

A PETERBORO MIRACLE. BROUGHT BACK FROM THE BRINK OF THE GRAVE.

A Young Girl's Wonderful Experience—Sickly From Four Months of Age—Her Parents Did Not Think She Would Live a Month—Now a Picture of Health—A Marvellous Case.

From the Peterboro Examiner

To be dragged to the edge of the grave in the grasp of dread disease is an experience that comes once to all, but to contemplate entering the grave and mingling with its dust, to have, even in hope, bidden goodbye to life and all its sweetness, and then to be snatched from the brink of the grave and to be restored to health strength and happiness, is an experience that few enjoy. We hear and read of such cases so well attested, that doubt finds small space for its exercise, but heretofore no case has, until now, come under our notice in Peterborough with such directness as to "make assurance doubly sure." Such a case however exists.

Many persons have heard of the illness of Miss Amelie Ranger, who lives with her parents at 19 Farnell street. She was brought down to the very gates of death and was restored to perfect health when all human aid seemed to be unavailing. Her miraculous cure excited so much comment that a representative of the Examiner was detailed to obtain the particulars, and the result of the investigation is to verify the reports that have been current. On calling at Mr. Ranger's house the reporter was met at the door by a bright-eyed, healthy looking young girl, who readily consented to give the particulars of her illness and cure. She remarked that her mother was absent in Montreal on a visit, and added with no little pride that she was keeping the house and doing all the work, a thing that would have been impossible a year or so ago, as she was then so ill that instead of taking care of the house she needed constant attention herself.

"I have been sickly from the time I was four months old," she said, "and as I grew up the weakness and ill-health became more pronounced. My blood was said to have turned watery. I was weak, pale and dull and could do nothing but suffer. Nothing the doctors did for me was of any use and I grew worse and worse. Father spent a farm on me, but it was of no avail, and father and mother gave me up and felt that I was going to die. I expected to die myself. I had no blood, I was as pale as a corpse and so weak I could hardly walk. My heart also gave me very much trouble and if I lifted my hands, my heart would jump until I thought I would die. About two years ago we heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and got a box, but as they did not seem to do me much good I didn't take any more at the time, but as I got worse and the doctor could do nothing for me, I determined to try the Pink Pills once more, this time I made up my mind that I would give them a fair trial. I got eight boxes and before the third box was done I felt better and my appetite was better. I kept on taking the pills until I had taken the eight boxes, and all the time kept growing stronger and stronger. My color returned, my heart trouble left me and my appetite was better than it had ever been before. Now I can do any work about the house, and feel strong and well all the time. It is a great change since last July when I could scarcely walk across the floor without falling. I believe Dr. Williams' Pink Pills saved me from going to the grave, and I am very thankful I took them."

There was no doubting the honesty of her conviction that Pink Pills saved her life. A younger sister corroborated what was said, remarking, "when Amelia was so bad last spring she was so pale she was almost green, and mother did not think she would live a month."

In evidence of the dangerously ill condition of Miss Ranger, a couple of neighbours were seen. Mrs. Tromblay said the girl was very ill, and her friend did not expect her to recover, and she had been cured by the use of Pink Pills. Another lady present also bore testimony to the hopelessly ill condition of Miss Ranger, a few months ago.

The remarkable and gratifying results following the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, in the case of Miss Ranger, show that they are unequalled as a blood

builder and nerve tonic. In the case of young girls who are pale or sallow, listless, troubled with a fluttering or palpitation of the heart, weak and easily tired, no time should be lost in taking a course of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which will speedily enrich the blood, and bring a rosy glow of health to the cheeks. These pills are a positive cure for all troubles arising from a vitiated condition of the blood or a shattered nervous system, such as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effects of la grippe, that tired feeling resulting from nervous prostration, all diseases depending upon humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. In the case of men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork, or excesses of whatever nature.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are manufactured by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont., or Schenectady, N. Y., and are sold in boxes (never in loose form by the dozen or hundred) at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company from either address. The price at which these pills are sold makes a course of treatment inexpensive as compared with other remedies or medical treatment.

COMMERCIAL.

FLOUR, GRAIN, Etc.

