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Nov. 28,—1y.

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OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE Co-Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Persons indebted will please call and make settlement as we desire to close the affairs of the Firm.

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Nov. 21,—tf.

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Jan 20.—3m.

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Westminster, Md., August 1, 186,—3m

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Oct. 3,—6m.*

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As a Preventative it is Infallible!
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The appearance of the Asiatic Cholera in the United States has given rise to the just apprehensions of all classes. The National Congress has appointed a special committee to ascertain what means are necessary to insure the proper quarantine at the ports on the Atlantic coast while the authorities in the great commercial cities on the sea-board are actively engaged in enforcing such sanitary measures as will secure the cleanliness and promote the healthfulness of the communities in their charge. These proceedings, are all laudable. Cleanliness and temperance are the first great essentials necessary to safely guard against attacks from the Cholera, but greater than all these efforts of Congress, more potent than the proceedings of municipal bodies, and infallible beyond all doubt is the

Great Zingari Bitters,

as a sure preventative of Cholera. The discoverer of the component part of this Bitters, an eminent Egyptian physician, had much experience in Egypt, where the Cholera rages with tremendous virulence. He had long seen and felt the want of some remedy which would strike at the root of the disease and so prevent much of the suffering which the human family has been compelled to endure from this scourge. The result of his thoughts and labors at length presented themselves in the production of the wonderful

ZINGARI BITTERS.

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F. RAHTER, Sole Proprietor,
May 3,—6m. Harrisburg, Pa.

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Nov. 28 P. H. HENRY.

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YOUNG MEN

Especially, who have become the victims of Solitary Vice, that dreadful and destructive habit which annually sweeps to an untimely grave thousands of Young Men of the most excellent talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to ecstacy the living lyre, may call upon me with full confidence.

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Married Persons, or Young Men contemplating marriage, being aware of Physical weakness, organic debility, deformities! &c., speedily cured

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This Dreadful Disease—which renders Life miserable and Marriage impossible—is the penalty paid by the victims of improper indulgences. Young persons are too apt to commit excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue. Now, who that understands the subject will pretend to deny that the power of procreation is lost sooner by those falling into improper habits than by the prudent? Besides being deprived the pleasure of healthy offspring, the most serious and destructive symptoms to both body and mind arise.—The system becomes Deranged, the Physical and Mental Functions Weakened, Loss of Procreative Power, Nervous Irritability, Dyspepsia, Palpitation of the heart, Indigestion, Constitutional Debility, a Wasting of the Frame, Coughs, Consumption, &c.

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TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE

Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by improper indulgences and solitary habits, which ruin both body and mind, unfitting them for either business, study, society or marriage.

THESE are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsy, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption.

MENTALLY.—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded—Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Forebodings, Aversion to Society, Self Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c, are some of the evils produced.

THOUSANDS of persons of all ages can now judge what is the cause of their declining health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale, nervous and emaciated; having a singular appearance about the eyes, tough and symptoms of Consumption:

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FOR ORGANIC WEAKNESS

By this great and important remedy, Weakness of the Organs is speedily cured, and full vigor restored.

Thousands of the most nervous and debilitated, who had lost all hope, have been immediately relieved. All impediments to Marriage, Physical or Mental Disqualification, Nervous Irritability, Trembling, Weakness or Exhaustion of the most fearful kind, speedily cured by Dr Johnston.

YOUNG MEN

Who have injured themselves by a certain practice indulged in when alone—a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school, the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured, renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.

What a pity that a young man the hope of his country, the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyments of life, by the consequence of deviating from the path of nature and indulging in a certain secret habit. Such persons MUST, before contemplating

MARRIAGE,

reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisition to promote connubial happiness. Indeed, without these, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage; the prospect hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair and filled with the melancholy reflection that their happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.

DISEASE OF IMPRUDENCE

When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds he has imbibed the seeds of his painful disease, it too often happens that an ill timed sense of shame, or dread of discovery, deters him from applying to those who, from education and respectability can alone befriend him. He falls into the hands of ignorant and designing pretenders, who, incapable of curing, fleece him of his pecuniary substance, and keep him trifling month after month, or as long as the smallest fee can be obtained, and in despair leave him with ruined health to sigh over his galling disappointment; or, by the use of that deadly poison, Mercury, hasten the constitutional symptoms of this terrible disease, such as affection of the Head, Throat, Nose, Skin, etc., progressing with frightful rapidity, till death puts a period to his dreadful sufferings by sending him to that undiscovered country from whose bourne no traveller returns.

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The many thousands cured at this institution within the last eighteen years, and the numerous important Surgical Operations performed by Dr. Johnston, witnessed by the reporters of the "Sun" and many other papers, notices of which have appeared again and again before the public, besides his standing as a gentleman of character and responsibility, is a sufficient guarantee to the afflicted.

