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various colleges, hospitals and academies, which
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are issued by the State of Michigan, and are
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So you can risk, as we do not incur any
cost for treatment. It is positively no money
or guarantee to you.

Many of you have been told that the
best of medicine is to be had by the use of
the "patent" medicine, but you should know
that if you are not cured, you should not
pay. We cure you free of charge, if you cannot
cure yourself, we will cure you. We cure you
free of charge, if you cannot cure yourself, we
will cure you. We cure you free of charge, if
you cannot cure yourself, we will cure you.

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Thousands are troubled and do not know
it. If you are in doubt as to whether you
have one of both, call and see us and we will
examine you free of charge. If you cannot
cure yourself, we will cure you. We cure you
free of charge, if you cannot cure yourself, we
will cure you. We cure you free of charge, if
you cannot cure yourself, we will cure you.

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Troubles, painful and frequent urination, or
difficulties in urination, or pain, and aching
back, are the result of a weak kidney. We
cure you in short time, no cure, no pay.

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Syphilis, copper-colored patches, eczema, dry
and scaly skin, eruptions, pimples, etc., are
all curable. We cure you in short time, no
cure, no pay. We cure you in short time, no
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WE CURE
all chronic, private, venereal, delicate, blood,
skin, kidney, liver, bladder, stomach, fevers,
and all other diseases. We cure you in short
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For firms having several Departments in their
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The Local Manager will be pleased to quote you
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To take a Meal at Somerville's Res-
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Appetizing Oysters and Luncheon.

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SARSAPARILLA.**

The Great Blood Purifier and Nerve
Remedy. Cures Bilious Headache, Dys-
pepsia, Constipation and all diseases
of the blood, liver, kidneys and stom-
ach. Sold at all druggists. Ask for
Freeman's and take no other.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the
House.

ENG I H LIFE 1786.

A Letter Which Tells how Folks
in These Days Passed Their
Time.

At 11 o'clock a m Breakfast, afterwards
Billiards—then at 5 p m Dinner,
then Cards a 9 p m., Fanning,
Loo Being the Favorite
Game.

In the year 1786 there was a houseful
at a certain English country place in the
autumn. It consisted of an elderly dow-
ager and her two unmarried daughters,
a member of parliament, two young offi-
cers and a clergyman, the writer of the
letter which has been handed down to
this generation. The letter tells how they
passed their time. There were, besides,
occasional visitors in the neighborhood.
The first night of his arrival the writer,
fatigued by his journey, went to bed ear-
ly. In the morning he got up betimes in
order to enjoy the air. The house, how-
ever, was still locked up. Not a single
servant was down. Presently a boy ap-
peared, who told him that Mr. L., the "gen-
tlemen" had entered and the visitors
were "gentlemen" at cards till 5 in the morn-
ing.

At 11 o'clock the party began to appear
one by one for breakfast. The dowager
and Mrs. L., the hostess, did not come
down because, as the young ladies put it,
they could not be "made up" so early.
The girls themselves, who had not taken
the trouble to "make up," were in rum-
pled nightcaps and their hair "in a brown
paste" over their shoulders. The gentle-
men "joined with the second tea-party,"
very odd way of dividing the meal. Their
heads were still "in disorder" from the
gin punch of the night.

Breakfast was got through about 1.
The weather being rainy, the gentlemen
played billiards and cards. The writer
would have sought refuge in the library,
but found that the books were for show
and not for use. A box of things from a
London dressmaker having providentially
arrived, everybody—men and women to-
gether—spent the afternoon in discussing
chiffons.

At 5 they dined. At 9 the men joined
the ladies, and they sat down to cards.
Fanning was the favorite game when the
young ladies played. On Sunday some
of them went to church. The young peo-
ple nodded and laughed all through the
service. They sat in a gallery by them-
selves; they cracked nuts and pecked each
other with the shells, while one of them,
who could draw, made caricatures of the
country people down below. The clergy-
man, however, was a great favorite at the
house, because he kept the ladies ac-
quainted with all village scandals; could
tell the gentlemen where covers of par-
ticulars were to be found; was useful in
drawing cards. It remains to be stated
that one of the guests taught a new way
of dressing mushrooms and superintended
in person the preparation of the grouse
soup.

