This space is reserved for the Long Co. to be used in the next week or so for advertising the lot of New Fall and Winter goods which Messrs Frank Blalock and Josh King have gone to the Northern Markets to purchase. They will buy a large quantity this season, larger than usual and they are preparing for the largest business they have done in years. They will buy the newest line of all goods in men's and women's department to suit everybody. The Long Co. is making preparations for the largest of any season and will be ready for the fall trade in a week SO.

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THE VICTORY OF VACCINATION- the lover. THE BATTLE WITH SMALLPOX.

of the race that lived.

Lord Macaulay, in his History of gna." England, describing the disease in Some countries have taken advan-England before vaccination, wrote; tage of this great discovery; others "That disease, over which science have not had faith in this truth nechas achieved a succession of glorious essary to save. It may be interesting and beneficent victories, was then to observe the effect of smallpox the most terrible of all ministers of where vaccination is compulsory and death. The smallpox was always where it is only optional. Between er, turing the babe into changeling passed a compulsory vaccination law; tion, trethed maiden object of horser to lost, in the next ewenty years 8,500 way, 0.6.

century and the early part of the 000. through vaccination is one of the deaths in civilized countries resulted greatest sanitary victories ever won, from this disease. Ninety-five per Jenner, the discoverer of this meth- cent of the population of Europe had od of prevention, is considered by and the disease at come period of their ny authorities the greates benefactor lives. Every year in Europe 400 deaths were caused by this "pesta ma

prople from this disease, while Aus-In the latter part of the eighteenth tria during the same time lost 239,

The victory of science over smallpox nineteenth century one-tenth of all Another demonstration of the saving power of vaccanation is seen in the French and German armies in the great war between these countries. Th French army had not enforced compulsory vaccination; the German army had, and the German soldiers were all vaccinated. Result; The French army lost over 25,000 soldiers from smallpox; the German army, aithough holding the French prisoners and living with them, lost only 350 from the disease.

Still another demonstration of the present, filling the churchyards with 1870 and 1874, in three years an ep protection afforded by vaccination is corpses, tormenting with constant idemic of this disease in Austria seen when we compare the annual fear all whom it had not yet strick- and Prusia caused the death of 162,00 death rates per million population in en, leaving on those whose lives it Autrain172,000 Prussians, Prussia, pro countries with compulsory vaccination spared the hideous traces of its pow- fitting by her dreadful experience, and those without compulsory vaccina

at which the mother shuddered, and Austria did not. Result: Prussia, Compulsory vaccination: Germany, making the eyes and cheeks of a be- with 8,000,000 greater than Austria 1.1; Denmark,0.5; Sweden, 2.1; Nor

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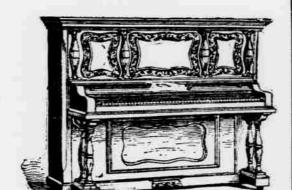
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