

A TEAMSTER'S STORY.

Suffered Greatly From Asthma and Kidney Troubles.

Spent Some Time in a Hospital and Almost Impoverished Himself Buying Medicines Without Benefit—Again Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Cure After Other Medicines Fail.

(From the Recorder, Halifax, N. S.)

Mr. William Cochrane, a well-known teamster, who lives near the Halifax Polo grounds, is one of those who willingly bear testimony to the curative powers of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. A reporter of the Acadia Recorder who had heard of Mr. Cochrane's sufferings and subsequent cure, called at his home, when he gave an account of his experience substantially as follows: "He had for many years been a constant sufferer from asthma, accompanied by an aggravated form of kidney trouble. The latter trouble caused severe pains in the back and loins and at times his sufferings were very acute. He said he had almost impoverished himself in buying medicines of all kinds, but to no purpose; the trouble continued and seemed to grow worse as the years passed. Mrs. Cochrane said that she had frequently seen her husband choke up and fall to the floor as though dead, and he would have to be worked into a fever before he would revive. A few years ago he spent ten days in the Victoria General Hospital. The doctors then thought that the pains in the back were due to over-exertion in his business as a teamster, but gave him no material help. After leaving the hospital he used bottles and bottles of medicine, but failed to find a cure. A neighbor of his, Mr. Lowe, whose wife had been made a well woman after years of sickness by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, advised him to try them. He used a couple of boxes without apparent result, and felt somewhat discouraged, but Mr. Lowe advised him to continue the use of the pills, and before the third box was finished he began to improve. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been a God-send to me," said Mr. Cochrane, "they are the only medicine I have taken which seemed to do me any good. I had one prescription from a doctor which cost me \$175 a bottle, like many other medicines I took, was just so much money wasted. I have used eight or ten boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and can say that before I began their use life was an intolerable burden. I have reason to be thankful that I followed the friendly advice that urged me to use this medicine."

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Street Railway Accident Expenses

The seriousness of the accident and claim expenses of street railways is amply demonstrated by the recent report of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, which paid out last year the amazing sum of \$1,250,000 on this account. According to the Street Railway Journal the company figures that not more than \$100,000 of this represents legitimate claims, unscrupulous lawyers and fraudulent damage suits being responsible for the balance.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

New Use for Egg Shells.

Egg shells may be used to advantage in starting delicate plants for transplanting. The half shells are filled with earth and set in a box also containing dampened earth. A hole is made in the point of the shell to allow drainage. A single seed is then planted in each shell, which is easily broken when transplanting is done, without the slightest disturbance to the roots. The use of egg shells is the discovery of a French gardener, who claims that they are vastly superior to the little pots generally used for the purpose by florists.

Minard's Liniment Cures Gargot in Cows.

Simple Scissor Sharpener.

One of the simplest devices ever offered for sharpening scissors is described by one of the hardware journals, whose editorial department vouches for its efficiency. It consists of a small glass rod with bulbous ends, convenient for holding. To sharpen the scissors it is only necessary to draw the rod backward and forward a few times between the blades. When tested, says this journal, on the toughest pair of scissors in the office, it was found to act in quite a magical manner.

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Love Letters.

Of old it was an easy thing to write a letter to one's dear, to line the words we felt, and cling to simple sentiments and clear; But times are sadly changed, we love grows enamored of the mint; We pen our lines with care and fear—Our letters must be fit to print.

No more in our accustomed way, We say the tender thing we mean; Our letters may be made to play A part in book or magazine. Ah, me! They once by "one" were seen.

We did not have to hedge or hint; But now the public comes between, Our letters must be fit to print.

When'er the lean wolf snarled of old,

A man sought friends without demer, Or left his watch in Shylock's hold, Or starved or stole, as he'd prefer; But now he takes the notes of her. The honeyed lines she did not stint, And hies him to a publisher. Our letters must be fit to print.

L'Envol.

Sweetheart, henceforth with words alone Shall love his fond expressions tint, It grieves me sore, yet must I own My letters are not fit to print.

TAKEN FROM THE ANCIENTS.

Present-Day Marriage Customs Are Old as Everlasting Hills.