CADILLAC HAS SKIPPED.
A Member of the West Elgin Machine
Gang Fails to Appear in Court.

St. Thomas, March 22.—When the
case of Martin J. Cahill, the alleged
ballot manipulator, of St. Catharines,
was called at two o'clock in the police
court, it was found that, like his slip-
pery companion, Operative Duncan
Bole, he had failed to put in an ap-
pearance. Crown Attorney Donahue
addressed the court, stating that he was
for allowing Cahill to go on his own
recognizances when appearing before
him last May. The accused was his
own security for \$2,000, and the J. P.
went through the form of ordering this
estrained.

That Intelligent Dog.
The intelligence of dogs has prob-
ably caused more discussions, and in-
cidentally, a larger number of broken
heads, than any other ordinary sub-
ject known to man.

Every family has a dog which is the
"smarter" or "cutest" or the "pret-
tiest" ever seen.

"Yes, I know," deprecatingly re-
marks a society woman, who is achin-
g for an opportunity to break into the
tail of her friend's recent about the
cardinal goodness of her own colli-
er. "But my Fritz, you should see him
tug at my gown when he wants a bit
of biscuit."

"There are accounts of the dogs who
carry baskets, those who rescue
drowning persons and dogs, who in-
terpolate by a certain number of barks,
whatever they wish to express. How-
ever, any case where a dog's practical use-
fulness has reached the point attained by
a bull terrier which is the prop-
erty of a ticket agent at one of the
South Side "L" stations.

This young woman is often com-
pelled to take her dinner in the small
compartment set apart for the agent,
much to her discomfort and annoy-
ance. A few evenings ago no dinner
appeared at the customary time.

Half an hour later her bull terrier
stroiled along and barked for admit-
tance, which he speedily obtained.
Between his teeth he carried a bit of
paper. It was a note requesting Miss
Blank's presence at her home, three
blocks distant.

"Now, Rab," she said to the blink-
ing terrier, "I'll have some change in
front of the window. If any one takes
change do you take hold of him."

The dog showed his white teeth and
growled.

People who passed through the turn-
stile during the next ten minutes were
somewhat startled at the spectacle of
a scowling terrier sitting in the ticket
seller's window eying a small pile of
nickels and dimes, and every person
who swung by. It can truthfully be
stated that no pilferings occurred, due
entirely to the intelligence—so Miss
Blank asserts—of the bull terrier,
Rab.

Continued excitement in disease.

PIMPLES

CURED BY
Citricura
SOAP

The most effective skin purifying and
beautifying soap in the world as
parfumer and cosmetologist for toilet, bath,
and laundry. It is the only preventive of pim-
ples, blackheads, red, rough, and oily skin,
red, rough hands with sharp nails, dry,
thin, and falling hair, and simple lacy
blemishes. It is so because it strikes at the
cause of most complexional disfigura-
tions, viz., the clogged, irritated,
inflamed, overworked, or sluggish pores.

My face was covered with a pimply, red-
dened, and itching skin. After using Citri-
cure Soap for six weeks my skin made a
remarkable change, all the pimples were
away, my skin getting as soft as velvet.

H. CROMBIE, 225 Madison St., Chicago, Ill.
I was troubled with pimples, especially on
the chin and forehead. I tried several home
remedies, but as they proved to be of no value,
I decided to use Citricura Soap, and in six
weeks I was entirely rid of them.

HENRY P. DAHLKE,
611 So. Franklin St., Chicago, Ill.
My face was covered with pimples and
blackheads. Some would swell, and others
would be full of white matter. The black-
heads would be all over my face. I spent
about ten dollars for soaps, medicines, etc.,
but they never did me any good. I tried Citri-
cure Soap, and it only took three cakes to
cure my face.

JOSEPH B. CLAMER,
222 Court St., Elizabeth, N. J.
Sold throughout the world. Terms: Five Cakes
Only. Price, 25 Cents. "How to Cure Pimples," Free.
Beware of cheap imitations.

BABY HOMERS
What was the highest price ever
paid for a story? A million dollars, replied
the fashionable novelist. It was a
spoken story—I love you. I told it to
the lady who is now my wife.

