

The *Ladies' Bazaar* will give \$100 in gold to the person sending them the largest number of sentences constructed from words contained in the quotation: "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you do you even so to them." Every week during the contest they will give a "handsome family sewing machine," valued at \$50, to the person sending them the largest number of sentences this week. If preferred they will give the winner a solid gold watch instead of the sewing machine. Special prizes for boys and girls. They do not offer impossibilities. The above will be carried out to the letter. Everyone competing will have an equal chance. No dictionary required in this competition. Send 10c. for sample copy of the *Ladies' Bazaar* and full instructions. The *Ladies' Bazaar*, 4 Adelaide St. East, Toronto.

"What keeps the bicycler upright?"—a question that is often asked—will be answered in an illustrated article contributed to the April *Popular Science Monthly* by Charles B. Warring.

AUTHORS AND REVIEWERS.—"A Reviewer and Reviewed of nearly twenty years' standing," writing to the *Author*, lays down the following rules:—"1—All books sent for review should be cut. 2—The reviewer should be helped in his work by the preface, which should always be dated. 3—As far as practicable, the reviewer should be unknown to the reviewed. 4—The number of pages and the price of a book should be stated in the review. 5—In advertisements, extracts from the writer's own preface should be preferred to extracts from reviews. 6—A book should either be reviewed within six months from its receipt or returned. 7—The plot of a novel should never be disclosed in the review of it. 8—Though the reviewer should be set right by the author on clear mistakes, the general criticism of a review is to be depreciated. 9—There is something to be said for a practice of the author sending with his book a 'draft review.' 10—There is something to be said for a practice of the author sending a small fee. I need hardly say that I make the two last suggestions with the greatest fear and trembling." "One would like to know exactly," remarks the editor of the *Author*, "what there is to be said for the last two suggestions."

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INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

One of the hustling industries of Hopewell is the McArthur Factory. This is now owned by Messrs Dr. McDonald and Alex. Grant of Hopewell, but the mechanical superintendence still remains in Mr. McArthur's hands. Last week a large order for several hundred of his well known grand daddy arm chairs was received from Kingston, Jamaica.—*Pictou News*.

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