SHE FAINTED WITH THE AGONY

"Fruit-a-tives" Cured Her Kidneys

Miss MAGGIE JANNACK

MOUNTAIN, ONT., DEC. 14th. 1910

"I desire to let the world know the great debt I owe "Fruit-a-tives" which saved my life when I had given up hope of ever being well again.

For six years, I suffered from dreadful Kidney Disease. My legs and lower part of my body were fearfully swollen. The pain in my side and legs would be so bad that I would faint with the agony.

Five different doctors attended me and all said it was Kidney Disease and gave me no hope of getting well.

A kind neighbor visited me and mentioned the case of Mrs. Fenwick who had been cured of a sickness like mine. I took "Fruit-a-tives" and in a short time, I began to feel better—the swelling went down — the pains were easier—and soon I was well.

I have gained over 30 pounds since taking "Fruit-a-tives"—and my friends look upon my recovery as a miracle."

(Miss) MAGGIE JANNACK.

"Fruit-a-tives" are sold by all dealers at 50c a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size, 25c.—or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

White Ribbon News.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union first organized in 1874.

AIM.—The protection of the home, the abolition of the liquor traffic and the triumph of Christ's Golden Rule in custom and in law.

MOTTO—For God and Home and Native Land.

BADGE—A knot of White Ribbon.

WATCHWORD—Agitate, educate, organize.

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When the Drink is Driven Away.

No broken windows or creaking doors,
No greasy walls or filthy floors,
But pretty homes, and gardens fair,
Scent of sweet flowers perfume the air
Where drink is driven away.

No 'raggit weans,' no weary wives,
No women in fear for their very lives,
But merry maids and bonny boys,
Making streets ring with gladsome noise,
Where the drink is driven away.

No tempting bars or drink-shops low,
No brawls or fights where'er you go,
But peace and plenty reign supreme,
And life is one long pleasant dream,
Where the drink is driven away.

No aching hearts and dragging feet,
No unemployed in any street,
But bounding step and cheery song,
And work for the willing, the brave and strong,
Where the drink is driven away.

No frowning jails and prisons drear,
No criminals in training here,
The banner of true freedom waves
O'er men who never can be slaves,
Where the drink is driven away.

No public debt to crush them down,
No breaking banks to make them frown,
No empty coffers in the state,
For debts are small and incomes great
Where the drink is driven away,

And oh! thou country of my birth,
The grandest spot upon the earth,
O may I live to see the day
When all thy woes shall pass away,
And glorious, beautiful and free
Thou shalt arise victoriously,
When the drink is driven away!

—Mrs. Harrison.

Missionaries and Rum.

When poor, old worn-out David Livingstone died upon his knees in a lonely hut in Central Africa, praying, 'Oh, let Thy kingdom come!' we thought he had opened the great Dark Continent to the onward march of Christian civilization and the light of God's truth. Missionary societies and conventions caught the inspiration, large contributions began to flow in, and the scores of devoted missionaries volunteered, and the procession began to move. Watch it; one missionary and 70,000 gallons of rum; rum and missionaries; and thus we enter the Dark Continent. Watch again. One convert to Christ, a hundred drunkards. The missionary's heart grows sick and cries out, 'For the love of Christ, stop the rum!' The climate does its exhaustive work, and one by one the brave workers sink beneath the burning sun or return home broken doves to health; hearts at home are discouraged, and the next ship goes only with rum—without missionaries. Some years ago 300 Africans, maddened and crazed by liquor, sent from Boston, slaughtered one another in a single day. At another time fifty were killed in a fight caused by a single gallon of rum. Judas sold his Lord for $17.00, but Christian America sends fifty heathen souls to perdition for 90 cents.—Welcome News.

Sir Stafford and Lady Howard, who recently presented a park to Llanelly with the condition that no intoxicating liquors should ever be sold in its refreshment halls, have announced that they will not in future renew the leases of any licensed premises on their estates. This has caused some consternation among the drink sellers of Llanelly.—Selected.

