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EXTRAORDINARY CURE OF ASTHMA ! !
OF AN OLD LADY SEVENTY FIVE YEARS OF AGE.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Thomas Weston, (Book Store,) Toronto, dated the 9th October, 1854.

To Professor Holloway,

Sir,—Gratitude compels me to make known to you the extraordinary benefit an aged parent has derived from the use of your Pills. My mother was afflicted for upwards of four and twenty years with asthma and spitting of blood; it was quite agony to see her suffer and hear her cough; I have often declared, that I would give all I possessed to have her cured; but although I paid a large sum for medicine and advice, it was all to no purpose. About three months ago, I thought perhaps your Pills might benefit her; at all events I resolved to give them a trial, which I did; the result was marvellous: by slow degrees, my mother became better, and after persevering with your remedies for nine weeks, she was perfectly cured, and now enjoys the best of health, although seventy-five years old. I remain, Sir,

Your obliged,
(Signed) THOMAS WESTON.

REMARKABLE CURE OF DROPSY.
AFTER BEING TAPPED THREE TIMES.

Copy of a Letter form Anthony Smith, Esq Halifax, Nova Scotia, dated the 25th August, 185

To Professor Holloway,

Sir,—I desire to add my testimony to the value of your Pills, in cases of dropsy. For nine months I suffered the greatest torture with this distressing complaint; was tapped three times, and finally given up by the doctors; having become in appearance as a skeleton, and with no more strength in me than a child just born. It was then, that I thought of trying your Pills, and immediately sent for a quantity, and commenced using them. The result I can scarcely credit even now, although true it is. After using them for four weeks, I felt much better, and by persevering with them, at the expiration of two months, I was completely cured. I have since enjoyed the best of health. I am, Sir,

Yours sincerely
(Signed) ANTHONY SMITH.

ASTONISHING CURE OF GENERAL DEBILIEY
AND LIVER COMPLAINT ! !

Copy of a Letter from William Reeves, of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, dated 17th Nov. 1854.

To Professor Holloway,

Sir,—I am happy to say, that your Pills have restored me to health after suffering for nine years from the most intense general debility and langour, my liver and bowels were also much deranged for the whole of that time. I tried many medicines, but they were of no good to me, until I had recourse to your Pills, by taking which, and following the printed directions for seven weeks I was cured, after every other means failed to the astonishment of my neighbours, acquaintances, and friends. I shall ever feel grateful to you for this astonishing restoration to health, and will recommend your Pills to all sufferers, feeling it my duty to do so.

I remain, Sir, your humble servant,
(Signed) WILLIAM REEVES.

These celebrated Pills are wonderfully efficacious in the following complaints.

Ague	Dropsy	Inflammation
Asthma	Dysentery	Jaundice
Bilious Complaints	Erysipelas	Liver Complaints
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Cholics	Fevers of all kinds	Rheumatism
Constipation of the Bowels	Gout	Retention of Urine
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Debility	Indigestion	Sore Throats
Secondary Symptoms	Stone and Gravel	Tumours
Ulcers	Tic Doloureux	Venereal Affections
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July 2. J. P. BEETE.

NEW ARRANGENENT.

THE ROSEBUD,

Captain Matheson,

WILL until further notice leave CHARLOTTETOWN for PICTOU on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 10 o'clock, a. m., and will leave PICTOU for CHARLOTTETOWN on WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS at 9 a. m., wind and weather permitting.

For freight or passage apply to the Captain on board, or in Charlottetown to the Owner,

WILLIAM HEARD.

Charlottetown Horticultural Society.

THE *AUTUMN EXHIBITION* of Fruits, Vegetables and Flowers, of this Society, will be held on *Wednesday* the 10 October, next at the Temperance Hall.

LIST OF PRIZES.

FRUITS.

Best bunch of Grapes, white	£0	5	0
Best do red	0	5	0
Best 6 Pears	0	7	6
2d do	0	5	0
Best doz. Autumn eating Apples	0	7	6
2d do	0	4	0
do winter keeping do	0	7	6
2d do do	0	4	6
do raised from seed	0	7	6
2d do do	0	4	6
Best 12 Green Gages	0	7	6
2 do do	0	4	6
Best 12 Magnum Bonum Plums,	0	4	6
2d do	0	3	0
Best sort of Plums not less than 12	0	6	0
2d do	0	4	6
Best quart of Damsons	0	2	3
Best Musk Melon	0	4	6
2d do	0	3	0
Best Water Melon	0	4	6
2d do	0	3	0

VEGETABLES.

