Wit and Humor.

TAKE THE PAPERS.

The disadvantages of not taking the newspapers is illustrated in the following anecdote, which is taken from the Ashville (*N. C*) *Messenger*.

"During the Gubernatorial canvass of 1848 our now retired and most excellent governor, his competitor, and others were travelling up the country. Driving up to the door of an old farmer within ten miles of a town, on a public road, Governor M. halted, and, in the usual bland manner of a gentleman, and particularly of a candidate, said: "Good morning, sir." Morning,' answered the farmer, when the following confab took place: 'Fine morning, sir.'—'Yes rite nice.' 'Could I get a drink of water?' 'Why, yes, I reckon—Billy, run to the spring and bring the gentleman some good cool water, run son.' Billy jumped the fence, and while gone, another son came out and began to eye the horses and barouche. 'Rite fine critters.' 'Yes,' 'You don't live 'out here?' 'No.' 'This is a mighty nice carryall.' Tolerable.'—'Suppose you're from Firginny?' 'No, I live in Raleigh,' 'Oh, hoo! 'Spose you wouldn't swap one of them nags?' 'No, sir.' The water at this juncture arrived—the old man all the time setting in his porch with his spectacles resting above his eye brows—whilst a half dozen little flax mane and tail urchins had mounted the fence, like roosters after a rain, when Governor M., addressing the old man, said: 'Well old gentleman, ain't you going out to the speaking to-day?' 'Arn?' 'I say, ain't you going out to town to hear the speaking to-day?' 'No I hain't hearn on it.' 'Indeed! bills have been posted up, and notices put in the papers that there would be a public discussion at L——to-day.' 'Hoo! I didn't hear nothin' about it—I did hear, too, that one old Mr. Taylor would be through these parts sometime the comin' fall,' and, brightening up with a slight elevation in his chair, he exclaimed: 'What mout your name be, stranger?'—'Manly—I am the Whig candidate for Governor of North Carolina.' At this the old man stared at Governor M. with perfect astonishment and leaving his chair, he made out to the fence, lifting as he went, his spectacles to the highest degree of longitude, with both his eyes wide open, and fixed upon the stranger, he exclaimed, in a peculiar and distinct emphasis: 'What, has Governor Morehead gin it up?' Yes,' exclaimed the candidate; and the company left. When we reflect that a term of four years had intervened since Governor Morehead was a candidate it renders it altogether a rich scene, and proves most conclusively that the old gentleman didn't, but ought to have, taken the papers."

GETTING A LIKENESS.—Mr. Smith tells an amusing incident that occurred while he was taking Daguerreotypes in Western New York. An elderly gentleman called at his room; he said—

"I would like to get my Daguerreotype taken; and while I go down street to sell the old lady's apples, you may take it and put it up in one of your two dollar cases; so, when I come back, I'll see how I look. Fix it up, I'm in a *deuce* of a hurry."

By this time he had got near the door to leave.

"Sir," said Mr. S., "you had better sit now, then I shall be enabled to have it."

"I sit, what for? It's against my rules to sit down in day-time; I'm one of your up-and-doing men; no, no, cant stop."

"But says Mr. S., "it will be impossible for me to take your likeness, unless you sit; come, my plate is ready, and it will take but a second."

At last the old gentleman became convinced of the necessity of sitting, and accordingly took a chair, and prepared himself for, to him, some hocus pocus operation, taking the precaution, however, to inquire if there was any danger of the "things bustin'." Mr. S. assured him there was not the least danger, and proceeded to arrange the camera, at the same time warning his customer of the importance of having a *free* and *easy* expression; then exposing the plate for a few seconds, after, which, saying, "that will do, sir, I have you now," the old gentleman arose, and stood for a moment, speechless and amazed, at the strange operation; at last, regaining his self-possession, he exclaimed—

"Mr. Smith, you'll find that, in the first part of that likeness, I looked rather sober, but in the last part, I kinder smiled."—*Daguerrean Journal.*

TALK ATER CHURCH.—Well Laura, give me a short sketch of the sermon.—Where was the text?

