

THE BEST POLICY.

HONESTY (morally speaking) is regarded as the best policy. Through the agency and use of honesty in private and business engagements and transactions many a man has achieved success and made his mark in the world.

Other qualities may compete with honesty (to be the best policy) for the supremacy and government of a man, but sure and certain failure will result through such competition.

Every sensible business man should carry with him into his business the best policy (in the shape of honesty) for it is seemly and also right so to do.

Every sensible man should also carry into his own home the best policy which can be offered by a life insurance company, covering the elements of protection to his dependents in case of his death, and a desirable investment for himself should he live a certain number of years.

The North American Life Insurance Company are now issuing the Compound Investment policy, and on account of its containing nearly every advantageous feature which can be found in any other form of policy, and the splendid options the insured is offered when his contract terminates, it is certainly one of the very best forms of insurance.

For full particulars respecting the best policy extant, intending insurers should at once communicate with the head office, North American Life Assurance Company, 22 to 28 King Street West, Toronto; or with any of the Company's agents.

An invention which will, no doubt, add to the health and long life of our city population, is a ventilator to the gas jet. This consists of a pipe, piercing the wall and arranged above every gas-jet, and through this the residue of combustion is carried off to the outer air.

No one doubts that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy really cures Catarrh, whether the disease be recent or of long standing, because the makers of it clinch their faith in it with a \$500 guarantee, which isn't a mere newspaper guarantee, but "on call" in a moment. That moment is when you prove that its makers can't cure you. The reason for their faith is this: Dr. Sage's remedy has proved itself the right cure for ninety-nine out of one hundred cases of Catarrh in the Head, and the World's Dispensary Medical Association can afford to take the risk of you being the one hundredth.

The only question is—are you willing to make the test, if the makers are willing to take the risk? If so, the rest is easy. You pay your druggist 50 cents and the trial begins. If you're wanting the \$500 you'll get something better—a cure!

"German Syrup"

"I have been a great sufferer from Asthma and severe Colds.

every Winter, and last Fall my friends as well as myself thought because of my feeble condition, and great distress from constant coughing, and inability to raise any of the accumulated matter from my lungs, that my time was close at hand. When nearly worn out for want of sleep and rest, a friend recommended me to try thy valuable medicine,

Boschee's German Syrup. I am confident it saved my life. Almost the first dose gave me great relief and a gentle refreshing sleep, such as I had not had for weeks. My cough began immediately to loosen and pass away, and I found myself rapidly gaining in health and weight. I am pleased to inform thee—unsolicited—that I am in excellent health and do certainly attribute it to thy Boschee's German Syrup. C. B. STICKNEY, Picton Ontario."

Minard's Liniment is the Best.

AN OLD SOLDIER'S STORY.

AFTER U.S. MEDICAL MEN FAIL RELIEF COMES FROM CANADA.

The following letter tells the tale of one released from suffering, and needs no comment:—

Michigan Soldiers' Home, Hospital Ward A.
GRAND RAPIDS, March 27, 1892.

Dr. Williams' Medicine Co.

GENTLEMEN,—I have your letter of the 24th, asking me what benefit Pink Pills for Pale People, and it gives me unbounded satisfaction to reply. Within ten days after I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, those terribly excruciating pains I had experienced in my limbs, heart, stomach, back and head, began to leave me, becoming less severe and less frequent, and before I had taken all of the second box they were gone. At times since, I have experienced aches, but they are nothing compared to the pains I had formerly suffered. For months I could get no sleep or rest, only from the use of morphine, two, three, and five times daily. Soon after I began taking the Pink Pills I discontinued the morphine and have taken it but once since, and I am now only taking my fourth box of the pills. Before I began taking Pink Pills I had no passage from my bowels except from the use of cathartics. Very soon after taking the pills my bowels moved regularly and naturally—constipation was entirely gone. Previous to commencing the use of Pink Pills my urine was milky in colour, and after standing resembled a jelly substance. Now it is clear and perfectly natural, and shows no sediment whatever. I had lost the use of my legs, and could not bear the weight of my body on them. By the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and cold baths and rubbing with a crash towel prescribed with them, my limbs have steadily gained in health and strength until I can now bear my full weight upon them. I have been gaining slowly, but surely, ever since I began the use of the Pink Pills, and am perfectly confident that I will be able to walk again and be comfortable, and this after doctoring for years with the best physicians and specialists who said my disease could not be cured but only relieved temporarily by the use of hypodermic injections of morphine. I would not do without Dr. Williams' Pink Pills under any circumstance, even though they cost ten times what they do, and I strongly recommend them to persons afflicted with locomotor ataxia, paralysis, kidney troubles, nervous diseases and impurities of the blood. I have recommended the Pink Pills to a number of old comrades, and in every instance they have proved beneficial, can I therefore do less than warmly recommend them to all who read this letter?

