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Original Poetry.

Fact and Fiction.

BY G. M. N.

In days of old there came a youth;
His face was fair, his eye was clear;
His brow seemed stamped with lines of truth,
And his words were sweet to mortal ear.
Full many a witching tale he told
To simple swain, and maiden free,
Of palaces wrought of solid gold,
In a fairy land beyond the sea.
Where flowers of fadless beauty grow;
And lofty domes in splendor rise,
Where rivers, in joy and gladness, flow
Thro' a beautiful, far off Paradise.
He vanished soon, and the dreaming throng
Dreamed on; enchain'd by a potent spell
His parting words on the air prolong,
Like the last faint notes of a distant bell.
Toiling on through the gazing crowd,
Another came; and in accents low,
He spoke; and their heads in sorrow bowed,
For the pleasing tale of an hour ago.
'Tis true! there are palaces, rich and grand
But their shining portals we never reach;
And lofty domes, but built on sand;
And flowers that bloom, but a thorn for each.
The flights of fancy, are vague unreal.
The beauties of truth remain intact.—
This youth has spoken of things ideal;
His name was Fiction; mine is Fact.
North Bridgton, April, 1863.

Our Story Teller.

The Confession.

—OR—
A Page from Life's History.

BY FINLEY JOHNSON.

To-morrow—how that word grates upon my ear—to-morrow, and I shall be dangling between heaven and earth—to-morrow, and thousands will be gathered around the scaffold to witness the glorious, the Christian spectacle of a human being murdered legally by the hands of the law. Yes to-morrow I die—but ere I depart from earth, let me unfold to the world the causes of my fate, and though from my fellow beings I have met no mercy, yet in Him who lived and died for all, shall be my hope and my redemption.
Charles Tall and myself were sworn friends—we had pledged to each other the vows of unchanging friendship—had worked out the same problem in algebra, and received alike the same chastisement from the hands of our old schoolmaster. We were inseparable—where one was, there the other was also, and the secrets of one was the secrets of both. Our education at last was finished—we bid adieu to the old school-house, and its venerable master, and launched our bark, freighted with hopes and joys, upon the boisterous waves of the sea of life.
Our intimacy still continued, our evenings were spent in each other's society; and one was miserable bereft of the other. During one of our rambling fortune (or rather misfortune) made me acquainted with Isabel Savage. That meeting is forcibly impressed upon my memory, and time possesses no power to efface the recollection. She was one too fair for earth, her beauty had a heavenly cast—her flowing tresses, black as the wings of midnight, her eyes beaming with fire, yet so modest, and meek in their expression; her form, graceful as a fairy spirit, and her melodious voice, all stamped upon her the seal of a purer, a heavenly birth. So I then thought.
To see her was to love her, and as I viewed her many charms, her numerous virtues, my heart was drawn towards her, and I, within the chambers of my own soul, enshrined her image with all the fondness of which my nature was capable. Night after night we were in her presence, Charles and myself; but jealousy had not yet entered my soul. To love her in silence, I could not, so one evening, pouring in her ears burning words, I told her all—how that my soul was bound up within her

own, how in vain I had attempted to smother the fiery flames of passions that were conquering me, and how love's fingers had played upon the strings of my heart, and that now my fate was in her hands.
She listened—I took her hand—she did not withdraw it, and throwing herself upon my neck, she wept. I was happy and content—for she had promised to be mine. Fool—fool—idiot that I was to trust to the vows of a woman!
The day was fixed, preparations made, and I looked to the future as full of peace and joy.—Charles Tall was my confidant—I told him all, and he smiled, as if pleased with the happiness of a friend. He offered congratulations—he proposed pleasures, but still that smile so ambiguous in its meaning played around his lips.
One summer evening, well do I remember it, for it buries within my brain as if seared by ten thousand irons, we roamed in the old woods of her father's house. The evening was beautiful, and as one by one the stars stole out from their peaceful homes in heaven, we would gaze upon them, and watch them twinkling in all their brilliancy. Never before had Isabel appeared in my eyes so lovely and as I sat with my head reposing upon her breast, I was happy, and in my inmost heart thanked God for giving me the love of such an angel. Blind fool that I was.
'Bell,' said I, 'has it never occurred to you that your love might grow cold.'
'What nonsense,' was her reply, 'you know I do love you, and will never, never change.'
'God bless you,' I murmured, and then I kissed her rosy lips.
At that moment there fell from her bosom a small piece of paper, and she eagerly made an attempt to regain it. But I was already in possession of it, and horrible thoughts crossed my mind as I witnessed her anxiety to re-possess it.
'Give it to me, for Heaven's sake,' she almost shrieked; but, paying no attention to her entreaties, I opened the note and read:
'DEAR LOVE—Yet a little while and the farce will end. Keep him deceived until the day appointed, and then, when we are united, we can laugh at the foolish thoughts of the disappointed aspirant for your hand. Poor fellow! CHARLES.'
As I read this precious piece of villainy my brain burned as if touched with living coals of fire. And this was from him who had sworn eternal friendship! As I read, all my love was changed to hate; and I swore to be revenged.
The next night I called upon Charles, with hate in my heart and vengeance in my thoughts. He was in his room, engaged in reading, and, as I entered, he noticed the frown upon my brow and said:
'Well, Sir Knight of the woful countenance, has anything gone wrong? Jubiter! how black you look.'
In tones of freezing coldness, I replied:
'A false and hypocritical friend is a sufficient cause to produce the effect which you have intimated.'
I could see his face turn pale and his voice trembled as he said:
'Have you any personal allusion, sir? If so, let me hear upon what grounds you base your accusations.'
'Grounds! I replied, now losing control of my temper. 'Grounds! yes, sir; and such as prove you to be a villain. And so you thought to make a dupe of me—you and your dear Bell?—but you have failed. You are a worthy couple, and she is well mated to such a scoundrel as you.'
'Recollect, sir, to whom you are speaking.'
'I do; and, for your edification, let me inform you that it is to a villain.'
'You shall give me satisfaction for this language, and that, too, shortly, and with rapid strides he paced the floor.
'Most certainly,' replied I, 'and let it

