An Expensive Clarity.

A Gardiner (Me.) religious society which was so unwise as to go into the postage stamp collecting business has found out that it doesn't pay. After succeeding in accumulating 91,000 stamps and selling them for $10, the pastor of the church is now busy answering letters from folks who want to know how he did it, how much he made, etc., and he begins to fear that the hard-earned $10 will all be scattered in new stamps before he gets through.

Mothers

Anxiously watch declining health of their daughters. So many are cut off by consumption in early years that there is real cause for anxiety. In the early stages, when not beyond the reach of medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla will restore the quality and quantity of the blood and thus give good health. Read the following letter:

"It is but just to write about my daughter Cora, aged 19. She was completely run down, declining, had that tired feeling, and friends said she would not live over three months. She had a bad

Cough

and nothing seemed to do her any good. I happened to read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and had her give it a trial. From the very first dose she began to get better. After taking a few bottles she was completely cured and her health has been the best ever since." MRS. ADDIE PECK, 15 Railroad Place, Amsterdam, N. Y.

"I will say that my mother has not stated my case in as strong words as I would have done. Hood's Sarsaparilla has truly cured me and I am now well." CORA PECK, Amsterdam, N. Y.

Be sure to get Hood's, because

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1 Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, reliable and beneficial. 25c.

Killed by a Rattlesnake.

A rancher of Antelope Valley, Cal., died from rattlesnake bite a week or so ago. He went to feed his dogs late one night, and thrust his hand into one of the kennels. A huge desert snake in the kennel bit him. He was not able to get medical attention until the next day, when it proved unavailing, and he died in great agony. Almost his whole body turned coal black.

A Bloodthirsty Monarch.

The King of Benin, on the west coast of Africa, believes in the efficacy of human sacrifices. When times are good he kills a large number of slaves, and in seasons of calamity he kills an equally large number of these unfortunates, and in both cases to appease the gods, who are supposed to be equally angry at the good and the ill fortune of mortals.

MOTHERS MUST GUIDE.

Should Watch the Physical Development of Their Daughters.

Information They Should Furnish at the Proper Time—Knowledge by Which Suffering May Be Avoided.

Every mother possesses information of vital value to her young daughter. When the girl's thoughts become sluggish, with headache, dizziness, and a disposition to

sleep, pains in back and lower limbs, eyes dim, desire for solitude, and a dislike to the society of children: when she is a mystery to herself and friends, then, her mother should come to her aid.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will, at this time, prepare the system for the coming change. See that she has it, and Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., will cheerfully answer any letters where information is desired. Thousands of women owe their health to her and the Vegetable Compound, and mothers are constantly applying to her for advice regarding their daughters.

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ASK YOUR DEALER FOR

W. L. DOUGLAS $3. SHOE BEST IN THE WORLD.

If you pay $4 to $6 for shoes, examine the W. L. Douglas Shoe, and see what a good shoe you can buy for **$3.**

OVER 100 STYLES AND WIDTHS,

CONGRESS, BUTTON, and LACE, made in all kinds of the best selected leather by skilled workmen. We make and sell more $3 shoes than any other manufacturer in the world. None genuine unless name and price is stamped on the bottom.

Ask your dealer for our $5, $4, $3.50, $3.00, $2.25 Shoes, $2.50, $2 and $1.75 for boys.

TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE. If your dealer cannot supply you, send to factory, enclosing price and 30 cents to pay carriage. State kind, style of toe (cap or plain), size and width. Our Catalogue free will fill your order. Send for new Illustrated Catalogue of Shoes.

W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

NEWS AND NOTES FOR WOMEN.

SHE WROTE FOR GEORGE.

The first successful woman editor and proprietor of a newspaper in this country was, according to the Hartford Courant, Miss Watson, who edited the Courant 120 years ago. She numbered among her subscribers George Washington.

STRAW HATS.

The straw hats and bonnets which are on exhibition in the shops are almost without exception of extravagant patterns and of odd colors. Peculiar blues, greens and reds predominate, with a few black straws curiously woven, and still fewer of white or cream.

DUCHESS HAS A NUBIAN ATTENDANT.

The Duchess of Marlborough has a young Nubian as a personal attendant, a living souvenir of the recent visit of the Duke and Duchess to Egypt. The Nubian sleeps outside the bedroom of the Duchess at night and attracts considerable attention even in Paris, where colored attendants are not rare. —New York World.