To the pagan peoples of ancient times the people of civilized nations owe nearly all the customs relative to marriage that prevail in the present day. The golden circlet that is placed upon the finger of the bride at the conclusion of the marriage ceremony is a relic of the fetter by which the bride was bound, while the process slipper is a remnant of the missiles hurled by the angry parent. The orange blossoms came in a more civilized age, though they are not Christian, and symbolized a large family. The veil, as still in modern oriental countries, typifies exclusive possession by one man.

Even the honeymoon is a symbol of the interval which elapsed before the victor brought his bride to his home and sought peace with her wrathful kinsmen. In Wales a wedding is very tame unless the bridegroom captures the bride after a thrilling pseudo skirmish. The relatives offer mock resistance, and much scuffling and horseplay ensue.

At the church the bride is snatched by her relatives and the bridegroom's party pursue on horseback. At last she is tossed back, and whoever receives her will wed within the year. Similar to our throwing the bride's bouquet.

Arabian fathers sometimes present their daughter with a sword, signifying freedom. For one blessed moment she belongs to no man; then she presents it to her husband, and henceforth is in his power.

Not until the tenth century did the Anglo-Saxon women have any right of choice. Betrothed as children, the bridegroom's pledge was called a *weid*, hence our word. Welsh laws permitted only moderate wife beating. Three blows were deemed sufficient, "with a stick no longer than an arm."

The Greek Church has the most elaborate ritual. Champagne is served in the bride's hand, and guests are given several initial boxes of cake. In Brazil drinking brandy together may constitute a marriage; in Japan, the same with wine. To join hands, to sit together, are all old customs, also to be smothered with blood, or for the woman to tie a rope of grass around the man's waist.

The Australian carries fire to a man's tent; the Croatian bridegroom boxes the bride's ears, while in Hungary, even at the present time, the bridegroom gives his wife a kick to indicate her subjection.

The Jewish bridegroom crushes the wine-glass to atoms with his foot to obliterate the past. In China the maid steps over a fire at the threshold, while the gypsy "hops the broomstick."

All these superstitions have come to us in a modified form, but the love of tradition and tendency toward imitation makes us slow to part with them.

Endless jests have been made upon the word "obey," and women largely repudiate it, yet the great orthodox churches still retain it.

In Denmark they have legally abolished the word.

The entire conception of the fancies of women in ancient times did not differ, but so altered and broadened that it seems singular that so many of the old marriage customs are still preserved—customs which, although amusing when traced to their source, are really typical of barbaric times and countries.

Use of Fork or Spoon.
The proper use of the fork or the spoon for desserts often puzzles the uninitiated. The following general rules will be useful. We clip them from an excellent authority: In

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Are You in Love?
To be in love is to know anxiety in the hour of his illness and apprehension over his weakness; to feel responsibility, which you must bear for yourself. No one can even share it with you to lighten your burden. To be in love is to have half your life go with him when the door closes, and to live only for his return. It is to have all your selfish desires lose shape and resolve themselves into ambitions for him. It is to find your happiness in his; for your ideals to take a moral value form; your hopes a loftier aspect. It is to forget yourself and your eager search for happiness, and to merge your whole existence into a prayer to do more, to give more, to be more, not for the approval of your little world, but closing the door on all in the great Without, to pour yourself and all that you are and all that you hope to be into the small and sacred Within for his sake.

That is to be in love. Are you?—Lillian Bell, in Harper's Bazar.

SOZODONT for the TEETH 25c

CAREWORN MOTHERS.

