

The Old Lady and the Cobbler over the Way.—Some years ago the husband of an old lady, residing in a country village, happened to die rather suddenly without making a will, for the want of which very necessary precaution, his estate would have passed away from his widow, had she not resorted to the following remarkable expedient to avert the loss of her property: She concealed the death of her husband, and prevailed upon an old cobbler, her neighbor, who was in person somewhat like the deceased, to go to bed at her house, and personate him, in which character it was agreed that he should dictate a will, leaving the widow the estate in question.

An attorney was accordingly sent for to prepare the required document, and the widow, on his arrival, appeared to be realizing the greatest affliction at her good man's danger, but forthwith proceeded to ask questions of her pretended husband, calculated to elicit the answers she expected and desired. The old cobbler, growing stout and looking as much like a person going to give up the ghost as possible, feebly answered, "I intend to leave you half my estate; and do think the poor old shoemaker, who lives over the way, is deserving of the other half, for he has always been a good neighbor." The widow was thunderstruck at receiving a reply so different to that which she expected, but dared not negate the cobbler's will, for fear of losing the whole of the property, while the cunning old rogue in bed, who was himself the poor shoemaker, living over the way, laughed in his sleeves, and divided with her the fruits of a project which the widow had intended for her own sole benefit.

A Quaker Letter to his Watchmaker.—I herewith send my pocket clock, which greatly stands in need of thy friendly correction. The last time he was at thy friendly school he was no ways reformed, nor in the least benefited thereby; for I perceive by the index of his mind that he is a liar, and the truth is not in him; that his notions are wavering and irregular; that his pulse is sometimes slow, which betokeneth not an even temper; at other times it waxeth sluggish, notwithstanding I frequently urge him; when he should be on his duty, as thou knowest his usual name dotheth, I will find him slumbering or sleeping—or as the vanity of human reason phrases it catch him napping. Examine him, therefore, and prove him, I beseech thee, thoroughly, that thou mayest, by being well acquainted with his inward frame and disposition, draw him from the path wherein he should go. It grieveth me to think, and when I ponder thereon, I am verily of opinion that his body is foul, and the whole mass is corrupted. Cleanse him, therefore, with thy charming physic, from all pollution, that he may vibrate and circulate according to the truth. I will place him a few days under thy care, and pay for his board as thou requirest. I commend thee, friend John, to demean thyself on this occasion with right judgment, according to the gift which is in thee, and prove thyself a superior workman.—And when thou hast thy correcting hands on him, let the wind out passion, lest thou drive him to distraction. Do thou regulate his motion for the time to come by the motion of the light that ruleth the day, and when thou findest him converted from the error of his ways, and more conformable to the above mentioned rules, then do send him home with a just bill of charges, drawn out by the spirit of moderation, and it shall be sent to thee in the root of all evil.

Complimentary.—An old clergyman, and a rather eccentric one, whose field of labor was a town in the interior of New England, one Sunday, at the close of his service, gave notice to his congregation, that in the course of the week, he expected to go on a mission—on a mission to the heathen! The members of the church were struck with alarm and sorrow, at this sudden and unexpected announcement of the loss of their beloved pastor, and one of the deacons in great agitation exclaimed, "Why my dear Sir, you have not told us one word of this before! What shall we do?" "Oh! brother—" said the parson, with the greatest sang froid, "I don't expect to go out of town!"

AMERICAN HOTEL,
CHARLESTON, S. C.

South West corner King & George sts.
The subscriber (formerly of Lincolnton) has taken the Establishment well known as the "Norris House," where he will be happy to accommodate his friends from the up country. His Beds and Furniture are entirely new, the house is put in complete repair, and as everything shall be done to ensure the comfort of his visitors, he will promise that his terms shall be reasonable, and request a share of public patronage.—The Establishment will be open about the 1st of February.

F. A. HOKE.
Jan 29

LAND BLED FOR SALE.

THOMAS BORDLEY,
Saddle & Harness, Boot & Shoe Maker.
-HELBY, N. C.