A CUBAN SYMPATHIZER.

Miss Susan B. Anthony, who is now crossing the continent for a long visit in California, said in Chicago: "I have been so intensely interested in Cuba and hope so much to see them free that I would be willing to wait awhile for the suffrage vote to see them win their noble fight for liberty, and to see the women—who have been with the patriots—given an equal place in the new republic." — Detroit Free Press.

A WOMAN AT THE BAR.

Mrs. Wesley R. Davis, a lady in the prime of middle life and the mother of a grown-up son, was the only woman among the 100 candidates who applied for admission to the bar of New York State in New York City, on the last Saturday of January. Harper's Bazar says: "It has been Mrs. Davis's pleasure to share her son's legal studies, and she has patiently trodden the beaten path which lies before all who force their way into the inviting, but jealously guarded, profession of her choice. A Southern woman, coming of a family of jurists, Mrs. Davis inherited a predilection for the law, and her friends hope she may enjoy a marked success and win laurels and money in her new vocation."

VALUE OF A BECOMING BONNET.

The value of a becoming bonnet cannot be calculated. One's gown may be simple, may have been made over a number of times, may, indeed, be almost shabby, but if the bonnet is becoming all else is forgotten.

One's bonnet has much to do with bringing out the virtues or otherwise, not only of one's eyes and hair, but of one's skin and the shape of one's head. The round-faced, plump beauty must give up her ties unless they are of the narrowest and looped with so much care that the idea of framing the full moon is not suggested. She whose face is slender (politeness gives that name to thinness), then there must be a soft, full framing and broad loops that will tone down all angles. She who is sallow must admire rose, pale blue and heliotrope on other women, choosing golden brown, that most charitable of tones, deep crimson, and if a light evening color is required, a delicate shrimp to make the yellow of her skin white. The pale woman chooses rose, dark blue, all reds, dark green, glowing purple and black to gain color, while she of the rosy cheeks selects pale blue, heliotrope, olive, cream white and crimson, if she wishes them not to look like roses. If your eyes are dull do not make them seem more so by putting sparkling jet or brilliant rhinestones near them.—Boston Cultivator.

A CLEVER WOMAN SCULPTOR.

Miss Bessie Onahotema Potter, whose work is so markedly original as to bring her fame while yet in her teens, is a St. Louis girl, young, enthusiastic, with the light hearted cordiality of a happy child. She is a wee mite of a woman, with great, dark eyes and an expression of rare sweetness and strength. Miss Potter is an artist by instinct, affection and training. Her art impulse is essentially modern and realistic. Indeed, her ability to see the artistic possibilities in modern life is undoubtedly one phase of her genius, and it is this characteristic that has so individualized her work and brought her such immediate recognition in the art world.

When the fashionable young women of Chicago come to Miss Potter's studio to be "done" in one of her portrait statuettes, she does not insist upon their donning Greek or Empire gowns, or suggest a Gainsborough hat or lace drapery. She accepts her sitters as they come, dressed by Worth, Doucet or a Chicago modiste, finding, as she expresses it, "'lines' and grace enough in the nineteeth century maiden and her gowns to satisfy her in the interpretation of art."

Miss Potter does not confine herself to this work in miniature; she has done excellent work in life size busts and bas-reliefs. Her bust of Professor David Swing, completed a year ago, is, perhaps, the most impressive piece of work she has ever modeled. After seeing the bust one does not need to be told that Professor Swing was a great hearted, big brained leader of men.—Demorest's Magazine.

GOSSIP.

It was by a majority of only one that female suffrage was defeated in the Iowa Senate.

Five thousand two hundred and fifty patents have been issued to women in the United States.

One of the most successful dealers in mines and real estate in the world is Mrs. H. C. Cosgrove, of Joplin, Mo.

Mrs. H. W. B. Story is known as the "woman fruit grower of Southern Calitornia." She has one of the largest walnut groves in the world.

Mrs. S. S. Frackelton is famous for her own inventions. She began by grinding clay in a coffee mill and rolling it out with a pastry roller.

Mrs. Caroline H. Polhemus, of Brooklyn, proposes to build a dispensary for the Long Island Hospital, to cost $250,000; also to give $250,000 for its endowment.

Mrs. Caridad Aguero de Richards, widow of a prominent Cuban physician, bought the first gun used in the Cuban warfare and carried the cartridges to Camaguey.

