AN OPEN LETTER

From a Baptist Clergyman Telling of Cures Wrought by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.:

Gentlemen,—It has been my intention to write to you for some time, but being busy I have neglected to do so until now.

I am a Baptist minister. Was ordained June 14th, 1887, in Cramahe Baptist Church, Northumberland Co., Ont. I want to tell you in as few words as possible what I know about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was pastor of the Dalesville, Que., Baptist Church in 1891 and again in 1894-5. While pastor in 1891, the Rev. John King, a former pastor, aged 74, was stricken with paralysis so that he could not help himself. He had to, or did, take a tablespoonful of rhubarb every day to keep his bowels regular. I thought of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He began taking them and it was not long before he could walk again and his bowels were regular. The paralysis never returned and his bowels remained active. He died a few years ago practically from old age.

I went from Dalesville, Que., to Groton, Vermont, as pastor of the Baptist Church in that place. There lived a man about two and one-half miles from Groton by the name of Neil McCrea, a Canadian. I heard he was ill, and being a Canadian, I went to see him. I found him lying in bed. He said he had no pain, but was too weak to sit up. His lips were bloodless, in fact he was as white as chalk. I recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and gave him some. He began taking them and in a short time could see blood in the veins of his hands and in the course of a few weeks he was out watching men building a new barn for him, and shortly after that he came to Groton to church. Now, I ought to tell you that the doctor of Groton had given him up. The Ryegate doctor (a doctor in an adjoining village) could not help him and said so. The best doctor in the hospital of Burlington, Vt., came and saw Mr. McCrea, but said he could not help him. He did not get any help until Dr. Williams' Pink Pills put him on his feet again.

Later I returned to Dalesville, Que., as pastor. A young lady who lived about six miles west of Dalesville at a place called Edina, sent for me to come to see her, as she had been a member of my congregation in my former pastorate. I went to see her and found a similar case to that of Mr. McCrae, of Groton, Vt. This girl was so weak she could not sit up. She appeared to be bloodless. I said to her: "It will cost you $6.00 to get a doctor to come out from Lachine to see you, whereas you can get six boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for $2.50." She followed my advice, took Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and when some time later I saw her in Lachute, she was as well as ever, and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did it all.

I have given you the facts of these three cases which came to my personal notice and I think only just to other sufferers that these cures should be given the widest publicity. If you wish me to go before a magistrate and take oath to the truthfulness of the things mentioned above, I am prepared to do so. I am at present engaged in evangelistic work, and have therefore not at the present time a permanent address. I can, however, refer you to the editor of the Canadian Baptist.

(Signed), T. C. Sowter.

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Penrose—"I just bought my wife a new hat and had to hurry home before the style changed."

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ABOUT PARLIAMENTS.

Facts That Are Especially Interesting Just Now.

The first parliament of Great Britain met in 1707.

Not until 1771 were the debates in Parliament allowed to be reported.

The first Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland met in 1801.

The first Jew admitted to Parliament, the late Baron L. Rothschild, took his seat on July 26th, 1858.

The "Parliament of Dunces," convened by Henry IV. at Coventry, in 1404, was so called because all lawyers were excluded from it.

In 1649 the House of Commons formally abolished the House of Lords, and in the same year a peer sat as a member of the Commons.

Prior to the time of the Stuarts, members of Parliament were paid a regular wage for their services by the constituencies returning them.

The present House of Commons and House of Lords were represented in Anglo-Saxon times by the Folkmoot or Council of the people, and the Witenagemot or Council of the Chiefs.

The shortest Parliament lasted for one day only, and decreed the deposition of King Richard II. The four next shortest lasted seven, twelve, fourteen, and twenty days respectively.

The "Parliament of Bats" assembled during the regency in the reign of Henry VI. Its members were forbidden to carry swords, so they came to the House of Commons with bats or clubs.

Parliaments have sat in strange places. One was held by Edward I. under an oak tree in Sherwood forest. Another, called the "Black Parliament," was convened by Henry VIII. in Bridewell Gaol.

So little was the right of returning members to Parliament esteemed in the days of the early Tudor Kings, that many boroughs paid considerable sums of money for the "privilege" of being disfranchised.

Now that Russia, Turkey and Persia have each achieved or been granted constitutional government of a kind, there are only three countries in the world without a Parliament. They are China, Morocco, and the tiny principality of Monaco.

When the King opens Parliament in State the Crown and the Cap of Maintenance figures largely in the ceremony. Each is borne before his Majesty by a nobleman of high rank, the Crown on a cushion of crimson velvet, the Cap on the top of a short white staff, for these emblems of royal rank may not be touched by any hands but the hands of the Sovereign.