be now. No delay—no procrastination; but at this hour, when all is still, 'And,' whispered I, 'let it be to the death—one of us must fall.'
'Be it so,' he muttered.
As I was the challenged party I had the choice of weapons. I was a perfect adept in the exercise of the sword, and was fully aware that he was ignorant even of its first branches; but I was bent on his destruction. My revenge needed a victim, and fate had selected him. We wended our way into the depths of the forest, and there, with no witnesses, save the silent stars of Heaven—there, beneath the passing moonbeams, we engaged in the contest.
The tale need not be told. Heated with passion, maddened by a sense of my wrongs, and bent on revenge, he fell beneath my arm. Having exposed his breast, I took the opportunity thus offered, and plunged my sword up to the hilt in his body.—With a cry of agony that is even now ringing in my ears, he shrieked, 'I am killed!' and then fell upon the ground, a lifeless corpse. As the warm blood gushed from the wound, my feelings underwent a sudden and powerful change—the heinousness of my crime broke in upon me, and, as I beheld his pale face upturned to Heaven, horror rooted me to the spot.
All was blank. I had slain my friend—and for what? For a woman whose false smiles had lured him on to deceit, and me to murder. I knelt down by his side, and strove to staunch the blood, but all in vain. Murderer! and I shrank back with terror as I contemplated the deed which I had accomplished.
Murderer! Cane, as he gazed upon the corpse of his brother, could not have experienced more torments than I. The depths of the forest caught up the wailing sound, and the far-off distant hill echoed back again the startling truth. Murder!—it was stamped upon my brow, and burnt like coals of fire within my brain. I attempted to shriek, and, with a mighty effort, tried to break the chain of terror that bound me to the spot, but in vain; the half-uttered words that hung upon my lips, my very thoughts seemed as if formed into one sentence, and that was—Murder!
I had slain him—premeditatedly, maliciously, intentionally slain him—he to whom I had sworn friendship lay cold and lifeless upon the ground; and as I gazed upon the upturned face there seemed a smile of hate and scorn around his pale lips—the moon threw a shadow across the pulseless corpse, and all nature was hushed as if awed by the dreadful deed.
A heavy hand was placed upon my shoulder—a loud and hoarse voice said, 'you are my prisoner,' and I found myself manacled, and in the grasp of the police, who were taking me off to prison. I made no effort to escape—I uttered no remonstrance, but calmly doggedly, went to my doom.—I was charged with murder—was tried—was condemned. They led me into Court, and the Judge, with an air of mock solemnity, sentenced me to die a murderer's death. I was then placed in a dark, cheerless and desolate cell, where the sunlight of heaven never entered, with no companions but my own thoughts, and with no hope but that of death. They sent a long robed priest to me to preach of repentance and of the mercy of God. Fools, how could they expect me to hope for mercy from God when his professed followers had denied it? If I was not fit to live, I was not fit to die. Then why doom me to death and send my soul to perdition? If I repented and was made fit for heaven, am I not fit for earth? Is the scaffold a passport to paradise? They cannot answer, they dare not.
The day is at last approaching—this night is my last on earth, and the sounds of the workmen's hammers tell of my fate to-morrow. Let it come—I fear it not, for I have full confidence

that God will show that mercy unto me which His followers have failed to do on earth. I shall die bravely—a victim of woman's wiles and man's treachery.
How to PRODUCE A HUSBAND.—The following true story might, perhaps, furnish matter for a little comedy, if comedies were still written in England. It is generally the case that the more beautiful and the richer a young female is, the more difficult are both her parents and herself in the choice of a husband, and the offers they refuse. The one is too tall, the other too short, this not wealthy, that not respectable enough. Meanwhile one spring passes after another, and each year carries away a leaf of the bloom of youth, and opportunity after opportunity. Miss Harriet Selwood was the richest heiress in her native town; but she had already completed her twenty-seventh year, and beheld almost all her young friends united to men whom she had at one time or other discarded. Harriet began to be set down for an old maid. Her parents became really uneasy, and she herself lamented in private a position which is not a natural one, and to which those to whom nature and fortune have been niggardly of their gifts are obliged to submit; but Harriet, as we have said, was both handsome and very rich. Such was the state of things when her uncle, a wealthy merchant in the north of England, came on a visit to her parents. He was a jovial, lively, straightforward man, accustomed to attack all difficulties boldly and coolly.
'You see,' said her father to him one day, 'Harriet continues single. The girl is handsome, what she is to have for her fortune you know; even in this scandalous town, not a single creature can breathe the slightest imputation against her; and yet she is getting to be, an old maid.'
'True,' replied the uncle, 'but look you brother, the grand point in every affair in this world is to seize the right moment, this you have not done—it is a misfortune; but let the girl go along with me and before the end of three months I will return her to you as the wife of a man as young and wealthy as herself.'
Away went the niece with the uncle. On the way home he thus addressed her:
'Mind what I am going to say. You are no longer Miss Selwood but Mrs. Lumley my niece, a young wealthy, childless widow. You had the misfortune to lose your husband, Col. Lumley, after a happy union of a quarter of a year, by a fall from his horse while hunting.'
'But uncle—'
'Let me manage, if you please, Mrs. Lumley, your father invested me with full powers. Here, look you, is the wedding ring given you by your late husband. Jewels, and whatever else you need your aunt will supply you with; and accustom yourself to cast down your eyes.'
The keen-witted uncle introduced his niece everywhere, and the young widow excited a great sensation. The gentlemen thronged about her, and she soon had her choice out of twenty suitors. Her uncle advised her to take the one who was deepest in love with her and a rare chance decreed that this should be the most amiable and opulent. The match was soon concluded, and one day the uncle desired to say a few words to his future nephew in private.
'My dear sir,' he began, 'we have told you an untruth.'
'How so? Are Mrs. Lumley's affections—'
'Nothing of the kind. My niece is attached to you.'
'Then her fortune, I suppose, is not equal to what you told me?'
'On the contrary, it is larger.'
'Well, what is the matter, then?'
'A joke, an innocent joke, which came into my head one day when I was in a good humor, we could not well recall it afterwards. My niece is not a widow.'
'What! is Col. Lumley living?'
'No; she is a spinster.'
The lover protested that he was a happier fellow than he had conceived himself; and the old maid was forthwith metamorphosed into a young wife.