Is there anything in all this world that is of more importance to you than good digestion? Food must be eaten to sustain life and must be digested and converted into blood. When the digestion fails the whole body suffers. Chamberlain's Tablets are a rational and reliable cure for indigestion. They increase the flow of bile, purify the blood, strengthen the stomach, and tone up the whole digestive apparatus to a natural and healthy action. For sale by all dealers.

What Saved His Hand.

The New York Witness in speaking of some of the manifold benefits to be derived from pure, clean habits of life says very truly that the time may come to any one of us when the question of life or death will depend on our sobriety and general healthfulness. There are great, portly, robust-looking men so full of disease that the prick of a pin might kill them, and there are men so clean and healthy that you might almost run them through a threshing machine and the fragments when put together would knit and heal.'

As an apt illustration of this fact the same paper relates the following incident:

'A young laboring man was brought to a certain hospital with a badly lacerated hand. He had fallen upon an old cotton hook, and it had gone entirely through the palm of his hand carrying with it rust and dirt. The wound was kept open so that it would supperate freely and be readily cleansed.

'As time passed on, the hand became very much swollen, turned black, and the surgeons watched very carefully for signs of blood poisoning, fearing that the whole hand would have to be amputated to save the life of the possessor.

'These signs not appearing, it became a question whether more of the hand could be saved than the first two fingers. As the hand became no worse, the surgeon delayed operating on it, and after a time it began to mend and finally healed entirely, to the surprise of the surgeon.

'Young man,' said he to the patient, as the danger was passing away, 'do you use alcohol in any form.'

'No, sir.'

'Do you use tobacco?'

'No, sir.'

'That is what saved your hand.'

A Year Indoors.

'For thirteen months I was so bad with chronic indigestion that I could not go out of doors. Nerves were unstrung, the heart bad and smothering feelings came on till I thought I would choke. Doctors' treatment failed me, so I began the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which I thank for my present good health. I am now doing my housework and have a family of ten.'

'I should think some of these peachmakers would get tired of hearing themselves,' said the proprietor of the village store.

'Human nature's the same in politics as 'tis anywhere else,' replied old Joe Smithers. 'A man don't mind listenin' to the worst noise a cornet can make, provided he's the feller that's doin' the practicin'.'

PILES Do not suffer another day with Itching, Blind, Bleeding, or Protruding Piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and as certainly cure you. 60c. a box; all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 2c. stamp to pay postage.

'What were you and Mr. Smith talking about in the parlor?' asked mother.

'Oh, we were discussing our kith and kin,' replied the young lady.

The mother looked dubiously at her daughter, whereupon her little brother, wishing to help his sister, said:

'Yeth, they weth, mother. I heard him. Mr Thmith asked tor a kith and she thaid, 'You kin.'"

A Weak Heart.

When the heart is weak or irregular in action, when the blood is thin and watery, remember the blood-forming qualities of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and by its use feed the system with rich, red, vitalizing blood. This is Nature's way of curing weakness and disease. It is the only way to ensure lasting benefits.

Hostess—And does your mother allow you to have two pieces of pie when you are at home, Willie?

Willie—No ma'am.

Hostess—Well, do you think she would like you to have two pieces here?

Willie (confidently)—Oh, she wouldn't care. This isn't her pie.

Sick headache results from a disordered condition of the stomach, and can be cured by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Try it. For sale by all dealers.

A bride and bridegroom were on their honeymoon at a seaside resort. The bride in telegraphing to her father announced that they were having a lovely time, a row every morning before breakfast.'

Her father wired back: 'How do you pronounce row?'

For a burn or scald apply Chamberlain's Salve. It will allay the pain almost instantly and quickly heal the injured parts. For sale by all dealers.

MOTHERHOOD SUGGESTIONS

Advice to Expectant Mothers

The experience of Motherhood is a trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at such times, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when it is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under the right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, and with ample time in which to prepare, women will persist in going blindly to the trial.