Best Cauliflower	0	4	6
2d do	0	3	0
Best Broccoli	0	4	6
2d do	0	3	0
Best 3 Savoy Cabbages	0	3	0
Best 3 Early York	0	3	0
Best 3 Drum Head	0	3	0
Best 12 Carrots for table	0	3	0
Best 12 blood-red Beet	0	3	0
Best 12 Parsnips	0	3	0
Best 12 Onions, Globe	0	3	0
Best 12 do Potato	0	3	0
Best 12 garden Turnips	0	3	0
Best 12 Tomatoes	0	3	0
Best 12 Capsicums	0	3	0
Best 12 heads ripe Indian corn	0	3	0
Best 2 dozen Eschalots	0	3	0
Best 6 heads Garlic	0	3	0
Best 6 heads Celery	0	6	0
2 do	0	4	0
Best Pint Nasturtium	0	3	0
Best Pumpkin	0	3	0
Best Squash	0	3	0
Best lot of Sweet herbs	0	3	0

FLOWERS.

Best bouquet of Garden Flowers	0	6	3
2 do do	0	4	6
Finest House-plant in pot	0	6	3
2d best do do	0	3	9
Rarest House-plant in pot	0	6	3
2d best do do	0	3	9
Best Show of Dahlias, not less than 3	0	4	6
2d do do do	0	3	0
Best Show of Pansies	0	4	6
2d do do	0	3	0
Best Balsam	0	4	6
2d do	0	3	0
Best Cockscomb	0	4	6
2d do	0	3	0
Best Double Stock	0	4	6
2d do	0	3	0
Best Single Stock	0	3	0
2d do do	0	2	3
Best Wallflower	0	3	0
2d do	0	2	3
Best monthly Rose in pot, of each variety,	0	3	0
Best Flowering Plant from the garden	0	4	0
2d do do	0	3	0
Best Double Hollyhock	0	3	0
2d do	0	1	6

Best of any other Fruit, Vegetable or Flower not enumerated may be recommended by the Judges.

House Plants that have taken prizes at former Exhibitions, not to be allowed to compete.

Prizes to be paid at the time of declaring them.

Articles for competition to be sent in before 12 clock.

Doors to be opened at 2 p. m.

Persons bringing articles for competition are requested to leave them in the ante-room, where they will be taken care of, and removed into the Hall, under the direction of the Committee. It has become necessary to have recourse to this arrangement, in order to avoid confusion.

Tickets to be had at the door.

Tickets of admission to non-subscribers 9d. Subscribers for the current year, to be admitted by their Tickets as received for last show; if any of said Tickets have been given up, the holders to be entitled to receive another in lieu, from the Secretary.

JOHN M. DALGLEISH, Sec'y.

Sept. 10th 1855. all papers

MISCELLANEOUS.

MANNERS.—I make it a point of morality never to find fault with another for his manners; they may be awkward or graceful, blunt or polite, polished or rustic, I care not what they are, if the man means well and acts from honest intentions, without eccentricity or affectation. All men have not the advantage of "good society," as it is called, to school themselves in all its fantastic rules and ceremonies, and if there is any standard of manners, it is only founded in reason and good sense, and not upon the artificial regulations. Manners, like conversation, should be extemporaneous, and not studied. I always suspect a man, who meets me with the same perpetual smile upon his face, the same congeeing of the body, and the same premeditated shake of the hand. Give me the (it may be rough) gripe of the hand, the careless nod of recognition, and when occasion requires, the homely welcome salutation, "how are you, my old friend?"

The Sultan's favorite dwarf, a little man about forty years old, and three feet high, a few years ago, took a notion to marry, and applied to the Sultan for a wife. The latter gave him permission to go into his harem and take the one *whom he could kiss*. The dwarf, like all other short men, was ambitious to have a long wife. While the Sultan's five hundred women, who knew the terms on which the dwarf was permitted to choose were laughing at the mannikin, he went up to one of the tallest and handsomest of them, and struck her a sudden blow on the stomach. She collapsed with the pain, and before she could recover, he caught her by the neck and gave her the dreaded kiss. The Sultan kept his word, and the tall beauty is now the mother of the dwarf's children.

CAT AND DOG LIFE.—James Ferguson and his wife led a cat and dog life, and she is not alluded to once in the philosopher's autobiography. In 1750, while he was one evening delivering to a London audience a Lecture on Astronony, h s wife entered the room in a passion, and maliciously overturned several pieces of the apparatus; when all the notice Ferguson took of the catastrophe was the observation to his audience: "Ladies and gentlemen, I have the misfortune to be married to this woman."

An anecdote has been told by Croker as one of the happiest things he ever heard. Fenelon, who had often teased Richelieu (and ineffectually it would seem) for subscriptions to charitable undertakings, was one day telling him that he had just seen his picture. "And did you ask it for a subscription?" said Richelieu sneeringly. "No, I saw there was no chance," replied the other, "it was so like you."

