

A GOOD SAMARITAN.

HAVING FOUND HEALTH HE POINTS THE WAY TO OTHERS.

THIS ADVICE WAS ACTED UPON BY A MR. MILLES PETTIT, OF WELLINGTON, WHO, AS A RESULT, NOW REJOICES IN RENEWED HEALTH AND STRENGTH.

From the Picton Times.

Mr. Milles Pettit, of Wellington, was a recent caller at the Times office. He is an old subscriber to one of the most respected business men of Wellington. He is also possessed of considerable inventive genius, and is the holder of several patents for his own inventions. The Times was aware of Mr. Pettit's serious and long continued illness, and was delighted to see that he had been restored to health. In answer to enquiries as to how this had been brought about, Mr. Pettit promptly and emphatically replied "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did it."



years. It then gradually extended to the other leg and to both feet. The sensations were a numbness and pricking, which continued to get worse and worse, until he practically lost control of his feet. He could walk but a short distance before his limbs would give out, and he would be obliged to rest. He felt that if he could walk forty rods without resting he was accomplishing a great deal. He had the best of medical attendance and tried many medicines without any beneficial results. He remained in this condition for about two years, when he unexpectedly got relief. One day he was in Picton and was returning to Wellington by train. Mr. John Soby, of Picton, was also a passenger on the train. Mr. Soby, it will be remembered, was one of the many who had found benefit from Pink Pills, and had given a testimonial that was published extensively. Having been benefited by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills he has ever since been a staunch friend of the medicine, and noticing Mr. Pettit's condition made enquiry as to who he was. Having been informed, Mr. Soby tapped him on the shoulder and said, "Friend, you look a sick man."

Mr. Pettit described his case, and Mr. Soby replied, "Take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, I know from experience what virtue there is in them and I am satisfied they will cure you." Mr. Pettit had tried so many things and failed to get relief that he was somewhat skeptical, but the advice was so disinterested, and given so earnestly, that he concluded to give Pink Pills a trial. The rest is shortly summed up. He bought the Pink Pills, used them according to the directions which accompany each box, and was cured. His cure he believes to be permanent, for it is now fully a year since he discontinued the use of the pills. Mr. Pettit says he believes he would have become utterly helpless had it not been for this wonderful, health restoring medicine.

LIFE LINES ON THE FOOT.

SECRETS THEY REVEAL TO THE STURDIEST OF CHARACTER.

There is a man in Philadelphia who claims that it is much easier to read one's character and past and future from the maps on the soles of one's feet than it is from the palms of the hands. He calls it "pedalogy."

The pedagogue, while refusing to tell the names of the owners of the feet in most cases, showed a number of diagrams the other day and explained to a reporter how he read the fortunes of the soles. "Maxine Elliott," he said, "is a public character, and I do not mind mentioning her name. Here is her story. Look at it. It's worth studying, for she is not the only one of the most beautiful women on the American stage, but it is remarkable in other ways. Her foot is so beautifully arched that little of her sole touched the paper when she placed her foot upon it. The intellectual and artistic lines are very clearly defined on her foot, and one need but see and hear Miss Elliott speak for a few moments to realize that her artistic and mental capabilities are of a high order. The lines of intuition and imagination are both remarkably long. The cross between the line of love and the head line indicates that in a love affair Miss Elliott would be governed largely by reason. She has strong affections, according to the long heart line."

A contrast to Miss Elliott's foot was that of a factory girl from Kensington.

This was a foot common to people of little education. There was scarcely any instep to the foot. The lines of imagination, mental capacities and intuition were very short, and the artistic line was entirely lacking. The heart and love lines were well defined and long. The lines also indicated firmness and great ambition, with a decided fondness for pleasure, so the pedagogue explained.

Still another foot was that of a society girl. Here again was the high arch. It showed, among other things, that she did not have to stand on her feet, as did the poor factory girl. The lines told of her having less heart and less ambition than the factory girl too. There were selfishness and vanity in the impression. It seemed well that silk stockings and dainty shoes usually kept it from the sight of those who would read its owner's character in the soles of that foot.

SPLITTING LEGAL HAIRS.

TALE BY A PHILADELPHIA LAWYER WHICH WOULD PUZZLE ONE TO DECIDE.