Oh, I don't know, I have forgotten it.—Mrs. V. wore that horrid bonnet of her's. I could'nt keep my eyes off it all meeting time. Miss P. had on a lovely little pink one—and Miss T. wore a new shawl that must have cost fifty dollars. I wonder that folks don't see the folly of such extravagance.—It's astonishing what a want of taste some folks exhibit.

Well if you have forgotten the sermon you have not the audience. But which preacher did you prefer, this gentleman or Mr. A.?

Oh Mr. A.—he's so handsome, and so graceful. What an eye and what a set of teeth he has!

When a lover wishes to "pop the question," he can *hint* his desires in a thousand different ways. Here is one of the latest cases:

"Please take a half of this poor apple?" said a pretty damsel to a swain the other evening.

"No, thank you; I would prefer *a better half*"

Eliza blushed, and referred him to "papa."

☞ "Why," asked an inquisitive little girl, "are doctors called *physicians*?

"Because," replied Mistress Winterblossom, (who is never at a loss for an answer,) "the word Physician comes from *fee-seek*, as the doctors ride about all day to seek fees."

FALL FASHIONS.



THE subscriber has just received the latest style of FASHIONS, and is prepared to cut and make up at short notice, Garments of every description, in the best style and at reasonable prices.

☞ ALL WORK made by him *warranted to fit*, in all cases at his risk.

The Plate of Fashions just received, is very handsome, and he invites his friends and the public to give him a call and see for themselves. The public's ob't servant,

JOHN SATTERFIELD.

Easton, Sept. 28, 1850. tf

FALL FASHIONS.

Wm. T. Hardesty,

TAKES this method of returning his grateful thanks to his friends and the public generally for the liberal patronage extended to him since his settlement in Easton, and would also inform them that he has just received from Philadelphia, SCOTT'S and MAHAN'S

Latest Plates of Fashions.

He is now prepared to cut and make

Cloaks, Coats, Sacks, Pants, Vests, &c.

in the latest and most approved style, and warranted to fit. He hopes by constant attention to business to merit and receive a continuance of public patronage. Sept. 28, 1850.

MERCHANT TAILORING.

J. H. K. Shannahan

WOULD respectfully return his sincere thanks to a generous public for the encouragement which he has received in this branch of his business, and informs them that he has a large and general assortment of

Cloths, Cassimeres & Vestings,

also, a large assortment of *FASHIONABLE TRIMMING* for clothes

☞ All Garments sold and made by him warranted to please, or no sale.

He keeps constantly on hand *Fancy Dress and Sack Coats, Overcoats*, and all kinds of COARSE COATS, &c. FOR SERVANTS. Fine and common Clothing of all kinds on hand or made to order at short notice and in the best style at the old stand corner of Washington and Dover streets. oct. 26.

NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS.

J. H. K. Shannahan

HAS just returned from the city with a good assortment of Ladies' and Gentlemens' **Dress Goods,** consisting in part of *Coburg Cloths, Alpaca, Cashmeres, De-Lanes, Ginghams & Prints*, for ladies.

Fine and coarse CLOTHS, of different colors, Plain & Fancy CASSIMERES, *Vestings*, and a large assortment of SATINETTS, *KERSEYS* and *LINSEYS*,

Also, *Hardware, Queensware & Groceries.*

He invites the public to give him a call and examine, his stock before purchasing elsewhere. Oct. 26.

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

T. T. Martin has just returned from the cities with a large and well selected stock of GOODS, suited to the present season, comprising almost every variety of the most

FASHIONABLE STYLES

For LADY'S & GENTLEMENS' wear, which cannot be surpassed in point of beauty, style, quality, and cheapness. Also

Hardware, Queensware and GROCERIES of all kinds;

A large supply of **BOOTS, SHOES** and CAPS of all kinds and qualities, which cannot be surpassed in this market, having bought them direct from the factories.

He returns his sincere thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore received from his friends and the public, and hopes by industry and attention to business, to receive a continuance of the same. Oct. 12, 1850.

THE SECOND & LaTEST ARRIVaL OF

NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS.

