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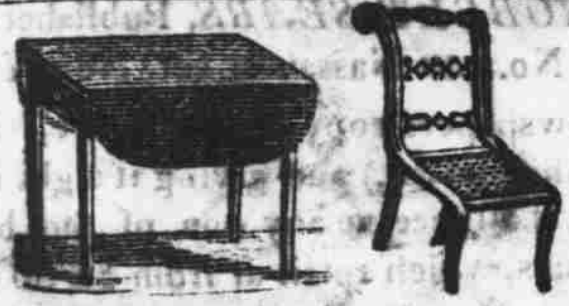
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CABINET FURNITURE.

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.

DR. GORDON'S VEGETABLE ANTI-BILIOUS FAMILY PILLS.

Only 25 cents per box,

FOR the cure of Headache, Giddiness, Salt Rheum, Rheumatism, Piles, Heartburn, Worms, Dyspepsia, Cholera Morbus, Pains in the Back and Limbs, Liver complaint, Rising in the Throat, Fevers of all kinds, colds, Gout, Gravel, Female Complaints, Nervous complaints, and all other diseases arising from impurities of the blood, and morbid secretions of the liver and Stomach.

Every disease to which the human frame is subject, originates from impurities of the blood or derangement of digestive organs.

Dr. Gordon's Family Pills, being compounded exclusively of such ingredients as nature intended should operate on the impurities of the Human System. Strike at the root of the disease, removing all impurities from the body, opening the pores externally and internally, separating all foreign and obnoxious particles from the chyle, so that the blood, of which it is the origin, must be thoroughly pure and necessarily securing a free and vigorous action to the Heart, Lungs, Liver and Stomach, thereby restoring health, by opening the pores, cleansing the veins and arteries, unimpeding all the natural veins and purifying the blood; they render the system not only thoroughly sound, but also impervious to disease, even when all other means have failed.

Within the last twelve months, more than one hundred cases of the most aggravated forms of Dyspepsia have been cured by the medicine, where rigid dieting, the Blue Pill, and almost every other means had been resorted to without any benefit, and when death stared its miserable victim fully in the face. If Dr. Gordon's Pills were not adapted to the cure of any but this horrid malady, their uniform success in this disease alone would be sufficient to 'waft on to fame' the name of their inventor, as a benefactor of his species. This medicine never fails to cure the worst cases of piles in one week!

For sale in Tarboro' by A. H. Macnair & GEO. HOWARD.

February 8, 1849.

Notice.

For coughs and lung complaints use Dr. Bartholomew's Pink Expectorant syrup. Sick head ache, though constitutional or incidental, is cured by Dr. Spohn's head ache remedy. Lin's balm of China, for the cure of all diseases that require external application. The gray haired will find the Indian Hair Dye perfect and effectual.

For sale by Geo. Howard.

New and Beautiful FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY, &c.

Mrs. J. C. HOWARD, HAS just received her Fall supply of Goods, which as usual comprises a general assortment of the most neat, useful and ornamental articles, in the

Millinery line.

All of which will be sold on her usual liberal and accommodating terms.

Nov. 7, 1848.

Bowel complaints, Colics, &c

POSITIVELY CURED BY

Jayne's Carminative Balsam.

Chicago, Ill., March 27, 1845.

Dr. D. JAYNE—Dear sir, You ask me what proofs I meet with of the efficacy of your Carminative. I can safely say that I never prescribed a medicine for Bowel complaints that has given me so much satisfaction, and my patients so speedy and perfect relief as this. Whenever introduced into a family, it becomes a standing remedy for those ailments, and is called for again and again, which I think a pretty good proof of its efficacy and usefulness. In the summer complaint of children, it has frequently appeared to snatch the little victims, as it were, from the grave. "It saved the life of my child, and of such and such a child," I have repeatedly heard said. In dysenteric affections of adults, I have time and again seen it act like a charm, and give permanent relief in a few hours, I may say in a few minutes. In fine it is a valuable medicine, and no family should be without it.

Respectfully, M. L. KNAPP, M. D.