Agricultural Department

WORK FOR THE FARM, HOUSEHOLD, ETC.

Account.—In the haste to commence plowing and sowing, other important interests should not be overlooked. A successful cultivator must be also a man of good business habits; observant of markets, and ready to improve the favorable moment for either buying or selling. Keeping account will add to the thrift, and give more certainty to all operations.
Let every transaction of purchase and sale, all contracts, terms made with hired help, time of their commencing work, amount of outlay and return for each field, animal, etc., be plainly noted, for reference. A fairly kept book is better evidence in a court of law than a treacherous memory, or an interested witness.
Birds.—Prepare houses for martins and wrens in the vicinity of the dwelling, and allow swallows access to the barn. They are a very efficient police against destructive insects. Tame pigeons feed upon grain, and are not clean.
Buildings.—Lose no time in finishing such as will be needed for shelter or storing produce. Clean out all rubbish from barns, stables, and sheds and add all suitable materials to the compost heaps. Whitewash cattle stalls, poultry houses and roosts, and the insides of other outbuildings. Keep all in repair. A good coat of paint when needed will more than repay its cost in preserving woodwork. It is better applied now than later in the season. Trellises for training vines to buildings are preferable to fastening the plants directly upon the boards.
Cabbages.—Those raised in hot-beds for earliest marketing, may be transplanted in favorable weather. Early York is a favorite field cabbage for market. Set in rows 2 by 2 1-2 feet.
Calves.—Raise enough of the best to keep the farm fully stocked. Teach them to drink when one or two days old. After the first week their food may be gradually changed from new to skim milk, and a few weeks later to gruel of shorts, rye, oat or barley meal. A little wheat flour boiled in milk will relieve the scours. Keep their pens dry and clean.
Cattle, both young and old, need an extra relish of roots, if at hand, or grain, to keep them in condition as Spring advances. Restrain them from the pasture until a fair bite of grass is grown, otherwise their appetite for hay will diminish, before they can gather enough to keep them in flesh. Deal liberally with working oxen; an occasional feed of potatoes will be beneficial, with a regular allowance of corn meal or shorts. Give roomy stalls to cows about calving, and watch, to render them assistance if needed. In breaking heifers to milk, avoid teaching them to kick by roughly handling their teats when sore. Keep these well oiled, and treat them gently at all times.
Cellars.—Clean out and whitewash at once, if not already. Windows of fine wire gauze, millinet, or mosquito cloth, are useful to admit air and exclude insects. If milk be kept there, it should be in an apartment separate from the general store room. Cement the floors, or lay plank flooring wherever it is necessary to walk.
Corn.—Good seed, and either good soil or plenty of manure, are the essentials. Corn is one of the seeds most readily injured by dampness or heating—in the shock or crib. It is always best to test an average sample selected from the whole seed in advance, by sprouting in warm soil. It is much better to do this than to risk the loss of a crop, or of many hills. The seed is the least part of the expense. Corn is a gross feeder, and revels in plenty of manure of any kind. It is a sun plant, and not a water one. Rich land, warm and dry—drained if at all needed, is what fills the corn crib—and the purse. A heavy sod turned under is a good place for corn roots to revel in.—American Agriculturist

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Marriages.
In North Bridgton, on the evening of the
16th, by Rev. L. W. Harris, Mr. R. T. Kittson
to Miss Ellen A. Farnsworth, both of North
Bridgton. Also at the same time, Mr. L.
Jewett of North Waterford, to Miss
Katie A. Farnsworth of North Bridgton.

Deaths.
In Bridgton, April 20th, of Scarlet fever,
Geo. B. Ingalls, aged 28 years, 2 months and
15 days.
No words of ours can soothe the dull cold
of death, but it may be gratifying to some
of our friends here to speak of the high
esteem in which the young man was held
by all who knew him. His habits of honesty
and industry entitled him to the respect of
his employers, and his close application to
business the past winter no doubt did much
to reduce his system and render it an easy
prey to the disease of which he died after a brief
illness of five days.
In Bridgton, 15 inst., Charley A. only son
of Souza C. and Mary O. Burnham, aged 3
years and 11 months.
In Buffalo, 14th inst., Eldridge E. only son
of A. I. and Elizabeth Davis, aged 2 years
and 11 months.

