

ITEMS OF INTEREST

A Few Paragraphs Which May Prove Very Readable.

Smelts are so plentiful in Bellingham Bay, Washington, that they come to the margin of the water in schools, and are drawn ashore with garden rakes and scoop-nets.

A ton of the water of the Dead Sea, when evaporated, yields 187 pounds of salt; a ton of the water of the Atlantic Ocean, 81 pounds; a ton of the water of the Pacific, 81 pounds.

A flea entered the ear of Adolphus Doncourt, of Flushing, N.Y., and for an hour Adolphus danced without music. Then a physician was successful in removing the little intruder.

The longest distance to which a projectile has been thrown was at Shoeburyness, England, on April 15, 1888, when a Longridge wire-bound gun threw a shot 21,358 yards, or 12 miles 238 yards.

A colored couple in Americus, Ga., met Justice Graham, on the street and requested him to marry them. He promptly gratified them, standing on the highway, and then resumed his walk.

The cold nose of a spaniel, pressed against the face of a sleeping man in Rockland, Me., awoke him. He arose, followed his dog to the kitchen, and found it flooded with water from a leaking tank.

The Cuban insurgents, not being able to buy the cannon in general use, made them of a tree which has a winding grain, bore them with hot iron, and strengthen them with bandages of oxide.

Perfectly healthy men are scarce. In one month, at an army recruiting station in Chicago, 455 men applied for enlistment, and only twenty-seven of them were accepted, all of the others, being unsound.

Some electricians carry a small compass in their pockets, and before they touch a wire hold the compass near it. If the needle is not deflected, they know there is no current in it, and that it is safe to handle it.

In China hens are kept busy hatching fish. The spawn is placed in eggshells, hermetically sealed, and a hen is induced to sit on them. At the proper time the little fish are removed and put in carefully tended ponds.

During a small-pox scare in Johannesburg, Africa, an enterprising fellow declared that he was a doctor, and with a can of condensed milk and a needle vaccinated about 1,500 people, charging each of them five shillings for his services.

Lightning played queer pranks in the residence of Paul Simonson, at Montague, Mich. It passed down the chimney, rent the stove-pipe, burned holes in a table-cloth, and cut some picture wires. Six persons were in the house, but they were not injured.

A telephone wire in Springfield, Mo., was unintentionally connected with the fire-alarm wires, and when the telephone was tested the fire department was aroused by a long-continued false alarm, which for several minutes kept the firemen on an exasperating hunt.

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The Ontario Department of Agriculture has just received a request from two farmers in Germany to send them small samples of seed wheat. They say that they read reports in German papers of the fine yields made at the Ontario Agricultural College of Dawson's Golden Chaff and Early Genesee Giant. The bulletin published by the college in August on the result of the year's testing of 74 varieties of fall wheat contained photo illustrations of these two wheats growing in the field.


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How They Can Have Bright Eyes, Rosy Cheeks and be Happy.

This world is full of suffering and unhappiness. In every walk in life may be seen young girls, pale, sallow and nerveless, the victims of troubles peculiar to their sex from which they suffer in silence, and with the mistaken notion that there is no help for them. Their lives are made miserable by headaches, dizziness, palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath on the slightest exertion, an indisposition for either work or pleasure, and frequently a feeling that life is but a dreary burden scarcely worth preserving. To all such we say take hope; there is a cure for your trouble and it is with in your power to be bright eyed, rosy cheeked and happy. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People will restore your lost color, correct irregularities and bring back health and happiness. In proof of this assertion read the following testimony from those who have suffered and found renewed health through this marvellous medicine.

Mr. William Stoughton is a well-known and much esteemed farmer living in the vicinity of Barryvale, Renfrew County, Ont. He is one of the many who have reason to bless the day that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were brought into his home, for they saved the life of his daughter. Mr. Stoughton says: "In 1893, my daughter, then a picture of health and strength, went to Ardock, North Dakota. In April of that year she caught a severe cold, which brought her to the verge of the grave. The cold was followed by headache, dizziness and palpitation of the heart, and she became so pale and emaciated that her doctor there said she was going into consumption, and advised her return home. She had been under the doctor's care for some months before this advice was given, and in February, 1894, she returned home. She was so weak as to be almost helpless, and we decided that the best thing to be done was to send her to the Kingston hospital, where she could have better treatment than was possible in our country home. She remained for two months in the hospital, gradually growing weaker instead of stronger, and as it seemed to us that there was no hope of recovery we brought her home. At this time she was so weak as to be scarcely able to walk across a room, and was confined almost constantly to her bed. She was pale and terribly emaciated, had constant pain in her back and limbs, had literally no appetite, and was to all appearances gradually sinking. We had given up hope, for had not the best of physicians failed to help her? My wife and I, like a good many more, had read much of the cures wrought by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and perhaps also, like many more, were somewhat skeptical. All else had failed, however, and we decided that perhaps Pink Pills were worth trying. Words cannot express how thankful we now are that we came to this decision. We got six boxes, and before they were all gone there was a decided improvement. Hope once more returned, and we procured another six boxes. She took them and the story is now summed up in two words—was cured. She now feels neither pain nor ache; her color has returned; she is strong and healthy, and does not now look like one who had ever seen a day's sickness. And this great change was brought about by the use of twelve boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, after many months of medical treatment had failed, and at a time when death was thought to be not far off. Have we not therefore reason to speak in the warmest terms of this great life saving medicine?"