Nearly 400 English women were elected on the poor law boards, forty women on the Parish councils. The total number of women elected this year in England and Wales is 893, a gain of 624 on last year.

In New South Wales the two great opposing political leaders, Sir Henry Parks and Sir George Dobbs, have both declared themselves in favor of woman suffrage, and the Legislature has passed a resolution supporting their views by a very large majority.

The Empress of Japan is President of the Red Cross Society, the orgnization which gave Christian help and sympathy to wounded Chinese prisoners.

Laura A. C. Houghes, a graduate of Tufts College, of the Training School for Nurses and of Sargent's Gymnasium, has been elected a member of the Massachusetts Medical Society and of the Boston Hospital Club. She established one of the first emergency hospitals in Boston.

Miss Gertrude Simons, the Sioux Indian girl who carried off the oratorical honors at the Earlham (Ind.) College the other day, was educated at a Quaker school in Wabash, Ind. She was born on the Sioux Reservation near Deadwood, South Dakota, twenty-two years ago.

High handshaking had its origin in London in the necessity at drawing-rooms and other Court functions of ladies carrying their heavy trains over their arms. Try carrying a weighty drapery over one arm, and see how natural it is to use the right arm as high as possible to shake.

Miss Alice M. Taft, of Upton, Mass., has invented an attachment for a pair of buttoned shoes. It is a common shoe button with attachments so placed that they can be let out or drawn in to suit the wearer's taste. It affords comfort, and Miss Taft thinks she can make quite a a little amount of money on it.

Queen Victoria's most recent occupation has, it is said, been the reading of the works of modern English poets. She has manifested a particular liking for the writings of William Watson, and has read his "Lachrymæ Musarum" several times. Her favorite novelists are George Eliot and William Black.

Mrs. Uhl is considerable of a linguist, speaking with fluency the language of the country to which her husband becomes the second American Ambassador. In this respect she has the advantage of her distinguished consort, who, though himself of German ancestry, is struggling with his earliest German nouns.

In the many silk factories in Turkey a large number of women and girls are employed in unwinding the cocoons. Some of the silk is of a most exquisite yellow and the rest pearly white in color. The poor women can earn only about four plastres a day, equal to fifteen cents, and have to work hard to get even as much as that.

FASHION NOTES.

The latest costumes for bicylists how white cloth facings.

The four-button suede glove will be the glove for spring, and the beautiful soft French gray the most fashionable color.

Brown is the favorite color and many are the beautiful blendings of rose, pink, lavender, green and white with it.

The light-weight English tweeds are shown in hairlines and herringbone stripes of black or gray on a neutral ground.

White is to be a fashionable color and there are to be found some very smart white wraps which will look well with summer silks.

In belts the novaltics are profuse, nothing seeming out of place, although the narrow belts still retain the greatest popularity.

Valenciennes lace is more than ever used for underlinen and other things. The price has gone up twenty per cent. within a very short time.

Among the wash dresses in preparation for summer two features are prominent—one is the belted basque giving a short frill all around below the belt; the other is bishop sleeves, full and straight, gathered into wristbands.

Hemstitching and fine lace are the preferred trimmings for garments for the little ones. Embroidery must be ironed with more or less dressing, and is scratchy and disagreeable. Many a child cries of hurts brought about by uncomfortable clothes, or those made of unsuitable material.

Green crepe cloth made up with a front and sleeves of green brocade, patterned with pink and gold, which gives the effect of embroidery, makes a very serviceable tea gown, and the plaited epaulets and turnover collar of crepe should be embroidered on the edge in colors to match the brocade.

The skirts of all the summer silks are very wide, and flare out more than ever. Some are trimmed, but the majority are plain, only the arrangement of the stripes gives the effect of trimming. All the waists have a basque back, or have a bias ruffle which starts from the side and is very full at the back.

TEMPERANCE.

THE LIQUOR SELLER'S PSALM OF LIFE.

Tell me not in wild orations
That the business I am in,
Is, of all men's occupations,
Most depraved and full of sin.

Life is real, and Gold and Silver
Are the things that count with men;
Money's king; we must get money;
What's the difference how or when?

"Illegal traffic?" Bosh and nonsense;
Read that License; read it well;
This whole Government behind it
Gives me perfect right to sell.

What if women broken hearted
Pray that God may let them die?
What if mother's weep, and children—
Drunkard's children moan and cry?

