A MAN OF THE WORLD.

A man more kindly, in his careless way, Than many who profess a higher cre Whose fickle love might change from da

to oday.

And yet be faithful to a friend in need ose manners covered, through life's

Like charity, a multitude of sins. A man of honor, too, as such things go; Discreet and secret, qualities of use;

auts and ms.

Belfish, but not self-conscious, generous To anger, but most ready to excuse; His wit and eleverness consisted not So much in what he said as what he got

His principles one might not quite com And they were much too simple to mis

Never to turn his back upon a friend, Never to lie but for a woman's sake: To take the sweets that came within his And pay the price, if there were price to

Idle, good looking, negatively wise,

Lazy in action, plausible in speech; Cavor he found in many women's eyes, And valued most that which was hard to reach.

Few are both true and tender, and he In time a little tenderer than true.

Knewing much evil, half-regrettingly And we regret a childish impulse lost, Wenried with knowledge best not under-

Bored with the disenchantment that it But in conclusion, with no feelings hid, A centleman, no matter what he did.

## A TRAGEDY OF FRIENDSHIP.

flicking the ashes from his cigar. "I fellows, whom we'll call Tom and Jack, antil I say go! started out to seek their fortunes ranchital exhausted, downright hard work dashed out.

and privation inevitable, they came to of them wished it-that they had never exchanged the commonplace comforts of civilization for the intoxicating upcertainty of frontier life. These two youngsters, having a tidy bit of capital etween them on coming of age, corcluded to invest it in cattle, and fixed upon Arizona as the most favorable spor for their financial experiment.

conquered every difficulty and made a | through-all that was left, that is. good start. They built themselves a snug little house, were joint owners of quite a bunch of cattle, and had several boys as helpers. They had always been the closest of chums, these two, born in the same town, schoolmates in boyhood, classmates at the university- to Dolores." you never knew two chaps more de-

a ruddy skin, honest blue eyes, and a spirit qualied for the moment. laugh-weil. I tell you it did a fellow good just to hear him roar in his hearty way when any one got off a joke.

"Jack was a little fellow, a bit delijudgment and consult about business matters was to think Tom's little part | neck of his horse. per one of the biggest and cleverest business heads of the age.

"For some time there had been on mors of an Indian outbreak. The Apaches were getting restless and already several small bands had stolen cautious haste. away from the reservation to biding homes and property, especially where light! there were women and children to be considered.

was to lose everything, the hard-won re-was to lose everything, the hard-won re-"Hold on, Jack; you must hold on unthey descrited, the boys couldn't be ex- til we get through the canyon.' There pected to stay. There was a bare was a savage light in Tom's eyes ach?" for just then the cowboy caught chance of things blowing over, and in 'Can't you manage it?' any case watchfulness and systematic "Tli try, murmured Jack, faintly, and

safety when the critical moment arrived was anticipated and done.

ing ranch came riding in like mad, hat too much! gone, blood streaming down his face. and every one killed but himself. He. although closely pursued, had succeeded in cluding the Apaches, who were, however, close behind him

"Tom-he was naturally the leaderwindows were barricaded, last details was unhurt by the fall. of defense completed. The horses were brought inside to a place aiready prepared for them, so that if need be there at the water casks, in readiness to put out the fires which would inevitably be

"It was not a long wait. In a very but life for both? Impossible. short time the ranch was surrounded by a large band of whooping devils who evidently expected to find the had just destroyed, for, without a mo ward it.

a still greater pitch of frenzy. "Three days went by, days of con dant vigilance and steady fighting him securely to the saddle. The Apaches tried every dodge known! to their mode of warfare without any | hold them here.' success. Tom's really masterly line of defense and the plucky co-operation of tone was agonized. 'With me, Tom-or the boys seemed to make it probable -die-together.' and they would be able to hold out un ill the arrival of the troops, who were known to be hot on the trail of the Intians. The greatest danger to be feared was fire. Already the Apaches had made several attempts to fire the house started the horse off like a shot. by hurling burning brands against it i but the boys at the water casks had