Walter H. Thompson has just returned from the City again with an additional assortment of goods of every variety, which renders his stock very large and complete. He believes that his stock of Ladies *Dress Goods*, & Gentlemen's do., cannot be surpassed if equalled in this market. Among them may be found some beautiful

Merinos, Cashmers, Alpacas, Chameleons, Lyonese Cloths, M'D'Laines, &c.

And *Blk., Brown, Olive & Drab Cloths, Black and Fancy Cassimeres, plaid & plain.*

His stock of Heavy Goods, such as

Full'd Kerseys, Casinetts, Tweeds, Linseys, Domestic Plaids, Blankets, Flannels, Blk. & Brown Muslin, &c. &c.

is also large and complete, and second to none in point of cheapness and quality.

He earnestly solicits his friends and the public generally, to give him a call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere. Oct. 26.

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

CHEEZUM & EMORY have just returned from the cities, and have now opened a very handsome and well selected stock of *Fall and Winter Goods*, namely:

A great variety and styles of

Ladies' Dre s Goods & Shawls, Cloths, Cassimers, Vestings, &c., Woollen and Cotton Warp FULL'D KERSEYS,

SATINETTS, TWEEDS, &c. &c., Bleach'd and Unbleach'd Muslins, &. &c.

Hardware, Queens Ware, & GROCERIES,

Which they most respectfully invite their friends and the public generally to call and examine before purchasing, as they feel confident they can please in prices.

WOOL, and all kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange, at the highest market price. Oct 5, 1850. y

A FEW handsome Glass and China Toilet Bottles, suitable for presents.

Raisins, in whole, half, and quarter boxes.—Prunes, in fancy boxes; Figs, Citron, Oranges, Lemons, Grapes, Currants, Cocoa-nuts and fresh Candies.

Cologne,

Florida and Lavender Water,

Plain and Fancy Extracts. Jenny Lind, Jockey Club, Patchouly, Jasmin, Verbena, Boquet de Caroline, Heliotrope, &c., For sale by DAWSON & BRO.

NEW BOOT & SHOE STORE.



The subscriber, having located himself in Easton for the purpose of carrying on the BOOT and SHOE business, has taken the shop adjoining Charles Robinson's store, formerly occupied by Thomas Beaston, where he may be found at all times.

He is now prepared to do all work in his line at the shortest notice and in the best style, at the following low prices.

Fine double soaled Boots,	$5.50
Cork soaled sewed "	7.00
Do do pegged " warranted not to leak,	6.00
Fine Calf and Morocco Boots,	5.00
Footing do	3.50
Gentlemen's patent glazed Boots,	7.50
Footing do	5.00
Gentlemen's Gaiters,	from $4 to 5.00
Patent glazed French ties,	5.00
Fine Calf Nullifiers, and French ties.	2.25
Gentlemen's coarse-fine Boots	$4 to 4.50
Ladies' Morocco Shoes,	1.25
Ladies' Gaiters,	1.50

Boy's and Children's work at reasonable rates.

All kinds of work both of Baltimore and Eastern make, constantly on hand. The public are respectfully invited to give him a call and examine his work.

WM. LUTTMANN.

N. B.—Repairing done in the neatest manner, and at short notice.

May 12, 1850. y

EXTRA NEWS!

JUST OPENED AT

GOLDSBOROUGH & DAWSON'S,

AN excellent, handsome and well selected assortment of Dry Goods suitable for the Fall and Winter trade; among which will be found a fine stock of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

consisting of Changeable Glace Silks, black Gro de Rhine and Lustring all widths; high and plain col'd Merino and Lyonese Cloth, rich Printed and Plain Mouslin de Laines, Embroidered Cashmeres, Plaid Ginghams of the real Manchester and American fabric; English Prints; also some very rich and desirable Tabby Velvets for Children (a scarce article.)

SHAWLS,

A good lot, both Long and square, Bay state and Thibit.

FLANNELS,

A large stock of Roger's or Welch, Saxony, Gauze and American manufacture.

HOSIERY, &c.

