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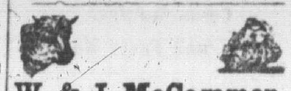

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Photographs of Children!
A SPECIALTY FOR ONE MONTH.
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A NEW LOT JUST RECEIVED.
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SHELL OYSTERS and CLAMS.
Also, OYSTERS by the Can, Quart or Gallon.
Goods delivered to any part of the City, and Fish cleaned ready for cooking when required, free of charge.
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IT strikes at the root of all diseases, through its wonderful power in restoring the Blood to a healthy state.
For Scrofula, Nervous Debility, all Diseases of the Skin, Gout, Rheumatism, Indigestion, Jaundice, Scurvey, Bronchial Affections, and Chest complaints, its effects are marvellous.
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Will have on hand early in season, for constant supply, an excellent quality of
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Hats and Bonnets
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A large lot of ROOM PAPER just opened.
☞ Millinery orders carefully attended to.
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FOR CLEANING AND PRESERVING Furniture and taking out Scratches and Stains, use
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USE CEDAR CAMPHOR.
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CARBOLIC ACID,
CARBOLATE OF LIME,
CHLORIDE OF LIME,
And other Disinfectants always on hand at the
"MEDICAL HALL,"
G. S. HOBART.
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WEDNESDAY EVEN'G, MAY 22, 1872.

A Wind in the Streets.

A country wind is in the street;
'Tis blowing soft, 'tis blowing sweet;
How fresh it falls on cheek and eyes!
'Tis kissing us from Paradise.
Oh, it has travelled sea and height,
On thymy flowers, the red and white,
O'er golden gorse, and rosy bells
That spread their splendor to the dells;
It slumbered all a perfumed night
One hundred hues of blossom bright;
And shook its wings in glowing skies,
Where lost in blue the planet dies;
And sped away to farm and fold,
All touched with morning's early gold.
It leaped upon upon the sleeping lake,
And waked the fawns with waving brake;
It rustled through the leaf-hung deeps
Where o'er the shy-eyed squirrel leaps,
And out on grass and plough in line,
With song of birds and low of kine;
And now 'tis in the mist blue street,
But newly thronged with passing feet!
Why blows it here so light and glad
On many a forehead dark and sad?
It is that God's immortal love,
From radiant plains in Heaven above,
Has suddenly, in pity, come
To visit Man's o'erwearied home,
And breathes a breath of hope and life
On scenes of sorrow, care, and strife.

—*Chambers' Journal.*

Scene In a Soda Shop.

REPUTATION NEARLY BLASTED BY A "SARSAPARILLA SLINGER'S" SMARTNESS.

From the Cleveland Leader.

A few days ago a venerable gentleman from the country, who is a respectable church deacon, a justice of the peace, a member of the "Band of Hope," and a Good Templar in his native village, came to the city to trade a little in dry goods, and purchase such agricultural implements as he needed to plant and cultivate his spring crops. The deacon is strictly temperate, and never looks upon the wine when it is red, any more than he does when it is any other color. Unfortunately our old friend had suffered from opthalmia in his early days, which left him with an optical peculiarity which caused his left upper eye lid to drop every few seconds, and which, to those not familiar with his infirmity, gave him the appearance of winking intentionly.

The "Deacon" is passionately fond of soda water, and such light beverages. He loves to feel the gaseous compound coursing down his throat, and creating internal commotions and typhoons, that, however endurable by older persons, throw babes into agony, and require prompt doses of peppermint; so on this day after he had bought a few shovels, plows, hoes, rakes, and thrashing machines, also a Dolly Varden for his wife, he thought he would fill up with soda water and drive on toward home. He entered a drug store, inquired the price of the desired refreshment, then deposited his scrip and awaited its mixture.

"What sirup do you want?" said the urbane clerk, as he mopped off the marble counter with the same towel he used a moment before, to remove the honest sweat from his brow.

"Oh, give me sassaparilly; that is about as healthy as anything, I guess." (Here the deacon's eyelid went back on him and dropped quickly.)

"All right," replied the fountain-tender, as he disappeared below the counter, and came up a moment later with the drinking-glass containing about three fingers of "sassaparilly," to which he added the other ingredients, and handed it to the deacon. The latter drained the cup to the very dregs, then brushed froth from his mouth, smacked his lips and said "That syrup is a little stronger than they generally make it, but my blood is out of order, and I guess I'll take another glass;" at the same time his eye-lid fluttered meaningly as before.