een too quick for them, while the air from the stupor of unconsciousness of these at the loopholes was so deadly lack found himself tenderly cared for OUR BOYS AND GIRLS that none of the Indians had succeedthat none of the Indians had succeed him, but unable even then to explain him, but unable even then to explain what had occurred. Fever set in, and Row Nevice Helped with the P

to tell on them all; several of them delirium of Tom, calling for him, be Papa was sitting at his table writing a wers wounded, and suffering had made seeching him not to stay behind. hem lost heart; they had given up been so heavy that everyone knew the rible story a rescuing party was or "How do you do, Miss I price which would be exacted by say. ganized and hurried to Seven Mile I'm very glad to see you." age revenge. Still, there was nothing Canyon with all the speed which was to do but to hold on. The Apaches lay prudent. hidden, but if by chance anyone showed himself at the ranch there was an in-

stant rain of spattering bullets. "To complicate maters, the water supfinally down in a little gully the skele bly began to run alarmingly low; there ton of a man lying face downward up papa. "But I think that I would better came into use. was barely enough for the Lorses and on the ground, one end of a rode tied keep the pens; that will be my part of men, none to spare for the lavish use about the neck, the other attached to a the work; your part will be to take Ame nany horses there are in the city than demanded in putting out even a small stak? driven deep into the ground lia and some picture-books and sit up any other man living here. The reason blaze. The suspense was horrible. Tem Alongside was a fairylike skeleton fas at this table here, and not make a bit saw that something would have to be ione. That something was very sud same stake. tenly precipitated by the Indians them-

Dolores.

upon Tom.

"He must have been surprised ant

overpowered at the end, for he would

certainly have reserved a last shot for

himself rather than brave Indian tor

ture. How they took him prisoner one

does not know, but having suffered

such severe loss at the ranch and in the

canyon it is natural to suppose that the

could be too devilish a torture to inflic

the ground, fastened him by a rope

"In this part of Arizona rattlesnakes

are more than numerous-they simply

swarm. It was the work of a moment

"But-mark the fiendishness of the

"Again and again the snake struck.

"My God! it's too awful to contem

of moisture upon the hempen rope was

brought him nearer and nearer to his

"Upon the rawhide the rain had a

"The snake, feeling invigorated by

Again it was held back; again, angry

and vindictive, it struck at Tom, this

time a little nearer his face-and again

closer, as Tom, despite his superhuman

effort, was being pulled toward the

"Can you imagine the awful agony

the lingering death, the bones-picked

by the vultures? Brave, noble Tom

who died to save a friend-bah! how

. . . . . . .

It was not the smoke that troubled

the ranchman's eyes—his cigar had long

In the dead silence which followed

als thoughts, to judge by his expression

ed the Idiot. "Did you know Tom?-

him a most beautiful kick on the shin.

was Jack."-New York Tribune.

"I," said the ranchman, huskily, "I-

GENUINE HOSPITALITY.

and Woolly West,

ze got away from the plane the mule

walked through one of the seats to

which I went on with the orchestral ac

companiment, and we closed the play

with the fellow that captured the mul-

"The manager of the theater claims

lamages, captured all of the box re

ceipts and we could not get out of town

Of course, we expected to walk, but I'I

A new use has been found for old

glass bottles. They are now ground

up and used in place of sand for mor-

tar. There can be but little doubt that

it is a suitable material, and that a

although it is doubtful if it is as dara

ble as pure quartzoze sand. Its cost

however, will prevent its use to apy

district where sand is easily and

chemply obtained, and the supply must

Smith\_I didn't know you betted.

Jones-Yes; I have a "system."

necessarily be limited.

strong mortar can be made by its use.

be blamed if the landlord didn't pack us

riding him around the opera house.

"By Jove, that was a man!" ejaculat

this smoke gets into one's eves."

since gone out.

were far away.

"At last the snake struck home.

stake by the shortening rope.

different effect it stretched it-length-

main as the pressure of the rope

"Can you understand? Can you see

to shrink it!

'ate?

ened it.

friendship had cost him too dear?"