Professor of Materia Medica in the Laporte University, Indiana.

Prepared only by Dr. D. JAYNE, Philadelphia, and sold on agency by GEO. HOWARD, Tarboro', Feb. 14, 1849.

A scientific Medicine.

GREAT experience and judgment are required to make a valuable, and at the same time, innocent purgative. This is possessed only by few.

The great majority of the remedies advertised of this class are manufactured by persons who have no idea of the relative or individual powers of the drugs they use. It is this cause, more than any other, which occasions the inertness and often injurious effects, produced by advertised remedies. And hence the general prejudice which prevails against them. Now there is a great difference in this respect, with regard to the pills made by Dr. B. Brandreth, and consequently, their superior claims upon the public. Each of the articles composing the

Brandreth Pills

Are prepared in that way which will secure their beneficial effects to the system in the safest and easiest manner. For instance, some ingredients have to be prepared in the vacuum; that is, the air is exhausted in the utensil, and remains so until a combination is effected with other ingredients, which afterwards prevents the air from acting injuriously upon the medicine. Again, the proportion of each ingredient depends upon its multiplying power upon other ingredients—For the power of different vegetable purgatives upon each other is governed by similar laws that govern the power of figures by multiplication. Nine added to nine make eighteen; but nine times nine are eighty-one. So it is with some vegetable purgatives. By adding nine parts of one ingredient, and nine parts of another ingredient together, the power is increased, not to eighteen, but to eighty-one. For example, either of the articles to produce any purgative effect, would have to be used to the extent of eighty-one grains; by combining them, only eighteen grains have to be used. Again, another ingredient is found to multiply this power again, which in a proportion of two grains, would have no effect upon the animal economy, but which, added to eighteen grains of a compound of two parts of nine grains, each of two ingredients, will again multiply the power which they have gained of eighty-one, to one hundred and sixty-two. So again, the mixture of twenty grains can be again multiplied by an addition of two grains, to the power of three hundred and twenty-four grains of the original power of the two first ingredients. Here we have twenty-two grains, which as a purgative, contain the power equal to three hundred and twenty-four grains of either of the articles alone; nevertheless, also so powerful after being thus combined, are safe in any quantity—always having a beneficial effect, and in no case capable of doing injury, of which thousands bear ample witness.

Let those in any way out of health use these Pills. They will find it much to their advantage.

for sale by Geo. Howard.

Graefenberg Medicines.

JUST RECEIVED, the Graefenberg Sarsaparilla Compound—the celebrated Children's Panacea—the Eye Lotion—the Health Bitters—the Everand Aque Pills—the Vegetable Pills—and the Green Mountain Vegetable Ointment.

March 20. GEO. HOWARD.

POETRY.



Three Weeks After Marriage.

My dearest, are you going out?
Indeed, 'tis very cold;
Let me, sweet love, around your neck,
This handkerchief enfold.
You know how anxious for your health,
My own dear George, am I;
One loving kiss before we part—
Good-bye, sweet chuck, good-bye!

Three Years After Marriage.

You're going out! why don't you go?
I cannot help the rain!
You would not grieve me mightily,
To ne'er come back again.
Umbrella! I don't know where 'tis—
What'll you want next? I wonder!
Don't pester me about your cold—
Good gracious! go to thunder!

MISCELLANY.