Every woman at this time should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism.

In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

LYDIA E. PINKHAM

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

George Wright's Will.

George Wright, of Halifax, made his will in the office of one of the leading lawyers in London the very day before he sailed on the ill-fated Titanic. The will provides for bequests of about $275,000.

The bequests to churches, philanthropies and enterprises for the public good are:

To the minister of St. Paul's church, Halifax, for the support of the church, $1,000; School for the Blind, $1,000; Lord's Day Alliance, $2,000; N. S. Temperance Alliance, $2,000; Halifax Y. M. C. A., $1,000; Church of England Institute, $1 000; Foreign Missions, $1,000; Home Missions, for the support of aged ministers, $1,000; the Salvation Army, $1,000; for good amusement hall, $20,000; to Council of Women—his freehold residence in trust for their work

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
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Little Elmer—Papa, give me some money?

Papa—Why do you want money, Elmer?

Little Elmer—Well, suppose a robber was to stop me and say, 'Your money or your life,' and I hadn't any money?

For soreness of the muscles whether induced by violent exercise or injury, Chamberlain's Liniment is excellent. This liniment is also highly esteemed for the relief it affords in cases of rheumatism. Sold by all dealers.

One day last summer little Dottie was watching her mother canning fruit. After the rubber rings had been put on several cans Dottie exclaimed:

'Oh, mamma, let me put the garters on the rest of them!'

Bridget—What does 'Kismet' mean, mum?

The Mistress—It is Arabic for fate.

Mistress—(Three days later.) What makes you limp Bridget?

Bridget—Sure, mum, and my Kismet hurt me.

J. M. Howell, a popular druggist of Greensburg, Ky., says, 'We use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our own household and know it is excellent.' For sale by all dealers.

At a moving picture theatre in Pittsburg the notice is thrown on the screen at every performance: 'Any woman wearing a hat that costs less than 98 cents need not remove it during the performance.'

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Marconi adds to the wireless telegraph a wireless compass, by means of which it is hoped that a skipper may ascertain the location of all ships, lighthouses or lightships in his vicinity, and thus greatly diminish the danger of fog at sea.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

To the Publics

The undersigned begs to notify the public that he is now prepared to undertake painting, paper-hanging, etc., of all kinds. Having had adequate experience he guarantees first-class work and entire satisfaction to every case. Orders may be left with Wolfville Decorating Co.

GODFREY & MURPHY.

Wolfville, Mar. 2, 1910. 'Phone 86.

Minard's Liniment cures Dandruff

Synopsis of Canadian North-West Land Regulations.

ANY person who is the sole head of a family or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section along side his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside upon the homestead of pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

P S—Unauthorised publications of this advertisement will not be paid for. Dec. 29 tf

Orchard Farm For Sale

In The Town of Wolfville

Good modern 10 room house, with bath, closet, steam heat, electric light and telephone, good warm barn with 6 stalls and a large hay loft, plenty of room for farm implements and vehicles. There is a good frost proof fruit house, tool house, poultry houses, and a good tenement house on the farm. 16 acres of as good orchard land as we have in Nova Scotia, all under drained and all set with the best varieties fruits, apples, pears, plums, cherries, quinces and small fruits. Part of the trees are in full bearing and the other part have been set out ten, twelve and fifteen years, the trees are all healthy and the land is in first class state of cultivation. Will sell it in block or will cut it up to suit purchaser. This is a good deal for some one. Payment can be arranged to suit, the major part of it can be left on mortgage. For further particulars apply to F. J. Porter, Local Manager for McCallums Ltd.

BERWICK RESIDENCE FOR SALE

Pleasantly situated on elevated ground on Foster street five minutes walk to station, post office, churches. Modern two story house with ell 16 x 30, 9 roomed house, besides halls, closets, pantries; first flat finished in ash; folding-doors between front and back rooms, two bay windows full height glass 30 x 30, good cellar, water in kitchen, also well at back platform. Good barn room for 7 or 8 head, carriage house, hen house and pig house. Well at barn. 9 acres of land most in orchard, 200 bbls. apples last year besides pears, plums, cherries; will double in short time. Pasture for two head. Ideal spot for small fruits or raising poultry. For futher information call or write to

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Berwick, Kings Co., N. S.