This is an after dinner story told by a well known lawyer, illustrative of legal difficulties that may arise even in the carrying out of the most amicable contracts:

There was once four brothers, who had inherited a storage warehouse from their father and who equally divided the property among them. Among the appurtenances thereto was a cat, a fine animal, excellent for mousing, and this, too, was divided, the elder brother owning the right front quarter, the second brother the left front quarter and the younger brother the two hind quarters. Now, unfortunately, the cat in one of its nocturnal prowls injured the right front paw, and the elder brother attended to that portion of his property by binding the injured member with a greased rag.

The cat, thankful for this relief to its suffering, went to sleep contentedly before the fire, but in the midst of its slumbers a falling coal ignited the rag, and the animal, howling with agony, dashed through the warehouse, and, coming in contact with some combustibles, set the building on fire.

When the loss came to be figured out, the three younger brothers wished to throw it all upon the elder, upon the ground that had he not tied up his part of the cat with the inflammable rag the building would not have been destroyed. He, on the contrary, contended that had the cat only been possessed of the front right paw—his property—it would have stood still and burned to death. It was the three other paws that caused the damage. The brothers argued the case until they died, but could never reach an agreement.—Philadelphia Record.

THE FOOD OF WHALES.

The food of whales has long been known to consist of minute sea crustacea. Mr. Gray was familiar not only with the whale's food, but observed its manner of feeding and the way in which it took its nap "after meals." "No doubt," he wrote, "whales are very particular in the quality of their food, for they are never to be found feeding where the water is dirty, but always invariably in clean, clear, dark-blue or light olive-green water. The usual way in which a whale feeds is to choose a spot where the feed is plentiful and swim backward and forward for 200 or 300 yards, with the nose just under water. They invariably swim from one side of the head back again to where they started from with their mouths open. They then close their jaws and swallow the food caught. They will go on in this way feeding for an hour or more; after this they will disappear under the nearest ice and sleep there until they come out for exercise or for another meal. Unlike other warm-blooded animals, they do not require to breathe through their nostrils while asleep and they do not do so. Whales can sleep as well under water as they do upon the surface, as I have often seen them disappear under solid ice and remain there for many hours at a time. Sometimes they fall asleep with their heads down and only their tails standing out of the water."—The Spectator.

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CAPITAL AND LABOR. The secretary of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers, Mr. S. N. D. North, writing in the Quarterly Journal of Economics, reviews the arguments advanced for and against state boards of arbitration in labor disputes. We quote his closing paragraph: "In conclusion, I cannot escape the conviction in respect to labor disputes, as in respect to a thousand other matters where artificial remedies are sought by adding to the enormous mass of laws that now burden the statute books, that this is one of the questions that should be left to work out its own solution by natural evolution. There is every justification for this view in the fact that from day to day all over the manufacturing states, the adjustment of wage disputes is taking place in the quiet seclusion of the business office, shut out from the world at large, where master and man meet as equals, learn from each other the exact conditions under which work is going on, and ascertain the best terms that those conditions will permit

A LITTLE MONEY.

While the avenues for wage-earning by women have wonderfully increased in the last years, and in numerous instances financial enterprises are successfully carried on by women, it remains true, and ever will, that a large class of wives, not to mention daughters, handle very little money. For these women are not supposed to be needy; they are generally placed in comfortable homes, with tasteful ward robes, bountifully spread tables, and the casual observer, no apparent lack in their surroundings. But the house-

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either to expect. For every outbreak that actually occurs a thousand differences are amicably adjusted. Progress in this direction is unrecognized, because it is unknown. The intervention of the state may not have retarded that progress—that is a question upon which men may fairly differ—but that it has accelerated it I can find no reason for believing."

Advertisement for 'MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER'. It features a diamond-shaped logo with text inside: 'THE SWEETEST MOST REFRESHING AND ENDURING OF ALL PERFUMES FOR THE HANDKERCHIEF, TOILET OR BATH.'

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FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

ABOUT WRAPS AND CAPES.

NEW DESIGNS AND NEW MATERIALS FOR FINER MAKE-UP. It is a pretty idea to have a very smart mantle or cape to wear occasionally. Such a wrap brightens up the plainest of costumes and by its use one's appearance may be made very elegant indeed. The new capes are largely of mousseline de soie, falling in bounces about the cape material or used in some other equally effective manner. Brilliant, too, add to their appearance, making them sparkle in the most approved fashion.