Yours very gratefully,

E. P. HAWLEY.

Pink Pills are a perfect blood builder and nerve restorer, curing such diseases as rheumatism, neuralgia, partial paralysis, locomotor ataxia, St. Vitus' dance, nervous headache, nervous prostration and the tired feeling therefrom, the after effects of la grippe, diseases depending on humours of the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. Pink Pills give a healthy glow to pale and sallow complexions, and are a specific for the troubles peculiar to the female system, and in the case of men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of any nature.

These Pills are manufactured by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y., and are sold only in boxes bearing the firm's trade mark and wrapper, at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50. Bear in mind that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are never sold in bulk, or by the dozen or hundred, and any dealer who offers substitutes in this form is trying to defraud you and should be avoided. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from 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.

A BICYCLE railroad two miles long has been opened to connect Mount Holley and Smithville, N. J. One or two persons can ride on a machine, and a novice can easily propel one a mile in four minutes. This railway is described as a fence, on the top rail of which the bicycles run, propelled by the passenger, who pays a fare for the privilege. Guide wheels pressing against the side of one of the lower rails prevent the bicycle from turning over, so that no experience is required to ride them. The rider sits just high enough to clear the fence, so that the centre of gravity of the machine and rider is considerably below the centres of the wheels.—*Invention.*

THE TESTIMONIALS published on behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla are as reliable and as worthy your confidence, as if they came from your best and most trusted neighbour. They state only the simple facts in regard to what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done, always within truth and reason.

CONSTIPATION, and all troubles with the digestive organs and the liver, are cured by Hood's Pills. Unequaled as a dinner pill.

SCIENTIFIC AND SANITARY.

PHOTOGRAPHIC Transmission.—There is some possibility of an attempt being made to transmit photographs of scenes by telegraph when the World's Fair opens, as a syndicate is proposed in Chicago which will undertake to send photographs by telegraph and reproduce them on a screen in distant cities by means of a system of telephotography. The exact system to be adopted is not mentioned; but it is said to have been described in the Paris *Figaro* some three years ago in comments on experiments by M. H. Courtonne, a French chemist. In these days three years is a long time to keep a discovery quiet, and it may be doubted whether the scheme will be successful.

A PRIZE of 3,000 francs has been offered by Baron Léon de Lenval, of Nice, to the inventor of the best application of the principles of the microphone in the construction of microphones, or of a portable apparatus for the improvement of hearing in deaf persons. Instruments for competition must be sent to Professor Adam Politzer, or Professor Victor von Lang, Vienna, before December 31, 1892. The prize, says *Nature*, will be awarded at the Fifth International Otological Congress at Florence in September, 1893. If no instrument is judged worthy of the prize, the jury reserve the right of announcing another competition, unless Baron Lenval decides to dispose of the prize otherwise. The following are the members of the jury:—Professor Adam Politzer (president), and Professor Victor von Lang, Vienna; Dr. Benni, Warsaw; Dr. Gellé, Paris; Professor Urban Pritchard, London; Professor St. John Roosa, New York; Professor Grazi, Florence.—*Electrical Review.*

EURASIA has no boundaries. It lies, a varying social fact, all over India, thick in the great cities, thickest in Calcutta, where the conditions of climate and bread-winning are most suitable; where, moreover, Eurasian charities are most numerous. Wherever Europeans have come and gone, these people have sprung up in weedy testimony of them—these people who do not go, who have received somewhat of the feeble inheritance of their blood that makes it possible for them to live and die in India. Nothing will ever exterminate Eurasia; it clings to the sun and the soil, and is marvellously propagative within its own borders. There is no remote chance of its ever being reabsorbed by either of its original elements; the prejudices of both Europeans and natives are far too vigorous to permit of much intermarriage with a *jet* of people who are neither one nor the other. Occasionally an up-country planter, predestined to a remote and "jungly" existence, comes down to Calcutta and draws his bride from the upper circles of Eurasia—this not so often now as formerly. Occasionally, too, a young shopman, with the red of Scotland fresh in his cheeks, is carried off by his landlady's daughter; while Tommy Atkins falls a comparatively easy prey. The sight of a native with a half-caste wife is much rarer, for there Eurasian as well as native antipathy comes into operation. The whole conscious inclination of Eurasian life, in habits, tastes, religion, and most of all in ambition, is toward the European and away from the native standards.—*From Eurasia, by Sara Jeannette Duncan, in the Popular Science Monthly.*

No flowery rhetoric can tell the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla as well as the cures accomplished by this excellent medicine.