Electric Restorer for Men

Phosphonol restores every nerve in the body to its proper tension, restores vim and vitality. Premature decay and all sexual weakness averted at once. Phosphonol will make you a new man. Price $3 a box, or two for $5. Mailed to any address. The Scobell Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

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Learn why PURITY FLOUR is unlike any other brand

PURITY FLOUR is unlike any other brand of flour. No two milling companies follow exactly the same process of milling. In fact, no two different brands of flour in the world are exactly alike in quality.

And here is another fact worth knowing: Every wheat berry contains both high-grade and low-grade portions.

The process of milling PURITY flour costs more than to mill ordinary flour. The low-grade portions are separated and excluded. PURITY is an ALL HIGH-GRADE, hard wheat flour. It has greater strength, greater absorption and greater expansion. It is a thirstier, more elastic flour. It drinks more water and expands into more loaves.

Use PURITY FLOUR for your next batch of bread. Count the loaves. You'll find you have made "MORE BREAD AND BETTER BREAD" from PURITY than when you've used an equal weight of weaker and cheaper flour.

PURITY FLOUR

"More bread and better bread"

IMAGINE, if you can, how much whiter, and more toothsome, and more nutritious, the bread made from such a HIGH-GRADE flour must be.

And can you imagine yourself enjoying the flaky pie-crust and the light, delicate cake?—your reward for using PURITY flour

When making pastry, please remember to add more shortening than required with ordinary flour—for on account of its extra strength, PURITY FLOUR requires more shortening for best pastry-results

Yes, PURITY FLOUR costs slightly more than ordinary flour. But use it once and you'll say it's worth more—much more—than the difference.

Add PURITY FLOUR to your grocery list right now.

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Livery and Boarding Stable.
Stylish Single and Double Turnouts Furnished.
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All kinds of trucking and express ing attended to promptly.
Elm Avenue, (Next Royal Hotel,)
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Ask for Minard's and take no other.

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Pleasantly situated on Acadia street a two storey house and good sized barn. House has 8 rooms besides pantry and bath, heated with hot air, about half acre land covered with fruit trees fast beginning to bear.

For particulars apply box 79,
Wolfville, N. S.

FOR SALE.

On Prospect St., house containing nine rooms. Modern conveniences. Lot 70 x 122. Apple, pear and cherry trees, also small fruit. For particulars apply to

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MOIR'S FIG BAR

Figs are one of the world's most nutritious fruits. They are also one of the most delicious, especially when they form the centre of a tempting biscuit like Moir's Fig Bar. Try this wholesome biscuit, so good and so healthful. 29

MOIRS, LIMITED
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Don't let repairs eat up your profits

Whether they represent actual cash outlay, or only the time of yourself and your help, repairs are *waste* just the same. When you make an improvement—no matter how small its cost may be—let it be *permanent*. Then it is a real investment, something on which you can realize in *cash* should you decide to sell your property; and something that will pay you constant dividends in convenience, sightliness and comfort as long as the farm remains your own.

Concrete Improvements Are Permanent

They last as long as the very hills themselves. They do not require experts to build them. Their first cost, in most cases, is no more than for inferior materials.

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THE STANDING ALIBI OF

H. STANLEIGH STORME

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(By Wm. Hamilton Osborne).

Stanleigh Storme?"

"Well," responded Burke, stretching his head, "it's about the same either way. There's no difference, as far as I can see, between the two."

And O'Connell was in much the same frame of mind.

CHAPTER XVIII

Storme Proves Another Alibi.

The facts set forth in the foregoing narrative were all within the personal knowledge of the writer; for what happened later he is dependent wholly on evidence at second hand but which nevertheless is in all respects reliable.