The dose was repeated, and the soda-water bibber left the store. About half an hour later he entered another establishment where a sign announced "Soda and Mineral waters on draught." It was noticed the Deacon walked as if he had the spring halt as he entered the door, and his spectacles were upside down on his nose. He called for "Congress Water" at this place, saying he did not feel quite right, and was afraid he had used too much syrup in his soda water at the other store, or else he was bilious." His optical weakness exhibited itself as he spoke, and returning the wink, the clerk retired to the dark closet, then returning filled up a glass with plain "Congress" and gave it to our "tightfully alight" friend, who swallowed it without a murmur.

How many "sodas" the Deacon stored away before he left the city we are unable to say, but he was found late in the day asleep in his wagon, with a plow point for a pillow and several yards of Dolly Varden calico gracefully wrapped about his person as a covering. He revived sufficiently to inform strangers that he had been "drugged," and a subsequent visit to the localities where he had taken soda water, developed the fact that his unfortunate habit of winking—a defect over which he had no control—was the cause all his trouble. The soda-water dispensers supposed him to be "one of the boys," and, every time his eyelid dropped took the hint. The Deacon escaped the "jim-jams," but says hereafter he will wear a blinder over that eye when he purchases summer drinks, or else write his purchases summer drinks, or else write his orders on a slate.

"DAT'S DE WAY DE WHITE FOLKS DONE."—Sam Johnson of New Orleans, was a great authority among his fellows, and one day he called his satellites together. "Niggers," said he, "if yer want to get rich yer must sabe yer money. Yer must have a bank. Dat's de way the white folks dess." The project was swiftly put into execution, and the earnings of the week were promptly forthcoming. "Niggers," said Sam, "I will be de cashier; yer mus' 'posit de money wid me, and when yer want any, yer must draw on to it. Dat's de way de white folks does." All went merrily for a while, but by-and-by there began to be trouble. It was found easier to get funds into this modest institution than to get them out again. "It's all right," said Sam, "de bank's only suspended, and in a few days she will again resume; dat's de way de white folk's does." This expedient lasted but a little while, however, and the storm was about to burst on the head of the great operator, when he found it expedient to gather once more his infuriated depositors. "Niggers," said he, "dar ain't no use a movin' about it! De money's spent, and de bank's broke; and dat's de way de white folks does!"

The Protestant missionaries at Pekin have translated the English edition of the Bible into Chinese, and are printing it.

Mr. Gladstone on Government

His Royal Highness Prince Arthur, Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Goschen, Mr. Monsell, Lord Lyttleton, Lord Redesdale, the Earl of Devon, and other noblemen and gentlemen, took part in the proceedings at the annual dinner of the Institution of Civil Engineers' which was held on Wednesday night at the Queen's Concert-rooms, Hanover-square. Mr. Gladstone responding to the toast of "Her Majesty's Ministers," referred to the speech of the chairman as follows:—If I may be permitted to say, I think we may, Mr. President, from your speech derive some very useful lessons of political philosophy. You have said, and it is most gratifying to me to hear it, that you have received from the present and from all Governments that degree of respect, be it little or be it much, which as an institution you have deserved. Nothing could be more satisfactory, for I feel that if it be as you have affirmed, that respect has been very great indeed. You have said that the duties of Governments in this country to this and similar institutions have been chiefly negative duties. For my part I trust they will always so continue. (Cheers.) In the days of my youth so it was without dispute. The great statesman in whose shadow I passed my political youth had that doctrine of general non-interference for an article of faith, and without distinction of political party. In my nature and so I am proud, I must in candour say, declining years (no, no.) I see a strange creeping over the habit and mind of the people of this country with respect to the interference of Government, and with respect to commuting to its direct patronage and guidance many of the pursuits of the people which may be, and, which, I think, in a certain degree in obedience to the social necessities of the time, but which, I do not hesitate to say, deserves and requires to be watched with jealousy. (Cheers.) It is in the growth of individual and local energies; it is in the free development of the private spirit; it is in the moulding of every pursuit according to the direction the legitimate and natural exigencies find for it, and free from artificial and extraneous interference that the secret of the greatness of the country lies. (Cheers.) That danger of centralization which has been a formidable and almost fatal reality for other lands has not, I trust, yet acquired serious dimensions amongst ourselves, but it has, I think, lifted its head and it depends upon the wisdom of Englishmen, and upon their fidelity to the traditions of their forefathers, to take care that they do not hand over to the Executive Government the charge of functions which they can perform much better for themselves.

