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## CABINET FURNITURE.

FROM the IMMENSE INCREASE of our business, we have been under the necessity of taking the whole up-story over L. Pender's Store, at the sign of Pender & Brother, where may be found

### AN IMMENSE Stock of Furniture.

Consisting of the same articles which will be seen advertised at the Old Stand. Persons that have not had an opportunity of seeing a magnificent stock of furniture, are respectfully solicited to call, as prices and quality shall surely suit. Furniture repaired at either place at the shortest notice.

F. L. BOND.

N. B. In order that a man may do himself justice, let him see articles of Furniture before purchasing. No body likes to buy a cat in a bag.  
Tarboro', Sept. 29, 1848.

### Jayne's Medicines.

*Scrofula*—Jayne's *Alterative* has been prescribed in almost every variety of disease and with unparalleled success, especially in Cutaneous affections, Cancerous, Cancerous, Scrofulous and Scorbutic Diseases, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, and diseases originating from obstruction or enlargement of the Glands, or impurity of the Blood.

Mr. J. H. Anderson, Lambertville, N. J., says, I have used three bottles of your *Alterative* with most decided good effect.

Mr. J. F. Frazer, Sidney, Ohio, says, I have sold the last bottle of your *Alterative*, and the indications are, that it will sell very rapidly. It is highly spoken of by all who have used it.

Gowdy, Hazzlewood, & Davis, Campbellville, Ky., say,—We wish you to send us two doz. of your *Alterative*, as we have run short of the article. We are curing a Cancer, and we want you to pack the *Medicine* immediately, and forward it on. Your medicines are taking well in this section.

Messrs. Thralls & Pottinger, Warsaw, Ia., say, April 3d, 1846—We are nearly out of your *Alterative*. It is a good medicine—Please send us more of it.

*Fever and Ague*—A Cure Warranted.—From every part where Jayne's *Ague Pills* have been used, we hear of their universal and entire success in subduing *Fever and Ague*.

Mr. George Stephens, a merchant at Marengo, Illinois, says, Your *Ague Pills* are making great cures here, and your *Tonic Vermifuge* and *Carminative* give good satisfaction. Messrs. Emmert & Strohn, Freeport, Illinois, say—We have sold all your *Ague Pills*, and most of the *Vermifuge*. Please send us on more immediately.

Thomas Cully, Esq., Hebron, Ohio, says, Your Medicines give universal satisfaction. Your *Ague Pills* have never failed to succeed.

Prepared only by Dr. D. JAYNE, Philadelphia, and sold on agency by  
GEO. HOWARD.

### THE Graefenberg Company

HEREBY give notice that the GENERAL AGENT for the State of North Carolina is Capt. WILLIAM JONES, of Louisburg, Franklin county.  
The Graefenberg Vegetable Pills  
For sale by Geo. Howard.

### Dr. Kuhl's Abyssinian Mixture.

FOR GONORRHOEA, GLEET, FLUOR ALBUS, GRAVEL, &c.

Letter from Dr. James R. Callum, dated Milton, N. C. August 14, 1847.

Dr. J. Kuhl—Dear Sir: Your medicines have given entire satisfaction in this section of country, the Abyssinian Mixture specially, is highly approved of, it has never failed to cure in every case. It sells like hot cakes. I have never had enough to supply the demand. You will please send me a large supply of it as soon as you arrive at home. Yours, respectfully,  
J. P. CALLUM,  
Milton Drug Store.

From the Milton Chronicle.

Laurel Grove, (near Milton) Jan. 15, 1848.  
Dr. Kuhl—Dear Sir:

We have now been about seven years, Agents for the sale of your Restorer of the Blood, and other Medicines, and are happy to state they have given in all cases general satisfaction, particularly the *Abyssinian Mixture* has given universal satisfaction, so that every one, who has used it, has received that relief that you guaranteed in your directions. Mr. James M. Vernon, to whom you recommended your *Aromatic Extract*, for Rheumatism, bought a bottle of it at 50 Cents, and two embrocations cured him entirely, and the disease has never returned. Yours, respectfully,  
KIRBY & ANDERSON.