What if beer and rum and whisky
Crowd men into prison cells,
Robbing them of all their manhood,
Sending them to drunkards' hells?

Lives of rich men all remind me
I can get there just the same.
With a bank account behind me
What care I for fame or name?

As to all your moral questions
I have only this to say:
There's my License, bought and paid for,
Stamped with Uncle Sam's O. K.
—Phebie Dodo, in Ram's Horn.

A RED MAN'S TEMPERANCE LECTURE.

It would seem that the white man, on account of his superior advantages, should be the teacher of his red brother, but in the following incident the Indian sets the good example and teaches a much needed temperance lesson.

In the dense forests along the banks of the Black River in Northern Michigan foxes and wolves are numerous, and occasionally a bear or deer may be seen.

One day a sportsman, after a long chase, succeeded in shooting a deer, and as he was a long way up the river, he decided to call at the nearest Indian hut and borrow a boat to take his game to Sheboygan. He found an Indian in the woods peeling birch bark, and, thinking to ingratiate himself, he drew from his pocket a flask of whisky.

"Me drink no whisky," said the Indian.

"Don't drink whisky?" asked the sportsman, in astonishment; "I thought my red brothers all liked red whisky."

"Yes, me like it," said the Indian.

"Like it, and don't drink it?" exclaimed the sportsman. "If you like it, why not drink it?"

"Me like it and drink little; brother drink little, want more; bimeby heap drunk Injun. Ugh! me no drink any," said the Indian.

The sportsman looked at the Indian, then at the whisky, and finally dashed the flask against a stone, breaking it and emptying the contents upon the ground. He stood gazing at the broken flask awhile, and then told his errand. The Indian rolled up his bark, went to the river with the sportsman, helped to get the deer into the boat and took them to Sheboygan. At parting the sportsman grasped the red man's hand and said: "Thank you for your temperance lecture; I shall drink no more." The Indian smiled, seated himself in the boat and rowed back to his hut.

CHAPLAIN M'CABE ON BEER AND BREAD.

In a recent issue you say, "Anarchists want to get bread by force, but they seem willing to pay for beer." Yes, and how much do they pay? The Anarchists are only a very small wing of the laboring classes of our country. It is hardly worth while to find out how much they pay for beer and whisky, but the millions of working people pay over $750,000,000 every year for that which is not bread. Why not remind them of this fact? They are the main support of the colossal rum traffic which boasts of drawing into its coffers $900,000,000 annually.

The laboring people of the country spend more for whisky and beer than the entire banking capital of the Nation. If they would save what they spend in this way and start banks they could soon have 10,000 banks with $2,250,000,000 capital. Don't get the figures wrong. I'll write it out so there will be no mistake. In three years, by saving what they pour down their throats, they could have banks running in their interest with an aggregate capital of two thousand two hundred and fifty millions of dollars, leaving a net profit of at least one hundred millions a year to be divided among them.

Put this at them—put it at them strong: The way for the poor to get rich is to stop "spending money for that which is not bread and their labor for that which satisfieth not."

Oh for a public press that will speak fearlessly on this subject.—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

DRUNKENNESS DECREASING.

Mr. Arthur Shadwell's article in the National Review on "The Decline of Drunkenness" compares the state of things in 1834, as revealed before a select committee of the House of Commons, with the latest statistics about the present time. If we go back to the police returns of 1833 we find a very fair test: The returns for 1833 give the number of "drunks" in London for the previous year as 29,880 to a population of 1,555,000, or one to fifty in round numbers. More than one-third were women; or, to be exact, the proportion was eleven women to nineteen men. In the two previous years the number was considerably higher. Moreover, according to Mr. Chambers, a police magistrate, these figures did not include 8360 "disorderly" cases, who were separately charged, bringing the full list up to 38,440, or about one to forty. In 1894 the number of "drunks" in the Metropolitan Police area and the city was 25,908, to a population of 5,638,896, or one to 216 in round numbers. In order to be quite fair, however, it should be mentioned that the figures for 1894 refer only to convictions; while it is not clear whether those of 1833 were all convicted, or only charged with the offence. But taking them as arrests only, and comparing them with the 34,658 apprehensions of last year, we still have a relative amount of public drunkenness in 1833 fully four times greater than in 1894.

CURED BY HIS PICTURE.

