

heart, in the execution of the task which he has undertaken to accomplish.

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Of an individual character are due to very many kind and warm hearted friends, whom we have met with in our wanderings, who have by their cheerful and considerate attentions, greatly lessened the sorrows of protracted absence from the family circle—the circle of our choice, for, after all, “*There is no place like home.*” In saying this we know that we do not offend those who have shown us the *greatest* friendship; for the Husband and Father who is capable of entertaining any other sentiment, is certainly utterly unfit for human society—utterly unworthy of the confidence of any family circle on earth! Nothing but an ardent attachment to our own homes can render us suitable guests in the homes of our friends. To him who fondly loves his own home, his own children and his own altar of prayer, how sweet and refreshing, when absent, to share the sympathies even of the stranger’s home and family altar! What a relief from the painful, comfortlessness of life in a public Inn! But instead of thus moralizing we intended to tender thanks to our numerous and affectionate friends who have so kindly dealt with us—to mention the names of all is impracticable—to omit some, would be ungenerous—let each family, however, believe that while we have been writing this, we have been re-visiting in and around Kingston, Napanee, Sydenham, Wilton, Camden, Wellington, Bloomfield, Demarestville, Consecon, Brighton, Colborne, Cobourg, Port Hope, Newcastle, Bomansville, Oshawa, Brooklyn, Prince Albert, Newmarket and Toronto. To the friends in all these places the cause we advocate is much indebted, and to them we can look with confidence for continued, faithful and hearty co-operation; having laid

hold of the work with promptness and energy of purpose, they, like true reformers, will exceed their promises.

AGENTS FOR THE CANADIAN.

Let every friend be an Agent. Every one who claims liberty against medical monopoly—let all act—let every one act without waiting for any special request. Send us the names of responsible parties as subscribers for the work—and as many as possible—send five such names in your letter and you need not pay the postage—we will gladly pay it, and rejoice in seeing them come in hundreds. Almost every person who will try it, can obtain five in a short time. With the kind assistance of Dr. Patterson of Colborne, we obtained upwards of *thirty* in one day, and with the assistance of Dr. John Ash of Sydenham, we obtained *forty-one* in a similar period. We mention this to encourage our friends to make the attempt, as it will take us so long to visit every locality personally, as to greatly retard the attainment of our emancipation from the influences of medical intolerance.

Richard K. Frost, a Thomsonian practitioner of the city of New-York, has undergone a trial for manslaughter, for poisoning with lobelia; when there are three millions of Thomsonians in the United States, who are willing to testify from experience that lobelia does not possess a particle of poison.—*Boston Post.*

The science of medicine is a barbarous jargon, and the effects of our medicine upon the human system are in the highest degree uncertain, except indeed that they have already destroyed more lives than war, pestilence and famine combined.—*Dr. Good.*

It is better to have recourse to a “quack,” who can cure your disease, although he may not be able to explain it, than to a boasted son of science, who can explain it, but not cure it.—*Rev. C. C. Colton, A. M.*

A spur in the head is worth two in the heel.