AGENTS—GEO. HOWARD, Tarboro'; F. S. Marshall, Halifax; James Simmons, Weldon; C. C. Pugh, Gaston; E. Cook, Warrenton; Henry Goodloe, Warrenton; P. C. Brown, Louisburg; John H. Brodie, Franklin; Louis H. Kettle, Henderson; R. H. Mitchell, Oxford. May 16.

### THE PATENT MEDICATED INDIA RUBBER Porous Plaster

FOR RHEUMATISM, LUMBAGO, GOUT, &c.

IN all cases where it is thought advisable to keep up permanent stimulant impressions on or near the organ diseased, these plasters will be found highly valuable. In fact, all the benefits that can accrue from a continuous counter-irritant, will be produced in the most efficient manner by them. As in rheumatism, gout, enlargement of the joints, chronic disease of the liver, spleen, lungs, or other internal organs, in short in all other cases where warming or strengthening plasters are beneficial, these will be found to be superior to any now in use. For sale by  
February 16. Geo. Howard.

### Jayne's Ague Pills

Are sold under a Guarantee that one bottle of them will cure one person of *Fever and Ague* or *Chills and Fever*, and in all cases if they should fail to cure, the money will be returned. But they never have failed yet, nor will they fail one time in a thousand cases.

Messrs. A. K. Philleo & Co. say:—*Cumden Mills, Ill.* We are much pleased with your Medicines, and know that they are both good and popular. We regret you did not send us more of the *Ague Pills*, as there is a great demand for them, and they have always been successful in curing *Fever and Ague*.

H. J. Bostick, Esq., Drayton, Georgia, says:—Nov. 18th, 1846—Dr. D. Jayne—Dear Sir: My sales of your preparations have exceeded my expectations. Your *Expectorant*, *Vermifuge*, *Carminative Balsam* and *Fever and Ague Pills*, all sell well, some of which I am now out of. I want an immediate supply of all the above named Medicines, more particularly a large supply of the *Expectorant* and *Ague Pills*. We have yet among us a good many long standing cases of *Chills and Fever*, in which your *Ague Pills* have failed to cure. Your *Alterative* is just beginning to be known here, and appreciated. If I had had enough of these *Fever and Ague Pills*, I could have sold more than a hundred dollars worth of them. Yours, &c.  
H. J. BOSTICK

Messrs. J. & H. Moore, Lisbon, Illinois, say:—(Oct. 31st, 1846.) your *Ague Pills* are about gone, and have given universal satisfaction.

Win. Bell, Esq., Walnut Grove, Alabama, says:—(Nov. 9th, 1846.) I have sold all your *Ague Pills* and *Tonic Vermifuge*. They are doing wonders here. I am sorry you did not send me more of them.

G. C. Carmichael, Esq., Lanier, Georgia, says:—Nov. 20th, 1846. I am happy to say that your preparations are exciting general favor. I have sold all your *Ague Pills*, under a *Warranty*, and have not heard of their failure in a single case.

Halderman & Co., Mt. Carroll, Ill., say, Oct. 20th, 1846—Dr. D. Jayne—Dear Sir: Your medicines, so far as they have been tried in this section of country, give very general satisfaction, particularly your *Ague Pills*. We could have sold three times the amount we did, if we had had them. The *Sanative Pills* are very much liked by all who have used them, and are fast taking the place of other Pills as a purgative.

WM. HALDERMAN & CO.  
Prepared only by Dr. D. Jayne, Philadelphia and sold on agency by  
GEO. HOWARD.  
Tarboro', Nov. 9,

### POLITICAL



From the Union.

To the Republicans of the Union.—We are on the eve of an election which is to decide the character of the next administration, and to affect, in an important degree, the destinies of our country. Are you ready? Are you sufficiently organized? Are your county committees discharging their duties? Have they distributed your electoral tickets? Have they appointed two or more of their body, or of sub-committees, for each precinct, to visit every republican voter, urge him to the polls, and, if necessary, provide facilities for his transportation? The whigs will do all this, and why should you be less provident and active than themselves? Have you not as great an interest in the prosperity of our beloved country? Are not your principles, better, more honest, more dear to you? Have you not as great a regard for your candidates as they have? Is not your nominee an accomplished statesman, with enlarged experience, with all the qualifications necessary to this high office; and is he not as worthy of your support as the whig nominee, who is a soldier only, and no politician, as he himself confesses—with no principles avowed—and who is prepared to sacrifice his own opinions, and even his own constitutional powers, to the dictation of Congress?

