

mother was present and fully endorsed what her daughter said, adding that she fully believed Pink Pills had saved her life.

Mr. Angus Buchanan, druggist, who is also reeve of the village, was asked if many Pink Pills are sold. His reply was that they have a larger sale than any medicine, and still the demand steadily increases, which is the best evidence that Pink Pills are a great remedy, and there can be no question of the great good they accomplish.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain in a condensed form all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus's dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the effects of grippe, palpitation of the heart; restore the glow of health to pale and sallow complexions, and relieve the tired feeling resulting from nervous prostration; all diseases depending upon vitiated humours 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.

These pills are manufactured by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N.Y., and are sold in boxes covered with the firm's wrapper and trade-mark, (never in loose form by the dozen or hundred, and the public are cautioned against numerous imitations sold in this shape) at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company from either address. The price at which these pills are sold makes a course of treatment comparatively inexpensive as compared with other remedies or medical treatment.

### READINGS FROM CURRENT LITERATURE.

#### THE LOSS OF THE VICTORIA.

'Tis but a little discipline, a noble heart and brave,  
A life of battling with the storm that dwells within the wave.  
'Tis but a hundred years or so of noble-hearted sires,  
That makes the men whose fame is sung on history's golden lyres.  
There heart by heart and face by face in rugged rank four deep,  
As they would wait a mortal foe they wait that last dread sleep.  
Nor breath is drawn, nor muscles change in that heroic hue.  
They stand in nature's majesty, strong rulers of the brine.  
Three hundred men stand silently in that fair sunny clime,  
As one by one the minutes glide down the swift tide of time;  
One slow ten minutes theirs to live and then that strange command,  
With all the tangled threads of life, they then will understand.  
In all that great ship's company, not one man back would shrink,  
Although upon eternity they trembled on the brink.  
Obedient to their order, calm, steadfast, undismayed,  
With one strong prayer from those great hearts in dying they obeyed.  
Nor they alone in all the world are heroes to the death.  
In every land for glorious ends man draws his latest breath.  
In many hearts the true steel rings against some flinty trial,  
And flashes back the God-like spark that lights the noble pile.  
—ELLEN M. BOULTON, in the Russell Chronicle.  
Shellmouth.

### PUBLIC OPINION.

Ottawa Citizen: A new sealing company is being organized in Vancouver, which intends building two schooners in time for next season's operations. If the projectors would read some Reform papers, they might learn that success in their adventure is impossible.

St John Globe: Mr. Laurier, in his tour through Ontario, is everywhere met with unbounded enthusiasm. The meetings that he addresses are very largely attended, showing the interest that is taken in his efforts to enlighten the public mind on the questions of the day.

Hamilton Spectator: Mr. Laurier finished his missionary tour of Ontario yesterday. The test of his oratory has been the claim that the National Policy is a failure. Upon this issue, the Conservative leader will not hesitate to appeal to the knowledge and intelligence of the people of Ontario.

Manitoba Free Press: The Senate at Washington, is not making much progress with that silver legislation. The delay suggests whether, in the United States "Lords," it will not become necessary to adopt some form of closure that will enable a majority to do business with reasonable expedition.

Montreal Gazette: The deposits in the Post Office Savings Banks last month, were close upon \$200,000 more than the withdrawals. This is a little straw that compared with the drift among our neighbours, shows how differently the wind blows on different sides of the much abused tariff wall the Conservatives persist in maintaining.

Guelph Mercury: This union of the various branches of the Church under one general government will tend to strengthen and extend the influence of the Anglican communion in Canada, will promote the feeling of union among the scattered dioceses of that Church in Canada, and will form a more effective body for legislation. The members of the Church of England are to be congratulated on the confederation affected.

Quebec Chronicle: Mr. Boyd well deserves the high honour. He is a leading wholesale dry-goods merchant—a self-made man, and a much respected gentleman. He has always been a devoted follower of Sir Leonard Tilley. When the latter was the leader of the "smashers," as the Liberals down by the sea were called in the old days, Mr. Boyd was ever by his side helping him to achieve victory and political success, with his purse, pen, and tongue. Those weapons were always on tap, as it were. A fiery politician, curiously enough, Mr. Boyd would never allow his name to be put up as a candidate for any office. He was twice offered a position in the gift of his friends, before he decided to accept the Senatorship. He was always helping others, and cared more for their promotion than he did, apparently, for himself. He made a very useful Senator, and his advice on all questions relating to trade, commerce and banking, was often valuable. He will make a most satisfactory chief magistrate, and his appointment will please the great majority of the people over whose destinies he will preside, during the next five years. This will be the first time in the history of our sister Province that a merchant has been chosen Lieutenant-Governor. The office has usually gone to the lawyers. Sir Leonard Tilley, however, was a druggist.

The Maharajah of Mysore has drafted a regulation to prevent infant marriages. It fixes the minimum age of boys at 14, for girls at 8 years.

## SCROFULA

Is that impurity of the blood which produces unsightly lumps or swellings in the neck, which causes running sores on the legs, or feet; which develops ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; which is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or "humors;" which, fastening upon the lungs, causes consumption and death. It is the most ancient of all diseases, and very few persons are entirely free from it.

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W. B. ATHERTON, Passaic City, N. J.

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At Cairo, on the occasion of the marriage of Mahmoud Pasha Riaz, Governor of the Suez Canal, and son of the well-known Riaz Pasha, ex Premier, the celebration extended for a full week: the dining room was a Turkish tent, 100 yards long by 40 wide, where, under the light of a myriad lanterns, candles, and jets of electricity, dinner was served both in European and the Arabian manner. About 150 sheep were killed for the banquet, besides which there were over 200 stone of other meats, and the preparation of the viands engaged the attention of 70 cooks and assistants, including the presents, the fête cost over £5,000. In magnificence, it has scarcely been equalled since the day that Joseph Ben Jacob was Grand Vizier of the land.