

STOMACH TROUBLE.

The Agonies of Indigestion Can be Cured By Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

All over the land there are people whose lives had been made miserable through the pangs of indigestion...

Bad blood, poor blood, watery blood, is the cause of nearly every ailment that afflicts mankind...

AN EXCELLENT SPECIMEN.

A Phrenologist was in the habit of inviting people of different vocations to come upon the stage...

"You admit that you have been in prison, sir?"

"I have," was the unblinking answer.

"Would you kindly tell us how many years you have spent behind prison bars?"

"About twenty years," unhesitatingly replied the subject.

"Dear, dear!" exclaimed the professor. "Will you sit down, please?"

The subject sat down in a chair in the centre of the stage.

The professor ran his fingers rapidly through the hair of the subject.

"This is a most excellent specimen. The indications of a depraved character are very plainly marked.

The organs of benevolence and of esteem are entirely absent; that of destructiveness is developed to an abnormal degree.

"I never committed any crime," growled the man in the chair.

"But you said that you had been an inmate of a prison for twenty years?"

"I'm the governor of the gaol."

FRAIL LITTLE ONES.

The little ones are frail. Their hold upon life is slight. No symptom that indicates any of the little ailments of childhood should be allowed to pass for a moment without proper attention.

"I have found Baby's Own Tablets just as you represent them—the very best of medicine for young children."

"You can get the Tablets from druggists or by mail at 25 cents a box, by writing the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

IN THE WRONG PLACE.

Pedlar—"My dear sir, do you know how much time you lose dipping a pen into ink? Ten dips a minute means six hundred dips an hour, or six thousand dips in ten hours; and each dip consumes..."

"Business Man—"Yes, I know, I have figured it all out."

"Pedlar—"And yet I find you still writing in the old way."

"Business Man—"Yes, I am using the fountain pen you sold me about a month ago—using it in the old way because it won't write in any other way."

BEGGARS IN INDIA.

Change in Public Opinion May Lessen Their Numbers.

The beggar nuisance is a very common one in India, and the endeavors of the police in the large cities to put it down have met with only a limited measure of success.

There were about five millions of beggars in the country at the time of the last census, and nearly one-fifth of the number were classed as religious mendicants.

There is, happily, reason to believe that the changed feeling among the educated classes is filtering down to the lower levels.

SENTENCE SERMONS.

Love leaps over the lines of liking. The empty head needs a haughty air.

A frozen heart does not make a stiff back. The Sunday suit never made the Monday saint.

Worry is the worst wolf that comes to our doors. As soon as you are proud of your humility it dies.

The more helpful the deed the more holy the day. Burdens may be the ballast that saves the ship.

Trickery in the pulpit will not lead the pews into truth. Many are willing to lose this world—by swallowing it.

A little sorrow may teach more than many sermons. Kickers hide the best things in life in the dust they raise.

Canned charity may feed the hungry, but it cannot fill the heart. The gloomy church is likely to be filled with tombstone saints.

The great thing is not so much to fill the pews as to fill the people. The man with a big sign of sainthood usually has something to hide behind it.

The people in the primary of life are always the first to show the graduates how to do it. It is a good deal easier to stir up a hornet's nest than it is to find the right place to crawl into.

A little sympathy that gets into our feet is worth a whole lot of sorrow that never soaks deeper than our feelings.

WHAT HE NEEDED.

Sermons are commonly supposed to be medicinal to the mind of both compounder and congregation; but there was one which, if the minister's servant was right, was an exception.

One Sunday morning the late Rev. Ducahat, of Connecticut, arose feeling decidedly ill. After a futile attempt to eat breakfast he called an old favorite colored servant to him, and said:

"Sam, go around and tell Simmons—the sexton—to post a notice on the church door that I am too ill to preach to-day."

"Now, massa," said Samuel, "don't you gib up dat way. Just gib him a trial; you get 'long all right."

The argument resulted in the minister's determination to try it. He preached as usual, and after service returned to the house, looking much brighter.

"How you feel, massa?" said Samuel, as he opened the door.

"Better—much better, Sam. I'm glad I took your advice."

"I knew it! I knew it!" said Samuel, grinning from ear to ear. "I knew you'd feel better when you get dat sermon out o' your system!"

CHAMPAGNE CITY.

The town of Epernay, in France, is a vast suburban city, the streets for miles and miles being hemmed out of the solid chalk, flanked with piles of champagne of all blends and qualities.