"Creeping up as close to the house as possible, they made a series of rushes had overtaken poor Tom. at the side least defended, and each time, despite the lass of one or two more of their number, succeeded in throwing a lot of brush up against the house This was as dry as tinder and a last well-directed brand set fire to the heap Water was at once thrown on the

lames, but they were almost immediitely beyond control. " Boys,' said Tom, as the heat grew nomentarily more intense, 'we can't die lke rats in a hole. There's only one chance. We must cut our way through The horses are here; we'll go out in a bunch. Some of us are sure to be dropped, but some of us may get through. It's our only hope; if we have to die it'il be with our boots on and our

guns in our hands." "The men answered with a ringing "This last little Indian scare reminds theer. It was what they wanted-to me of something that happened some lie, if need be, with their boots on: die twenty years ago," said the ranchman, fighting.

"'Jack,' said Tom, as he tightened his might call it the story of a modern addlegirths, and looked carefully at Damon and Pythlas but for the de svery strap, Jack, dear old boy, you and sandy gully laid him on his face upon nonement, which, I warn you, is not a I go out together. We've done our best particularly joyful one, still, if you fel- to save the ranch, but they've downed around his neck to the stake. lows don't mind the tragic, here goes: us at last. We'll show them what we're About twenty years ago two young made of, though. Steady, now, boys,

swarm. It was the work of a moment to catch a big snake by means of a loop of crackling flame, although the exultant yells outside indicated only too plainly the welcome which awaited to the saddles, the horses were readynone too soon, for the animals were note to the saddles, the horses were readynone too soon, for the animals were quivering with fear. The door was thrown open, the signal given and with a which away, found itself held by the same stake which imprisoned to the saddles, the horses were readynone too soon, for the animals were thrown open, the signal given and with a which away, found itself the work of a moment to catch a big snake by means of a loop of cord at the end of a pole and to the hold you. We'll all three sing if you'll the hold you. We'll all three ing in Arizona. The ranch fever was of crackling flame, although the exalt. of cord at the end of a pole and to the play." just then about at its height. England ant yells outside indicated only too him by a piece of rawhide through the and Australia as well as our own cast plainly the welcome which awnited tail to the same stake which imprisoned re set ling out idiots in droves to the them. The wounded had been fastened Tom. Young fellows, many of them to the saddles, the horses were readywell educated and of good birth and none too soon, for the animals were brought up to every luxury, shaply quivering with fear. The door was a whide, and, savage with anger, struck went wild over the primitive freedom thrown open, the signal given and with at the nearest thing, which was-poor of that adventurous life, until, with cap- the well-known wild cowboy yell they Tom's face!

"Straight as a bullet, in a solid bunch, torture—the snake could not quite reach wish-heaven knows how bitterly some all yelling like demons, they rode for Tem. the Apaches. Taken by surprise, but "The rope was just long enough to only for a second, by the sight of the prevent the reptile from touching him, horses, the Indians rushed to their own not long enough but that Tom must ponies. Whoops and shots rang out, feel the agonizing possibility of being out close together the little band rode, bitten. Fome and Jack gallantly leading.

"To right and left they emptied their but fell short. Poor Tom! Parched with evolvers, while many a red devil bit thirst, hungry, baked by the sun, tauntthe dust, and also, alas, many a saddle | 2d by his captors, what must have been "In a surprisingly short time they had was emptled, until at last they were his thoughts! Did he not feel that

"'Hurray!' yelled Tom, 'Now for a ace! They are after us, Jack. But platenever mind; we'll make straight for Seven Mile canvon. If we can only get through safe and sound they'll never eatch us, and then it's clear thirty miles

of them left, and that bloodthirsty pack Tom was a big fellow, blond, with in the rear! Even his splendid, buoyant

"Then as he looked at Jack-Jack game, but weakened by the siege, pale from excitement, blood-stained, hardly human in appearance-his nerve came cate, not really equal to roughing it. back. With set teeth be dashed on. He used to complain that Tom did the Crack! One more empty saddle-anbiggest share of the work but Tom other man gone. As they reached the never would hear a word of that, and egnyon the last man tumbled-only while they smoked before the rough rom and Jack had survived the deadly stone fireplace, in their one room, of halls,orm of lead. But, as Tom's unevenings, to hear Tom defer to Jack's spoken prayer of gratitude for escape formed itself, Jack fell forward on the