A very fetching design is of ruby velvet, embroidered in front with gold and brilliants. The velvet is arranged in points and these points are outlined with a deep pleating of mousseline de soie. Ribbon bows adorn the shoulders and ribbon is traced from the back to tie in a long bow at the waist in front. Another charming collet is entirely of pleating of black and white chiffon, with stole-like ends of black satin, falling almost to the feet. One less elaborate is of pleated black mousseline de soie, partly concealed by tabs of white satin. These tabs are embroidered in jet and brilliants. A heavy ruche of the mousseline finishes the neck in a most entrancing manner.—Boston Post.

CANDY-EATING.

In this day, when the laws of health are understood, as they were not fifty years ago, people inveigh in voice and print against the evils of candy-eating; and children, hearing the protest, feel their little hearts sink within them. It is natural for the babies to love sugar-plums, and it is the abuse, not the use, of sweets that is reprehensible. One man with a superb digestion and a normal appetite says he has always made it his custom to eat several pieces of candy after his noonday meal, and that he has never felt any evil effects from the practice. A little sweet following a meal will not harm a healthy child, but the mother must judge as to the quality and quantity. She may keep on hand a box of simple peppermints or plain chocolates, and after dinner give to the little one as many as she deems prudent. The stomach often craves, and usually digests readily, sweets after a hearty meal. The pernicious habit of allowing children to purchase candy galore and eat it ad libitum is what ruins stomachs, perverts the appetite and destroys the teeth. Until the child is old enough to discriminate and exercise self-control, the mother must choose for him. But in exercising this right she must try not to carry it to an unreasonable extent, and deny her little one that which used judiciously will not harm him, and which forms one of the chief treats of childhood. The words "candy" and "ice-cream" convey to the childish mind depths of bliss, such as a grown woman can scarcely conceive of. Let not us, who have passed that happy stage when the sight of a bonbon caused a thrill of delight, deny too rigorously to our little ones the simple sweets of life.

THE SILVER QUESTION. The New York Sun, in giving an explanation of the meaning of 16 to 1, says: "They are figures of weight. By the Mint act of 1834, which, except as regards silver dollars, is still in force, every ounce of gold bullion and of silver bullion was permitted to take it to the Mint in unlimited quantities and have it coined, free of expense, except for refining and for the alloy used, into silver dollars and gold eagles and fractions of an eagle, at the rate of sixteen times as many dollars for a given weight of gold as for an equal weight of silver. That is to say, while 23.22 grains of pure gold went to the dollar in gold, 371 grains of pure silver were required for a silver dollar. With the alloy added it took 25.8 grains of standard of gold for the dollar in gold, and 412 grains of standard silver for the silver dollar. The provision of this law, as to silver, was repealed in 1873, and this provision the silverites now demand to have re-enacted. "As a matter of fact, an ounce of silver was worth in the markets of the

mother knows how many times she reckons over the household supplies to see what article can be left unthought.

It is little money which causes so many women to haunt the bargain counter, to the derision of husbands, who are sublimely unconscious of their wives' slender purses. It gives interminable shopping in the search from store to store to find the best article for scanty means. And these vexations are not the worst which come to her with little money. She must bear with what grace she can imputations upon her taste when she selects perforce some cheap common thing in preference to the more elegant one which a beauty-loving nature may cry out for. She must often curb with a stern hand her natural generosity of spirit, and forbear giving to the friend or cause she loves, or at most strive to content herself with a meagre, almost shabby token. "I never have had enough money with which to run my household comfortably. I have had to plan and contrive in order to get something out of every cent in the dollar," said one, considered a fine house wife and manager (and she was), who lived in fine style in a handsome mansion.

It brings lines all too soon to women's faces, and gives to many eyes an all too wistful expression. But it also helps to develop valuable qualities which in a state of more abundance some women would never have shown. It sharpens invention, ingenuity, and carefulness, and like many a disagreeable thing in life, teaches patience and self-denial.—Harper's Bazar.

COOKING RECIPES.

ITALIAN PASTA. Macaroni, which comes in several different sizes, may be procured at almost any grocer's; it is cheap (15 to 18 cents a pound) and may be cooked in a variety of ways. It is both palatable and nutritious, and is useful in that it may be kept in the house for some time without deterioration, and will serve when other things are lacking.

TO BOIL MACARONI. Cover with plenty of boiling water, to which a teaspoonful of salt for every quart has been added. If the flavor of onion is liked, a peeled onion may be put in the pot with it, leaving it whole. It should be tender in about twenty minutes. Test by pressing between the fingers; if it yields easily it is done, and must not be boiled too soft. If more has been cooked than is wanted, drain, rinse and lay in cold water, with a little salt, and it will keep for several days if the water is changed daily.