Heavy black silk, spun silk, Cashmere and Moravian; Cotton, white and black; Children's Worsted and Merino do; Infant's socks and Worsted Coats or sacks; white, gray and high col'd mixed Yarn; Ladies' and Gentlemen's Merino Shirts and Vests, medium and fine quality, &c.

Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinetts, Tweeds, and Vestings.

A large lot of *BLANKETS*, all grades; fig'd and Green *BAIZES*, &c.

GROCERIES,

HARDWaRE, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE, all of which have been carefully selected and purchased on the very best terms. They respectfully invite their friends and the public generally who have been so liberal in their encouragement, to call and examine their stock before purchasing, as they presume to think they cannot fail to please in regard to both quality and price.

☞ All orders attended to promptly and with dispatch. Oct 19

NEW GOODS.

THe subscriber has opened at his store a fresh supply of Goods suitable to the season. His stock consists of

DRY GOODS,

Groceries, Hardware, Medicines, Drugs, Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs,

Fancy Articles, Confectionery,

PERFUMERY, &c. &c.,

which he is disposed to sell on reasonable terms.

His *Medical Department* embraces almost every article kept in an apothecary store, and as they were selected with strict regard to their *medical virtues*, they are *warranted* to be of *good quality and genuine.*

☞ The public will do well to bear in mind that he is the only merchant in the town who *understands compounding prescriptions;* and having had an experience of about eight years in this business, he feels confident that persons favoring him with their custom, need not fear mistakes.

His friends and the public will please give him a call and examine his stock.

W. JONES.

St. Michaels, Oct 12, 1850. y

Insurance against Fire!

The Mutual Insurance Company of Talbot County are now effecting insurance against loss by fire upon every description of property at low rates, and on terms highly advantageous to the parties insured.—Policies will be issued upon property in any county of the Eastern Shore.

The company is composed exclusively of those who insure their property in it, and is intended to have the same effect as if an agreement had been entered into by the same individuals, that whenever any one of them may lose his house by fire, the others shall unite in raising such a portion of the sum required to rebuild it as they have previously agreed to pay.

Applications for insurance or for information in relation thereto, will be punctually attended to if addressed to the Secretary, post paid.

The following gentlemen compose the present Board:

WILLIAM B. WILLIS, President.

Directors.

Wm. N. Mullikin,	Benj. M. Bowdle,
J. Bozman Kerr,	Charles Robinson,
Thos. R. Hollyday,	M. O. Colston,
Samuel Mackey,	Wm. W. Lowe,
Thomas Auld,	Wm. H. Shepard,
John W. Cheezum,	John Harper.

Agents.

PETER STEVENS, THOMAS HOPKINS, JR.
JAMES M. SETH.
H. E. BATEMAN, *Secretary.*

Easton, May 22, 1850. tf

Easton Dressing Saloon,

For Gentlemen; One Door South of the Bank.

PHILEMON FLOYD, Fashionable Barber, respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he still carries on the barbering business, and is prepared to give his customers a good shave, and to do champooning and hair dressing in the most fashionable style. He has been at very considerable expense to fit up his new shop in a style not equalled by any other on the Eastern Shore, with every convenience for the comfort of those who may favor him with their custom; and he hopes by attention to business, to continue to merit and enjoy a very large share of patronage.

N. B. Gentlemen can have their boots blacked by my boy at any time, for a fip; and persons wishing the latest news, can always find the last number of the Baltimore Sun, at the Easton Dressing Saloon. Jan. 13, 1849

HOPKINS' ANTALGIC LINIMENT,

FOR THE CURE OF

RHEUMATISM, LUMBAGO, SCIATICA, NEURALGIA, FACE-ACHE, TOOTH-ACHE, HEAD-ACHE, SORE THROAT, BRUISES, SPRAINS, &c.

Prepared only by

S. B. HOPKINS & Co.,

EASTON, Md.

THE most painful and distressing maladies known to humanity may be embraced under the general term *Neuralgia*. Algic affections of the nerves are as common as they are intolerable, attacking all classes and ages in every possible variety and form.