" 'My God! You're hit!" "Never mind: don't stop ' and Jack clung to the pommel of his saddle for support. They were in the canyon now, threading its rocky labyrinth with

"Tom, with thankfulness, heard the places in the mountains. There was, of listant shouts grow fainter. How horcourse, a blg scare, people leaving ribly livid Jack's face was in the dim

"'There's no use; we've got to stop." ie sald, springing from his horse. "Tom and Jack talked it over and de Here, let me fix you up.' And as he cided to stick to the ranch. To leave spoke he bandaged the wound, a nasty

defense might save them, if the worst as the sounds of pursuit again came nearer both men grimly urged their So the ranch was provisioned for a horses to a faster pace. Loss of blood siege and fortified in every way; ad was telling on Jack. Tom saw with jacent outbuildings, which might anguish that he could barely keep his through nearness to the main building sent on the horse. On, for a chance to become dangerous, were removed-ev. exert his strength for this weaker comerything, in short, which could insure panion, his boyhood's, manhood's trusty comrade! To die on the field of battle 's in the far West. The last time I was was nothing, but to die cornered, out there we were playing 'Uncle "One day a cowboy from a neighbor | trapped, perhaps tortured-God, it was | Tom's Cabin,' with a real mule. We

"The canyon was nothing more than bills until we reached Red Bluff. There His tale was of the worst. His ranch the bed of an old, dried-up stream, full the owner of the opera house had a had been attacked, the house burned, of bowlders and loose stones. It was plane for an orchestra, and it stood juslangerous work dashing through at full below the stage. When the mule came speed, but there was no time to pick on some one in the audience got funny their way; they could only trust to luck. | ind, throwing a lariat around the neck "Suddenly Tom's horse came down of the animal, pulled him off the stage

with a crash. He had stepped into a The mule and the plane got mixed up af once called in all the boys; doors and hole and broken his leg. Luckily Tor | which ruined the orchestra, and when

gasped kicked down one of the boxes before he ''Quick! Up behind me,' "The Indians were at the mouth of where the fellow with the lariat want-

would be means for attempted flight the canyon. They soon gained rapidly ed him. I had a mouth organ, with and possible escape. Every man had upon a wearled horse carrying double, his station, some at the loopholes, some and presently a shout announced their discovery of the prostrated horse.

"Tom's soul sickened within him Safety only thirty miles away. Life. "He had rapidly reviewed the situa-

tion as they traversed the last few hundred yards of the canyon. A jaded house as unprotected as the one they horse, a double burden; one wounded all with our baggage in a bex car, give almost unto death-for Jack was all us plenty of lunch and send us clear to ment's pause, they made a wild rush to ready a dead weight in his arms-all the Virginia City without paying a cent noble, chivalrous quality of Tom's The most hospitable fellow I ever saw." "They were met by a withering vol strong nature asserted itself. Jumping sey from the various loopholes and fel from the saddle as he reached the enback with considerable loss, which, as trance to the canyon, he rapidly una wholesome lesson, had its effect, but fastened Jack's cartridge belt, threw yet undoubtedly roused the Indians to his ride to the ground, and wound his lariat with a few quick turns around the almost unconscious man, fastene

> " 'Jack, dear old chap, you go on. I'l "'No, no,' Jack struggled feebly, his

"T've always been the "boss" and I'm so still. Ride for Dolores and send back for me.' He threw his arms once around his friend in a fight embrace, and with one sharp cut of the rope

Smith-Is't any good? Jones-Very good, if only the horses "Waking days afterward in Dolores

by some of the townspeople who kner

"Still, it was an anxious time. The for several weeks he hovered between Mamma had gone to see Aunt Helen, days went by, the strain was beginning life and death, constantly raving in the so Nellie was left at home with papa.