The writer sat within the court room at each trial, and in fact reported for a local sheet such of the facts as were afterwards made public but immediately after the second trial associated himself with a leading paper in an Eastern city.

It was with feelings of considerable pleasure that he found himself confronted on the street not long since by a bearded denizen of the old place. From this man he was able to glean such further facts relative to H. Stanleigh Storme as were of interest to him.

"Well, sir," said the visitor. "I'm glad to see you. I haven't seen you for a couple o' years at the outside—not in fact since I saw you at the Storme trial. Do you remember it? You were on the Blade about that time."

"The Star," corrected I. "Did they ever hear of Storme?" I asked.

"Hear of him?' replied the old man "Why, ain't you heard? Didn't you know about it?"

"Tell me," I requested.

"Why, no," responded he, "they never got him out there; but somebody did on here East. Why, man alive, he's been sent up—he's jailed, though on another charge, and," he added, "under another name."

"Another name?" I said. "What name?"

The old man slowly smiled.

"It's a name that's well known by this time, I guess, pretty much all over. Did you ever hear of Stephen Duckworth?"

"What!" I exclaimed. "Stephen Duckworth! The man that tried to float that million dollar bond scheme—the forger. Why, he's in state's prison in this state; been there a month, at least."

"Exactly," returned my old friend, "that's where he is. And that man," he continued, "is H. Stanleigh Storme. I thought you knew it all the time. They've got him under lock and key this time for fair. He won't get out too soon."

It was about dinner time. I led the way into the cozy corner of a downtown restaurant, where we regaled ourselves and whiled away an hour.

"And the other fellow, Townsend, what became of him?" I asked.

The old man wiped the soup off his wide expanse of short front and nodded his head.

"I don't suppose," he answered, "that C. T. & A. Railway had a better manager than they've got now. I know they haven't in my time. His name," he added, "is Henry F. Townsend. He's one of the best business men in the place, and they all swear by him.

"They soured on him a bit after that last trial on account of the blame fool way in which he'd been taken in, but when they came to cool down, they concluded all around that Townsend wasn't to blame any more than anybody else — the whole town had been took in, the banks and the police force the most of all.

"Henry F. Townsend told a straightforward story, and he was a straightforward man, and they came to understand that pretty soon. There wasn't anything against him except that he was mixed up in this unfortunate thing about the same way everybody had been, and they found there was a good deal in favor of him. He stayed right there and bore the brunt of the whole thing—said he was all right and intended to stick to it.

"And he did. And he won out. Some of his old railroad people got interested in the C. T. & A., and they slapped Townsend right in as assistant manager—you see he knew all about the business. And then, by George, the manager resigned and Townsend stepped right into his shoes. And he's all right, is Henry F Townsend."

"He never married, I suppose?" I queried.

The old man smiled again.

"Yes, he did," he answered. "And that was another funny thing.

"Do you remember that Dumont robbery—the thing Storme turned before he went for the First National? Well, sir, Townsend married that girl—the Dumont girl. I believe she'd known Storme, or something of that kind, and I suppose Townsend met her in some way after the trial, but, anyway, she married him, and they're both all right."

"It was a funny thing, though. They say she saw the burglar in her house that night and recognized him; and it must seem queer to her when she looks at Townsend, for if ever a man looked like Storme, he's the man, though he's changed his looks some now, too.

"That Dumont girl is rich, too; rich as mud, they say. So Townsend, what with the railroad and other things, is pretty well fixed, and happy, too, I guess; as happy as they make 'em. Well, sir," concluded the old man, reaching for a bunch of toothpicks, "I'm due uptown about this time and I guess I'll be moving."

"I'll go with you," I responded.

As we passed a newspaper bulletin on the way up the street, we saw a crowd around it.

"Well, by George," exclaimed my companion, "will wonders never cease? Look at that. That's about the man we were talkin' of just now."