Tooth-Ache (bad as it is,) presents but a modification of that class of disorders whose most fearful developments may be traced in the insufferable agonies of *Tic Douloureux.*—Rheumatism, too, while it keeps on the rack the tortured sensibilities of so many sufferers, disqualifies a large portion of those means of locomotion so necessary to their maintenance and comfort. Crippled and care worn the victims of this universal malady appeal strongly to us for our sympathy and aid.

To assauge pain, and thus contribute to the duration and happiness of human life, is certainly an object worthy the exertions of the benevolent and philanthropic, and every contribution to so important and praiseworthy an object should be hailed by all as a blessing.

The design of HOPKINS' LINIMENT is to relieve the affections referred to, as well as all others of a kindred character; and it may be permitted us to add, that we promise nothing we are not competent to perform. It is no part of the proprietor's place to indulge the terms of fulsome laudation with which so many of the popular medicines of the day have been trumpeted before the public. They desire only a candid and impartial test of the virtues of the Liniment, convinced that the results will amply vindicate its claims to public confidence.—In all Neuralgic and Rheumatic affections, such as *Facial Neuralgia, Tic Doulourcux, Lumbago, Sciatica*, as well as an external application in *Sore Throat, Tooth-Ache, &c. &c.* this Liniment will prove indeed an invaluable boon to the afflicted.

In the vicinity of the Proprietors' own residence it enjoys the most exalted reputation, as might be demonstrated by certificates of the most judicious and reputable persons. The certificates appended will recommend themselves by the clearness and directness of their statements, and the intelligent and highly reputable source from whence they emanate.

Certificates.

Mr. S. B. Hopkins, Dear Sir:—I feel great satisfaction in certifying to the good effect your Liniment has produced in the several cases, (four in number) that have come under my supervision. My wife, who has suffered most acutely for years past from that appalling, and in her case hitherto incurable disease, *Neuralgia*, has found decided relief from the simple application of the Liniment to the part affected. The application was made upon the approach of an attack, and no discoloration or other unpleasant effects are left on the skin.

Yours very truly,

JAS. N. GOLDSBOROUGH.

Woodstock, near Easton, April 25th, 1850.

This is to certify that I have used Hopkins' Liniment in my family with the most satisfactory success. My sister, Mrs. Harrison, was afflicted with a pain in the neck and shoulder so severely that she could not turn her head without great suffering, but one bottle of the Liniment effected a complete cure. One of my servants was also afflicted with Rheumatism, and was cured effectually by using the Liniment. I give this certificate with great pleasure. THOS. ATKINSON.

Near Trappe, Talbot Co., Sept 20, 1850.

TOBACCO STICK, Dorchester Co., Md., May 28th, 1850.

Dear Sir:—This is to certify that my wife suffered severely for a long time with a violent pain in her left jaw, so intense that she was unable to chew upon it for five or six weeks. I procured a bottle of your Liniment and before she had used one-half she was entirely cured.

REUBEN TALL.

Dear Sir:—I received a bottle of your Liniment from my son and its effects were beyond my most sanguine expectations. I was troubled with the Rheumatism for about a year in both arms, so that I could scarcely dress myself or raise my hand to my head. It seemed to be in the bone, and by the time I had used the bottle all the soreness was removed and I can use my arms as well as ever. Considering my age, 75 years next month, the effect was truly wonderful. Yours respectfully,

MARTHA MERVIN.

Manayunk, Pa., Aug. 28th, 1850.

COLLEGE GREEN, Cecil Co., Md.

Mr. Hopkins, Dear Sir:—My mother, an elderly lady, sprained her knee joint badly, which caused her the most excruciating pain—the joint was also much swollen. The only remedy at hand was the bottle of Liniment you presented me with, was immediately applied and entirely relieved the pain and had great effect in reducing the swelling.

We have no doubt of the good effect of your Liniment in this case, and if you see proper to make this statement public, you can do so with pleasure. With much respect, your ob't serv't,

FLETCHER WHITE.

EASTON, 12th January, 1850.

I hereby certify that after a trial of the medicine manufactured by Mr. Samuel B. Hopkins, for Rheumatism, having purchased one bottle of him and tried it, I consider it the best remedy I have seen for that complaint.

JAMES PARROTT.

From Rev. T. L. McLean.

