

to speak to each other. There are lots of young men and women who would get married right in our Western country only for being too backward in going forward. We young men so seldom get in the company of young ladies that when we do we feel too bashful to get down to business. I know that all I lack myself is a companion to share my trials and troubles. I have been batching four years and I think that plenty long enough for any man to live alone. The only friend I have is my violin which always stays with me.

I must give a description of myself. I am 23 years old, weigh 160 pounds, fair complexion. If any of the fair sex should like to write their letter will be promptly answered. Please address enclosed envelope to "Baby Bug," "Royal Homesteader."

Kootenay Belle Heard From.

British Columbia, Feb. 15, 1909.
Editor.—This is just a note from a Western girl for I notice that few write from B. C. Am not on the matrimonial market but am on the look-out for correspondence. Would like to correspond with "Modest Pansy," "Saucebox," and with any other boy or girl of any age. Everyone gives a description of themselves so suppose I had better follow the crowd. Am about 5 feet 5 1/2 inches tall, medium fair with blue eyes. Can ride, cook, skate, dance and play a little. Hoping this will not make acquaintance with the waste paper basket I bid adieu to the readers.

"Kootenay Belle."

"Blue-Eyed Bill" on the Rampage.

Pendennis, Man., Feb. 5, 1909.
Editor.—Being a reader of the W. H. M. I am very much interested in the correspondence columns. I am thinking of trying my luck. I am a Canadian 21 years old, dark hair, blue eyes and a fair complexion; am 5 feet 8 inches tall, neither drink nor chew, but smoke a little. Would like to correspond with some of the young ladies if they would be so kind to write to me first as I am very bashful. "Blue-Eyed Bill."

The Boy in the Corner.

Myrtle, Man., Feb. 11, 1909.
Editor.—I have been a reader of your good paper for a long time and have just taken a notion to write to your correspondence columns. I am a young Englishman, 20 years of age, have black curly hair and brown eyes, stand just over 5 feet, weight about 125 pounds. I will expect to see this published, also to receive some letters from some of Canada's young ladies. Any one who will write I will gladly answer. "Bashful Boy."

Johnny Come Lately Gets Busy.

Editor.—I have been a very interested reader of your magazine, although not a subscriber. I enjoy the correspondence column very much. I have been over this Western country a whole lot and I think it is a magnificent country, only too many bachelors. I see a description of one's self is in order; well, I am 5 feet 6 inches in height, weigh about 150 pounds, dark hair and brown eyes. Would be pleased if you would put me in correspondence with some nice ladies between 25 and 30. I would like to hear from "Forget-me-not" and "Bright-Eyed Little Birdie." All correspondence promptly answered. My address is with the editor. "Johnny Come Lately."

"Tipperary" Write Sweet Sixteen.

Saskatoon, Feb. 24, 1909.
Editor.—I have been a constant and interested reader of the W. H. M. for some time. I have taken great interest in the correspondence columns and am always sorry when I come to the end. As it is the custom to give a description of one's self I will do so. I am past 16, weigh 132 pounds, 5 feet 4 inches tall, dark brown hair, dark blue eyes. Have been in the West just one year and like it very much. Would like to hear from "Tipperary" or any of the boys or girls who would care to write. Wishing the paper every success. "A Western Rose."

October Bell from Quebec.

Quebec, Feb. 16, 1909.
Editor.—I was reading in your correspondence column in the October paper and I saw a letter from "Spicy Gent," asking for correspondents as a pastime, so I decided to write to him. Please forward enclosed letter. Do not publish my name, but you might put my name in the correspondent list as "October Bell," as one who would like a few correspondents. "October Bell."

"Baby Bug" in Demand.

Saskatchewan, Feb. 20, 1909.
Editor.—Having been an interested reader of your excellent paper for the past 3 years I thought I would like to write a few lines to the correspondence columns of the W. H. M. I am an Englishman and have been out in the West for 3 years. I am 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches in height, considered good looking. I would like to correspond with "Baby Bug" as I think she is the right girl to have. "Earl of Banbury."

A BOY'S STRUGGLE FOR LIFE TWICE DELIVERED FROM DEATH

Mr. S. J. New of 154 Baldwin St., Toronto, says: "I can trace my son Harold's trouble to when he had the measles five years ago, from which he never really recovered. Some of the best physicians attended him, but with months of suffering he in turn contracted whooping cough, bronchitis, and then pneumonia."

"MY POOR BOY WAS REDUCED TO A SHADOW." "Month after month went by that we shall not soon forget; months of sleepless nights, fearful coughs, weakening night sweats, left my boy a mere shadow. He had no appetite, and my heart ached to see how he was wasting away. He spent one whole summer at the Lakeside Home for sick children, and came home greatly improved, but the cold winds of October took him off his feet again. The doctor advised me to send him to Muskoka, but heavy doctor's bills had depleted my financial resources and such a step seemed out of the question. Scores of friends advised the use of PSYCHINE, but I was inclined to place PSYCHINE on a par with many advertised remedies and cheap nostrums. However, my friends proved such strong advocates of it that I at last consented to try it."

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