MESSRS. C. C. RICHARDS & CO.

GENTS.—My daughter had a severe cold and injured her spine so she could not walk, and suffered very much. I called in our family physician; he pronounced it inflammation of the spine and recommended MINARD'S LINIMENT to be used freely. 3 bottles cured her. I have used your MINARD'S LINIMENT for a broken breast; it reduced the inflammation and cured me in 10 days.

Hantsport.

MRS. N. SILVER.

RHEUMATISM; yes, and Neuralgia too, are greatly relieved and often entirely cured by the use of PAIN-KILLER—Try it. 25c. for New 2-oz. Bottle.



Mr. Geo. W. Turner

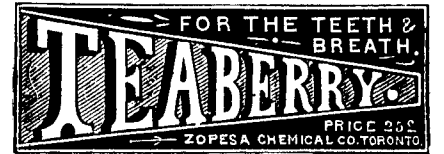
"When I was 4 or 5 years old I had a scrofulous sore on the middle finger of my left hand, which got so bad that the doctors cut the finger off, and later took off more than half my hand. Then the sore broke out on my arm, came out on my neck and face on both sides, nearly destroying the sight of one eye, also on my right arm. Doctors said it was

The Worst Case of Scrofula they ever saw. It was *simply awful!* Five years ago I began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Gradually I found that the sores were beginning to heal. I kept on till I had taken ten bottles, *ten dollars.* Just think of what a return I got for that investment! *a thousand per cent!* Yes, many thousand. For the past 4 years I have had no sores. I

Work all the Time.

Before, I could do no work. I know not what to say strong enough to express my gratitude to Hood's Sarsaparilla for my perfect cure." GEORGE W. TURNER, Galway, N. Y.

HOOD'S PILLS do not weaken, but aid digestion and tone the stomach. Try them. 25c.



AN All-round Light for the Clock Tower.—The new signal light at the House of Commons has again been tested with a view to substitute on the Clock Tower an all-round light for the one which has been in use for the last twenty years, giving an illumination in a westerly direction only. Members of Parliament, living in other parts of London, complain that they were not able to see the light when the House is sitting, and, on the occasion of a count-out, or of an early adjournment, this difficulty caused some inconvenience. A light encircling the tower has now been temporarily fitted, and it was recently tested at dark. The night was hazy, but the illumination could be seen at a considerable distance. It depends upon the First Commissioner of Works (Mr. Shaw-Lefevre) to decide whether a permanent arrangement shall hereafter be adopted.—*Invention.*

THE well-known power which many plants possess of developing adventitious roots from almost any part, when placed under favouring conditions, is manifested in a somewhat extraordinary manner by several trees recently brought to the notice of botanists. In the *Bulletin* of the Torrey Botanical Club for August, 1891, the present writer published an account of a linden growing in Boston, Mass., where it had been subjected to injury from horses gnawing the bark, and in consequence had a considerable portion of the trunk decayed. At the edge of the wound the cambium had formed a callus, and from a point in this living tissue there proceeded several vigorous roots which penetrated the decaying wood in all directions, evidently finding a rich soil. Subsequent issues of the *Bulletin* have contained descriptions of several other examples of trees exhibiting a similarly economical utilization of the products of their own decay. These include swamp maples, a Norway maple, a willow, and a white mulberry. In an English paper appeared not long ago an account of an oak which had "sustained itself for years by a mass of roots grown into its own trunk!" In one of the swamp maples observed by L. M. Stabler, at Great Neck, Long Island, the primary injury apparently resulted from a storm which split and twisted the trunk. One of the adventitious roots, "at least two inches in diameter, started as high as ten feet above the base of the trunk, and passed down through the decayed portion to the ground.—*F. L. Sargent, in The Popular Science Monthly.*

Minard's Liniment cures Colds, etc.