HOPKINS' LINIMENT has been quite remedial in a case of Face ache in my family.

T. L. McLEAN.

Easton, March 16, 1850.

MR. S. B. HOPKINS—*Dear Sir*: I made use of the Liniment obtained from you, and its effects were beyond my most sanguine expectations. For years I have been a martyr to the Head ache—a large proportion of my time being passed in excrutiating pain. The first application of your remedy, greatly to my surprise and gratification relieved me immediately. My wife also has tried it and with the same success. Should it operate in other cases as it has in mine, no doubt it will be one of the most popular medicines ever offered to the public.

Your's Respectfully,

Jan. 10, 1850, S. HARRINGTON.

The Liniment is put up in 4 oz. bottles,—Price 50 cents.

Agents in Talbot County,

Dawson & Bro., and Walter H. Thompson, Easton; Oliver Harrison, St. Michaels; Clark & Jenkins, Trappe; John R. Hopkins, Wye Mills; Clement S. Clark, Kingston.

Nov. 16, 1850. t no 9

MARRIAGE:

WHY SO OFTEN UNHAPPY

THE CAUSES AND THE REMEDY!

MANY and many a wife endures years of bodily suffering and of mental anguish, prostrate and helpless, embittering her life, that of her husband, and hazarding the future welfare of her children, arising from causes which, *if known*, would have spared the suffering, the anguish to the wife, and to the husband embarrassments and pecuniary difficulties having their origin in the mind being weighed down and harassed in consequence of the sickness of the companion of his bosom.

How important that the causes should be known to every wife, to every husband, that the dreadful and harrowing consequences to the health and happiness of both may be avoided! Life is too short and health too precious to admit any portion of the one to be spent without the full enjoyment of the other. The timely possession of a little work entitled as follows has been the means of saving the health and the life of thousands, as over

TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND

copies have been sold since the first edition was issued.

The author has been induced to advertise it by the urgent and pressing request of those who have been indebted to its publication for all they hold dear (that all may have an opportunity of obtaining it), and who have favored him with thousands of letters of encomium, some of which are annexed to the advertisement.

THE MARRIED WOMAN'S Private Medical Companion.

BY DR. A. M. MAURICEAU,

PROFESSOR OF DISEASES OF WOMEN.

Twentieth Edition. 18mo., *pp.* 250. *Price*, $1.00.

THIS WORK IS INTENDED ESPECIALLY FOR THE *MARRIED*, or those contemplating marriage, as it discloses important secrets which should be known to them particularly.

Here, every female—the wife, the mother—the one either budding into womanhood, or the one in the decline of years, in whom nature contemplates an important change—can discover the causes, symptoms, and the most efficient remedies and most certain mode of cure, in every complaint to which her sex is subject.

The revelations contained in its pages have proved a blessing to thousands, as the innumerable letters received by the author (which he is permitted by the writers to publish) will attest.

SICKLY AND UNHAPPY WIVES.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in Dayton, O.

"DAYTON, May 1, 1847.

"DR A. M. MAURICEAU—*My Dear Sir:* 'The Married Woman's Private Medical Companion,' for which I enclosed one dollar to your address, came safely to hand. I would not have troubled you with these few lines, but that I am impelled by a sense of gratitude, for myself and wife, to give utterance to our sincere and heartfelt emotions.

"My wife has been perceptibly sinking for some three years or more, in consequence of her great anguish and suffering some months before and during confinement; every successive one more and more debilitated and prostrated her, putting her life in imminent danger, and which was, on the last occasion, despaired of. I supposed that this state of things was inevitable, and resigned myself to meet the worst. At this time (now about two months) I heard your book highly spoken of, as containing some matters reaching my case. On its receipt and perusal, I can not express to you the relief it afforded my distressed mind and the joy its pages imparted to my wife, on learning that the great discovery of M. M. Desomeaux provided a remedy. It opened a prospect to me which I little conceived was possible. No pecuniary consideration can ever repay the obligations am under to you for having been the means of imparting to us the matters contained in 'The Married Woman's Private Medical Companion.' But for this, ere another year would have passed over my head, is all human probability my wife would have been in her grave, and my children left motherless."