Between the ages of fifteen and
forty-five, the time when womanhood
begins and motherhood ends, it is es-
timated that the aggregate of pain of
woman's suffering is ten years. But
time is not all that is lost. Those
years of suffering steal the bloom
from the cheeks, the brightness from
the eyes, the fairness from the skin, and
leave their record in many a
crease and wrinkle. What a boon
then to woman, is Pierce's Favorite
Prescription. It promotes perfect regu-
larity, drives up debilitating drains,
heals ulceration, cures female weak-
ness, and establishes the delicate wom-
an's organs in vigorous and per-
manent health. No other medicine can
do for women what is done by Dr.
Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

A dyspeptic kills himself, a drunk-
ard, others.

Better half an egg than an empty
shell.

ASTONISHED THE DOCTOR.
Editor S. A. Brown, of Bennettville,
S. C., was once immensely surprised.
"Through long suffering from Dyspep-
sia," he writes, "my wife was greatly
run down. She had lost all strength of
body and suffered great distress from
her stomach, but she tried Electric
Bitters, which helped her at once, and
after using four bottles, she is now
well, can eat anything, and is a
fine, healthy, and its gentle laxative
qualities are splendid for torpid liver.
For Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Sto-
mach and Liver Troubles, it is a
reliable, guaranteed cure. Only 50c at
A. I. McCall & Co.'s Drug Store.

If there were no clouds, we would
not enjoy the sun.

To wait and be patient soothes
many a pang.

CHRONIC CATARRH CURED.
Merrill's System Tonic one finds
a pleasant-tasting but powerful blood
purifier. It is this feature that makes
it a never failing cure for Chronic
Rheumatism. Money spent in snuffs
and other waste. Remove the cause—
take Merrill's Tonic. Price 50c. For
50 doses, at the Central Drug Store.
Descriptive pamphlet free.

A man who has nothing to do is
the devil's plaything.

Abstinence is the mother of com-
petence.

It Gridles the Globe
The fame of Bucklen's Arnica Salve,
the best in the world, extends round
the earth. It's the one perfect healer
of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Sores,
Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Felsons, Aches,
Pains and all Skin Eruptions. Only
infallible Pile cure. 25c. a box at
A. I. McCall & Co.'s Drug Store.

The town for wealth, the country
for health.

The noblest question in the world
is: What good may I do in it?

FIVE VIEWS OF A MAN.
A healthy man, a man with a cough,
a man with congested lungs, a man
in consumption, a dying—now dead
man. All from neglecting, when the
cough started, to take Four T's, the
great guaranteed one day cough and
cold remedy. Price 25c. a bottle at
the Central Drug Store.

A little house well filled, a little
field well tilled, and a little wife
well reared are great riches.

Cornelius Vanderbilt was once a
constant smoker, but he had to give
up tobacco. "I find," he said, "that
anyone can learn to smoke without it.
It is at once the most expensive and
the most unnecessary of habits."

**HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA
CURED IN NO TIME.**
By using Dr. Price's Pain Pillets. Sure
harmless. Cure rheumatic and sciatic
pains toothache. 25c.

**PAIN! RHEUMATIC, SCIATIC, OR
NEURALGIC CURED.**
By Dr. Price's Pine Oil. Cures ear-
ache, backache, toothache, in fact
Aches and Pains of any kind. 25c.

For sale by C. H. Gunn & Co., Drug-
gists, Chatham, Ont.

Tearless grief bleeds inwardly.

WATER FROM TREES

Why Woodsmen in Some Parts of the South
Always Carry an Auger in their Kit.

In many sections of the forest land
of the South during the dry season a
man may walk for miles without find-
ing a stream of water or a spring by
which to quench his thirst. If, how-
ever, he is an experienced hunter and
woodsman, he will not have to drink
water from the stagnant pools in order
to keep life in his body.

Queer as it may seem, an experi-
enced man can hunt for days through such
dry tracts and yet experiences no incon-
venience on account of the lack of wa-
ter. Nature has provided a means
which is only known to the initiated.
Every old huntsman carries with him,
when going on a long hunt, a small
auger, by which he can secure a re-
freshing drink and water to cook with
at any moment.