Skin Diseases Speedily Cure d.

Persons writing should send that portion of the Advertisement which describes Symptoms; also, be particular to enclose a Postage Stamp to be used on the reply and direct in the following manner Dr. J. M. JOHNSTON, of the Baltimore Lock Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland. May 28, '65.—

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AN exquisite combination of Calisay Bark, Citrate of Iron and Dry Spanish Wine. It has a Vinous flavor very grateful to the palate, with very little chalybeate taste, and will not discolor the teeth. it excites feeble appetite, improves digestion, increases the strength, removes the pallor of debility, gives firmness to the action of the nervous system with power to endure fatigue and resist disease

Calasay's Bark has no equal as a strengthener or restorative, nor rival as an antiperiodic—and in this preparation all the virtues of the Bark are preserved in an eminent degree. Sold at SHRIVER'S West End Drug Store, Westminster, Md. June 21.

THE latest Style Dress Silk just received at J. R. Bushy's one door east of Rail Road.

MISCELLANEOUS.

EARNING A WIFE.

'And so you want to marry my daughter, young man,' said farmer Blivens, removing the pipe from his mouth, and looking at the young fellow sharply from head to toe.

Despite his rather indolent, effeminate air, which was mainly the result of his education, Luke Jordan was a fine looking fellow, and not easily moved from his self-possession; but he colored and grew confused beneath that sharp, scrutinizing look.

'Yes, sir, I spoke to Miss Mary last evening, and she—she referred me to you.'

The old man's face softened.

'Molly is a good girl, a *very* good girl,' he said, stroking his chin, with a thoughtful air, 'and she deserves a good husband. What can you do?'

The young man looked rather blank at this abrupt inquiry.

'If you refer to my ability to support a wife, I can assure you—'

'I know that you are a rich man, Luke Jordan, but I take it for granted you ask my girl to marry *you* not your property. What guarantee can you give me in case it should be swept away,—as it is in thousands of instances,—that you could provide for her a comfortable home? You have hands and brains—do you know how to use them? Again I ask, what can you *do*?'

This was a style of catechism for which Luke was quite unprepared, and he stared blankly at the questioner without speaking.

'I believe you managed to get through college—have you any profession?

'No, sir; I thought—'

'Have you any trade?'

'No, sir; my father thought that, with the wealth I should inherit, I should not need any'

'Your father thought like a fool then. He'd much better have given you some honest occupation and cut you off with a shilling; it might have been the making of you. As it is, what are you fit for? Here you are, strong, able-bodied young man, twenty-four years old, and never earned a dollar in your life! You ought to be ashamed of yourself.'

'And you want to marry my daughter,' resumed the old man, after a few puffs at his pipe. 'Now, I've given Molly as good advantages for learning as any girl in town, and she hasn't thrown them away; but if she didn't know how to work she'd be no daughter of mine. If I choose, I could keep more than one servant; but I don't, no more than I choose that my daughter should be a pale, spiritless creature, full of dyspepsia and all manner of fine lady ailments, instead of the smiling, bright-eyed, rosy-cheeked lass she is. I *did* say that she should marry no lad that had been cursed with a rich father; but she's taken a foolish liking to ye, and I'll tell you what I'll do; go to work, and prove yourself to be a man; perfect yourself in some occupation—I don't care what, so it be honest; then come to me, and if the girl is willing, she is yours.'

As the old man said, this, he deliberately knocked the ashes out of his pipe against one of the pillars of the porch where he was standing, tucked it into his vest pocket and went into the house.

Pretty Mary Blivens was waiting to see her lover down at the garden gate, their usual trysting place. The smiling light faded from her eyes as she noticed his sober, discomfited look.

'Father means well,' she said, as Luke told her the result of his application.

'And I'm not sure but what he is about right, for it seems to me that every man, be he rich or poor, ought to have some occupation.'

Then, as she noticed her lover's grave look, she added, softly:

'Never mind, I'll wait for you, Luke.'

Luke Jordan suddenly disappeared from his accustomed haunts, much to the surprise of his gay associates. But wherever he went, he carried with him in his exile these words, and they were a tower of strength to his soul, 'I'll wait for you, Luke!'

One pleasant, sunshiny morning, late in October, as farmer Blivens was propping up the grape-vine in his front yard, that threatened to break down with the weight of its luxurious burden a neat looking cart drove up, from which Luke Jordan alighted, with a quick, elastic spring, quite in contrast with his former easy, leisurely movements.

'Good morning, Mr. Blivens, I understand that you wanted to buy some butter-tubs and cider-barrels. I think I have some here that will just suit you.'

'Whose make are they?' inquired the old man, as opening the gate, he paused by the wagon.

