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Earthquakes.

The most notable and disastrous earthquakes on record are those of Italy (1686), when 120,000 persons perished, and of Sicily (1693) when 60,000 lost their lives. According to Gibbon, toward 543 each yr. was marked with the repetition of earthquakes of such duration that Constantinople was...

The White Rose of Scotland.

A HISTORICAL SKETCH. "Catharine, we must part. The king this morn contemptuously refused me further aid. Indignant at his want of faith, I retorted in no measured terms, and am enjoined, on penalty of paying my life a forfeit to my disobedience, to quit the kingdom, three days hence. I must return to Flanders, there to seek that support which is denied me here. Tolls and dangers await me, to which I cannot consent to thy exposure. That tender form of thine, my love, is not suited to endure the buffet of my stormy fortune."

"And shall Huntly's daughter," replied the lady, "thus consent to desert her husband? No, my dear Richard, I have shared your short-lived splendor, let me participate in your reverses. Let us leave Scotland; let us together seek our exile, and a kinder fate let ours. Where thou goest I will go, where thou lodgest I will lodge; thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God."

"Noble-minded woman!—but it must not be!" ejaculated the youth. "Catharine!—for I dare no longer wear a rascal's—prepare to curse thy unworthy husband. Thou deemest me the rightful heir to England's crown, but know me as a base impostor. I won thy love by a lie. Ambitious, aspiring to the heart of one fair and noble as myself, have I entailed on a great and glorious race ruin and dishonor. Yet, oh! forgive me, and do not exonerate my wild ambition."

"Oh, Richard, was this deception generous? Yet hold, my swelling heart, and let my duty as a wife subdue my woman's pride. My husband, avert not from me thus thy fearful eyes. Whoe'er thou art, thou has been to me all tenderness. It will be now my grateful claim to prove to thee that Catharine Gordon's love was unalloyed by interest and ambition. If she adored thee when, mid thy gaudy train, thou scooped ununsated, 'twas not the splendor of thy royal name that held me to thee. Yes, my husband, I loved thee, and still I love thee, for thyself alone. Let us, then, fly these shores; desert from the wild pursuit of what thou hast no claim to, and let us seek a happy, contented privacy."

"Alas, my beloved! it is impossible. Bound by a solemn oath to pursue, while I have being, the claim I have asserted, no peace remains to me. Leave me, then, to my woes—leave me to my dishonor. Why—why should I be wretched?"

"As the unhappy speaker concluded he folded in his arms his faithful wife, and melt-freely endeavored to subdue her determination to share his fortunes."

"The reader will see this was discovered in the husband of the Lady Catharine, who had arrogated to himself the title of Richard, Duke of York, second son of Edward IV., who with his brother Richard III. had murdered the Trosler by the inhuman Richard III."

"Possessed of every accomplishment that could engage affection, the youth, whose name was Perkin Warbeck, a Fleming, had raised the ready respect and confidence of many persons of rank in England."

"After the failure, however, of his endeavors to excite a revolt in that country, which were discovered by the vigilance of the king, and frustrated by the immediate execution of his adherents, he had repaired to Scotland, and solicited the assistance of James IV. to place him on the throne of England."

"James, whose credulity was equal to his valor, was easily prevailed on to support his pretensions."

"He received him with the highest distinction, and in a short time consented to his union with a relative of his own, the Lady Catharine Gordon, daughter of the Earl of Huntly."

"Between the 'White Rose of Scotland'—for such was the appellation of this young lady's extraordinary beauty of this young lady had gained her—and the adventurous and ardent attachment had existed from the earliest period of his arrival in Scotland."

"But finding the English people by no means disposed to join the fictitious prince, the Scottish king gave up the cause as hopeless."

"The sun was attaining to his meridian height when the unhappy adventurer and his devoted bride embarked at Leith for Flanders."

"Blest thee, liddle! bestow a hawbee in charity on pair and wittles Maudie."