Life Often Made a Burden Through Nursing a Cross and Fretful Baby

All babies should be good-natured; well babies, if there is no outward reason for discomfort, are always good-natured, and yet how many mothers permit themselves to be thoroughly worn out, caring day and night for a sick, cross and fretful baby, when a little care and foresight would remove all the trouble and make both mother and baby happy. The little one's suffering and crossness may be caused by any one of the numerous ills that may befall a baby, but to the mother and discomfort to the mother, such as colic, worms, indigestion, constipation, the irritation accompanying the cutting of teeth, etc. When baby is cross, and you find that your child's future welfare, give it any of the so-called "soothing" medicines, as they only stupefy and deaden without removing the cause of the trouble. What is needed is a simple, vegetable, compound such as Baby's Own Tablets, which reach the root of all the minor ailments of little ones, making them well and happy. The best proof of this is the high praise all mothers who have used this medicine award it. Mrs. W. S. Beaverstock, Church street, Brockville, says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets in my house for several years and know of no medicine for little ones that can equal them. When my baby was teething she was restless, cross and peevish, and I could do very little with her. I gave her the tablets and they quieted her when other medicines did no good. When baby was troubled with constipation the tablets always gave prompt relief, but above all things I think they are most excellent in indigestion; she vomited a great deal, was sick and noisy, and screamed with pain, and I had to get up with her many times during the night. No matter how much she ate she kept growing thinner. It was when I began the use of the tablets that she grew plump and fat, and I had no further trouble with her at night. I can recommend the tablets to any mother who has a sickly, cross or fretful baby, and I am sure she will never be without them. Baby's Own Tablets are easily administered and dissolved in water, can be given safely to the youngest infant. If your druggist does not keep them send 25 cents to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, and a box will be sent you by mail, post paid."

AT WHAT AGE IS WOMAN BEST.

The problem of what age is a woman at her best was recently discussed by an artist, an author and a woman of society, says the New York Telegram. The artist urged that he disliked to paint the portraits of women between the ages of 25 and 40 years. Before 25 the face has an expectant, young charms. It is looking forward with joyous freshness and hope, and it is full of puzzling promises. At 40 the character is formed and the lines of the countenance are stronger in the painter's study; but in intervening years the face has lost its expectancy and is liable to be indifferent, says Woman's Life.

The author liked to study women between the ages of 20 and 40. They had then the experience of the world and the joyousness of youth. In those years they were brightest and most interesting. The woman thought that it was impossible to give general answers to the question, as individual women differ in regard to the most attractive age. Some are most charming at 40, while others have passed their prime at 20. At 30 or upward the best nature of a woman will show to every advantage, but probably the balance of opinion turns in favor of from 18 to 25.

A Question That is Very Difficult to Answer.

Quirks and Quibbles.
It is easy for the light-headed to be light-hearted, he who confesses that he lies, lies; he who denies that he lies, lies. We admire the man who will listen to reason because he gives us a chance to talk.

Let a man imagine he is having his own way and a woman can do anything with him; let a woman but suspect she is having her own way and a man can do nothing with her.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctor pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

ADVICE TO SMOKERS.

If You Must Smoke Do It With Leisurely Puffs.

There are many pipe smokers who do not know how to get the best out of their indulgence. The great point in pipe smoking is to smoke slowly. Nervous smokers smoke too rapidly and burn their tongues with hot smoke, besides falling entirely to get the fullest and best flavor out of the tobacco. It is all a matter of habit, but slow smoking is a habit which is hard to acquire. In some cases pipe smokers have tried for years to check their smoking speed without success. They begin too late, and the habit of rapid smoking is shaken off with difficulty when it is once acquired.

Rapid smoking is as bad as rapid eating or worse. It is also "bad form," whether it is cigar, pipe or cigarette. The smoking should be deliberate in order to get the fullest enjoyment. It is especially so with cigars. Many persons have smoked all their lives and yet do not know how to smoke. It is as painful to watch some people smoke as it is to sit at the table with a man who "gobbles" and "gorges" his food on the "fifteen minutes" for refreshment plan.

The deliberate pipe smoker gets out of his pipe an enjoyment of which the rapid smoker has no inkling. A cigar which has once gone out has its flavor ruined forever, for nothing is more obnoxious to the sense of smell than a newly extinguished "butt." This heavily persons gulped "butts," half-lighted or newly extinguished, into the elevated and surface cars should have some punishment devised for them—"something humorous with boiling oil."

It makes no difference to the flavor of a pipe how many times it goes out. Fastidious pipe smokers always have at least two pipes at hand and never refill one until it is entirely cooled off. This is a help toward good smoking and a reasonable life in a pipe. A good way to tell if you are smoking too fast is to hold the bowl of the pipe in your hand. If it is too hot to be held with comfort, then you know that your smoking speed is too great. Good tobacco, a good pipe and deliberateness are the prime essentials in pipe smoking. Eat slowly, smoke slowly, drink sedately, so shall you live long in the land and enjoy the fullness thereof.—Chicago Tribune.