Special Notices.
Attention, Company!—Volunteers,
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it is without a rival, and will alleviate pain
speedily than any other preparation. It
cures all Rheumatic and Nervous Disorders
it is infallible, and as a curative for Sores
Furuncles, Sprains, Bruises, &c., its soothing,
cooling and powerful strengthening prop
erties excite the just wonder and aston
ishment of all who have ever given it a tri
al. Over four hundred certificates of re
markable cures, performed by it within the
last two years, attest this fact. See adver
tisement.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, in every
town and village, an agent of either
sex to engage in a light and profitable busi
ness, from \$5 to \$12 per week cas
ualty. Persons having leisure evenings
make from 50c. to \$1 per evening. A
copy with full particulars sent by mail to
address R. W. RUSSELL & CO. Hooksett
N.H.

To Consumptives.
THE ADVERTISER HAVING BEEN RE
COMMENDED to health in a few weeks, by
the simple remedy, of the roots of Do
rygon Sweet, a severe lung affection
of that dread disease, Consumption—is
desirous to make known to his fellow-suffe
rs the means of cure.
All who desire it, he will send a copy
of the prescription used (free of charge),
with the directions for preparing and using
the same, which they will find a sure
cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchit
is, &c. The only object of the advertiser
in sending the Prescription is to benefit the
sufferer, and spread information which is
to be invaluable, and he hopes any
sufferer will try his remedy, as it will
do almost nothing, and may prove a bless
ing to the afflicted young man.
Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Williamsville, Kings County, New York,
Mar 27th 1863

New Advertisements.
OSTAR VERMILION TERMINATORS.
For Rats, Mice, Roaches, Ants, Bed
Bugs, Moths in Furs, Woolens, &c.
Insects on Plants, Fowls, Animals, &c.
Put up in 25c. 50 and \$1.00 Boxes, Bottles
and Flasks, \$3 and \$5 sizes for Hotels, Pub
lic Institutions, &c.
"Only infallible remedies known."
"Free from Poisons."
"Not dangerous to the Human Family."
"Rats come out of their holes to die."
Sold Wholesale in all large cities.
Sold by all Druggists and Retailers
everywhere.
Beware!!! of all worthless imi
tations.
See that "OSTAR'S" name is on each
Box, Bottle and Flask before you buy.
Address HENRY R. COSTAR,
PRINCIPAL DEPOT 482 BROADWAY, N. Y.
Sold by REYNOLDS, and HOWARD C.
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TO TRAVELERS.
THROUGH TICKETS TO
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Travelers may secure Through Tickets
(from Portland, by Rail or Steamer) to the
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of the regular trains, leaving Boston at 7
8.30, and 11.10 A. M. and at 2.15, 5.30 and
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Business men and all travelers (Ladies ex
cepted) will find it a great advantage to
secure their Tickets at this Agency.
OFFICE, WESTERN TICKET AGENCY,
31 Exchange Street, Portland, up stairs
W. D. LITTLE, AGENT.

Choice of Routes
—TO—
CHICAGO, CLEVELAND, CINCIN
NATI, ST. PAUL, QUINCY, ST.
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CROSSE, GREEN BAY,
LOUISVILLE, OSHKOSH,
AND ALL POINTS AT THE
WEST AND SOUTH WEST,
—VIA THE—
ERIE RAILWAY,
THE GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY, OR THE
LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN R. R.,
Or the Bellefontaine & St. Louis Lines.
These Lines are all provided with Splend
id Sleeping Cars. Baggage checked through
to any point desired. Connections sure.—
Rates of fare as low as by any other Routes.
Through Tickets may be secured at low
est Boston rates, at the
Great Western Ticket Agency,
Office—31 Exchange Street (up stairs)
W. D. LITTLE, AGENT.
You may save money by securing
tickets at this office

For California.
PASSAGE TICKETS for the Steamers
sailing from New York, on the 11th,
21st of each month, may be secured by early
application to
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OFFICE, 31 Exchange Street, (Up Stairs)

W. W. WHIPPLE,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals,
PATENT MEDICINES,
Perfumery, Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs, &c., &c.
ALSO CHOICE BRANDS OF IMPORTED CIGARS,
Tobacco, Kerosene Oil, Lard Oil, Bur. Fluid.
No. 21 MARKET SQUARE,
PORTLAND, ———— MAINE.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the
Post Office unclaimed for April 15th, 1863
LADIES.
Geo. E. Snow Mrs. Martha A. Bailey Miss
Carrie Getchell Aclisah E. Martin
Mary E. Whiting Ann Chandler
GENTLEMEN.
Lucius G. Whitford. Chas. White
Isaac Center. Andrew Cobb,
Yarnum Carsley, (Gideon Hatch,
John Graftam, J. Stover,
Geo. W. Wait, James Sweet.
D. BILLINGS, P. M.
Bridgton, April 24th, 1863.

Spring Beds!!!
Every one should have one of
ANDERSON'S PATENT
Spring Beds!
Low Price of
\$4.00, TO SUIT THE TIMES.
The subscriber having obtained the agency
for the above Spring Bed for the Town of
Bridgton is prepared to furnish those who
wish and guarantee perfect satisfaction.
HENRY HARNDEN,
North Bridgton.
apr 17th

Dentistry!
Dr. Haskell
Will be found by those who wish his
professional services at his residence
in Bridgton the week following the first
Monday in each month. The rest of his
time will be divided among the towns in
the vicinity.
Artificial teeth will be inserted in all
approved methods upon as reasonable terms
as warranted good as can be obtained
elsewhere. Decayed ones filled and ren
dered useful and permanent, and every other
operation belonging to his profession per
formed in a careful and scientific manner.
Bridgton, March 6th, 1863.