But, trust not too much to the justice of your cause—to the superiority of your candidates. Trust not too much to your own strength. Too much confidence may betray you. Let the example of Pennsylvania warn you, and rouse you to action. You have the voters to carry the election. But why have them, if they tarry in their fields and do not go to the polls? Work, then, and bring out your whole strength, and there is no doubt of your brilliant success.

From the Raleigh Standard.

Gen. Taylor and our Volunteers.—We are indebted to the politeness of the Hon. J. D. Wescott, of Florida, for Executive Document, No. 78, being a full account of the Court of Inquiry held in Mexico, in relation to the alleged mutiny in the North Carolina Regiment. On the 237th page of this document we find the following letter from Gen. Taylor to Gen. Wool:

"Camp near Monterey, August 19, 1847.

My dear General: Your letter of yesterday has this moment reached me; and, although I regretted to make any change in my order in relation to the number and description of troops ordered to join the column under the command of General Scott, yet I am induced, on your representation of the state of the feeling which exists among the Mississippi and North Carolina regiments—which, I am deeply mortified to hear, is so highly unsoldierlike and insubordinate—to countermand, for the present, so much of the said order as relates to Captain Deas's company; as you very correctly say, in this state of things, the only troops you could rely on, in the event of meeting the enemy, would be the Virginia, your artillery, &c., including your dragoons and mounted men. The unwarrantable attack made on Colonel Paine, for no other cause but that of doing his duty with zeal, and in a soldierly manner, and compelling those under him to do so, is the most disgraceful and cowardly occurrence which has taken place since the commencement of the present war. The prompt measures you have taken to put down the same, which are entirely approved, I hope will restore a proper state of discipline in that corps,

(the North Carolina regiment,) and that it will, for the time to come, by its good conduct, make amends for the errors it has fallen into.

With respect and esteem, your friend and servant,  
Z. TAYLOR.  
General J. E. Wool,  
United States Army,  
Commanding at Saltillo, Mexico.  
Official: IRVIN McDOWELL,  
Assistant Adjutant General."

What will the people of North Carolina say to that? Are the Whigs prepared to put up with this slander, uttered against our brave Volunteers by Gen. Taylor, and by voting for him, endorse it and approve it? Bear it in mind, fellow-citizens, and let it be rung throughout the State, that General Taylor has declared, in an official letter, that the North Carolina Regiment could not be "relied on" in the hour of battle, and that their conduct had been not only "highly unsoldierlike and insubordinate" but "disgraceful and cowardly." We submit the above letter to the people of the State without comment. The appeal is to them—to their regard for their own character and for our gallant Volunteers, who are thus slandered, and branded with epithets calculated to disgrace them and their posterity forever. Will the people of the State set the seal of their approbation on this conduct of General Taylor, by voting for him? Will any Whig Elector dare to stand up before the people and attempt to excuse it? We shall see.

He Refuses to Resign.—We find in an exchange paper the following: "An old gentleman thinks Taylor can't be much like Washington, for Washington resigned his office at the close of the war, whereas Taylor hangs on to his commission, and is electioneering for promotion." Gen. Taylor is evidently determined to have something to fall back upon, if he is worth already some two or three hundred thousand dollars. He believes in the proverb that "a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush"; and he would not doubt regard it as the height of folly to "surrender" his thirty rations per day, with the very slim chances which he has of getting in possession of twenty-five thousand dollars per annum, as President.

The Detroit Free Press thus touches off the manner in which Gen. Taylor holds on to his rations and his \$600 per month: "Gen. Taylor is allowed four servants and eight horses by the government! That's pleasant. The people have to find Gen. Taylor, horses and servants. In addition to this, he is allowed 30 rations per day, while a common soldier is only allowed one. That's pleasant again. The General receives about \$600 per month from the government! That's pleasanter. He thinks this is not enough however, and he is a candidate for that \$25,000 per year. That would be pleasanter still. He refuses to resign his office until he is elected. That's shrewd."