A woman in Salemville, Penn., who had suffered great distress for many years on account of her husband's convivial habits, determined at last that he should know how he looked when he was drunk, says an exchange. She felt that this would be a disagreeable revelation, for, like most men who drink to excess, he never appeared to think that he might look any worse than other men. So once, when he came home under the influence of more liquor than was necessary and fell into a maudlin slumber, she sent for a photographer and ordered him to take a picture of her husband as he sat in his chair. This the photographer faithfully did, and the picture was a great success, being an excellent likeness. Next morning the husband found the photograph lying beside his plate at the breakfast table. There was no need of explanation, for it explained itself. He studied it long and hard, and then put it in his pocket. Since then he has not taken a drink.

ALL THE BLAME.

A stronger attack upon the liquor traffic could not be made than is contained in the following lines written by a Washington saloon-keeper to his wife just before he committed suicide after a drunken debauch: "Dear Wife—Give all the blame to the business we went in unadvisedly." The writer of those words was once a respected business man. He went into the saloon business and now his body lies in a drunkard's grave.

TEMPERANCE NEWS AND NOTES.

When the saloon dies, the devil will put on deep mourning.

Drunkenness comes from drinking, and woe, misery, crime and death come from drunkenness.

No one will succeed in reforming others, who has not begun on himself. All true reformers work from the center, outward.

The friends of total abstainers hail as a good sign the admitted fact that the number of people who decline intoxicating drinks offered them when visiting is steadily increasing.

"Dey is a mighty good temperance sermon in a freight train," says Uncle Mose. "No matter how much de cars gets loaded, de engine what does de work gits along strictly on water."

The following is one of the Ram's Horn's characteristic say'ngs: "Some people drink spirits down to keep their spirits up; but they soon be some time above the shoulders, where they can not get any crutches to help them."

Booth's Message Scratched on Glass.

On August 13, 1864, John Wilkes Booth was playing a dramatic engagement in Meadville, Pennsylvania. Upon his arrival in the city that day he registered at the McHenry House, then kept by a Mr. R. M. U. Taylor, and after the performance in the evening retired alone to his room. When the servant entered his room the next morning, after Booth had left the hotel and city, an inscription was discovered scratched in a large hand on one of the window panes: "Abe Lincoln departed this life Aug. 13th, 1864, by the effects of poison." Little attention was paid to the writing on the glass at the time, but as soon as it was learned that Booth had killed the President, the circumstances connected with the window inscription were recalled, the glass was removed from its sash, framed in a plain black wood frame, a piece of dark velvet being placed at its back to facilitate reading, and the signature of Booth entered on the register on August 13 was cut from the book and attached to the window glass. The original pane is now in the possession of the War Department, to which it was presented by the daughter of the owner of the hotel, Miss Mary McHenry, some time after the assassination of the President. All of the circumstances in connection with the glass are certified to by Miss McHenry and by other residents of Meadville.—Century.

A Faithful Dog Postman.

He is a faithful, cautious official, the hero of the East Sullivan, Me., dog story. Don, the dog postman, has been taught to carry the mail daily across the field to the home of G. E. Simpson, a distance of about one-fourth of a mile, where he makes known the arrival of the mail by barking at the door, and, although not a Government employe, exacts his pay in the form of something to eat, and will bark until his demand is granted. One day last week he carried the mail, as usual, but on arriving at the house could not gain admittance, as Mr. and Mrs. Simpson were away, and, as it was about noon, he was anxious to deliver the bundle of papers to get his commission. As the only person about the place was a young man hauling wood (a stranger to the dog), he would not give up the mail, but with a crestfallen countenance brought it back to his master. The Bar Harbor Record thinks there are emptier heads than Don's.—Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

What Neglect May Do.

There are some infirmities that only a surgeon's knife will relieve, and mostly strictly because of neglect. A neglected nerve pain may become so chronic as to cripple, and this is often the case with Sciatica. If taken in time, it is easily subdued, like other nerve pains, and vigor and health are restored. Thousands of cases have been treated by the use of St. Jacobs Oil, with the result of a prompt and permanent cure and restoration to health of the affected nerve. People cannot be too careful with their nerves. There is too much to suffer to admit of foolish neglect, and the simple thing of getting a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil and applying promptly may save years of misery and perhaps years of crippled condition. Let this warning serve to show what can be and what ought to be done without delay in an attack of this disease.

A number of minor industries are being located in the South by Western people.