Flour—	
Patent Spring.....	\$3.60 @ \$3.75
Patent Winter.....	3.60 @ 3.80
Straight Roller.....	3.05 @ 3.20
Extra.....	2.70 @ 2.80
Superfine.....	2.45 @ 2.65
Fine.....	2.15 @ 2.30
City Strong Bakers.....	3.40 @ 3.55
Manitoba Bakers.....	3.25 @ 3.55
Ontario bags—extra.....	1.35 @ 1.40
Straight Rollers.....	1.50 @ 1.65
Superfine.....	1.15 @ 1.30
Fine.....	1.00 @ 1.10
Oatmeal—Rolled and granulated.....	\$4.20 to \$4.30
Standard.....	\$3.85 to \$4.10
In bags, granulated and rolled are quoted at.....	\$2.05 to \$2.10
and standard.....	\$1.85 to \$1.95
Wheat—Red winter is quoted at.....	70c to 71c
and No. 1 Manitoba 73c to 75c nominally.	
Corn—Prices continue nominal at.....	60c to 61c
in ear lots, duty paid.	
Peas.—In this market prices are quoted at.....	64c to 67c per 64 lbs in store.
Oats.—Sales of ear lots have been made in this market.....	37c to 38c for local account. Sales have been made at North Bay at 33c for Manitoba oats.
Barley.—Here No. 1 malting is quoted at.....	50c to 53c and feed at 42c to 43c.
Malt.—At 70c to 75c.	
Buckwheat.—We quote 52c to 53c, although.....	50c is being paid in the West.
Rye.—At 52c to 53c for ear lots, and 45c is bid in the West.	
Seeds.—Western timothy is quoted at.....	\$2.15 to \$2.25 and Canadian \$2.50. Clover remains firm at \$3 to \$7 per bushel. Alsike remains easy \$7.00 to \$7.75 per bushel.

PROVISIONS.

Pork, Lard, &c.—We quote as follows:	
Canada short cut pork per bbl.....	\$17.00 @ 18.00
Canada clear mess, per bbl.....	18.00 @ 18.00
Chicago clear mess, per bbl.....	17.50 @ 18.00
Mess pork, American, new, per bbl.....	17.50 @ 17.75
Hams, per lb.....	12 @ 13c
Lard, pure in pails, per lb.....	11 @ 12c
Lard, com. in pails, per lb.....	10 @ 11c
Bacon, per lb.....	11 @ 12c
Shoulders, per lb.....	10 @ 10c
Dressed Hogs.—Holders in the West are asking.....	\$3.40 to \$3.50 f.o.b. A sale was made of a car lot laid down here at \$3.40.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter.—	
Creamery, early made.....	per lb. 23c to 23c
Creamery, late made.....	24c to 25c
Eastern Townships.....	21c to 22c
Western.....	18c to 20c
For single tubs of selected 1c per lb may be added to the above.	
Roll Butter.—Sales at 19c to 20c and 21c, the latter figure extra.	
Cheese.—	
Finest Western colored.....	11c to 11c
Finest Western white.....	11c to 11c
Finest Quebec.....	11c to 11c
Underpiced.....	10c to 11c
Liverpool cable.....	50s 6d

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Eggs.—Business is reported in Montreal.....	limited at 18c to 17c, mostly at the inside figure. Held fresh has sold at 14c to 15c as to quality, and fresh boiling has sold at 20c to 22c.
Dressed Poultry.—Sales of turkeys have been made at.....	8c, 9c to 10c, dark colored selling at 8c to 9c. The demand has been chiefly for chickens which sell at 7c to 8c as to condition; geese are little called for, and prices range from 5c to 7c. Ducks are slow sale at 8c to 9c.
Game.—Partridge at 65c to 70c per brace.	
Maple Products.—Syrup 50c to 65c in cans as to quality, and 4c to 5c in wood as to quality. Dark sugar, 6c to 7c.	
Beans.—The market is quiet at.....	\$1.25 to \$1.55 for fair to choice qualities.
Hops.—Brewers are taking a few small parcels at.....	15c to 16c for medium up to 20c to 25c

for the finer grades. Old olds to yearlings are quoted at 5c to 10c.

Honey.—Strained honey has sold in tins at 7c to 8c for choice 1893; but old at 5c to 6c. Comb honey sells at 9c to 13c as to quality.

Baled Hay.—Sales have been made at \$8.00 to \$8.25 with even lower prices reported in some instances. We quote \$8.00 to \$8.25 at country points as to position, while \$10.00 is quoted alongside ship here for shipment next May. In this market No. 1 pressed hay is quoted at \$10.00 to \$10.50 and No. 2 \$9.00 to \$9.50.