Found.
BETWEEN the villages of North Bridgton
and Harrison, a bundle containing bed
clothes. The owner can obtain the
same by calling on the subscriber, proving
his property, and paying charges.
HANNAH HALE.
North Bridgton, April 7th, 1863.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.
THE undersigned hereby gives Public No
tice that she has been duly appointed by
Honorable Judge of Probate, for the
County of Cumberland, and assumed the
office of Executrix of the last will and testa
ment of
NATHANIEL HALE,
of Bridgton, in said County, deceased,
being bound as the law directs—she there
fore requests all persons who are indebted
to the estate of said deceased, to make im
mediate payment; and those who have any
claims against the same to exhibit the same to
her.

Miscellaneous.
DR. SWEET'S
Infallible Linniment,
THE
GREAT EXTERNAL REMEDY.
FOR RHEUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA,
LUMBAGO, STIFF NECK AND JOINTS,
SPRAINS, BRUISES, CUTS AND
WOUNDS, PILES, HEADACHE,
AND ALL RHEUMATIC AND
NERVOUS DISORDERS.
For all of which it is a certain remedy,
and never fails. This Linniment is prepared
from the recipe of Dr. Stephen Sweet, of
Connecticut, the famous bone setter, and
has been used in his practice for more than
twenty years with the most astonishing suc
cess.
As an ALLEVIATOR OF PAIN it is
urged by any preparation before the pub
lic, of which the most skeptical may be con
vinced by a single trial.
This linniment will cure rapidly and rad
ically, RHEUMATIC DISORDERS of every
kind, and in thousands of cases where it
has never been known to fail.
FOR NEURALGIA, it will afford immedi
ate relief in every case, however distressing.
It will relieve the worst cases of HEAD
ACHE in three minutes and is warranted to
do it.
TOOTHACHE also will it cure instantly
FOR NERVOUS DEBILITY AND GEN
ERAL LASSITUDE arising from impro
per diet or excess, this Linniment is a most
happy and unfailing remedy. Acting di
rectly upon the Nervous tissues, it strength
ens and revivifies the system, and restores it
to its natural vigor.
FOR PILES—As an external remedy, we
claim that it is the best known and we chal
lenge the world to produce an equal. Every
victim of this distressing complaint should
give it a trial, for it will not fail to afford
immediate relief, and in a majority of cases
will effect a radical cure.
QUINCY AND SORE THROAT are
sometimes extremely malignant and dan
gerous, but a timely application of this
Linniment will never fail to cure.
SPRAINS are sometimes very obstinate,
and enlargement of the joints is liable to
occur if neglected. The worst case may be
conquered by this Linniment in two or three
days.
BRUISES, CUTS, WOUNDS, SORES,
ULCERS, BURNS AND SCALDS, yield
readily to the wonderful healing prop
erties of Dr. SWEET'S INFALLIBLE LINNIMENT
when used according to directions. Also,
CHILBLAINS, FROSTED FEET, AND
INSECT BITES AND STINGS.
CAUTION.
To avoid imposition, observe the Signa
ture and Likeness of Dr. Stephen Sweet on
every label, and also "Stephen Sweet's In
fallible" blown in the glass of each bottle,
without which none are genuine.
HICHLANDSON & CO.
Sole Proprietors, Norwich, Ct.

CONSUMPTION, SCROFULA,
RHEUMATISM, &c.
HEGEMAN & CO'S GENUINE COD LIV
ER OIL has been prepared by nearly 20 years
experience the best remedy for CONSUMP
TION, &c., and while it cures the disease it
gives it strength to the patient. See that
you get the Genuine. Sold by Druggists
generally. HEGEMAN & CO. 53
5th St. Chemists & Druggists, New York.

SAVE YOUR SILKS, RIBBONS, &c.
HEGEMAN & CO'S CONCENTRATED
BENZINE removes all Grease Spots, &c.,
instantly, and cleans Gloves, Silks, &c.,
equally to new, without injury to the most del
icate color or fabric. Only 25 cents per bot
tle. Sold by Druggists.
HEGEMAN & CO, Chemists & Druggists, N. Y.

Chapped Hands, Face, Lips, Sunburn, &c., &c.
CERTAIN AND IMMEDIATE CURE.
HEGEMAN & CO'S CAMPHORICE WITH
GLYCERINE, if used according to the di
rections, will keep the hands soft in the col
dest weather. Price 25 cents. Sent by mail
on receipt of 30 cents.
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Wholesale dealers in
Teas;
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS
No. 153 FORE STREET,
John P. Hobbs, } Head Central Wharf
Francis E. Chase, } PORTLAND.
Joshua Hobbs, }
Portland, Feb. 1, 1863. 6m

W. D. ROBINSON,
Dealer in
Books, Stationery,
Viols, Violin Strings, Accordions,
Children's Carriages, Fancy Articles, &c., &c.
No. 20 Exchange St., corner of MILL
PORTLAND, ———— MAINE.
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J. W. MANSFIELD,
Wholesale & Retail
Saddle, Harness, Trunk, Valise,
and
CARPET BAG MANUFACTORY,
174 -- MIDDLE STREET, -- 174
(Opposite U. S. Hotel.)
aug 8th. PORTLAND ME

NOTICE.
THE undersigned, Selectmen, Assessors
and Overseers of the Poor, of the Town of
Bridgton, give notice, that they will be
in session at the Town House within said
Town, on the first and third Saturday of
each month, from one o'clock until five
P. M., for the purpose of transacting
such business as may come before them in
their official capacity.
Families of Volunteers needing relief are
requested to give their attention at the time
and place above stated.
N. S. LITTLEFIELD,
JOHN F. POTTER,
HUGH BENNETT.
Bridgton, March 6th, A. D. 1863.

