

THE PREMIUM PLATE.—A very large number of old subscribers are sending for the "Horse Fair." This picture, as is universally the case with premiums, was intended to stimulate new subscriptions. We have, however, arranged to accommodate present subscribers by giving the picture to all who pay to the end of 1889, and enclose 25 cents for expenses. This will give to all the average footing of new subscribers. But many send the 25 cents and forget the other part of the condition. Be kind enough to read our offer at the foot of the advertisement on page 11.

THE NEW MECCA.

In this age of misrepresentation, when the irrepressible Quack walks abroad through the medium of the printing press, and with an entire disregard of the consequences to humanity, seeks to impose his unskillful services or worthless decoctions upon the public, we take especial pleasure in saying a word in commendation of a reliable and justly-famous Institution of Healing.

We refer to Dr. R. V. Pierce's "World's Dispensary and Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute," the pride of the good City of Buffalo and the "Mecca" of a multitude of Invalids who owe recovery to the skillful treatment and attention there received. Dr. Pierce's establishment comprises two mammoth and artistic structures, connected by an open passage way; One an Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, presided over by a corps of Eighteen Celebrated Physicians and Surgeons, and provided throughout with the most luxurious appointments and conveniences that taste can suggest and money can supply.

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In the Laboratory on the fifth floor, a large number of careful chemists are constantly employed in the preparation of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, Favorite Prescriptions, and other world-famed preparations, which, at all hours of the busy day, goes singing and gurgling through a system of tubing, from its birth-place on the fifth floor to the bottling and labelling department in the vast basement of the building. The intermediate floors are alive with the buzz and whirr of, not alone, fourteen printing presses, throwing off a countless variety of pamphlets, circulars, books, and labels, but of folding, pressing, and pasting machinery, all operated by the deft fingers of cleanly-dressed and intelligent young ladies, all operating together and filling the place with the music of a well-disciplined activity second to none in our country. Dr. Pierce has done and is doing a great work for humanity, and can accept the honors and emoluments of his recognized position with a knowledge that no success was ever more worthily attained.

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or to lead your observation through suit upon suit of cheerful and elegant consulting and treatment-rooms, and to dwell upon the other thousand-and-one attractive and useful features of the establishment, would be a pleasing task, but, at the present moment for us an impossible one. Enough for us to say that the people of the country should be proud of this great success, built up, solely, on the elements of true Americanism, viz., Pluck, Integrity and Ability.

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The attraction at the Toronto Opera this week is Proctor's Comedy Company, in their new version of "Over the Garden Wall," a piece made popular by Mr. Knight, of Baron Rudolph fame. The Boston *Globe* says:—"The piece fairly bubbles over with life and action, and there is not a dull spot to be found in it anywhere."

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