FRUITS, Etc.

Grapes.—At \$4 to \$5.50 per keg, according to weight and quality.

Oranges.—Florida oranges are selling well at \$2.00 to \$2.25 as to quality and counis. Valencia are also commanding fair sales at \$3.65 to \$4.00 for 420s, \$4.75 to \$5.00 for 714s.

Lemons.—Are still scarce and stocks light, but are selling fairly well at \$4. to \$4.50, and some extra fancy are quoted from \$5. to \$5.50 per box.

Cranberries.—Are commanding good sales at \$4 to \$7.00 per bbl. and extra fancy dry at \$8.00 per barrel.

Potatoes.—At 60c to 65c per bag on track and 10c per bag extra for jobbing lots.

Onions.—Sales are reported at \$2.25 to \$2.50 per barrel for red and yellow, Spanish still retaining rather light sales at 80c per crate.

FISH AND OILS.

Fresh Fish.—New Brunswick frozen herring have sold at \$1.50 to \$1.65 per 100; but a car of large Newfoundland was sold at \$2.10 to \$2.15. Tommy cods are in ample supply, at \$1.05 to \$1.15 per bbl as to size of lot. Fresh haddock has sold at 3c to 4c, and cod at about the same figures. More has sold at 8c, and pike at 5c.

Pickled Fish.—Herring are quiet and quoted at \$4.00 to \$4.25 for shore, and \$5.00 for Labrador. Green cod is steady at \$4.50 to \$5.00 for No. 1, and large is \$5.50 to \$6.00. Dry cod \$4.50 to \$5.00 per 112 lbs. Labrador salmon \$2.50 to \$2.00 in tierces for No. 1, and \$18.00 for No. 2; barrels are \$12.00 to \$12.50.

Oils.—Steam refined seed oil is quoted at 43c to 45c as to quantity. Newfoundland cod oil is quoted at 35c to 37c, a round lot being placed at 35c. Cod liver oil is unchanged at 55c to 60c for new and 45c to 50c for old.

LIVE STOCK REVIEW.

The Montreal Stock Yards Company, Point St. Charles, reports as follows:—Medium receipts of cattle for week at these yards, with fairly good demand and trade generally brisk, everything cleared out. Live hogs steady at about 5c off cars and 5c feed and watered. Two offerings of sheep, lambs and calves were readily taken. We quote the following as being fair values:

Cattle—Butchers' good.....	3c to 4c
" " medium.....	3c to 3c
" " culls.....	2c to 3c
Lambs.....	2c to 3c
Hogs.....	5c to 6c
Calves.....	\$5.00 to \$10.00

HORSE MARKET.

The Montreal Horse Exchange, Point St. Charles, reports as follows:—There was but little enquiry during the week for horses, and business was somewhat quiet. The sales that were made realized fair prices, but must be bought very cheap in the country to handle at a profit with the present condition of the trade. We have on hand for sale 70, comprising heavy and medium draft, choice drivers, saddle and coach horses.

A WOMAN'S CONSCIENCE.

Measuring a woman's conscience is a feat which most judges of human nature consider almost impossible. To a resident of Polo, Ill., belongs the distinction of having performed this difficult task, and he tells of it with considerable pride. The man in question owns a general store in Polo, which is a town of some four thousand inhabitants. The merchant was seated near the stove of one of the down-town hotels one evening last week, and related his experience as follows:—

"You say you would like to know how anybody could measure a woman's conscience? Well, I will tell you. One day, about three weeks ago, a farmer's wife came into my store and bought a lot of provisions. After she had selected what she wanted she dumped the goods in a large grain bag.

"Can I have a piece of string to tie this bag?" she asked me.

"Why, certainly," said I, and pointing to a ball of twine which hung in the rear part of the store I told her to help herself and take as much as her conscience allowed her to.

"The woman went back to the end of the store and commenced to wind the twine rapidly around her finger. After a minute she asked me to cut the twine. When I went back to cut it I noticed she had considerable more than I thought she needed.

"Have you all you want?" I asked her, and she said she had. 'Well, I would like to measure your conscience,' said I, and I got a yardstick and measured the twine.

"It was just 37 and one-half yards long.

"The woman and I had a good laugh over it, and she went home satisfied."

Chicago Tribune.

The best medical authorities say the proper way to treat Catarrh is to take a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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