Respectfully informs his friends that he has established himself at the above place, where he hopes by the superior quality of his work, and strict attention to business, to merit a share of public patronage.
Repairing done at the shortest notice.
April 28

DR. SPENCER'S
VEGETABLE PILLS

AND
Spencer's Tonic & Restorative
BITTERS.

The unrivalled Purifier of the blood and restorative of the system in all morbid secretion of the glands, skin and liver, morbid humor and vitiated state of the system.
The indications requiring Spencer's Pills and Bitters, and when they should be used without delay as a preventive to the formation of Acute diseases, are—
When there is pain in the back or head, When the Tongue is lured; When the urine is very highly colored; When the skin is hot, dry, or yellow; When the Appetite is poor; When there is pain in the stomach or bowels; When there is nervous irritation; When there are cold Chills; When the dreams are bad or starting in sleep;

If taken upon the occurrence of any, or all of the above indication of approaching disease—much pain and sickness will be prevented.

We have room only for the following: The following Certificate is from Tobias Folsom, Esq., of Kershaw District, S. C.

Kershaw dist. S. C. June 3 1846.

I have used in my family "Spencer's Pills," for two years past, and during that time my confidence in their superiority over every other similar preparation within my knowledge has been constantly increasing; I now esteem them to be the best cathartic Pills in use.—From my earliest remembrance I have been afflicted with Sick Head-ache and Constipation, and for a number of years past have been trying various advertised remedies, among others, Beckwith's, Lee's and Peter's Pills; but failed to obtain any permanent relief, until Jan'y, 1845, at which time Dr. Spencer's Agent left me some of his Pills, recommending me to try them for my complaint. I did so; and by their superior action upon the morbid matter and their mild yet effective purgative properties they so cleansed my stomach and bowels that they removed both the headache and its cause and gave me certain and speedy relief. My mother-in-law has also used them with success in the same complaint which she has had, so severe as to throw her into spasms and convulsions, being obliged in these cases to resort to cupping and other severe applications. I have also made frequent and constant use of these Pills in my family, in cases of Borel Complaint, brought on by the two free indulgence in use of Berries and Fruit, and in all cases with success. In short I have never known of the failure in any disease which they are recommended to cure known of their being tried, it their use was for which I have preserved in, and directions strictly followed.

TOBIAS FOLSOM.
Just received a large and fresh supply of the above Medicines, by
C. C. HENDERSON,
And B. S. JOHNSON,
Lincolnton,
Dec 8

DR. LEROY'S
SARSAPARILLA & WILD CHERRY
PILLS.

The universal celebrity which this medicine has gained in every section of the country, and the many astonishing cures it has effected, have established its efficacy beyond all doubt; as a general family medicine it has no rival. In all cases of Indigestion, Bilious Fevers, Dyspepsia, Liver complaints, Sick Headache, Jaundice, Asthma, Dropsy, Piles, Colic, Worms, Disease of the Heart and all affections of the stomach and bowels, LE ROY'S PILLS will be found a never-failing remedy.

To insure the full benefit of these celebrated Pills, they should be kept in the house, so that upon the first commencement of sickness they may be at once resorted to. One dose then is better than a dozen after the disease has become established in the system.

Le Roy's Pills are purely vegetable, and so innocent that the infant of a month old may use them if medicine is required, not only with safety, but with a certainty of receiving all the benefit medicine is capable of imparting. Females may use them during all the critical periods of their lives. Le Roy's Pills will insure their health, and produce regularity in all the functions of life. Price 25 cents per box.

For sale by C. C. Henderson, Lincolnton; Hoyle & Stone, Dallas; A. Homesly, Shelbyville.
July 22, 1848.

Wrapping Paper for sale

JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT.