"The Apaches had been driven back. "We have come to make a call, papa, topes of the troops or of tiring out the but were not completely subdued. But wid Nelle, going into his study. "Please Apaches. The Indian loss, indeed, had as soon as Jack was able to tell his ter yet up and shake hands, and say:

there so heavy that everyone knew the rible story a rescuing party was or "How do you do, Miss Nellie Day?

> "But how can I when I have not fit shed my sermon?" said papa. "I'll help you," said Nellie; "I'll take According to his figures, there are any-"At first no trace of Tom could be found. Then behind a rock was dis one of these pens and help you finish where from 20 to 30 per cent. more now

> covered a pile of cartridge shells, and it, and then you can play with me." "That will be very nice," said her days of the horse car or before the bike tened by a thong of rawhide to the of noise till I speak to you."

"From these mute witnesses those Nellie, as her father lifted her into her familiar with Apache methods were chair. "Indeed it will," said her papa, and able to imagine the awful fate which then he kissed her and went off to his

"This is what must have happened Taking cover behind a rock Tom had | Presently Nellie became so interested held the Indians in check as long as pos | that she forgot everything but her pic sible by pegging away every time a red tures, and was surprised when papa skin gave him the opportunity to make got up and came to her, saying: "Our one of his dead shots. As the ammuni sermon is finished, little girl, and now tion ran low they gathered closer abou we will play. You have helped very much.

"To Tom-brave, heroic Tom-that On Sunday Nellie listened very eager mattered little; his aim was accome ty to that sermon. "For you know, plished. Jack was safe on the road to mamma," she whispered, "I helped papa write it."

Eddie's Musical Kite. Sounds that were not music were heard in the music-room. There was the mewing of kittens, mingled with the voice of little Eddie. The boy loved the kittens, and was never known to barm them, so no attention was paid to the noise until it had continued so long Apaches were wild with rage. Nothing that Kitty, the nurse, was sent to look into the matter. She returned in a moment and called Eddie's mother to see "They tied his hands behind him, tiet what the child was doing. He had a his feet, and taking him down into the kitten in each hand, holding them on the stool in front of the plane. Both were very angry, for he was holding them hard, and he was saying:

"That's right. Sing, kitties, sing. But why don't you play? That would be nice. I can't play because I have to list clients money of large or small amounts exclusively in New York City rent-bearing.



EDDIE AND THE KITTENS.

near the snake and end it all."

"Finally the shower counted upon by the Apaches came. It refreshed both the snake and the man, but—the effect animals, his mother entered the snake and the man, but—the effect animals, his mother entered the snake and the man, but—the effect animals. The mother entered the snake and end it all."

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poor Tom, digging his toes into the sand, holding back with might and were getting ready to go away after the party last night Uncle Harry said Beware of they were packing up their musical kits, and I don't see why our kits can't

Tokio, Japan, has adopted the arch he rain, again tried to crawl away, system for the two miles of elevated railroad which it has been decided to build there at a cost of \$2,000,000.

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"Will that really be helping?" asked baul them off when they are dead. "I know that the average citizen befeves that the advent of the trolley car and the bicycle dispensed with the use of horses almost entirely, but this is not the case. The bicycle dude and the trolley car patron never owned horses. The only horses the trolley car knocked out were the plugs that nobody else would care to own, and there were not half as many of them as is generally supposed.

"Good horses are as hard to get now

as they ever were, and probably harder, for the reason that not so many of them are being bred. You can't hire a to love our enemies as our friends. rig at a livery stable any cheaper now you drive out you will find more rigs on world. the streets than there were ten years ago. The trolley car has killed the market for scrub horses, and they are cheaper, but a scrub horse is not cheap at any figure. I have been trying to get a first-class team for three years, and am willing to pay any kind of a price for them, but I have not been able to roadsters is going to become one of the most profitable businesses in the country."-St. Louis Republic.

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Health Commissioner Starkloff, of St. Louis, Mo., will at the next meeting of the Board of Health recommend that preliminary tuberculosis be deTRUMPET CALLS.

envious of evil-doers will soon be an evil-doer himself.
The man who

will not live up to his convictions is untrue to himself. Where the temperature is just right for a saint it is too warm for s sinner. You know the

man when you know the company he Every one who has to teach children ought to be taught of God.