Miss S. A. Manchester, of Huntley, Ont., writes: "Up to the age of 18 I was always healthy, but at that time my health began to give way. My illness came on gradually and I was growing weaker and weaker. My complexion, hitherto good, became pale and yellow, almost corpse like. My blood seemed to have turned to water; my heart would palpitate violently on the slightest exertion and I was easily tired. If I went to the pump for a pail of water I would tremble so badly that I could hardly reach the house with it. When going up stairs I had to rest when I reached the top, and if I walked a short distance I would almost choke from the effects of the heart palpitation. My hands and feet were most always cold. I was irregular in my periods, and altogether was a sorry spectacle. I took doctors' prescriptions, beef, iron and wine, and while these helped me some I did not get strong, nor did my blood appear to improve. Then I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When I had taken nearly two boxes I felt somewhat better, and from that out I began to recover quite rapidly. I continued taking the Pink Pills for a couple of months and when I stopped using them I was again enjoying good health. I gained flesh and strength, the heart trouble my face; my changes became regular, left me, a healthy color returned to me and I was able to walk long distances and run up and down stairs without the least fatigue. In fact my friends scarcely realized that I was the weak and miserable girl of a few months before. Now if I feel myself out of sorts, as the expression goes, I resort to Pink Pills and am soon myself again. I know there are many girls who suffer as I did, and it is only in the hope

that my experiences will help them that I make this statement.

Miss Catharine Flood, daughter of Patrick Flood, Esq., who lives a few miles from Mallorytown, Ont., says: "A little more than a year ago I began to decline in health. I felt constantly tired, my appetite failed and my color was deathly. My father saw a doctor and described my case, and he said the trouble was anaemia, and sent me a bottle of medicine. I found that the medicine did not agree with me and discontinued it. I was constantly growing worse and was subject to weak spells and was fast becoming like more than a living skeleton. One Sunday after I had been to church, a friend who returned with me, strongly urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I decided to give them a trial and my father purchased a supply. The change I noticed was that the dizziness was leaving me, then my appetite improved and my color began to return and soon I was enjoying as good health as I had ever done. It is now about a year since I discontinued the use of the pills and I have not felt one symptom of the old trouble. I believe that Pink Pills saved me from the grave and I strongly urge other girls who may be in a condition similar to mine to try them."

Miss Alma Millar, of Upper Southamton, N. B., says: "I scarcely know when my illness began, as my mother was unable to work and most of the duties of a large household devolved upon me, so that I felt that I must keep up, but I kept getting worse and worse. My appetite failed, my complexion became sallow, and my eyes sunken. I was troubled with dizziness, shortness of breath and palpitation of the heart, until I would almost suffocate. I was also troubled with a terrible pain in the side. I could not go up stairs without resting, and was so afflicted with headache that my life became almost unbearable. At last I was forced to give up and keep my bed. My friends feared I was going into consumption, but recommended one remedy after another, which, however, did not help me. Finally I was induced to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and in less than three weeks I was able to leave my bed, and after using the pills a few weeks longer I feel that I am as well as ever. My appetite has returned as well, and my strength and general health in every way restored. I feel that in bringing this subject before the public I am only doing justice to suffering humanity, and hope that all afflicted as I was will give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial."

There are very few people, especially among the agriculturists of Kent County, N. B., who do not know Mr. H. H. Warman, the popular agent for agricultural machinery, of Molus River, A. Richibucto, N. B. Review representative was in conversation with Mr. Warman recently, when the subject of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills was incidentally touched upon. Mr. Warman said he was a staunch believer in their curative properties, and to justify his opinion he related the cure of his sister, Miss Jessie Warman, aged 15, who he said had been "almost wrested from the grave by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills." Miss Warman had been suffering for nearly a year with troubles incident to girlhood. She suffered from severe and almost constant headaches, dizziness, heart palpitation, and was pale and bloodless, and eventually became so weak and emaciated that her parents thought she was in consumption, and had all but given up hope of her recovery. Her father spared no expense to procure relief for the poor sufferer. The best available medical advice was employed but no relief came, and although the parents were almost in despair, they still strove to find the means of restoring their loved one to health. Mr. Warman, like everybody else who reads the newspapers, had read of the many marvellous cures effected by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, but like some others, looked upon these stories as "mere patent medicine advertisements." However, as everything else had failed he determined that Pink Pills should be given a trial, with a result no less marvellous than that of other cases related through the press. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have completely cured the young lady, so that in a few months, from a helpless and supposedly dying girl, she has become a picture of health and activity.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a tonic medicine, enriching the blood and strengthening the nerves, thus reaching the root of disease and driving it from the system. They are beyond doubt the greatest medicine of the 19th century, and have cured in hundreds of cases after all other medicines had failed. The great popularity of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills has caused unscrupulous dealers to imitate them extensively, and intending buyers are urged to see that every box is enclosed in a wrapper bearing the full registered trade mark "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People." Pills colored pink, but sold in loose form by the dozen, hundred or ounce, or taken from glass jars, are fraudulent imitations and should always be refused, no matter how plausible may be the story of the interested dealer offering them.

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