &c. It is very cool and pleasant to the taste, and most persons drink large quantities of it from choice.

R. T. CAMPBELL, M. D.

This is to certify that I lived at the above named Springs for twenty years, and that my wife, who had suffered extremely several years with rheumatism, was permanently cured without medical attention. During our stay there my family enjoyed uninterrupted health, except that my wife was very much drawn from the suffering produced by the disease. I have witnessed the effects of the water upon many persons, and conversed with many more who have used it, and I unhesitatingly affirm that I never knew any water to equal it. It is very palatable, good to cook with and bathing, very efficacious. (Signed.) F. M. MASON.

Iredell County, N. C., May 1st, '69.

During last year I had a most violent spell of cramp colic, which assumed a periodical form, attacking me with great violence every evening for four days. At the end of that time my stomach was so irritable I could not swallow a mouthful of my own well water without pain, when on receiving a gallon from the Eupeptic Springs. I drank a pint immediately and all the gallon in a few hours, without the slighest inconvenience, and greatly to my relief. For years my wife had suffered extremely with cramp of the stomach, produced by the imprudent use of ice, and living in a miasmatic section; by spending the season at these Springs her health was restored. Other members of my family were cured of obstinate and chronic cases of chills by this water, after all other remedies had failed. (Signed. O. G. FOARD.

Olin, N. C., January 13th, '70.

This is to certify that my health had been greatly impaired by traveling in the low country, and I was subject to severe atacks of billious colic, and suffering with chronic diarrhœa, was induced to spend a short time at Eupeptic Springs. My health was consiuerably recruited, and I was soon enabled to resume my accustomed labors. From the local reputation of this water, I am persuaded there is no better in the country for some diseases. (Signed.) WM. GLOSS, D. D.

1870. Of the N. C. Conf. M. E. C. South.

The health of my wife was very feeble, and symptoms of dropsy evident. I carried her to the Eupeptic Springs, and her health was greatly improved. I learn from the family that some years since that my wife's mother took one of her children who had an obstinate cutaneous disease, to said Springs, and by bathing a few days it was permanently cured.

(Signed) WM. F. WASSON, Sheriff of Iredell Co., N. C.

Some years since my wife's health was very much impaired, and as it was not convenient to move her to any Springs, at the suggestion of my family physician I procured water from the Eupeptic Springs, which she used several weeks with very great advantage.

1870. (Signed) MILTON GRAHAM, Olin Township, Iredell Co., N. C.

JERUSALEM, Davie County, N. C. January 19th, '70.

DR. J. F. FOARD.—*Dear Sir:*—Last summer I recommended a lady patient to visit your Mineral Springs, near Olin. She had been suffering from all the usual consequences of biliary derangement, until the system had become intolerant of medicine of every kind. She came back much improved, and I have had very little trouble with the case since.

A. W. WISEMAN, M. D.

Being 82 years of age, and having known one of the Springs, now owned by Dr. Foard, for more than fifty years, I affirm that during that time I have known many persons cured of different diseases by the use of said water. (Signed) SAMPSON BALL.

For several years I have known the Eupeptic Springs, have sent to them some of the worst chronic cases of Chills, Torpid Liver, Dropsy, Ulcerated Wombs, and broken down constitutions from other causes, and I affirm that for diseases of any of the internal organs, I believe there is no better water in the country. (Signed) WM. P. PARKS, M. D.

ROXBORO, N. C. January 8th, '70.

This is to certify that, from knowledge of the frequent use and the benefit of Dr. J. F. Foard's Eupeptic Spring, to myself and others, whether the water be immediately taken from the Spring or kept at home, hesitate not to recommend it as truly worthy the name it bears. In the summer of 1868, my wife, who was suffering from nervous prostration, and of whose life I had, for a long time, well nigh dispaired, was decidedly benefitted by spending a few weeks at this Spring, being as she thinks, permanently relieved of a weakness of the breast, with which she had been for many years afflicted. Under so much obligation to this Spring, I would be highly gratified to know that it is meeting with that patronage which it so well deserves. (Signed)

M. C. THOMAS, Member of the N. C. Conference, M. E. Church South.

By the advice of physicians and other friends, I was induced to bring my family, in July last, to the Eupeptic Springs, where they have remained until the present with very great advantage, and such is my estimation of the waters, (for there are several Springs) that I have no hesitancy in recommending them to persons whose diseases are such as not mentioned in Dr. Forad's printed circular. In facts, during this season I know several persons cured of chills long standing in less than a month, and conversed with many others who were relieved of the chills and other diseases, or whose friends were benefitted by coming here. The case of the wife of Rev. E. N. Gwyn, who returned here this season, to be perfectly restored, is a wonder to all who knew her eighteen months ago. (Signed) REV. R. A. MOORE, Ag't A M Society in Western North Carolina.

This is to certify that some months ago my wife was found to be laboring under a complication of diseases. At the suggestion of two of our best physicians, who thought her incurable, I took her to the above named Springs. She was relieved of general dropsy, and her health greatly improved otherwise. From my knowledge of these waters, I believe there is no better in our country. (Signed) ENOCH N. GWYN, Minister in the Baptist Church in N. C.

I have lived for thirty-two years within two miles of the Springs now owned by Dr. Foard—During that time I have known cures effected of different diseases by the internal and external use of said water, and by applying the mud from one of the Springs to the hands of a man who had Tetter so badly that he could not labor, the disease very soon disappeared.

LEASBURG, N C., February 13, '71.

Whilst traveling the Iredell Circuit of North Carolina Conference, M. E. Church South, in 1870, my little son about six years of age, was very suddenly and strangely attacked with dropsy, which had well nigh resulted fatally. By advice of the attending physician I was induced to take him to the Eupeptic Springs, and try the virtues of the water in connection with the medicine given. The result was most happy. He began to improve forthwith, and was soon pronounced well. His restoration was as permanent as it was speedy, and his health better since, than for a year prior to this attack. Form my knowledge of the water, and my acquaintance with the persons who have testified of its character in the circular of Dr. Foard, I have no hesttation in subscribing to what is therein claimed for it. (Signed)

J. W. WHEELER.

STATESVILLE, N. C., February 24, '72

DR. JOHN F. FOARD—*Dear Sir:*—I have seen quite a number of persons who had chills and fever during 1869-70, who spent from three to four weeks at your Eupeptic Springs in this county, and entirely cured, and have had no return to this date. It appears to be a settled fact that these waters are a sure cure, for chills and fever, but for many other diseases. From the mineral combinations of the waters they are not excelled by any in the country.

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January 22 1874—tf.

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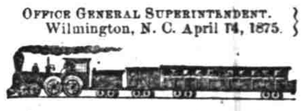

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" Salisbury	11.48 "	10.52 "
" Greensboro	2.20 A M	1.35 P M
" Danville	5.44 "	4.05 "
" Dundee	5.56 "	4.13 "
" Burkeville	11.35 "	8.36 "
Arrive at Richmond	2.22 P M	11.17 P M

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STATION.	MAIL.	EXPRESS.
Leave Richmond	1.38 P M	5.08 A. M.
" Burkeville	4.52 "	8.35 "
" Dundee	10.33 "	1.17 P M
" Danville	10.39 "	1.21 "
" Greensboro	2.00 A M	4.22 "
" Salisbury	4.05 "	6.45 "
" Air-Line J'nct'n	7.15 "	8.20 "
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" Co Shops	" 3.58 "	" L've 11.57 "
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" Richmond	8.30 a m	4.20 p m
" Charlottesville,	1.50 p m	9.42 "
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" Cincinnatti,	———	6.00 a m
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