Extract from a Letter.

Competence and Health.

"LANCASTER, PA., Oct 24, 1847.

"MY DEAR SIR: I know you will have the kindness to bear with me in encroaching upon your time, while I acknowledge (in behalf of myself and wife) the obligations we feel ourselves under to you in having made known certain matters, contained in your most invaluable 'Married Woman's Private Medical Companion.' It has been worth its weight in gold to me. If I express myself rather warmly, you will see that I can not do so too warmly, when I inform you of the extent to which I have, through it, been benefited. I will state my situation when I obtained your book through the merest curiosity. I look upon it as one of the most fortunate events of my life. I had been married some ten years, and was the father of seven children. I was long struggling unceasingly to the end that I might gain a moderate competency, but the results of my utmost exertions at the end left me about where I was at the beginning of each year; and that only, with the most stinted economy, sufficing with barely the necessaries of life. Finally, this constant effort was beginning to have its effect upon my health: I felt less capable to endure its continuance, while I felt the necessity of perseverance.

"This constant, unceasing struggle on my part was imperative, in consequence of the prostrated condition of my wife (with occasional intermission) for six years, much of the time confined to her bed, and of course incapable of taking the charge and management of household affairs. Her condition arose from causes of which I was ignorant. Oh! what would I have given had I the six years to live over again! What would my wife have given to have been spared the long days and still longer nights prostrate on a bed of sickness!—all of which would have been avoided, had I then seen a copy of 'THE MARRIED WOMAN'S PRIVATE MEDICAL COMPANION.'"

From a Physician.

DANGEROUS DELIVERIES,

OBSTRUCTIONS, IRREGULARITIES, &C.

How many are suffering from obstruction or irregularities peculiar to the female system, which undermine their health, the effects of which they are ignorant, and for which their delicacy forbids seeking medical advice! How many suffer from *prolapsus uteri* (falling of the womb), or from *fluor-albus* (weakness, debility, &c., &c.)! How many are in constant agony for many months preceding confinement! How many have difficult if not dangerous deliveries, and whose lives are jeopardied during such time, will find in its pages the means of prevention, amelioration, and relief!

Extract from a Letter.

To those just Married.—"Had I known!"

"PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29, 1847.

"DR. A. M. MAURICEAU: Had I known of the important matters treated of in 'The Married Woman's Private Medical Companion' some years ago, how much misery I might have escaped! I have suffered years from causes which you point out in your book, without knowing what to do. I obtained a copy, and found my case treated of. I trust every female will avail herself of the information contained in its pages."

Letters are daily received of this character, unnecessary to present.

To those yet unmarried, but contemplating marriage, or perhaps hesitating as to the propriety of incurring the responsibilities attendant upon it, the importance of being possessed of the revelations contained in these pages, so intimately involving their future happiness, can not be appreciated.

It is, of course, impracticable to convey more fully the various subjects treated of, as they are of a nature strictly intended for the married, or those contemplating marriage; neither is it necessary, since it is every one's duty to become possessed of knowledge whereby the sufferings to which a wife, a mother, or a sister, may be subject, can be obviated.

☞ **Copies will be sent by Mail free of Postage to the Purchaser.**

☞ On the receipt of One Dollar, "THE MARRIED WOMAN'S PRIVATE MEDICAL COMPANION" is sent *(mailed free)* to any part of the United States. All letters must be post-paid (except those containing a remittance), and addressed to Dr. A. M. MAURICEAU, Box 1224, New York City. Publishing Office, No. 129 Liberty st., New York.

Over 20,000 Copies have been sent by MAIL within three months with perfect safety and certainty.

Booksellers and agents engaged in its sale are making handsome competencies from the ready and extraordinary demand for it, and the extremely liberal terms afforded them.

Active local or travelling Agents, throughout the United States and Canada, will be supplied on the same terms. Communications are required to be *post-paid* and addressed as above.

☞ CAUTION.—The public are cautioned against various catch-pennies intended to be palmed off upon them, imitating the title of the work as "The Married *Ladies'* Medical Companion," and various other titles. The title of the work is "*The Married WOMAN'S Private Medical Companion,*" *by Dr. A. M. Mauriceau.* August 24, 1850. 6m.