The existence of a personal devil is not doubted by any true Christian. When people find out that it is blessed to give, they never want to stop.

Whenever faith moves a mountain

love should direct where it is to go. The Lord can make it as easy for us Make the devil let go of the children than you could ten years ago, and if and he will soon have to give up the

> The Christian's light should shine the brightest where it is needed the most.

The devil is always certain of catching some mother's boy where he baits his hook with a moderate drinker. It is impossible to discourage the find what I want. I predict that within man who has learned in whatsoever the next five years the breeding of good condition he finds himself therewith to

> The man who sits on a limb and saws who thinks he can sin without having to suffer.

Say to the mountain, "Remove hence way is to peck at it now and then with his little shovel.

The firm of shipbuilders known evpoints in the West. E. S. Cramp, while medicine."-Miss Marie F. Johnson, Centralia, Pa. in Chicago perfecting arrangements for the Rockford plant, bespeaks for the new product an immense financial success, which will be shared liberally by the farmers. He says of the finished product:

"Our experiments with this new cofferdam material have shown that it is the most perfect in its action of anything of the kind ever used. The French have something like it made of cocoa fiber but the English have found it so upsatisfactory that they have never used it. Its use is simple. The sides of the ship are stuffed with it, and when a shot penetrates the water swells the cofferdam and closes the leak, or at least stops it sufficiently to keep the ship from sinking."

Regarding the gathering of the stalk Mr. Cramn says:

"All that is necessary is simply the bare stalk. Thus, after busking the corn, farmers may let the cattle int the field, as they do now, and when the cattle have consumed the leaves and all they can eat the stalks can be brought to our factories. Nothing we need has been put to any use in the past. There are two or three tons of cornstalks to the acre, which can be cut for about \$1 an acre, leaving the rest to the farmer. We expect to pay about \$2 a ton for the stalks."

It will be a nice thing, of course, for Rockford and Illinois to have this new manufacturing industry, and especially fortunate that a use has been found for what has formerly been a waste product. But it is doubtful if Mr. Cramp will be able to get his stalks for \$2 a ton. There are probably two or three tons of these stalks to the acre, and at a low estimate they could be cut for \$1.80 an acre. But then there would be the cost of loading and teaming to the nearest rallroad station, perhaps three or four miles distant, and labor for this work and all these expenses would bring the cost of the stalks up to about \$3 a ton. Even at this price it is not probable there would be any great profit in it for the farm ers. Yet there will be some profit, and it will be desirable to see the experiment tried. If the farmers can manage to get a substantial return from these stalks that have always been considered worthless, the profits may serve to offset to some extent the losses in curred because of the low price of corn

He Was Thankful. A young American who was bicycling in Southern France was pushing his wheel up a steep hill, when he over took a peasant with a donkey-cart who was rapidly becoming stalled though the little donkey was doing his best. The benevolent wheelman, putting his left hand against the back of the cart and guiding his wheel with the other, pushed so hard that the donkey, taking fresh courage, pulled his load up to the top successfully. The summit reached, the peasant burst into thanks to his benefactor. "It was very good of you, monsieur," he said; "I should never in the world have got up the hill with only one donkey!"

Aluminum. Aluminum heel tips are coming in vogue in England, and bid fair to come into general use. The leather is better protected than in the ordinary manner, and they will not slip on the wooden pavement, which is quite an ad-

She-Would you love me just the same, dearest, if I were poor instead

vantage.

of worth a million? He-I have registered a solemn vow sever to discuss the financial question ıgain.-Detroit Free Press.

Do not refrain from doing because you can only do a little. Remember that God can make that little much.

Brown-I wonder why Paynter was so angry when I asked him what school of art he belonged to? Smith-What school? That implies that he has some thing to learn .- Puck.

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Spools are turned and bored by a simple machine, which is said to be able to complete from 5,000 to 6,000 per

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Eyes of nocturnal animals are larger and of much finer construction. The sun's surface is so intensely bright that an electric light held

from New York City to Porto Rico.

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against it would look black. Arizona convicts have been eased at 70 cents per head a day.