This invaluable medicine is daily effecting some of the most astonishing & wonderful cures that have ever been known. All who have used it for Asthma, coughs, Spitting of Blood, Whooping Cough, croup of Hives, Consumption, chronic Pleurisy, Hoarseness, Pain & Soreness of the Breasts, Difficulty of Breathing, and every other disease of the LUNGS and BREAST, can and do attest to its usefulness. BRONCHITIS, a disease which is annually sweeping thousands upon thousands to a premature grave, under the mistaken name of CONSUMPTION, is always cured by it. The usual symptoms of this disease (Bronchitis) are Cough, Soreness of the Lungs or Throat, a Hoarseness, Difficulty of Breathing, Asthma, Hoarse Fever, a spitting up of phlegm or matter, and sometimes blood. It is an inflammation of the fine skin which lines the inside of the whole of the wind tubes or air vessels, which run through every part of the Lungs. This Expectorant immediately suppresses the Cough and Pain, subdues the Inflammation and Fever, removes the Difficulty of Breathing, by producing free and easy Expectoration, so that a cure is soon effected.

It always cures ASTHMA—2 or three large doses will cure the croup of Hives of children, in from fifteen minutes to an hour's time. It immediately subdues the violence of Whooping Cough, and effects a speedy cure. Hundreds who have been given up by their physicians as incurable with "Consumption," have been restored to perfect health by it.

In fact, as a remedy in Pulmonary Diseases, no medicine has ever obtained a higher, or more deserved reputation.
C. C. HENDERSON, Agent,
Lincolnton, N. C., August 1, 1849.

CALL
AT C. C. HENDERSON'S STORE,
Lincolnton, N. C.

If you want to be cured of Chills and Fever, Neuralgic or Nervous Headache and get Dr. Michael's Pills. If you are Dyspeptic, have Liver disease, or Bowel disorders, with associate nervous disturbances, get Dr. Hoppold's Sarsaparilla Bitters and Pills. The Compound Vermifuge Syrup will be found upon fair trial, one of the best and most efficient remedies for Worms, relieving, also, the secondary effects which generally follow an attack of Vermifuge Fever.

For the relief of Constiveness and the effects of such a condition, no medicine can do more than the Compound Cathartic and Family Pill of Dr. H. The attention of all nursing mothers is called to the superior advantages of the Infant Carmative, of Dr. H. Hundreds of mothers are ready to testify to the truth of this effectual remedy for the disorder that infants at the breast are liable to, and which often inflict much suffering upon the little victim, to the annoyance of the mother's comfort.

It is unnecessary to add in the columns of a newspaper, certificates. Call, if you are a sufferer, on C. C. Henderson, Agent for the proprietors, examine the testimonials of recommendation, and who, when they discover the high and unquestionable characters that have kindly lent their aid to sustain these medicines, which have cured not only persons in this community but elsewhere, can, for a moment, hesitate to believe what is set forth in favor of the above medicines are true.
Feb 10 48-6m

LIME.

HE undesignated propose to sell, at their Quarry, 9 1/2 miles South of Lincolnton, LIME of a superior quality, at the following prices,

TO WIT:
Stacked Lime, not screened per bush, 10 cts
Stacked Lime, screened, " 12 1/2
Ruehe lime, or not stacked, " 18

We have reduced the prices of our Lime to meet the hard times, and to enable the farming community to procure a valuable article in improving their Farms, at a reasonable price. For strength, our Lime is not surpassed by any in the Western part of the State; it has been tried by those competent to judge. Call and examine, and try it for yourself. Letters addressed either to D. W. Schneek, Jacob Ruch, or Daniel Stuford, living in Lincolnton, desiring any information in reference to the Lime, will be promptly attended to.
DANIEL SHUFORD.

TAILORING.
ALLEN ALEXANDER.

Having received the latest Fashion, is prepared to accommodate the public.—His terms are moderate, and his work shall not be excelled in taste or durability. CUTTING done at short notice.
Lincolnton, opposite Mr Henderson's new brick store.
Nov 16 21-

TO THE LADIES.

The genuine Balm of Columbia, for Restoring the Hair

Long hair is a glory to woman, says Paul. And all feel the truth of the pious quotation; Preserve it then, ladies—your glory will fall. Unless you protect it with this preparation.