FALL NEWS OF THE FARM.

The Enterprise says that about 8,000 crates of tomatoes were shipped from Colborne to Rochester on one day, to be used in making catsup. The Picton Gazette adds that an American purchased 10,000 bushels of tomatoes at Brighton for shipment to Rochester for the same purpose. These shipments are the result of a short tomato crop in the United States this year. But for the American duty a big business would be done right along. Even as it is, the start made this year, under the circumstances, will, it is said, cause 500 acres of tomatoes to be contracted for in Prince Edward county next year by Rochester buyers.

Higher Prices for Wheat?

The Country Gentleman says that the wheat receipts in the United States up to the end of the week ending the twelfth amounted to ninety-five million bushels or twelve millions more than for the same period one year ago, and fifteen millions above the average of the last five seasons. This unusual freedom of marketing, coupled with the fact that wheat in the United States must, owing to the shortage of corn, necessarily be largely used for feeding purposes, ought to cause an advance in prices later on.

British Imports of Live and Dead Meats.

The Colonial Consignment and Distributing Company reports that the total imports of live sheep into Great Britain up to the 5th of October, amounted to 281,950 head, a decrease of 35,564 head, as compared with last year, this decrease being due to the entire cutting off of the imports from Argentina. The imports from the United States show an increase of 125,199 head, the total exports from the United States up to the 5th being 235,286. The shipments received from Canada by Britain show an increase of 20,997, the total being 44,783.

The British imports of cattle for this same period show a slight increase, the total receipts up to the 5th being 386,681, and the increase 2,253. The imports received by Britain from the United States amounted to 318,400 head, an increase of 51,900, while the receipts from Canada amounted to 68,244 head, a decrease of 12,887.

The British imports both in live cattle and live sheep are now practically all received from the United States and Canada, the shipments from Argentina having been entirely cut off.

A notable increase has taken place in the imports of fresh beef from Britain, the total imports amounting to 2,261,461 great cwt., an increase of 168,411. The great bulk of the supply in this line comes from the United States—2,549,316 great cwt. being credited to that country, and the increase over last year being 603,273 great cwt. Our share in supplying Britain with fresh beef, amounted to 8,841 great cwt., a decrease of 17,016.

In addition to the fresh beef, enormous quantities of frozen mutton were received from Argentina and Australasia, the receipts of frozen sheep carcasses from Australasia amounting to 1,342,516, and of frozen lambs to 1,295,141. In the case of lambs there is an increase of 37,000 head as compared with last year, and in the case of sheep a decrease of 196,000. The receipts of frozen mutton from Argentina for the nine months amounted to 1,952,362 carcasses, an increase of 64,273 over the nine months for the previous year.

His Mind Made Up Quickly.

"It is a constant wonder to me," said the student of human nature, "to see how quickly the minds of some men are set. I met him in the hall just as he was reaching for an umbrella. 'Is that your umbrella?' he inquired. 'No,' replied I. 'In that case,' he answered, 'it's mine.'"

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About a mill... there is a sixth... day, when the... farmer living ne... young man of the... time. They were... spirit of bravura... round more, he... skates, the loe... body was broug... tere of temptati... not a prolouga... but only just on... one more sin. The... Alas for the me... seek it yet again... myself.

* You compare w... what you were... and you are grea... are ready with... soul to listen to... Be of good cheer... yet to come, and... welcome and off... trumpet of the... blow one long... "Whosoever will... him come now." I... ready to attend a... return and all the... fall into the of... over your redemp... Years ago, and... Barnes was living... pulpit one night... Philadelphia. In... discourse, I said... one soul-to-night... service Mr. Barnes... man, saying, "Th... you prayed for, I... a too limited pray... prayer-to-day. It... sweep. "Lord, giv... day for happiness... So far as I can... pose to show what... to your return and... to surmount these... difficulty in the w... the force of moral a... there is a natural... down to earth any... hold it to your... moral gratification... a prayer I heard... in the Young Men's... tion of New York... voice and stream... God, thou knowest... body, mind and sou... me to do wrong and... me to do right." I... man knows not his... never felt the power... tion.

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