Timber Land For Sale!
LOT No. Seven, in the Seventeenth Range
in Bridgton. Inquire of
EBEN INGALLS.
April 3d, 1863. 3m

Portland Advertisements.
H. H. HAY,
FRIENDS AND RELATIVES
OF THE
BRAVE SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.
HOLLOWAY'S PILLS
And OINTMENT.
All who have Friends or Relatives in the
Army or Navy should take especial care that
they be amply supplied with these Pills and
Ointment; and where the Brave Soldiers
and Sailors have neglected to provide them
selves with them, no better present can be
sent them by their Friends. They have been
proved to be the Soldier's never-failing friend
in the hour of need.
Coughs and Colds affecting Troops.
Will be speedily relieved and effectually
cured by using these admirable medicines,
and by paying proper attention to the direc
tions which are attached to each pot or box.
Sick Headaches and Want of Appetite
Incidental to Soldiers.
Those feelings which so sadden us usually
arise from trouble or annoyances, obstructed
perspiration, or eating and drinking what
is unwholesome, thus disturbing the
healthful action of the liver and stomach—
These organs must be relieved, if you desire
to be well. The Pills taken according to
the printed instructions, will quickly pro
duce a healthy action in both liver and stom
ach, and as a natural consequence a clear
head and good appetite.
Weakness or Debility induced by Over
Will soon disappear by the use of these in
valuable Pills, and the Soldier will quickly
acquire additional strength. Never let the
Bowels be either confined or unduly acted
upon. It may seem strange that Holloway's
Pills should be recommended for Dyspepsia
and Flux, many persons supposing that they
would increase the relaxation. This is a
great mistake, for these pills will correct
the liver and stomach, and thus remove all
the acid humor from the system, however
deranged, while health and strength follow
as a matter of course. Nothing will stop
the relaxation of the Bowels so sure as
this famous medicine.
Volunteers Attention! Indiscretions
Sores and Ulcers, Blotch and Swellings,
can with certainty be radically cured, if the
pills are taken night and morning, and the
Ointment be freely used as stated in the
printed instructions. If treated in any other
manner, they die in one part to break
out in another. Whereas this Ointment will
remove the humors from the system and
leave the Patient a vigorous and healthy
man. It will require a little perseverance
in bad cases to insure a lasting cure.
For Wounds either occasioned by the
Bayonet, Sabre, or the Bullet, Sore or
Bruise.
To which every Soldier and Sailor are li
able, there are no medicines so safe, sure and
convenient, as Holloway's Pills and Oint
ment. The Poor wounded and almost dying
sufferer might have his wounds dressed im
mediately, if he would only provide himself
with this matchless Ointment, which should
be thrust into the wound and smeared all
around it, then covered with a piece of linen
from his Knapsack and compressed with a
handkerchief. Taking night and morning
6 or 8 Pills, to cool the system and prevent
Inflammation.
Every Soldier's Knapsack and Seaman's
Chest should be provided with these valu
able remedies.
CAUTION!—None are genuine unless
the words "HOLLOWAY, NEW YORK AND Lon
don," are discernible as a Water-mark in
every leaf of the book of directions around
each pot or box; the same may be plainly
seen by holding the leaf to the light. A
handsome reward will be given to any one
rendering such information as may lead to
the detection of any party or parties coun
terfeiting the medicines or vending the same
knowing them to be spurious.
Every Soldier's Knapsack and Seaman's
Chest should be provided with these valu
able remedies.
N. B.—Directions for the guidance of pa
tients in every disorder are affixed to
each box.
Dealers in my well known medi
cines can have Show Cards, Circulars,
&c., sent them, FREE OF EXPENSE
by addressing Thomas Holloway, 80
Maiden Lane, N. Y.

LOWELL & SENTER,
WATCH MAKERS
and dealers in
WATCHES, CHRONOMETERS, JEWELRY
SURVEYORS COMPASSES
AND
FANCY GOODS,
64 EXCHANGE ST. - PORTLAND.
Abner Lowell, William Senter.
Portland, Feb. 1st, 1863. 6m

BOOKS,
Stationery, and Room Papers,
BAILEY & NOYES,
BOOK PUBLISHERS,
Nos. 56, 58, & 68 Exchange St.,
Portland, Feb. 1, 1863. 6m

R. O. CONANT & CO.
Wholesale Grocers
Alvah Conant, }
S. C. Rand, } Portland, Me.
Jan 4th, 1863, 6m

ALBERT WEBB & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Corn, Flour, & Grain,
Head of Merrill's Wharf,
COMMERCIAL ST. PORTLAND, ME.
Jan 4th 1863, 6m

Pondicherry House.
THE subscriber would inform his
friends and the public that he is
ready to entertain, at the above
House, travellers in a good and
substantial manner, and for a re
asonable compensation. The Pondicherry
House is kept on strictly temperance prin
ciples, and travellers will find it a quiet rest
ing place. My House is also fitted up for board
ing, and all who see fit to take board with
me, will find a comfortable home.
I have also a good Stable for Horses
MARSHALL BACON.
Bridgton Center, Nov. 12, 1863

