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Important to Housekeepers! No Family ought to be Without MEYER'S MIRACULOUS Vermin Destroyer.

It has destroyed every description of Vermin infesting premises where it has been used, and proved to the entire satisfaction of purchasers that it is the one thing needed to promote thorough cleanliness.

READ THIS! One of the U. S. Naval Inspectors of Provisions and Clothing. NAVY YARD, N. Y., July 26, 1858.

Inspector of Provisions and Clothing. Sole Agents, A. B. SANDS & CO., Wholesale Druggists, 141 William Street, corner of Fulton, New York.

CLOVE ANYDINE Tooth-ache Drops. Complain no more of Aching Teeth!

THESE Drops have been extensively used by thousands whose experience has proved that the Anydine will give immediate and permanent relief after the failure of every other remedy.

Sands' Sarsaparilla, For Purifying the Blood, AND FOR THE CURE OF Scrofula, Mercurial Diseases, Rheumatism, Cutaneous Eruptions, Stomach ulcers, Liver complaint, Dyspepsia, Bronchitis, Salt Rheum, Lumbago, White Swellings, Hip Disease, Enlargement of the Bones and Joints, Fever Sores, Female Complaints, Erysipelas, Loss of Appetite, Pimples, Blisters, General Debility, &c., &c.

It has long been a most important desideratum in the practice of medicine, to obtain a remedy similar to it, and accordingly we find it resorted to almost universally in all those tormenting diseases of the skin so trying to the patience, and injurious to the health.

REMARKABLE CURE. LINN COUNTY, Oregon Ter., March 11, 1853. MRS. A. B. & D. SANDS, New York: Gentlemen,

Went to the spring of 1853, while on our way from Indiana to this place, our little boy was seized with a swelling and severe pain in the legs which by day grew worse, until his legs contracted, and became so painful that he could not walk, and we had to carry him about like an infant.

Prepared and sold by A. B. & D. SANDS, Wholesale Druggists, 100 Fulton Street, corner of William, New York.

Valuable Property For Sale. THE CHAMPOEG FLOUR MILL.

THIS MILL, situated about three fourths of a mile from Champoeg in the midst of the great flour-growing country in Oregon, is offered for sale.

For the Argus To the Old Year. Some may regret that thou art gone, But no, indeed, not I; I'm truly glad—and, more than that, You'll hear the reasons why.

No Resistance Yet.—The N. Y. Times remarks that one point cannot have escaped attention in the action of the seceding States.

DOMESTIC SCENE.—Nancy, my dear, did John black them boots? 'How should I know? I hain't got nothing to do with your boots—this is washing day!

THE CROPS.—The S. F. Times' estimate of the wheat crop of California for 1860, is 250,000 acres; average yield per acre, 30 bushels; total yield, 7,500,000 bushels.

OUR COMMERCE.—Commercially our advices from Europe are exceedingly favorable. A strong and active market for cotton, the English manufacturers doing a good business, and consequently coming less in competition with our own, with advancing prices for flour, wheat and corn, all give promise of a high degree of prosperity for the agriculture, commerce and manufactures of the United States.

No SECESSION.—In a recent speech at Huntsville, Alabama, ex-Senator Clemens, now of Tennessee, scouted the idea of secession, exposing its utter impracticability, and added: "The dream of a Southern Confederacy is the wildest vision that ever troubled the brain of a moonstruck enthusiast—a dream interrupted by bloody conflicts with your neighbors, and a vile dependence on foreign powers."

THE MODUS OPERANDI OF THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.—A contemporary thus briefly explains the proceedings involved in the election of a President and Vice-President of the United States, to-wit:

A CURIOUS DISCOVERY.—Dr. Beck, of Dantzig, has been making a curious discovery—he has found the antidote or rather the counter-poison for alcohol.

CHINESE SCHOLARS.—According to the Times there are several Chinamen in Columbia who read and speak English and Spanish fluently, while it has often been remarked that they all, without an exception, are able to read and write their own language.

COMMERICAL PROSPERITY.—A New York correspondent supplies the following statistics:—Imports of dry goods and merchandise for the year: thus far amount to \$198,000,000, while in 1859 for the same period they amounted to \$202,300,000; and the exports, since Jan. 1st, were \$78,000,000, while in 1859 they were 55,000,000.

JOURNALISM AS A PROFESSION.—The experience of all newspaper offices is alike in this—that a college-bred editor-apprentice is the hardest to break into his business of any man who ever tries it.

BURNED TO DEATH ON THE PRAIRIE.—The Iowa Advocate of the 1st Nov. brings the melancholy news of a calamity which befel the family of David Swearingen recently from Tuscarawas county, Ohio, while on his way to his farm near Fort Dodge.

THE PRESIDENT ELECT EXPELLED FROM HIS HOME.—Mr. Lincoln may with perfect propriety reiterate the old adage, "Save me from my friends." Ever since his election Springfield has been a sort of political Mecca, and so great has been the rush that at times the place has proved nearly insufficient for the accommodation of visitors bent upon shaking hands with "Uncle Abe."

HOW TO COOK A HUSBAND.—One of our lady readers sends us the following valuable recipe: "The time has arrived in the year, for the preparation of many good things, and I have no doubt but that the following will prove to be one of the most valuable in the catalogue of recipes.

THE REAL DESIGN OF EDUCATION is to give children resources that will endure as long as life endures; habits that time will ameliorate, not destroy; occupation that will render sickness tolerable, solitude pleasant, age venerable, life more dignified and useful, and death less terrible.

THE FORESTS OF THE Cordilleras, Central America, are said to abound in India rubber, though up to the present time none has been exported.

IF the league of friendship is once broken, the cabinet of secrets is unlocked, and they fly wildly about like screeched birds.

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A Washington letter writer says: "Douglas, whose Chicago speculations are supposed to have made him enormously wealthy, is embarrassed beyond redemption."

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