SOLD, SOLD.—The Government has obtained for us a sweet reputation in England. The London *Spectator*, in commenting on the fishery correspondence, charges the people of Canada with being "wonderfully mean-spirited," because no blood we asked for a bribe. It pictures us crying out; "Please, Sir, I've been locked, and if you don't give me a sweetie I shall cry." Where are the old-fashioned Tories gone to, that we hear so few of them raising their voices against this degradation!

TO PICKLE MEAT IN ONE DAY.—Get a tub nearly full of rain or river water, and put two pieces of thin wood across it, and set the beef on them, distant about an inch from the water. Heap as much salt as will stand on your beef, and let it remain twenty-four hours; then take the meat off and boil it, and you will find it as salt as if it had been in pickle for six weeks, the water having drawn the salt completely through the beef.

THE GLASSES.—"A woman's greatest enemy is the looking glass," said a husband to his wife, who was admiring herself in a mirror while he was sipping his wine. "That may be," she retorted, "but it does not cause her and her children half so much woe as her husband's wine glass does."

Caution to purchasers of Peruvian Syrup (a protected solution of the protoxide of iron). Beware of being deceived by any of the preparations of Peruvian Bark, or Bark and Iron, which may be offered to you. Every bottle of genuine has Peruvian Syrup (not Peruvian Bark) blown in the glass. Examine the bottle before purchasing.

The crown of womanly beauty is an elegant *coiffure*. As this cannot be obtained without the use of some Hair Gloss or fixateur, even by the most skilful *artiste*, how much should the ladies feel themselves indebted to the inventor of the *Great Hair Dressing* of the age, *Coco-Glycerine*, which nourishes and beautifies the Hair, is delightfully perfumed, *and leaves no stain on the gentlemen's waistcoats.* Ask for *Coco-Glycerine*. 14

The all-gone feeling which people sometimes speak of, is caused by want of proper action of the liver and heart. These may be assisted, and the bowels regulated, by Parsons' Purgative Pills in small doses.

Corn and flour are staple articles; but no more so than Johnson's Anodyne Liniment, where known. It is good for children or adults, for any internal soreness of the chest or bowels, and the best Pain Killer prepared, under whatever name.

Be Wise.—Too often a cold or slight cough is considered a very ordinary, trifling affair, just as well left to go as it came, and hence systematically neglected until a simple curable affection, it converted into a serious pulmonary disease. This more prudent, aware that a cough or cold should never be trifled with, promptly use Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers, which have sustained their reputation for over 30 years. They are always efficacious, and exert a most beneficial influence on all the bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all Druggists and country merchants. Price 25 cents per box.

Loss of Appetite in Horses.—Horses lose their appetite from various causes, but most frequently by the approach of some disease, this circumstance ought not to be overlooked by those who own horses. It should be immediately attended to, as by so doing the disease may be conquered, and the life of the horse saved. To do which we are positive there is nothing to Darley's Condition Powders and Arabian Horse Remedy; it purifies the blood, corrects all derangements of the digestive organs, and as a necessary consequence the appetite is restored, the skin becomes soft and shining in appearance. Remember the name, and see that the signature of Hard & Co. is on each package. Northrop & Lyman, Newcastle, Ont., proprietors for Canada. Sold by all medicine dealers.

DR. WHEELER'S
Compound Elixir of Phosphates & Calisaya.
There is no diseased condition of the body in which Dr. Wheeler's Compound Elixir of Phosphates and Calisaya, may not be used with positive benefit. Being a Chemical Food and Nutritive Tonic, it acts physiologically in the same manner as our diet. It perfects Digestion, Assimilation, and the formation of healthy blood. It sustains the vital force by supplying the waste constantly going on, of nerve and muscle, as the result of mental and physical exertion, enabling mind and body to undergo great labor without fatigue. Its action in building up constitutions broken down with Wasting Chronic Diseases, by fast living and bad habits is truly extraordinary, its effect being immediate in energizing all the organs of the body. Phosphates being absolutely essential to cell formation and the growth of tissues, must for all time be Nature's great restorative and vitalizer. Sold by all druggists at $1.
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