I looked. Upon the bulletin, in fresh black paint, appeared the following words:

Duckworth's Desperate Escape
Stephen Duckworth, the Notorious Bond Forger, Breaks His Prison Bonds
Cannot Be Found. Possess Scouring The Country In Search.

The old man squeezed my arm. "What do you thing of that?" he asked. "You take my word for it, they'll never get him—no, sir, they can't do it. I'm bettin' on any man the first letter of whose last name begins with H. Stanley Storme. If he's out, he's out for good."

And he was. Officially, Stephen Duckworth was supposed to be confined in cell No. 143. Actually, he was far away.

They find his bars sawed, the cage broken, and the bird flown.

Officially, the record in the warden's office set forth that Stephen Duckworth, the famous forger, bank robber, and swindler, was safe within the clutches of the law. But it was not true.

As he had often done before, H. Stanleigh Storme had once more proved an alibi.

"Some fellow ought to write a book about him," exclaimed the old man again as we started on once more.

I assented.

"I will," I said.

And, accordingly, I have.

I ON HENRY STORME HIMSELF

Dogs.

Dogs were formerly indigenous to the indigent, but, since the advent of dog licenses, whereby a dog, without a maid or a valet, is presumed to be guilty until it is proved innocent of shot, they have been grafted on family trees, with their own separate heraldry as substitutes for children, thereby furnishing considerable consolation for race suicide.

Dogs are divided into two great classes — pedigreed and verdigreed. Verdigreed are of two kinds — mad dogs and dogs. Pedigreed are of several kinds, chief among which are watch dogs and sheep-dogs. Watch-dogs are so called because they are small enough, and usually cranky enough, to be carried around in the place of watches by people who have plenty of time. Sheep-dogs are so called because they are led around by sheepish-looking people.

Those dogs are considered the handsomest by connoisseurs which look the ugliest to other people.

Challenge the Judge.

It was a case in an Irish court, and the prisoner seeming hard to satisfy, juryman after juryman was asked to leave the box. However, all things come to an end, even in Ireland, and at last the swearing of the jury was completed. And then the prisoner leaned over the dock and sought the ear of his counsel.

"The jury's all right now, I think," he whispered; "but ye must challenge the judge. I've been convicted under him sivival times already, and maybe he's beginnin' to have a prejudice."

Sophistry of a Sophist.

A certain archbishop, when asked woman to misstate her age, replied: "A lie may be defined as a statement made by one rational being to another rational being with the intent to deceive. Now, as no rational being would think of asking a woman her age with the expectation of being answered truthfully, one of the elements of the lie is lacking, and the woman's statement cannot, strictly speaking, be defined as such."

Australia has Tallest Tree.

Australia claims to have the tallest tree in the world. It has long been thought that to California belongs this distinction, but, while Californian trees are of gigantic dimensions, they do not come up to Australia's eucalyptus trees. The Californians are noted not so much for their height as for their girth and diameter. The tallest tree in California yet discovered was found by actual measurement to be 340ft high. Australia's record gum tree can beat this by 140ft.

Offhand Definitions.

A limony—The price of peace.

Laughing stock—An amateur actor making an attempt at high tragedy.

Political rainbows—The kind usually seen just before the November deluge.

Human nature—Something to blame your eccentricities on if you are not like other people.

Becoming pride—Setting a proper valuation on your own abilities and accomplishments — and never cutting prices.

Women aren't the only human beings who marry for a home.

Cured a horse of the Mange with MINARD'S LINIMENT. CHRISTOPHER SAUNDERS. Dalhousie.

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"Only a Cold"

SNEEZING and running at the nose, stuffed up feelings in the head, sore throat, tickling in the throat and coughing.

This is the natural development of what is in the beginning "only a cold." It is the way in which scores and thousands are allowing colds to develop into bronchitis, pneumonia, or consumption.

If colds were promptly cured there would be no need for sanitoriums and hospitals for consumptives. Because people have weak lungs they need not become consumptives if they will but guard against colds and cure them promptly by using Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

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