If you wish a rich, luxuriant head of hair, free from dandruff and scurf, do not fail to procure the genuine Balm of Columbia. In cases of baldness it will more than exceed your expectations. Many who have lost their hair for twenty years have had it restored to its original perfection by the use of the balm. Age, state or condition appears to be no obstacle whatever; it also causes the fluid to flow with which the delicate hair tubercles are filled, by which means the strands (whose hair was grey as the Asatic eagle) have had their hair restored to its natural color by this invaluable remedy.

Caution.—Never buy it unless you find the name of Comstock & Co., Proprietors, on the wrapper of each bottle, or you are cheated with a counterfeit. **Connell's Magical Pain Extractor—The World's Wonder—pronounced so by all who have ever used it.**

White Swellings, Inflammation, pain in the back, weak limbs, tender or sore feet, and all scrofulous sores are speedily and permanently cured by the Pain Extractor. Affections of the lungs, ague in the face, breast, the dolereux, chronic sore eyes, blistered surfaces, &c. It is equally beneficial in all kinds of inflammatory diseases, such as sore nipples and eyes, sprains, rheumatism, white swellings and ulcers, bruises, burns, chilblains, erysipelas, bites, &c., will quickly be relieved by the application of this salve.

Caution.—No Pain Extractor can be genuine unless you find the signature of Comstock & Co., on the wrapper of each box. Beware of the counterfeit.

Longley's Great Western Indian Panacea

- 1st—For Colds and feverish feelings and preventing fevers.
- 2d—For Asthma, Liver Complaint and Bilious affections.
- 3d—For Diarrhoea, Indigestion and Loss of Appetite.
- 4th—For Constiveness in females and males, and Nervous complaints.
- 5th—For Stomach affections, Dyspepsia, Piles, Rheumatism, &c.

The great points are, it is not bad to take, never gives pain and never leaves one covetous!

New Discovery.
Dr. Connell's Mixture, for Gonorrhoea and Gleet, Seminal Effusions and Weakness of the Uterus or Locolet. This mixture contains no injurious article whatever, but possesses a tonic property of efficacy, and more congenial to the constitution, than any other medicine used for these complaints. Freed from the nauseating qualities attending Copava and the common mixtures, it will be found agreeable to the palate and pleasant to the stomach, and will cure any case, or all pay is refused for it. It is equally good and certain for females. Sold only at 29 Fowcross st. New Orleans.

Mother's Relief—Indian Discovery.
All expecting to become mothers, and anxious to avoid the pains, distress and dangers of childbearing, are earnestly entreated to calm their fears, ally their nervousness, and soothe their way by the use of this most extraordinary vegetable production. Those who will candidly observe its virtues, must approve of its merit; every kind and affectionate husband will feel it his most solemn duty to alleviate the distress his wife is exposed to, by a safe and certain method, which is, the use of this Mother's Relief.

Carlton's Ring Bone and Sparin Cure.
For the cure of Ring Bone, Bone Sparin, Bone Swain, Wind Galls, Sores, and Cuts on Horses. Also, Carlton's Founder Ointment, for the cure of Founder, Splints, Hoof-booms, Itches, and Contracted Feet. Also, all Wounds, Bruises in the Flesh, Green Backs, Cracked Heels, Scalds, Stings, Decking, Cuts, Barks, &c.

Hays' Liniment for the Piles.
The worst attack of the Piles are effectually and permanently cured in a short time by the use of this genuine Hays' Liniment. Hundreds of our first citizens throughout the country have used this Liniment with complete success. It is warranted to cure the most aggravated case.

Caution.—Never buy it unless you find the name of Comstock & Co., upon the wrapper, proprietors of the genuine article or you are cheated with a counterfeit.

Comstock's Icterus Nerve and Bone Lintment, and Indian Vegetable Elixer.—Is warranted to cure any case of Rheumatism, Gout, Contracted Chords and Muscles, or Stiff Joints, stiffenings Weak Limbs, and enables those who are crippled to walk again. Use this article and be cured, or go without it and suffer as you please. Certificates of cures by the hundreds can be seen where this article is sold only genuine.