Wilmington Jour.

From the Raleigh Standard.

We have received the first number of the *Racine (Wisconsin) Democrat*, by Col. Philo White. The Colonel prints a neat & able paper, and goes his full length for Cass and Butler.

John Barfield.—This individual, charged with the murder of a man by the name of Flower, in the County of Sampson, some three years since, alleged to have been committed by stabbing with a knife, was publicly executed in this vicinity on yesterday, (agreeably to an order of the last Superior Court for this County,) in the presence of about three thousand people.

Since his conviction he made a profession of religion & was baptised by the Rev. Mr. Buxton, an Episcopal minister, who has kindly visited him during his confinement. A few moments before leaving the prison, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by that gentleman, who also attended him to the place of execution. On arriving at the

spot, the Burial Service of the Episcopal Church was read, and after Prayer, the condemned individual, accompanied by the Sheriff, as calm as a man going to Church, ascended the scaffold, where the rope was secured, and at 37 minutes after 12 o'clock, the unfortunate Barfield was launched into eternity!

While the body was hanging, the Reverend gentleman remarked that he was authorized to say, that Mr. Barfield never had any recollection whatever of having perpetrated the deed, and that it was done without malice.—He wished it understood that he had no ill will against any body.  
Smithfield Telegraph.

Lamentable Accident.—On last Wednesday, Mr. Roderick McRae, the superintendent of the Harrison Steam Mill, whilst adjusting some part of the machinery, was thrown forward by his foot slipping, and his left arm being caught by a wheel, it was so dreadfully crushed that it was requisite to take it off near the shoulder. Dr. James H. Dickson performed this operation, after placing Mr. McR. under the influence of chloroform, which acted on him like a charm. He is doing as well as could be expected.

Wilmington Com.

From the Fayetteville Carolinian.

From Oregon, late accounts say the war with the Indians has abated, by most of the tribes having expressed a desire for peace, but the safety of the country yet required that a large force should be kept in the field, and the war carried into the country of the yet hostile tribes.

From the Union.

Late from Mexico.—New Orleans, Oct. 20. Dates from Vera Cruz to the 13th inst. have been received by an arrival here. At the latest dates from the city of Mexico the public affairs were rapidly approaching a crisis, and another revolution seemed to be impending to overthrow Herrera.

An express had reached Vera Cruz, stating that the people of Tampico had proclaimed the independence of the State of Tamaulipas, and avowed their desire of annexing it to the United States.

We also learn from Yucatan that ten thousand Indians had attacked the garrison at Sexcula, and two hundred were killed. The loss of the Indians is unknown.

Gin House Burnt.—A new gin house belonging to Mr. Harper, of this county, was burnt last week, under singular circumstances, which show the necessity of caution while about such combustible matter. Some loco loco matches fell from the pocket of the overseer, in the gin room, and were accidentally trodden on and ignited. The fire instantly communicated to the cotton, which at this season is as dry and combustible as tinder, and the whole building was in a moment in a blaze. The progress of the fire was so rapid and instantaneous that nothing was saved. The building contained new gins and about 40 bales of cotton.—Montgomery (Ala.) Journal, Oct. 11.

The "Strange case in Surgery."—We gave some account a few weeks ago, of the wonderful case of Mr. Gage, foreman on the railroad in Cavendish, who in preparing a charge for blasting a rock had an iron bar driven through his head, entering through his cheek, and passing out at the top of his head, with a force that carried the bar some rods, after performing its wonderful journey through skull and brains. The iron was in diameter an inch and a quarter, and in length three feet and seven inches; the upper end of the iron, however, tapering to the diameter of one fourth of an inch. We repeat the dimensions of the rod, as we observe some of the papers that copied the article, substituted the word circumference for diameter, thinking, perhaps, the story told in that way would be quite as large as could well be believed. But we refer to this wonderful case again to say that the patient not only survives, but is much improved; the wound in his head has healed, the scuttle in his roof is closing up, and he is likely to be out again, with no visible injury but the loss of an eye!—Woodstock (Vt.) Mercury.