Medical.
Ayer's
SARSAPARILLA.
THE GREAT SCROFULA REMEDY FOR
Scrophulous Discharges,
From A. J. Ayer, & Lowell's merchant of
Lowell, Mass., and of your Sarsaparilla
LLA, but I will not give you a Sarsaparilla
desire, and full satisfaction to those who took
it. As fast as our people try it, the agents there has
been no medicine like it before in our country.
Eruptions, Itches, Hot-baths, Pustules,
Ulcers, Sores, and all Diseases of the Skin.
From Gen. Robt. Stratton, Bristol, England.
"I only on my duty to your and the public, when
I add the testimony of this your publication of the
medical virtues of your Sarsaparilla. My daugh
ter, aged ten, had an itching humor in her ears,
eyes and hair for years, which we were unable to
cure until we tried your Sarsaparilla. She has
been well for some months."
From Mrs. Jane E. Rice, a well known and much
esteemed lady of Dennismore, Cape May Co., N. J.
"My daughter has suffered for a year past with a
scrophulous eruption, which was very troublesome.
Nothing afforded any relief until we tried your SAR
SAPARILLA, which soon completely cured her."
From Charles P. Gage, Esq., of the widely-known firm
of Gage, Murray & Co., manufacturers of ex
cellent papers in Wash. N. H.
"I had for several years a very troublesome hum
or in my face, which grew constantly worse until
it disfigured my features and became an intoler
able affliction. I tried almost everything, a man could
of both advice and medicine, but without any relief
whatever, until I took your Sarsaparilla. It
immediately made my face worse, as you told me
it might for a time; but in a few weeks the new skin
to form under the blotches, and continued
until my face was as smooth as any boy's, and I
without any symptoms of the disease that I know
I enjoy perfect health, and without a doubt owe
it to your Sarsaparilla."
Erysipelas—General Debility—Purify the
Blood.
From Dr. Robt. Savin, Houston St., N. Y.
"THE AYER'S Sarsaparilla to remove Eruptions and
scrophulous sores by the persevering use of
SARSAPARILLA, and I have just now cured an at
tack of Malignant Erysipelas with it. No altera
tion in my system must be noticed. I began
taking your Sarsaparilla. I took two bottles, and
my face was clear. Together they have cured me.
I am now as well and sound as any boy. Being in
a public place, my case is known to every body in
the community, and excites the wonder of all."
From Hon. Henry Monro, M. P. P. of Newcastle, C.
W., a leading member of the Canadian Parliament.
"I have used your Sarsaparilla in my family
for general debility, and for purifying the blood,
with very beneficial results, and feel confident in
commending it to the afflicted."
St. Anthony's Fire, Ross, Salt Rheum,
Head Head, Scrofula,
From Henry Siskier, Esq., the able editor of the
"Tunchannon Democrat, Pennsylvania."
"Our only child, about three years of age, was at
tacked by pimples on his forehead. They rapidly
increased until they formed a loathsome and ten
acious sore, which covered his face, and actually blind
ed his eyes for some days. A skillful physician ap
plied nitrate of silver and other remedies, without any
apparent effect. For fifteen days we guarded his hands,
lest with them he should tear open the festering and
corrupt wound which covered his whole face. I
neglected every thing we could do to relieve him,
we began giving your Sarsaparilla, and applying
the inside of potato lotion, as you direct. The sore
began to heal when we had given the first bottle,
and was well when we had finished the second. The
child's eyes, which had become out, grew again,
and he is now as healthy and fair as any other. The
whole neighborhood predicted that the child must
die."
Syphilis and Mercurial Diseases.
From Dr. Hiram Wood, of St. Louis, Missouri.
"I find your Sarsaparilla a most effective
remedy for the secondary symptoms of Syphilis,
and for syphilitic disease than any other we possess.
The profession are indebted to you for some of the
best medicines we use."
From A. J. French, M. D., an eminent physician of
Lawrence, Mass., who is a prominent member of
the Legislature of Massachusetts.
"Dr. AYER—My dear Sir: I have found your
SARSAPARILLA an excellent remedy for Syphilis,
both of the primary and secondary type, and effec
tually in some cases that were too obstinate to yield
to other remedies. I do not know of any other em
ploy with more certainty of success, where a pow
erful alterative is required."
From Chas. S. Van Linc, of New Brunswick, N. J.,
and dreadful ulcers on his legs, caused by the abuse
of mercury, or mercurial disease, which grew more
and more aggravated for years, in spite of every
remedy or treatment that could be applied, until
persevering use of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA relieved
him. Few cases can be found more inveterate and
distressing than this, and it took several dozen bot
tles to cure him.
Leucorrhoea, Whites, Female Weakness,
are generally produced by Internal Scrophulous Ulcer
ation, and are very often cured by the alterative
effect of this SARSAPARILLA. Some cases require,
however, in aid of the SARSAPARILLA, the skillful
application of local remedies.
From the well-known and widely-celebrated Dr.
Jacob Morrill, of Cincinnati.
"I have found your Sarsaparilla an excellent
alterative in diseases of females. Many cases of ir
regularity, Leucorrhoea, Internal Ulceration, and
local debility, arising from the scrophulous diathesis,
have yielded to it, and there are few that do not
when it is properly aided by local treatment."
A lady, unwilling to allow the publication of her
name, writes:
"My daughter and myself have been cured of a
very debilitating Leucorrhoea of long standing, by
two bottles of your Sarsaparilla."
**Rheumatism, Gout, Liver Complaint, Dy
s-pepsia, Heart Disease, Neuralgia,**
when caused by Sarsaparilla in the system, are rapidly
cured by the KEET SARSAPARILLA.