A cottonwood tree or a willow is
the well which the wily huntsman
taps. He examines each tree until he
finds one that has what a woodsman
calls a "vein." It is simply an at-
tached protuberance. By boring into
this "vein" a stream of clear water
will flow out. It is not sap, but clear
water. The huntsmen say that the
water is better than the average
to be had from ordinary wells. There
is no sweetish taste about it, but it
has a strong flavor of sulphur, and is
slightly carbonated.

The reason for this phenomenon
cannot easily be explained, but that a
supply of water can be contained in a
tree is not so surprising. The fact of
its flowing is the wonderful feature,
showing that it must be under pres-
sure, or, in other words, that there is
more at the source of the supply.
When it is considered that the trees
turnish the water in the dry season,
and that the ground is literally baked,
it is the more remarkable, especially
when the roots of the trees do not ex-
tend to any great depth into the
ground.

Owing to the fact that water can be ob-
tained by tapping cottonwood and wil-
low trees, very peculiar testimony was
recently heard in a case in the Federal
court here. About twenty years ago,
certainly, about twenty years ago, a
certain point on the Mississippi
River, one of the islands which was
formed by the channel forking and
surrounding a large tract of land de-
serted by the stream on the Tennessee
side. Years afterward this land was
claimed by the man who owned
property in Tennessee adjoining the
former island. His claim was that the
island had been washed away, and that
the present land was formed by accretion.

The former owner, to prove that the
land had not been washed away, showed
the top of a cottonwood stump that
was on the island and showed that it
contained fifty-six rings, or rings, in-
stead of the usual number of fifty-
four. His statement, in fact, was
that a ring was formed in the tree
every year, hence the tree was a sup-
posedly growing there thirty-six
years before the island became a part
of Tennessee.

In order to prove that a ring was
formed every year he testified that
while hunting about twenty miles
from that place in 1865, he had tapped
a cottonwood tree for water, and had
put a plug in the hole afterward. His
theory was that the tree in its growth
would have covered up the plug and
that the number of rings from this
plug to the bark of the tree would be
in 1899, thirty-four, showing that a
ring had been formed for every one of
the thirty-four years it had been im-
bedded in the wood.

The tree was found and sawed up.
The plug was discovered, and was dis-
tinct from the outside of the tree ex-
actly thirty-four rings.

Although such testimony would not
be doubted by a woodsman, it was not
received as evidence by the court.

DIFFERENT.
"Say," said the gentleman with the
check shirt, plaid suit and thunderous
diamonds, "if you will go in with me,
I've got a guy that we can work for a
couple of thousand in a poker game,
and you can have half."

"Sir!" replied the young lawyer,
"this is a personal insult!"

"Excuse me," continued the wily
tempter, "of course, I didn't mean this
as a personal affair. We will call
it retelling you professionally."

"Er—how much did you say he
had?"—Indianapolis Journal.

A Serious Prospect.
Little Bobby began attending church
regularly a few weeks ago, but it was
not thought that the services had par-
ticularly impressed him as the only
effect on him noticed by the family
was that the sermon merely acted as
a soporific.

Last Sunday, however, Bobby must
have remained awake longer than
usual. The sermon was particularly the
miraculous origin of Eve. The next
day an unusually active frame of leg
resulted in Bobby's running into the
house and with an expression of com-
bined anguish and terror, calling to
his mamma:

"Oh, mamma! I've an awful pain in
my side. Say, mamma! You don't sup-
pose I'm going to have a wife, do
you?"—Life.

A Sad Story.
Behold, there was a certain man;
and he was in a place where were
gathered together other men.
And they were telling unto each
other divers stories.

Now, this certain man said: "Be-
hold, out of the friend Smith hath gone
dole because of hard drink."

Whereat they all with one accord
expressed their great sorrow and re-
pent, and asked the certain man how
it did come about.

And he answered and said: "Lo, I
hath seen a cake of ice fall upon him.
And they all 'A' upon the certain
man and cast him into the outer dark-
ness."

Two in distress make sorrow less.

DOREN WEND COMING.
Will be at the Garner House, Chat-
ham, March 29.

Ladies and Gentlemen, see Prof.
Dorenwend's beautiful Wig, Toupee,
Bangs, Wavy and Plain Fronts, Swit-
ches in every length and shade, etc.