There is no light in this labyrinth of streets, crossings, and turnings, except that which the sputtering candles afford. All is dark and damp, with the thermometer down about zero.

The largest champagne manufacturers in Epernay possess underground cellars which cover no less than forty-five acres, and contain 5,000,000 bottles of wine.

IMAGE ON BANK-NOTES.

The accepted design for the new Austrian five-kroner bank-notes, which will be shortly issued, is remarkable for the picture of an unusually beautiful child's head, which forms its chief ornament.

CURE WAS QUICK AND PERMANENT

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS SOON DROVE AWAY RHEUMATISM AND DROPSY.

Case of a Windsor Man Who Suffered Two Years Before He Discovered the Right Remedy.

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 6.—(Special.) How quickly Rheumatism and Dropsy can be cured when the right medicine is used is shown in the case of Mr. Jno. McDonald, a retired farmer living at 130 Langlois Avenue here.

"For two years I was troubled with Dropsy. My legs were terribly swollen, and though I tried many medicines nothing gave me any relief till I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. Two boxes of them cured me completely that I have had no return of the diseases in years."

REAL EQUALITY.

The wooing had progressed splendidly. It had even progressed to a point where she had been won—that is, ostensibly won.

"And when I come home tired and worn out with work at the office and the worries of business, you'll be kind to me?"

"Yes, George."

"I knew you would. You'll soothe me and put me in better humor?"

"Yes, but I say, George?"

"Yes, dearest."

"Why shouldn't you do a little of this yourself?"

"Why, darling?"

"Yes, that's all right. But to come right down to business, as papa says—why shouldn't you also be kind to me when things go wrong? I don't want to do it all, you know. You're not looking for a private nurse, are you?"

"Why, Mabel?"

"When the cook leaves unexpectedly to go to the bedside of her second cousin, you might be just a trifle considerate, you know."

"How strangely you talk, pet!"

"Well, they say I'm papa's girl, you know, and I notice when some tries to make a bargain with him he generally gets some stipulations in his own best interest put in, just as a precaution."

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HIS VIEWS.

An English traveller stood looking at the glories of the Yosemite for the first time. He had journeyed 3,000 miles to see the wonderful valley. Before him in solemn grandeur rose the Cathedral Rock, the Three Brothers, and the Sentinel Dome.

The Bridal Veil Falls, dissolving in a feathery mist as the waters descended the tremendous precipice, lit up with varied tints the sombre majesty of the scene; while El Capitan, mighty, overpowering, unapproachable, seemed to frown sternly over all.

The traveller became conscious he was not alone. At his side, apparently lost in wonder, stood a stranger, looking at the marvellous scene. He addressed the stranger—"Is not this stupendous?"

The stranger bowed his head, as if he felt the inability of words to describe his emotions.

"Do you think," pursued the traveller, "that this terrific gorge was caused by some Titanic upheaval from below? Or is it the result of glacial action? What are your views, if any, as to—"

"My views," blandly interposed the stranger, opening a bag he carried in his hand containing photographs, "are only one dollar fifty cents a dozen, and cheap at twice the money. Permit me to show you a few samples."

"Yes, Willie," she said, with a fond smile, "our engagement must be kept a secret." "But why, dear?" he asked. "Because, silly boy, if it were made public, people would think I really intended to marry you."

DO NOT DELAY.

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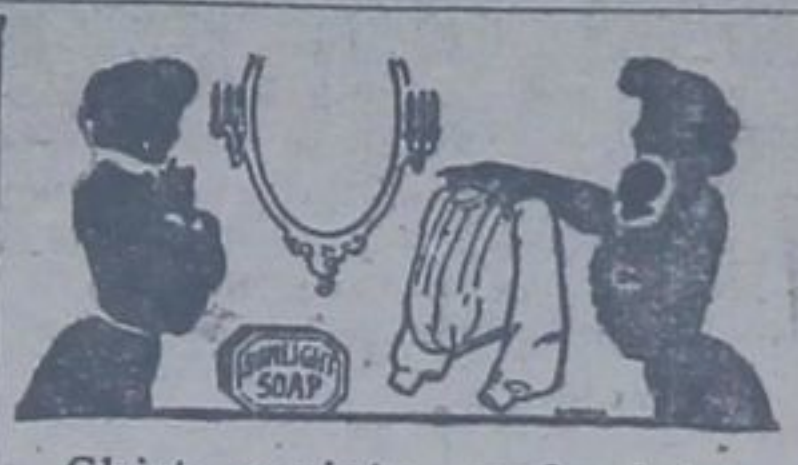
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WOULD PROVE A HINDRANCE TO FARM IMPROVEMENT.