"Parliament Undertakers" was the name given to the little group of great nobles who, till William Pitt's administration, returned fully half the members of the House of Commons. More than sixty seats were in the hands of Lord Downshire, the Ponsonbys, and the Beresfords alone. They undertook to manage Parliament in their own way, on their own terms, and largely in their own interests.

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"I see the sheriff is advertising your stock for sale."

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"Will there be any after-dinner speeches?" asked the starving one.

"Columns of 'em," said the philanthropist. And the tramp handed back the ticket and crawled wearily away into a silent timber yard to die.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

STARTS THE NEW YEAR A NEW MAN

QUEBEC FARMER TELLS WHAT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS DID FOR HIM.

They fixed up his Kidneys, made his blood pure, and made him feel young all over.

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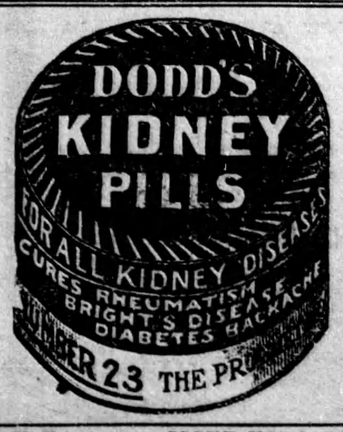
HE HAD FOUND HER OUT.

Husband—"You never kiss me except when you want money."

Wife—"Well, isn't that often enough?"



A SOPORIFIC MEASURE.

"Doctor, I've tried everything and I can't get to sleep," complained the voice at the other end of the telephone. "Can't you do something for me?"

"Yes," said the doctor, kindly, "just hold the wire and I'll sing you a lullaby."

For over fifty years Rheumatism, Neuralgia, and other painful ailments have been cured by Hamlin's Wizard Oil. It is a good honest remedy and you will not regret having a bottle ready for use.

NAMES IN SAMOA.

Travellers visiting Samoa are puzzled at first by the fact that many boys bear feminine names, while girls as frequently have masculine names. The visitor learns after a while, however, that this confusing use of names instead of being due to ignorance is in reality the result of a native custom which is highly poetic. Thus if a girl is born soon after the death of a brother the latter's name is given to her in the belief that his spirit and all his good qualities have been transferred to her. On the other hand, if a boy is born after the death of a sister he takes the latter's name and, as the Samoans believe, all her lovable traits become his.

STORMS AND THE RAILWAYS.

The barometer plays an important part in the operation of London's underground railways. In the traffic-controller's office close watch is kept upon the glass, and when it indicates the coming of bad weather, the effect upon the train service is immediate. When it rains on the surface, there is an instant rush of Londoners to the underground lines, and if such crowding is not foreseen in time to provide for it, there is great congestion at stations. Therefore train service is regulated with constant reference to the barometer, more trains being placed on the schedule for the hours of storm, and fewer when sunshine promises again.

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Mrs. R. Yates, Montreal, Que., writes:—"Baby's splendid health was obtained through the use of Baby's Own Tablets. They are a grand medicine for constipation, as their action is easy and does not give baby pain. I would recommend them to all mothers; no one should be without them who have young children in the house." This testimony is similar to thousands of others sent us by grateful mothers. Every mother who has ever used the tablets for her little ones will tell you they are the very best medicine in the world. They not only cure the ills of the little ones, but they make them grow happy and strong. The Tablets can be given to even the youngest babe with absolute safety as they are sold under the guarantee of a government analyst to contain no opiate or other harmful drug. They cannot possibly do harm—they always do good. Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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Four eminent medical men tried to cure him, and each gave up the case as hopeless in the end. Naturally, Mr. Marsh tried remedies of all kinds, but he, also, at last gave up. For two years he had to wear gloves day and night so terrible was the pain and itching when the air got to the sores.

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NAMING THE BABY IN JAPAN.

Such lovers of picturesque ceremonies as the Japanese do not let an important event like the naming of the baby pass without proper observance. The infant's birth is immediately announced to the relatives and friends, who hasten to send congratulations and presents. Visitors used to insist upon seeing the mother and child, but the spread of medical knowledge is gradually changing this. On the seventh day after birth the child is named. The first born son is frequently called "Ichiro," which means "First." Others, as in Latin, are named "Second," "Third" and so on. Girls are more lucky, receiving picturesque names like "Snow," "Chrysanthemum," "Glory" and the like.

JUST ABOUT NORMAL.

"How's your father getting along?"

"Oh, he's much better this morning. He's begun to find fault again."

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