Of the 15,000,000 laboring men in the United States only 1,400,000 be-

An opera singer has been arrested Venezuela because she would not A complete equipment for a railroad

An Aint Fifteen Tours On Bir John Lubbock, the natural been experimenting to find out how long the common ant would live if kept out of harm's way, says the Scientific American. On Aug. 8, 1888, an ant which has been thus kept and tenderly cared for died at the age of 15 years, which is the greatest age any species of insects has yet been known to attain. Another individual of the same species of ant lived to the advanced age of 18 years.

Apoplexy has increased in Eng-land in a very remarkable degree since 1850. In the sixteen years ending with 1866 there were 457 deaths of apoplexy thirty miles lorg was recently shipped per 1,000,000 inhabitants. Last year from New York City to Porto Rico. the ratio was 577 per 1,000,000.

## One of Mrs. Pinkham's Talks

Concerning a Mother's Duty to Her Young Daughter. Together with a Chat with Miss Marie Johnson.

The balance wheel of a woman's life is menstruation. On the proper permance of this function depends her health. Irregularity lays the foundation of many diseases, and is in itself symptom of disease. It is of the greatest importance that regularity be accomplished as soon as possible after the flow

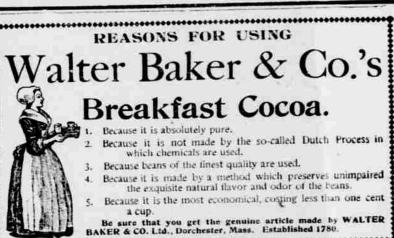
is an established fact. Disturbance of the menstrual function poisons the blood. In young girls suppression develops latent inherited tendencies to scrofuls or consumption, and no time must be lost in restoring regularity. Many a young girl goes to her grave because this difficulty has been thought lightly of, and mother has said, "Time will bring about a cure; she is young, I don't worry about her."

Mother, when you see your daughter languid and indifferent to things that usually interest a young girl, when you note that flush on her cheek. that glassy appearance in her eyes; when your aughter tells you that even the weight of her dress waist oppresses her, and that she has terri-ble pains in her stomach shortly after eating, don't ignore these signs? If you do, you will be follow-

ing your daughter to the grave, for she will die? This is gospel truth—she is developing consumption of the bowels! Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the greatest regulator known to medicine. Make haste to use it on the first appearance of the tell-tale symptoms; it will restore all the female organs to their normal condition. Miss Marie Johnson's letter to Mrs. Pinkham, which follows, should inter-

it off is a Solomon compared to the one est all mothers and young ladies. She says: "My health became so poor that I had to leave school. I was tired all the time, and had dreadful pains in my side and back. I would have the headache to yonder place," is God's way. Man's so badly that everything would appear black before my eyes, and I could not go on with my studies. I was also troubled with irregularity of menses. I was very weak, and lost so much flesh that my friends became alarmed. My mother, who is a firm believer in your remedies from experierywhere as the Cramps has taken up ence, thought perhaps they might benefit me, chemical discovery which is said to and wrote you for advice. I followed the advice a chemical discovery which is said to and wrote you lot transform the outer portion of the you gave, and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable transform the outer portion of the cornstalk into excellent cofferdam or Compound and Liver Pills as you directed, and am ship padding. A factory is to be lo- now as well as I ever was. I have gained flesh

cated at Rockford, Ill., and others are and have a good color. I am completely cured of irregularity. Words cannot to be constructed later on at other express my gratitude, and I cannot thank you enough for your kind advice and





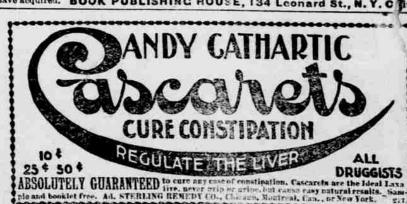
"You see, to start with," said a Cleveland, Ohio, compositor, my work -that of setting type at the case-allows me little chance for exercise, and is too confining for anybody who is in the least subject to indiges-tion or dyspepsia. That has been my trouble for years, and I attribute the recent noticeable improvement in my physical condition to the occasional use of

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