

COMMUNICATION.

Protestant History for Catholic Schools.

To the Editor of the NORTHWEST REVIEW.

Sir,—The Northwest School Ordinance of 1892 provides that the Executive Committee shall prescribe the text books for Catholic as well as Protestant schools.

These Protestant officials have therefore unlimited power to Protestantize our Catholic schools so far as it can be done by text books; and from what they have already done we expect they will make their selections on the principle that what is good for a Protestant school cannot be objectionable to Catholics.

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Curious to know the particulars, a representative of The Star called upon her son at his flour and feed store on Hamilton street, and asked how far the story was true.

Without hesitation or reserve Mr. Bissett launched into praise of Pink Pills, which he said had a most wonderful effect in relieving his mother from the suffering of a bedridden invalid, crippled by rheumatism, and restoring her to the enjoyment of a fair degree of health and activity for a period of seventy years of age.

"See her yourself," he said, "I am sure she will freely tell you all about her case and you can judge how much she owes to Pink Pills. I am sure that it is owing to them that she is alive to-day."

Acting on this cordial invitation, the reporter drove out to the well known Bissett homestead. Mrs. Bissett was found enjoying an afternoon's visit at the residence of a neighbor, Mrs. Robertson. She laughingly greeted the reporter with the assurance that she knew what he had come for as her son had told her the day she was in town that was wanted, and although she had no wish to figure in the newspapers she was quite willing to tell the facts in her case.

"It is about nine years," she said, "since I was first taken down with rheumatism and for seven months I lay helpless in bed unable to raise or turn myself. I doctored with local physicians and I suppose the treatment I received must have helped me for quite a long while, until another attack came on, and while, until another attack came on, and for two years I was again laid up, never being able to put a foot under me, or being able to put a foot under me, or being able to put a foot under me."

"I tried everything, bless you—doctors, baths, liniments and medicines, and of course suffered a great deal, being troubled also with asthma. But although I finally got on my feet again I was not able to do anything, and could not cross the room only with the help of someone and leaning on a chair with they would push before me. By and by I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and though of course I had no faith in anything, I bought some at Wilson's drug store and began their use, and when I had taken two boxes I felt they were helping me. I continued them quite a while, improving gradually until now I am as you see me, although I have not taken them for a couple of months. I can now go around alone, and although I always keep my stick with me to guard against an accident or mis-step, I can safely say I am wonderfully improved from the use of Pink Pills. I am no longer a helpless burden and care on my children that I was, and Pink Pills did it."

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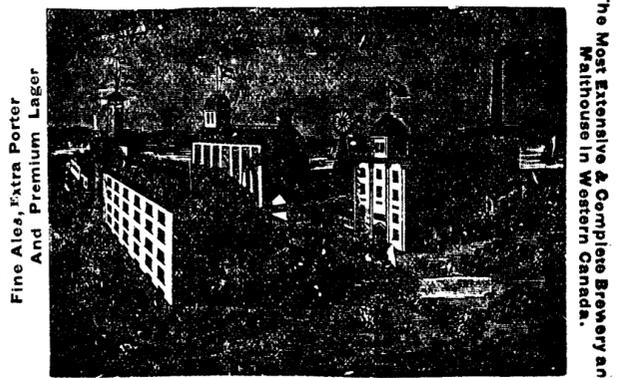
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