'Mine,' replied Luke, with an air of pardonable pride; and I challenge any cooper in the State to beat them.

Mr. Blivens examined them critically, one by one.

'They'll do,' he said coolly as he set down the last of the lot. 'What will you take for them?'

'What I asked you for six months ago to-day—your daughter, sir.'

The roguish twinkle in the old man's eyes broadened with a smile.

'You've got the right stuff in you after all,' he cried. 'Come in lad—come in. I shouldn't wonder if we made a trade, after all.'

Nothing loth, Luke obeyed.

'Molly!' said Mr. Blivens, thrusting his head into the kitchen door.

Molly tripped out into the entry.—The round, white arms were bared above the elbows and bore traces of the flour she had been sifting. Her dress was a neat gingham, over which was tied a blue checked apron; but she looked as winning and lovely as she always did wherever she was found.

She blushed and smiled as she saw Luke, and then turning her eyes upon her father, waited dutifully, to hear what he had to say.

The old man regarded his daughter for a moment with a squizzical look.

'Molly, this young man—mayhaps you have seen him before—has brought a lot of tubs and barrels, all of his own make—a right good article too. He asks a pretty steep price for 'em; but if you are willing to give it, well and good; and hark ye, my girl, whatever bargain you make your father will ratify.'

As Mr. Blivens said this, he considerately stepped out of the room, and we will follow his example. But the kind of bargain the young people made can readily be conjectured by the speedy wedding that followed.

Luke Jordan turned his attention to the study of medicine of which profession he became a useful and influential member; but every year, on the anniversary of his marriage, he delights his father-in-law by some specimen of the handicraft by which he won what he declares to be 'the best and dearest wife in the world.'

A GHASTLY ACCOUNT.—It would appear that the great iniquity of the New Orleans massacre has not been fully disclosed. The following ghastly account has been found among the records in the office of Ex-Mayor Monroe:

CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.

To Thomas E Adams, Chief of Police:

July 31, 1866.	
Cash paid for hauling forty-six loads of dead and wounded from around Mechanics' Institute to station house, at $3 per load	$138
Cash paid for carrying dead from station house to work house yard eight loads at $3	24
Cash paid for hauling fifteen loads of wounded from station house to Freedman's Hospital, at $4	60
Cash paid for carriage hire for self and aids during riot	75
Total	$207

I certify that the above was made necessary by the *unfortunate difficulty* of the 30th of July, at the Mechanics' Institute.

THOMAS E. EVANS, Chief of Police.

The premeditated murder of leading Union men of Louisiana, it will be noted is spoken of as 'the unfortunate difficulty.' The account not only confirms the reported extent of the massacre, but the brutal unconcern of the sepulture—Forty six loads of dead men heaped in a common wagon and drawn off by a policeman astride of the bodies, the Chief of Police accompanying in a carriage, at an expense of $75 per day! Such is the simple record of Southern civilization, A. D 1866.—*Albany Journal.*

TEACHER.—'I want you to explain the points of the compass. Bobby, what is the highest latitude known?'

'The highest latitude known is that which Bill Jones allows his feelings when waltzing with our Kate.'

'Now, what is before you John?'

'The North, sir.'

'And what behind you, Tommy?

'My coat tail, sir,' said he, trying at the same time to get a glimpse.

'Joseph, where is Africa?'

'On the map, sir.'

'I mean on what continent, the Eastern or Western?'

'Well, the land of Africa is on the Eastern continent, but the people all of 'em are down South.'

'How do the African people live?'

'By drawing.'

'By drawing what, water?'

'No, sir, by drawing their breath.'

'Come here sonny, and tell me what the four seasons are?'

'Pepper, mustard, salt and vinegar; them's what ma seasons with.'

'Geography class dismissed!'

☞ A cynical old bachelor, who firmly believes that all women have something to say on all subjects, recently asked a female friend:

'Well, madam, what do *you* hold on this question of female suffrage?'

To him the lady responded, calmly: "Sir, I hold my tongue."

☞ An English paper receives a good story of Daniel O'Connell. O'Connell once met a conceited literary friend, and exclaimed:

'I saw a capital thing in your last pamphlet.'

'Did you?' eagerly replied his delighted listener. 'What was it?'

'A pound of butter.'

☞ The height of politeness is passing around upon the opposite side of a lady when walking with her, in order not to step upon her shadow.

☞ Spodger came across a man the other day, who is so conservative that he refuses to take a particular medicine, because it promised to work a 'radical' cure.

☞ Why is an author the most wonderful man in the world? Because his tale comes out of his head.

☞ What do we often drop, and never stop to pick up? A hint.

☞ Does it make a man look intellectual to be in a frame of mind?

☞ Why has a clock a bashful appearance? Because it keeps its hands before its face.

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