Wholesale Grocers,
—AND—
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND FLOUR DEALERS,
Wholesale Block, 103 Commercial Street, Head of
Commercial Wharf,
PORTLAND, ———— MAINE.
Thomas H. Weston, S. H. Cummings,
Feb. 1863. Henry C. Baker. 6m

JOHN LYNCH & CO.
Wholesale Grocers,
—AND—
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Granite Stores, Commercial St.,
(Opp. Head Widgery's Wharf)
John Lynch, } PORTLAND, ME.
Thos. Lynch, }
Portland, Aug. 1, 1862. 4

MARRETT, POOR & CO.
Importers, Wholesale
and Retail Dealers in
Carpetings, Paper Hangings,
FEATHERS, MATTRESSES, AND
UPHOLSTERY GOODS,
85 & 87 MIDDLE ST. (up stairs.)
J. S. Marrett, Portland. Fred A. Poor,
Portland, Aug. 1, 1862. 1y

EDWARD P. BANKS,
72 EXCHANGE ST., PORTLAND.

Spectacles!
CALL AND
LOOK AT
Portland, Feb. 1st, 1863. 6m

DIXEY STONE & SON,
—DEALERS IN—
DRY GOODS,
AND
GROCERIES.
PAINTS AND OILS,
HARDWARE,
CROCKERY, &c. &c.,
BRIDGTON CENTER, ME.

FOR SALE OR TO LET!
THE place formerly occupied by Hiram
Baxton, situated on the hill opposite
Isaac Chase's. This place commands the
BEST VIEW OF THE VILLAGE.
Said place is convenient for one or two fam
ilies and will be sold at a bargain. For
full particulars apply to
ORIN B. THOMPSON.
Mar 20th Bridgton Center.

Pondicherry House.
THE subscriber would inform his
friends and the public that he is
ready to entertain, at the above
House, travellers in a good and
substantial manner, and for a re
asonable compensation. The Pondicherry
House is kept on strictly temperance prin
ciples, and travellers will find it a quiet rest
ing place. My House is also fitted up for board
ing, and all who see fit to take board with
me, will find a comfortable home.
I have also a good Stable for Horses
MARSHALL BACON.
Bridgton Center, Nov. 12, 1863

AYER'S
CATHARTIC PILLS
possess so many advantages over the other pur
gatives in the market, and their superior virtues
are so universally known, that we need not do
more than to assure the public their quality is
maintained equal to the best it ever has been,
and that they may be depended on to do all
that they have ever done.
Prepared by J. C. AYER, M. D., & Co.,
Lowell, Mass., and sold by
S. M. HAYDON, Bridgton; LUKE BROWN,
North Bridgton; SILAS BLAKE, Harrison.

New Stock! New Goods!
A. M. NELSON,
Has just received from Boston a new stock
OF
BROADCLOTHS, CASHMERE,
DOESKINS, FLANNELS, PRINTS,
AND DELAINES,
With all the fixtures necessary to comprise
a complete stock of
DRY GOODS!
Which will be sold low! Also, a prime as
sortment of
CROCKERY, GLASS,
Hard-Ware!
With a general assortment of
GROCERIES!
—ALSO—
Carpetings, Paper-Hangings, &c., &c.
aug 26th

I have no money now; perhaps you wouldn't come down and marry us, and wait for your pay?
the animal beneath, for the former went nearly to his neck. However, the horse soon rose to the surface, permitting his
sake, who have sacrificed so much on a flower without perfume.—Ik. Ear
my account, I hope this last settlement, 65,
back the root and top.—American Ag
riculturist.

Fun and Sentiment.

The young lady who could read the following and not pity the sorrows of a poor young man, deserves to live and die an old maid:—
I wish I were a turkey-dove,
A-sitting on your knee;
I'd kiss your smilia lips, love,
To all e-ter-ni-tee.

A rogue who had lost his hat in going out of a theatre in the middle of a crowd, snatched a man's hat from off his head. The poor fellow finding his hat gone, cried:
'They have stolen my hat.'

The sharper, immediately putting the hat on his head, and covering it with both hands, exclaimed:
'Have they? I defy them to take mine.'

A young officer of the British House of Commons wore a tremendous pair of moustaches, on which one of the members said:
'My dear fellow, now that the war is over, why don't you put your moustaches on the peace establishment?'

'Had you not better put your tongue on the civil list?' was the prompt and happy retort.

The celebrated portrait painter Stuart once met a lady in the street in Boston, who saluted him with: 'O, Mr. Stuart, I have just seen your miniature, and I kissed it, because it was so much like you.' 'And did it kiss you in return?' 'Why no.' 'Then,' said Stuart, 'twas not like me.'

An Irishman, being a little fuddled, was asked what was his religious belief. 'Is it me be-laf-y'd be asking about?' said he. 'It's the same as the widdy Brady. I owe her twelve shillings for whisky, and she be-laf-y's I'll never pay her; and faith that's my be-laf-y too.'

A FORGIVING SPIRIT.—'You should never let the young men kiss you,' said a venerable uncle to his pretty niece. 'I know it, uncle,' returned she, penitently, 'and yet I try to cultivate a spirit of forgiveness; seeing that one has been kissed, there is no undoing it.'

An insatiable lover must have been Catullus, a Roman poet, who was asked by Lesbia how many of her kisses would satisfy him, and replied, 'As many as there are sands in the deserts, or stars in the heavens.'

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