

HER PHOTOGRAPH.

You are posing for a lazzie,
But I vow you are an elf,
In the moon that you were taken...

HOW IT TURNED OUT.

"Now, that's the oddest thing!"
said Mrs. Moss, as with a troubled
look she tied on her clean apron...

making collections of wood plants,
and just now her special desire was
for a specimen of maiden-hair fern...

ence, and himself prepared to fol-
low. His right leg was already across
the top rail, when his enraged pur-
suer was upon him...

HOME LIFE IN PERSIA.

NOT DEVOID OF INTELLECTUAL PLEASURES.

The Average Persian Reverses His Wet Nurse More Than His Mother -- Queer System of Temporary Marriages--The Baabite Creed.

[Special Teheran (Persia) Letter.]
Home life is not quite so devoid of
intellectual pleasures, nor as dull as
the low state of education of the
modern Persian would lead one to
suppose...



PERSIAN NURSE AND ATTENDANT.

water pipe. Nearly every Persian
girl learns to recite page after page
of the favorite national poets...



WIFE OF A PERSIAN MERCHANT.

In fear and trembling, and whatever
she says is law. She is, for the time,
shown more respect than the unfor-
tunate mother, and the whole house-
hold shakes at her slightest word...



A BAABITE WOMAN.

Besides these nurses the child of
the well-to-do Persian up to the age
of eight or nine, commands the ser-
vices of a female page--about what a
nursery governess would be in Eng-
land...

WOLF VON SCHIEBRAND.
A Point About Addressing Letters.
"Don't address your envelopes
'city,' said the giver of advice...

The sea anemone resembles in shape
a morning glory. Its mouth opens
like the cup of that flower, and above
it are seen a number of tentacles...

MY WIFE'S NERVES

Are weak and she suffers terribly from nerv-
ousness, headache and loss of sleep. She is
the testimony of many a man. The poor,
tired woman is suffering from impure and
impoverished blood. Her food does not dig-
est. She is living on her nerves, her
strength is gone. Her nerves and muscles

NEED STRENGTHENING

By the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which
makes pure, rich blood, creates an appet-
ite, and gives tone to all the organs of the
body. This is not what we say, it is what Hood's
Sarsaparilla does. "My wife began taking
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Pills, assist digestion, prevent constipation.

The claim is commonly taken for an
example of all that is unprogressive,
but he is by no means a stationary
creature. Every man bred at the
seaside knows how a clam left upon
the sand will utterly disappear by
sinking himself below the surface;
but the clam also has a forward
movement, and will travel thirty feet
in the course of a week. The large
muscle of the clam, which helps to
make him indigestible, is his single
leg, and by the aid of this he makes
his progress.

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To Become a Mother?
If so, then permit us to
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Mrs. PAUL HUNT, of Greenville, N. Y.,
says: "I read about Dr. Pierce's
Favorite Prescription being so good for a
woman with child, so I
got two bottles last
September, and De-
cember 15th I had a
twelve pound baby
girl. When I was
confined I was very
sick in my room. I
did not suffer any
pain, and when the
child was born I walk-
ed into another room
and went to bed. I
keep your Extract of
Smart-Weed on hand
all the time. It was
very cold weather
and our room was
very cold but I did not take any cold, and
never had any after-pain or any other pain.
It was all due to God and Dr. Pierce's
Favorite Prescription and Compound Extract
of Smart-Weed. This is the eighth living
child and the largest of them all. I suf-
fered everything that flesh could suffer with
the other babies. I always had a doctor
and then he could not help me very much,
but this time my mother and my husband
were alone with me. My baby was only
seven days old when I got up and dressed
and left my room and stayed up all day."



Mrs. HUNT.

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