His Hair Goods Style when properly
adjusted protect and ornament the
head, soften and beautify the expres-
sion of the face and consequently tone
up aged appearance. Prof. Doren-
wend has for this season many new
and pretty designs. He has added
a number of New York, London and
Paris patterns.

Be sure to see them and not forget
the day and date, Thursday, March
29th.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

Mrs. M. McCarty

writes: "I took Dr. Codere's Red Pills for
backache and headache which I had for a
long time. Every woman knows how
annoying these are. I tried hard to cure
myself, but some remedies would only help
me for a while. To-day I am cured
by the use of Dr. Codere's Red Pills,
which I recommend most strongly to every
sick woman."

Mrs. M. McCarty,
61 West Ves Street, Providence, R. I.

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RED PILLS
FOR
PALE & WEAK WOMEN

Write for our FREE BOOK "PALE
AND WEAK WOMEN." Our doctors give
advice free by letter or at their office.
Send day until 8 P. M. Sunday excepted.
Write for a FREE BOOK "PALE AND WEAK
WOMEN." Dr. Codere's Red Pills are not a purgative.
Constipated women will find them a
valuable remedy. Dr. Codere's Red Pills
Dr. Codere's Red Pills will all day long
be watered with pure water. They are
at all druggists or by mail upon receipt of
price. Name of the patient.

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Inc. Department, 241, Tremont St., Boston, Mass.
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274 St. Denis St., Montreal, Canada.

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glists, Chatham, Ont.

HEROIC DEED.
A Colored Man Saves Six Children
from Death.

New York, Mar. 22.—Six lives were
saved by the gallant work of a young
colored man during a fire at a flat
house in West One Hundred and
Thirty-fourth Street yesterday. The
man's name is M. Anderson. He de-
scended the fire while on his way to
work. In a window of the second
floor stood a man named Nelson,
with his six little children hovering
about him, their escape having been
cut off. With two passers-by, Ander-
son ran into the building next door
and up to the third floor. With his
two companions holding his legs, Ander-
son swung head downward, and, for-
ward, managed to reach the children
as they were held up to him by the
father. All were taken out safely in
this manner.

OUT HIS CUT.
And take it to your Druggist, A. I.
McCall & Co., who will present you
with a Trial Bottle of the wonderful
New Medicine they have secured the
exclusive Agency for. Dr. King's New
Discovery for Consumption, Coughs,
Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, and
Throat and Lung affections. Its cures
are simply marvelous, also its cur-
ing wagers all else fails, and has saved
thousands from an early grave; even
physicians are astonished at this mar-
velous cure. It costs nothing and is
always convincing. Guaranteed
cure goes with large bottles.

After dinner, sit awhile; after sup-
per, walk a mile.

A Poor Millionaire
Lately arrived in London because
he could not digest his food. Early
use of Dr. King's New Life Pills would
have saved him. They strengthen the
stomach, aid digestion, promote as-
similation, improve appetite. Price
25c. Money back if not satisfied.
Sold by A. I. McCall & Co., druggists.

Man creeps into childhood, bounds
into youth, soars into manhood, and
softens into age.

Dear Sirs,—I have been a great suf-
ferer from rheumatism, and lately
have been confined to my bed. See-
ing your MINARD'S LINIMENT ad-
vertised, I tried it and got immediate
relief. I subscribe my restoration to
health to the wonderful power of your
medicine.

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Merrill's System Tonic does not em-
anate from quackery, but is scientifi-
cally prepared and valuable prescrip-
tion, curing all diseases having their
origin in Constipation and weak or
vitiated blood. It purifies the blood,
builds up the system, strengthens the
nerves and regulates the bowels. Sold
in 50c. bottles containing 50 doses, at
the Central Drug Store. Descriptive
pamphlet free.

Weakness is not weakness.

THE GIRL AND THE PIMPLE.
Newspapers contained last year the
account of a girl who committed sui-
cide because she had a pimple on her
face. Merrill's System Tonic, which
improves the blood and strength-
ens the system, cures not only Pimples
but blotches of all kinds, also Soro-
fula, Eczema and Salt Rheum. Three
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