Somebody says, a wife should be like roasted lamb—tender and nicely dressed. Somebody else adds, "and without *sauce*."

"Keep your dog away from me," said a dandy to a butcher boy. "Darn the dog," said the boy, "he always will be after puppies."

ADVANCE OF THE SIEGE WORKS.—No firing of the Russians, be it good or bad, slight or heavy, is able to impede the progress of the works. The surface of the ground in the neighbourhood of the Malakoff works, and the Redan is presenting every day a more checkered appearance. It is one maze, of trenches, traverses, rifle pits, and batteries—a perfect maze, so that it requires a strongly developed organ of locality, or else many days of trench duties, to find one's way. The railway is perhaps the best test of the gigantic activity which is prevailing: numbers of mortars and large quantities of ammunition come up daily by it and vanish again silently, to be replaced next day by others. It is as if the trenches were an unfathomable abyss, so incredible a mass of mortars, guns, shells, and shot do they seem to swallow up. When they will be satisfied and when the word "enough" will be said, seems as uncertain as Crimean weather. I heard a few days ago from a French officer of artillery, that Pelissier, being asked when offensive operations would be again resumed, said, "Well, I don't know; the Russians are losing every day 300 or 400 men by sickness. If we wait a week they will have lost a brigade; if we wait a month they will have lost a *corps d' armee*." But if the Russians lose many men by sickness, they seem to be careful to replace them again.

THE DIFFERENCE.—At the battle of Waterloo, two French officers were advancing to charge a much superior force. The danger was imminent, and one of them betrayed evident signs of fear. The other observing it, said to him:—"Sir, I believe you are frightened." Yes," returned the other, "I am, and if you were half so much frightened, you would run away." This anecdote exhibits, in a happy light the difference between moral and physical courage.

VILLAGE BURNED.—A conflagration at Breedsville, California, recently destroyed the whole of that flourishing town. The inhabitants were at the last accounts living in canvass tents, preparatory to re-erecting their houses.

STEAM.—At a railway station, an old lady said to a very pompous looking gentleman, who was talking about steam communication, "Pray, sir, what is steam?" "Steam, ma'am, is ah! steam is—eh! ah—steam is —steam!" "I knew that chap couldn't tell ye," said a rough looking fellow standing by, "but steam is a bucket of water in a tremendous perspiration."

THE OLDEN TIME.—Six of the wealthiest and most respectable citizens of Boston, seventy years ago, were bakers. They kneaded, until they had no longer need.

A NEW COURSE.—The ship Harvey Birch has sailed from San Francisco for Liverpool with 2000 tons of breadstuffs.

CENSUS OF NEW YORK CITY.—The census of New York city is at last complete, and shows a total population of 623,626, being an increase of 108,232 in the last five years. During the previous five, the increase was 144,171.

EMIGRATION TO MINNESOTA.—The Western territories of the United States, are being settled with hardy pioneers with a rapidity hardly credible. Among others, Minnesota is fast being covered with intelligent and enterprising citizens. Large numbers, says the *Chicago Daily Press*, are exploring Southern Minnesota, and up the valley of that beautiful river. Most of the country between Lacross and Mankato is very fine, well watered, with timber at convenient distances. The soil of the prairies is excellent, and every thing invites the industrious and enterprising to seek a home in that fertile and healthful region. Land can be had at Government price, of the very best quality The settlers are principally from Northern New York, Ohio, and Canada West. A year ago a pioneer by the name of John Robinson, settled in "High Forest," in Southern Minnesota, and at that time his nearest neighbour was thirty miles distant, in the direction of a town called Lacrosse. There are now seventy-two houses on the same road. Mills and stores also have been erected, and improvement is the order of the day.

ANOTHER ARCTIC EXPEDITION.—The *Montreal Herald* states that the Arctic expedition, fitted out by the Hudson Bay Company, was to have started from Great Slave Lake some time since. The object of this expedition is to visit the locality where, according to the information furnished by Dr. Rae, Sir John Franklin and his unfortunate companions perished, and to ascertain more full particulars, if possible, respecting their sad fate.

DEATH SPRING.—A late California paper mentions the discovery of a spring in El Dorado county in that State, whose waters flow from a bed of arsenic. The mineral deposit is thirty feet thick, and crops out of the surface of the earth. Veins in it abound with gold, and specimens of this auriferous ore have been shown to the editor of the *Placerville American*. The name of "Death Spring" has been given to the stream. The existence of it is supposed to account for the mortality among the gold miners at the early period of the California epidemic.

ANOTHER RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—The New York steamboat train *via* Stonington for Boston, on the 4th, was thrown from the track at Kingston, R. I. by which several of the second-class passengers were seriously injured. The first-class passengers escaped unhurt.