Singular Case of Imposture.—The following particulars are derived from a source of the highest respectability and may be depended upon as entirely accurate. They present a case of imposture such as is not met with every day, and teach a lesson of caution to those whose sympathies are readily excited. A female carrying the appearance and manners of a lady, stopped at Wilmington, N. C., on her way to this city, a few weeks since. The avowed cause of her detention was illness of a serious kind, hemorrhage of the lungs, spasms of the heart, of a most appalling description, accompanied with faintings and other symptoms of extreme weakness. She brought with her a letter from a lady of Norfolk giving a sketch of a somewhat romantic and unfortunate history—a tale of having been robbed while ill in a Steamboat, on her way to die with a sister in Georgia. She professed to be a Christian, and exhibited an appearance of patient and submissive gentleness, which in her extreme sufferings awakened a general interest and sympathy in her behalf on the part of the Wilmington ladies, to whom no call of this kind appeals without success. During three weeks she received the unwearied attentions of ladies of the highest respectability, with the kind and constant attendance of a physician; was cupped almost every day—fell into spasms—fainted till all appearance of life seemed extinct—and the breath appeared to have left the body almost entirely; yet always kept a calm and placid face indicative of inward peace. During all this time she was alone scarcely an hour, day or night, two or three ladies sitting up with her every night, and several being with her during the day, besides the attendance of a hired nurse. Delicacies were sent her from many families, and she had the visits of several ministers, one of whom at her request administered the communication to her. In this way she was closely observed by some fifty or sixty persons at least, upon nearly all of whom the impression she made was entirely favorable. She had received similar attentions in Norfolk and Petersburg. Improving somewhat, a time was set for her departure for the South, but a few hours before the Steamer left she was again seized by a violent paroxysm, so that her departure was delayed another week. She was on her way to Athens, Ga., knew nobody in Charleston or Augusta, and had provision made for her at a boarding house in the former city.—She finally left Wilmington, was taken to the hotel in this city, and was recognized here as the same person, who under another name, had several years ago passed through the same illness, received the same attentions, and exhibited the additional capacity of throwing her limbs out of joint at pleasure; and confessed to several ladies and a physician who had detected her before, that it was all deception—that 'nothing ailed her in the world,' and of this she gave proof by dressing herself as soon as left alone, and taking her departure in an omnibus to parts unknown. In Wilmington she received aid from the Odd-Fellows and Masons, on

the ground of her husband having belonged to those fraternities, and also from the churches. Along with a handsome prayerbook belonging to a young lady who had left it in her room, she took a letter from the Episcopal clergyman recommending her to the sympathy and aid of the clergy and laity of South Carolina, and elsewhere. These will be valuable aids to this frail sister in practicing upon other communities the arts of deception so successfully played off in North Carolina. The outraged cause of genuine benevolence demands that lady knights-errant of this description, should be duly exposed, and their pleasant adventures at the expense of others, be put a stop to. The heroine of our tale passed by the well-sounding sobriquet of Rachael Hall.

Southern Christian Advocate.

Unfortunate Occurrence.—We learn that on last Sunday a son of Mr. Coleman Hall residing a few miles distant from this place, was shot through the body by his father with a rifle ball. The circumstances of this truly unfortunate occurrence, as we heard them related, are these: The two were out in the woods engaged in hunting wild turkeys, and having shot at and crippled a turkey they separated and went in pursuit of it; after a short time spent in this way they approached nearer to each other, when the father discovered his son at a distance through the bushes and mistaking him for the turkey fired and wounded him as above described. The youth lingered in the greatest agony until this morning when he expired. We understand he was about 15 years of age.

Danville Register.

From the Wilmington Journal.

Emancipation in Kentucky.—The Louisville Journal, the leading Whig paper of Kentucky, commenting upon Mr. Clay's recent letter, says:

"We must reiterate the expression of our full conviction, that there is not at this time the slightest earthly chance that the State Convention, to be held next fall, will incorporate in the new constitution a provision for the emancipation of slaves. We do not believe there are ten counties that will send emancipation delegates to the convention, and our opinion upon this subject has been formed upon free and careful consultation with the most enlightened men, members of the Legislature and others, from every county in the State."

From the Petersburg Republican.

A Conspiracy to defraud a man of his property by putting him in a mad house, was recently discovered in Philadelphia. Some of the particulars of the case got into the papers on the trial. Morgan Hinchman was a man of property; Samuel Ritchie and Edward Ritchie took him by force and carried him to the lunatic asylum. A number of witnesses testified that the man had always exhibited, so far as they knew, a proper soundness of mind. There appeared every probability, on the trial, that the Ritchies would be convicted of a conspiracy against Hinchman for his property.

From the N. Y. Journal of Commerce.