Dr. Kilmer's SWAMP-ROOT cures all Kidney and Bladder troubles. Pamphlet and Consultation free. Laboratory Binghamton, N. Y.

The German Emperor's latest diversion has been to lead a band.

When an article has been sold for 33 years, in spite of competition and cheap imitations, it must have superior quality. Dobbins' Electric Soap has been constantly made and sold since 1865. *Ask your grocer for it.* Best of all.

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SUFFERERS FROM COUGHS, SORE THROAT, etc., should be constantly supplied with "*Brown's Bronchial Troches.*" Avoid imitations.

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If you own a dog and think anything of him, you should be able to treat him intelligently when ill and understand him sufficiently to detect symptoms of illness. The dog doctor book written by H. Clay Glover, D. V. S., specialist in canine diseases to the principal kennel clubs, will furnish this information. It is a cloth bound, handsomely illustrated book, and will be sent postpaid by the Book Publishing House, 134 Leonard St., N. Y. City, on receipt of 40 cts. in postage stamps.

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Six Weeks Without Water.

An incident that shows the wonderful power that sheep possess of living for a long time without water is reported from Invernesshire, Scotland. About seven weeks ago three sheep were missed from the farm of Balsparden, Ardersier. Every effort was made to find them, but without success. A few days ago, however, a barley stack was taken down, and the missing animals were discovered imprisoned in the wooden framework in the center. They had subsisted for more than six weeks on barley alone. One has since died.

Electric Chaise for Victoria.

Invention says that an electric chaise was ordered by the late Prince Henry of Battenberg for Queen Victoria. The vehicle, which is not yet finished, is built upon a double framework of tubes with a head tube for steering much as a bicycle has, the steering handle being somewhat like that used in bath chairs. The body of the carriage is composed of aluminum, and it runs upon three wheels, fitted with michelin tires; the propelling force is a dynamo driven with Fulmen accumulators.

ALMOST CRAZED.

THOUGHT HER CHILD WAS GOING TO DIE.

The Terrible Ordeal of a Mother---Her Little Girl Almost Faded Away---Saved in the Nick of Time---A Story That Will Touch the Heart of Every Mother.

From the Journal, Detroit, Mich.

A very grateful mother is Mrs. A. L. Hartness, of 676 Grandy Avenue, Detroit, for the wonderful cure which her daughter has received by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Said Mrs. Hartness: "Yes, my daughter's life has been saved by using Pink Pills, thanks to a kind friend who recommended them to me.

"Blanche was sick for over three years. She had the care of the best physicians procurable, and no expense or trouble was spared to give her relief. She was so thin that she was fairly skin and bones, her digestion was out of order and she had the most awful headaches. We gave up all hope of her recovery. Her long, thin, listless face made me nearly crazy, and we did everything in our power to give her strength and induce her to take an interest in anything.

"One day a friend told me about the Pink Pills, and Mr. Hartness went down town and got three boxes. She had taken about one box, when, to my amazement, one morning I heard her playing on the piano. I could hardly believe it, for it had been over a year since the piano had been opened.

"Soon she began to take short rides on her bicycle, and soon she went singing around the house, our own happy, hearty little daughter once more.

"She thinks nothing of a spin on her wheel over to Mt. Clemens or Pontiac, and is as well as she ever was.

"I had a girl living at our house who was a great sufferer from impoverished blood, and who received instant and permanent relief from the use of one box of the pills.

"If this information can be of any use to help some poor sick one, it is given with the greatest of pleasure."

The proprietors of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills state that they are not a patent medicine, but a prescription used for many years by an eminent practitioner who produced the most wonderful results with them, curing all forms of weakness arising from a watery condition of the blood or shattered nerves, two fruitful causes of almost every ill to which flesh is heir. The pills are also a specific for the troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, all forms of weakness, chronic constipation, bearing down pains, etc., and in the case of men will give speedy relief and effect a permanent cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork, or excesses of whatever nature. They are entirely harmless and can be given to weak and sickly children with the greatest good and without the slightest danger. Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price (50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50—they are never sold in bulk or by the 100), by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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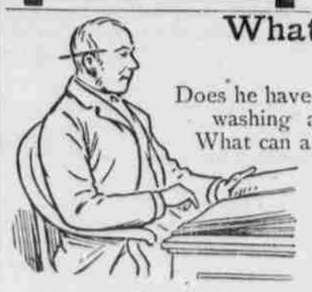

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