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Among female Moors birthday celebrations are unknown. A Moorish woman considers it a point of honor to be absolutely ignorant of her age.

Indignant Subscriber—"I say, look here, you know, what do you mean by announcing the birth of my tenth child under the heading of 'Distressing Occurrence'?" Editor—"Dear, dear! I hadn't noticed it; that must be the foreman's doings; he's a married man himself."

Prevent disorder—At the first symptoms of internal disorder, Paroche's Vegetable Pills should be resorted to immediately. Two or three of these salutary pellets, taken before going to bed, followed by doses of one or two pills for two or three nights in succession, will serve as a preventive of attacks of dyspepsia and all the discomforts which follow in the train of that fall disorder. The means are simple when the way is known.

"Yes," said the young student, thoughtfully, "when I get interested in a subject I never stop until I have embraced it thoroughly."

"That's nice," was the hesitating reply. "Do you think I'm an interesting subject?"

The publisher of the best Farmer's paper in the Maritime Provinces in writing to us states: "I would say that I do not know of a medicine that has stood the test of time like MINARD'S LINIMENT. It has been an unfailing remedy in our household ever since I can remember, and has outlived dozens of would-be competitors and imitations."

"Your little boy seems to have his father's nose," Mr. Whibleton said. "Oh, no. It looks that way because he fell yesterday and bumped it on an iron choo-choo car, poor little pet."

For Over Sixty Years Mrs. Wm. O'Brien's Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children, who, by using this medicine, are cured of all ailments, such as colds, coughs, croup, whooping cough, and all the ailments of childhood. It is a simple remedy, easily taken, and once used it will always be prized as a sovereign medicine.

"Do you think Miss Wealthy cares for you at all?" "Well, I think she's beginning to care a little." "What makes you think that?" "Why, the last time I called she only stayed twice, and two weeks ago I counted five yawns in one evening."

Dr. Chase's Ointment To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have conducted, since 1861, the most extensive and successful experiments in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it in your money bag if not cured, for a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment, 25 cents, is sent free to you by mail. Write to Dr. Chase, 111 N. York St., Toronto, Ont.

QUEEN TRIMS HER OWN HATS. Perhaps the most perfectly gowned royal lady in Europe is Queen Alexandra. Her Majesty inherited the talent from her mother, the late Queen of Denmark, and her early training taught her to understand what is becoming. Not only is Her Majesty unerring in her good taste when choosing what is suitable, but she is also able to trim her own hats and bonnets, and often makes some subtle change in the headgear sent to her. This gives it an originality not seen in the work of the paid milliner.

"How many years have you been dumb?" said a gentleman to an Irish beggar man. "Five years last St. John's Eve, please your honor," answered the mendicant, completely taken off his guard by the question.

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A SEED THOUGHT. Amusements are to religion, like breezes of air to the flame—gentle ones will fan it, but strong ones will put it out.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, &c. When a girl keeps on buying more underclothes than she needs it is a sign she is going to be married.

It Lays a Stilling Hand on Pain—For pains in the joints and limbs, and for rheumatic pains, neuralgia and migraines, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is without a peer. Well rubbed in the skin absorbs it and it quickly and permanently relieves the affected part. It is a valuable property of removing pain from the body, and for that good quality it is prized.

Amenda—"Do you remember ten years ago when you confessed your love for me, how cruelly I refused you? I'm older now, and I think differently." Algernon—"Well—er—so do I."

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One of the greatest blessings to humanity is Mother Graves' Worm Expeller. It effectively expels all worms and gives health in a marvelous manner to the little one.

Only those who have had experience can tell the torture some cause. Pain with your boots on, pain with them off—pain night and day, but relief is sure to those who use Holloway's Corn Cure.

Publisher—"I can't see anything in that manuscript of yours. Struggling Author—"I presume not, you know, some of your readers may be more intelligent."

Minard's Liniment Cures Gout in Cows A man who knows enough to make his living is never thought as much of as the genius who can't.

CRUEL INSINUATION. Mrs. Ebnick—I notice here in the paper that a young girl confessed that she has been in the burglary business for a long time. Ebnick (reckless)—No doubt she inherited the tendency from a mother who was in the habit of making nightly journeys through her husband's pockets.

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