Caution.—All of the above named articles are sold only genuine by Comstock & Co., 21 Courtland st., New York, Proprietors of the Original and only Genuine Magical Pain Extractor. Has also on hand a complete assortment of Soaps and Perfumery, which will be sold much lower than at any other house in the United States, for cash. Sold in Lincolnton by
J. RAMSOUR & SONS.
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PURIFY THE BLOOD
VEGETABLE LIFE PILLS
PHENIX BITTERS

The high and envied celebrity which these preparations have acquired for their invincible efficacy in the diseases which they profess to cure, has rendered their use not only unnecessary, but a usual practice of puff-blowers, who, by the aid of their own talents, and their works testify for them, and they thrive on the credulous.

WATER CURE
OF ASTHMA ACUTE and CHRONIC RHEUMATISM OF THE BLADDER and KIDNEYS, BILIOUS FEVERS & LIVER COMPLAINTS OF THE STOMACH.
In the south and west, where these diseases prevail, be found favorable Plants, flowers, and other, use these Medicines, will never afterwards be without it. BLOOD CHOLIC, and SERIOUS LIVER COMPLAINTS, COLDS & COUGHS, OBSCURE CONSUMPTION. Used with great success in the following cases: CORRUPT HUMORS, DROPSIES, DYSPYPSIA. No person with this distressing disease, should delay using these medicines immediately. ERUPTIONS OF THE SKIN, ERYSIPELAS, FLATULENCY.

FEVER and AGUE. For this scourge of the western country these medicines will be found a safe, speedy, and certain remedy. Other medicines leave the system subject to a return of the disease—a cure by these medicines is permanent—TRY THEM, BE SATISFIED, AND BE CURED. **GENEAL DEBILITY.** GOUT, GIDDINESS, GRAVEL, HEADACHES, Fever, INWARD FEVER, INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM, IMPURE BLOOD JAUNDICE, LOSS OF APPETITE.

LIVER COMPLAINTS, LEPROSY, LOOSENESS, MERCURIAL DISEASES.—Never fails to eradicate entirely all the effects of Mercury infinitely sooner than the most powerful operation of Sarsaparilla. **NIGHT SWEATS, NERVOUS DEBILITY, NERVOUS COMPLAINTS of all kinds, ORGANIC AFFECTIONS, PAINFULNESS OF THE HEART, PAINTER'S CHOLIC, PILES.** The original proprietors. If these medicines were cured of Piles of 25 years standing by the use of these Pills, the disease above.

DR. WILLIAM B. BLOTTAT,
333 Broadway, corner of Anthony street, New York.
For Sale by
C. C. HENDERSON.
Nov 19 21-ly



Encourage Home Industry!

JAMES CORNWALL,
Having taken the Carriage shop formerly occupied by Isaac Ervin, on the main street, near the west end of town, is now prepared to make and repair Carriages, Buggies, Carryalls, Sulks, Wheelbarrows,

And in fact every thing that may be required to run on the old rough fashioned roads, or the plank ones in contemplation. He has done much work in this place, which he flatters himself will recommend him; to those who have patronized him heretofore he returns thanks, and solicits a continuance.

Country Produce will be received in pay, as he is surrounded by good apples; but as "money makes the mare go," that article will be preferred.

All he asks is a fair tack; if he loves work, can't live without it—therefore he will work at such prices as he can live at, and when he dies, let his works praise him, though it would prove rather late so far as his present interests are concerned. His materials are of the best quality, and all work will be seen to by himself, while he will endeavor by punctuality to merit patronage.

Trimming and Painting neatly executed.
march 3

Lincolnton Cupola
FURNACE.

The subscribers respectfully inform the citizens of old Lincoln, and the surrounding country, that they have started their establishment in full operation this day, the 5th of March and are now prepared to fill all orders for Iron or Composition CASTINGS, in the latest and most improved manner. They warrant them to prove as smooth and true as can be executed by any other establishment in the State, and flatter themselves, from personal experience and attention, they will deserve a share of public favor.

Their establishment is at the east end of town, on the Main street, where they will make to order, and keep supplied with every description of Stoves, for the parlor or kitchen.
All orders entrusted to them will be punctually filled, and their prices shall always be moderate.
W. R. & E. S. EDWARDS,
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