As she spoke she turned from the disappointed Catharine, who, with her husband, repaired to the boat that was about to wait her forever from her native land."

"The White Rose has bloomed Through a brief summer day, Yet the White Rose is doomed To a rapid decay."

"Thy smile may impart A's its sweetest smile, Yet the worm's in thy heart That shall banish that smile."

"Farewell—oh, farewell! Mid the tempest that blows, In my ear ring's the knell Of Scotland's White Rose."

"Swift to hear thee say Round the hoarse billows swell Aye again, ay! for aye, Rose of Scotland, farewell!"

As the last words of the song pealed on the ears of the terror-stricken Catharine, she ascended the side of the vessel, and, with a kindred fate let ours. Where thou goest I will go, where thou lodgest I will lodge; thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God."

"By an agreement between the English and Flemish courts, all English rebels had been excluded from the Low Countries."

"Perkin, though born in England, was a Fleming by extraction, and might therefore have claimed admission into Flanders."

"But, as he met his companions of his dangers, and as he had to apprehend a cold reception from a people who were determined to maintain an amiable footing with the English Court, he resolved not to hazard the experiment, but repaired to Ireland, where he remained for some time in inactivity and confinement."

"It is not to be expected that he shall follow the historian in a detail of his subsequent attempt upon England, of his landing in Cornwall, being joined by the populace, and taking upon himself for the first time the title of Richard IV., King of England."

"It was at this period that his too faithful wife, following the fortunes of her unhappy husband, fell into the hands of the enemy. This was a fatal blow to the adventurer. In all his wanderings she had shared his fortunes."

"With all his faults he had still adored his lovely, his ill-fated bride, his fair and spotless 'White Rose.'"

"We shall not depict the humiliating scene of his surrender to King Henry—the exposure of his fictitious claims, of his ignominious treatment and close confinement, of his repeated efforts to escape, and, lastly, of his arraignment and condemnation—but pass on to the scene of execution."

"The last morn that ever broke upon the eyes of the unhappy Perkin to royalty dawned heavily and slowly."

"At an early hour the roads and lanes adjacent to the hill of Tyburn, the place of execution, were thronged with anxious and expecting thousands."

"A detachment of soldiers surrounded the sledge on which the culprit and his confessor were placed."

"My poor mourner, 'tis too late," replied the condemned.

"Oh, no, no, no!" replied Catharine, "it is never too late for mercy. Take him back to his dungeon—respite him but a few hours. I will again to the king, throw myself at his feet, nor cease till he forgives!"

Nature could do no more. She sank insensible into the arms of her husband."

"Now is the time," cried he, printing a last kiss on her pale cheek, as he couched her to his confessor, directing him to remove her from the spot. "The bitterness of death is past," ejaculated he, as he threw on her one lingering look, and calmly submitted to the hands of the executioner."

The motion attending the removal of the Lady Catharine restored animation. Involuntarily she turned her eyes towards the fatal spot."

"The fiends have murdered him!" she shrieked.

"They were the last words of expiring Perkin that burst from the lips of the White Rose of Scotland."

"The discoverer of this marvellous medicine does not claim that it is an infallible cure-all, well knowing that there are certain advanced stages of disease, such as Consumption, Bright's Disease of the Kidneys, Cancer, etc., that often baffle all medical science and skill, but it is claimed, demonstrated, and established beyond controversy, that all ordinary diseases of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys, General Debility, Scrofula, Rheumatism, Catarrh, Biliousness, Jaundice, Loss of Appetite, Constipation of the Bowels, Obstructions, Retention of the Urine, Dropsy, Enlargement of the Spleen, Pits, Lowness of the Spirits, Headache, Weakness of Discharges, and all forms of Female Weakness, whose name is legion; Piles, Heart Disease, Apoplexy, Dyspepsia, Uterine Diseases, &c."

"For the purification of the blood and toning of the system no combination known to medical science can equal the life-giving principles of Burdock Blood Bitters."