SALMON SOUP. Remove the oil, bones and skin from half a can of salmon. Chop fine. Cook one slice of onion in one quart of milk. Melt one tablespoonful of butter, add two tablespoonfuls of flour, and pour on the hot milk. Add one tablespoonful of salt and one spoonful of pepper and serve. First put the milk on to boil with a small slice of raw onion. Have the salmon chopped as fine as possible. Some doubt was expressed about salmon making a good soup, but when it was served the doubt had vanished. Haddock, cod, or any kind of fish may be used, but salmon is considered the best for flavoring. French peas may be added, if one likes, and are quite an improvement.

FRIVOLOUS FASHIONS.

Linen gowns have been so much reduced in price that they are now as much within purse reach as the shirt waist. Large leghorn hats still retain their old and popular favor. When artistically trimmed nothing is so airy or becoming to the summer girl. A very good idea is to have several sets of ribbons for one gown, as changing the ribbons will make it look like a different gown each time.

The little fur neck scarfs that women used to wear even in summer have been sensibly abandoned. The most popular midsummer wrap is the box cloth cape, short to the waist, partly lined and lined with white satin. This small arrangement seems to be just enough for an emergency of wind and not too much for fair weather.

RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

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world, from 1834 to 1873, more than one-sixteenth of an ounce of gold, the value in Europe being at the rate of 154 to 1. Consequently, our silver coin was exported as fast as it was coined, and in 1853 small change had become so scarce that Congress authorized silver halves and quarters of a dollar, to be coined, on Government account exclusively, of less weight than the proportionate parts of a full dollar, so that two halves and four quarters contained only 384 grains of standard silver instead of 412 grains.

"At the present moment the market value of silver bullion relatively to that of gold bullion is as about 81 to 1. That is to say, one ounce of gold is exchangeable in the market for 81 ounces of silver. Hence, if the law of 1834 relating to silver were re-enacted, the dollar would sink in value very nearly one-half, because under free and unlimited coinage, silver coin would be worth no more than silver bullion. The reason that the silver dollars now in circulation remain equal in value to dollars in gold is that the quantity of them is limited, and they are received by the Government on the same footing as gold in payment of duties and taxes."

YOU AND YOUR GRANDFATHER.

Are removed from each other by a span of many years. He travelled in a slow going stage-coach while you take the lightning express or the electric car. When he was sick he was treated by old fashioned methods and given old fashioned medicines, but you demand modern ideas in medicines as well as in everything else. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the medicine of today. It is prepared by modern methods and its preparation are brought the skill and knowledge of modern science. Hood's Sarsaparilla acts promptly upon the blood and by making pure, rich blood it cures disease and establishes good health.

A GOOD CHANCE.

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THE BICYCLE.

The United States Woman's Rescue League, of which Mrs. Charlotte Smith is the President, has adopted a series of anti-bicycle resolutions, which declare, among other things, that for women wheeling is physically and morally dangerous, indecent and vulgar, ending with the declaration that a "bicycle run for Christ" is in reality a "bicycle run for Satan," and that the bicycle is the "devil's advance agent, morally and physically, in thousands of instances."

"Did you succeed in borrowing that \$10 from Thomas?" "No. But I want to say that he is a mighty fine fellow, Thomas is. He didn't let me have the money, but he thanked me most effusively for having done him the honor to ask him."—Indianaapolis Journal.

This is the fast age when men live twenty years in ten and are old at forty. Mark the number of "grey young" business men you meet every day. Nature, however, is always at hand to remedy the defects of a false civilization, and offers Luby's Parisian Hair Renewer to bring hair to its original color. Sold by all chemists.

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Advertisement for 'LORGE & CO., HATTERS AND FURRIERS'. It is located at '81 ST. LAWRENCE STREET, MONTREAL.'

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Advertisement for 'C. A. McDONNELL, ACCOUNTANT AND TRUSTEE'. It is located at '180 ST. JAMES STREET, MONTREAL' and offers 'Personal supervision given to all business, Rents Collected, Estates administered, and Books audited.'

Advertisement for 'FOR SALE FOR THE MILLION'. It lists 'Kindling, \$2.00, Cut Maple, \$2.50, Tanned Blocks, \$1.75. Mill Blocks—Stove length—\$1.60. J. O. MACDONALD, Richmond Square, Tel. 8553.'