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March 30, 1850. 1y

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Premium Wrought Iron Rail-WAY HORSE POWER.

AT the great Agricultural State Fair, held at Baltimore, October, 1849, there was the largest exhibition of Horse powers and Threshing Machines, ever exhibited in this State, or at any other State Fair in this country, and all thoroughly examined and tested by a large and competent committee, who awarded the *first premium* to the above power, as the *best* on the ground. More than *five thousand* of these powers are now in use by many of the best Farmers in the Country, and they consider them to be *double* in power to any of the best Sweep Powers, more durable and much easier for the horses. CASH PRICE, $100.

E. WHITMAN, Jr.,

Corner of Light & Pratt Street, Balt.

☞ As evidence that we do not over rate the capacity of this Power, and for the satisfaction of farmers in want of a good machine, we insert the following letter, just received from one of the most intelligent and respectable farmers in Virginia—and we are in daily receipt of letters of the same import from Maine to Texas.

Miller's Tavern, Essex Co., Va., May 20, '50.

Mr. E. WHITMAN, Jr.,—

Dear Sir:—I have for some time intended giving a full description of operation and success of the 2 horse wrought iron RAIL-WAY POWER and THRESHING MACHINE, I purchased of you last May. I will give you a few instances of my threshing.—I carried the whole machine between 8 and 10 miles with an ox cart, & set it three times on different farms, and threshed from 115 to 120 bushels of wheat in one day, & each time took the machine out of the cart; made the tables; geared the horses; and commenced threshing in ten minutes. Rev. Peter Ainsley, Col. Rich'd J. Muse and Musco Garnett, Esq., were witnesses to the above.—In another instance I commenced threshing at Mr. W. R. G. Tribble's, at 8 o'clock in the morning, and threshed 92 bushels of wheat by 12 o'clock—then moved about a mile after 2 o'clock in the afternoon of same day, and threshed 47 bushels of wheat before sun down. Mr. L. D. Brooks, Mr. Beverly Brooks and others, can vouch for the truth of this statement. I frequently threshed 100 bushels of wheat from breakfast to dinner time—and during the season, I threshed 38 different crops, making in all 5,450 bushels of wheat, and the wear of the machine is scarcely apparent—and I consider the labor to the horse no more than ploughing in light land. I candidly believe, your wrought-iron Railway Horse-power and thresher, surpasses any I have seen, and I find it is now much better since your late improvements have been attached.

You will please have two of your Improved Rail-way Horse-power and threshers put up and sent to me by first conveyance they are for two of my neighbors—have them landed at Piscataway Bridge. I think I shall order one or two more of them between now and harvest

Very respectfully, yours,

W. G. COVINGTON.

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WE also have the EDDY POWER, which is one of the most simple and durable Sweep Powers now in use. It consists of one wheel only, and the horses work inside of the wheel. It can be transported easily from place to place, in a common farm wagon, and may be set up in twenty minutes and taken down in half that time. It is simple in construction, not liable to get out of order, and may be easily repaired, the gearing being made entirely of wrought iron. It may work in the open field though it is better to have it under cover, when stationary, especially during stormy or very hot whether. For efficiency, durabilty and simplicity, this, for a sweep power, is preferred by many to all others. Price of the largest size, with our late improvements, $100.

E. WHITMAN, Jr.,

SWEEP POWERS.

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OUR Iron Thresher, which received the first Premium in Baltimore, last Fall, is well adapted to either of the above powers.—Price of the two sizes, $45 and $50. If Straw Carriers are attached, they are $15 extra.

E. WHITMAN, Jr.

55 Light street, Baltimore Md.

June 8, 1850. 1y

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ROBERT P. GIBSON, of Cambridge,

WILL make periodical visits to Easton, of which due notice will be given. In offering his services to the citizens of Talbot Co., he would respectfully inform them that he is residing, and will continue permanently, in Cambridge, and that he will visit Easton at regular intervals.

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Nov. 16, 1850. tf

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