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STRICTLY VEGETABLE, And one of the best medicines in use for regulating the bowels, Burdock Blood Bitters Are Tonic, Laxative, Alterative (purifying), Diuretic (acting upon the urinary secretions), gently stimulating and invigorating all the organs of the body to a healthy action."

They act beneficially not alone upon the Liver, but upon the entire glandular system, carrying off impurities and all morbid and offensive accumulations, and regulating the secretions to a proper action; they thus impart a healthy tone and vigor to the whole system. Diseases that have baffled all other treatment speedily yield to their benign influence."

Blood is the vital fluid by which the organs and tissues of the body are nourished; being the source from which we derive all physical and mental vigor, how necessary that it be kept pure. If the blood contain poisonous matter all the organs become impaired. The majority of diseases that afflict the human family arise from an impure or impoverished state of the blood, or an improper action of the Liver."

The Liver is the largest gland of the body, and the only one that is supplied with venous as well as arterial blood; its office is to secrete bile, which is nature's proper cathartic."

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YACHELL, 2nd March. MESSRS. T. MILLERS & CO.—I have suffered for years with constant pain in the head, and at regular intervals, terrible sick headaches. A half bottle of your Burdock Bitters has entirely relieved me from both. I am recommending it to all my acquaintances afflicted with this trouble. Yours truly, MISS R. MCGLELLAN.

TESTIMONIALS. Bilious Headache. The following is from the proprietor of the Canada Presbyterian, and Government printer for the Province of Ontario.

THE PRESBYTERIAN OFFICE, TORONTO, April 13th, 1880. GENTLEMEN.—It affords me unqualified pleasure to bear testimony to the great benefit I have experienced from using your Burdock Blood Bitters.

For several years I have suffered greatly from oft-recurring bilious headaches. I was induced to try the above remedy; I did so, with the happiest results. I now find myself in better health than for years past. I trust by using a couple of additional bottles to be permanently cured. I never gave a testimonial of this kind before, but recognizing the sterling character of your preparation, do so cheerfully in this case. Yours faithfully, C. BLACKETT ROBISON.

Ulcerated Sore Leg Cured by one Bottle. April 16th, 1880. T. MILLERS & CO. GENTLEMEN.—I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I was for some weeks past afflicted with a rapidly increasing ulcerous sore leg, accompanied with hives all over my body. Satisfied that it was the result of impure blood, I applied to you for some remedy for the purpose of cleansing the same. I have used the bottle of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS given me by you, and to my great surprise my leg is entirely cured independent of any outward application, and the hives have entirely disappeared. WILLIAM TRAINER, Fruiterer, 480 King Street East.

Cure of Kidney Complaint. 344 Parliament Street, Toronto, April 17th, 1880. T. MILLERS & CO. GENTLEMEN.—I have been for over a year subject to serious disorder of the Kidneys, often being unable to attend to business. Your BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS was recommended as a good remedy; I obtained a bottle and am happy to say that I was relieved before the bottle was half used. I intend to continue, as I have confidence that it will entirely cure me. Yours truly, BRUCE TURNER.

Kidney Disease. Had strain across loins caused by shooting a coil; coil settled into it causing Kidney disease with tremendous pain. Tried several cures recommended; all failed. One half bottle of B.B.B. cured me. JOHN BUCHANAN, Blacksmith, York P.O., Ont.

York P.O., March, 1881. This is to certify I had an unknown disease causing swelling of the limbs; tried all recommended medicines but got no cure until after using one bottle of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS, which has cured me sound and given me vigorous health. WM. HARRING, Farmer, York P.O., March, 1881.

Messrs. T. MILLERS & Co., Toronto. DEAR SIRS.—Had a severe cold and general debility of the system; used one of your BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS, which gave me immediate relief and cure. Yours truly, HENRY GRILSON.

GENTLEMEN.—Had unknown disease; tried doctors and all kinds of medicine, but gave no relief; used one bottle of B.B.B., which gave me wonderful relief. Another bottle I think will cure me. Mrs. GRILSON.

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