Canada.—Riot at Toronto.—A dispatch, dated Toronto, March 23, says: "The ministerial measure for the payment of the extra rebels of 1837 and '38, has resulted in a serious riot at Toronto. Last evening, March 22d, Messrs. Baldwin, Blake and McKenzie were burned in effigy. They were carried through several streets, elevated upon long poles, passing from the residence of Mr. Baldwin to the residence of Mr. Blake, and then returning to Mr. Baldwin's. The effigies of the two were then burned.

"The mob, to the number of some thousands, then proceeded to the house of Mrs. McIntosh, where Mr. McKenzie was stopping, where his effigy was burned, and the house assailed with stones and all manner of missiles, completely riddling the windows. The gas lights in the vicinity were put out and the police resisted. The house of Mr. Montgomery, which is situated nearly opposite, was attacked, and the windows much damaged. Mr. H. Price,

son of the Hon. J. H. Price, was severely beaten, and on being conveyed to the residence of Dr. Rolph, that gentleman's house was assailed by the mob and slightly damaged. The residence of Mr. Brown, of the Globe, was also injured."

Invasion of Canada.—The Boston Herald professes to be advised of a contemplated revolution in and invasion of Canada, which has been agitated in the United States and the provinces. It says that many of our volunteer officers who served in Mexico, have been employed by the committee of a Canada association, and are drilling and organizing men nightly in Boston.—There is probably very little foundation for these "wonderful disclosures." At any rate we hope not, for the rascality of preparing to make war upon the provinces of a friendly nation will add no new fragrance to the odour of our National name. Acts that cannot be done in daylight, become assassins and robbers rather than honest men.

Rich Republican.

From the Fayetteville Carolinian.

More Inventions.—The Montgomery (Ala.) Flag notices the application of some northern man for a patent for a mode of carrying the mail, 1000 miles an hour! and says that Dr. Holt of that city (Montgomery) is the inventor of a similar machine. A model of Dr. H's has been exhibited and tested in Montgomery!

So that here are two claimants to the invention of this wonderful apparatus. It is, we think, a singular fact, that no invention of late years has been published, that did not have two or more claimants for its honors. To name several of late, witness the Telegraph, the Magnetic Clock, Mr. Page's application of magnetism to the propulsion of machinery. It seems that nothing can be started by one party but what somebody, perhaps in a different section of our country, appears in the newspapers and claims it also.

But this machine to carry the mail 1000 miles an hour, is quite astonishing, if any thing can be astonishing in these days. The *modus operandi* we do not understand; there is mentioned a tube, an air pump, and a cylindrical carriage.

Drowned.—We learn that on Wednesday last, the wind blowing quite strong from the South, three negro men, two slaves and one free, were drowned at the fishery of Dr. Wright, on the Sound, in attempting to get the seine in; they being out in a boat, which filled.

A little negro boy, about three years old, the property of Mr. H. A. Bond, of this place, was drowned by falling into a tub of water, on Saturday night last.

Edenton Sentinel.

A Secret Society.—The Jonesborough Whig announces the discovery of a Secret Society in that town, comprising "a great many persons of respectability, both married and single." From what has been disclosed, it appears that "it was formed for charitable, benevolent, and friendly purposes. Members are received upon their knees, touching or kissing the Bible, and then with their hands tied behind them, blind folded they are ducked in a tub of water!" The Whig remarks with very natural astonishment:—Now the most ridiculous thing that could be suggested to us, is that of organizing a Secret Society in Jonesborough, and employing Jonesborough women to keep its secrets! We have lived here long enough to know, that the only way they keep secrets is, to keep them going.—Truth Teller.

Old Bachelor.—What is he? A rusty, musty, fusty, sort of an animal, who is no companion either for himself or any body else. His face looks as if it had been bathed in vinegar—when he speaks it is with the snappishness of an angry cur—he takes no care either of his body or his necessary habiliments—he is a drug to society; pitied by the wise, and hooped at by the foolish—he spends his days in uneasiness and his nights in misery—he lives unbeloved and dies unlamented—he is, in short, what we have been for nearly 40 years. Thank God, we are now well married!—Western Argus.