

A WISE PHYSICIAN

BROAD OF OPINION HE THROWS PREJUDICE TO THE WIND.

Dr. J. L. Limes Indorses Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Because He Has Found Them Efficacious.

From the Capital, St. John, Kansas. Hearing that Dr. J. L. Limes, of St. John, Kan., had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in his practice with great success, a reporter called upon and interviewed him regarding the matter.

Your reporter found the Doctor a very pleasant and affable man of probably 50 years of age. We were much impressed with his manner, as it was kindly and dignified. When we broached the subject of our call, he became enthusiastic at once and proceeded to give us the following publication:

"My attention had been called to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People by several persons of my acquaintance who had been greatly benefited or entirely cured by their use. I determined to give them a trial in my practice, and if they proved to be satisfactory I would adopt them and use them regularly. Since I began prescribing them I have never had cause to regret my determination. I have



used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in a number of cases of nervous troubles, neurasthenia, rheumatism, etc., and in every case have been exceptionally well pleased with the results, and I can honestly and conscientiously recommend Pink Pills for the above diseases.

"I shall continue to use them and recommend them to my patients, for I consider there is nothing better for the diseases they are recommended to cure. I am well known in this part of Kansas and also in Fayette County, Ohio. I am secretary of the U. S. Pension Examining Surgeons' Board for Stafford County, Kansas, and chairman of the Republican County Central Committee for the above named county. Yours, faithfully, JESSE L. LIMES, M. D."

We also ascertained the Doctor's standing in St. John by a few interviews which we herewith publish, along with the Doctor's statement regarding Pink Pills:

"I am well acquainted with Dr. J. L. Limes and know him to be an honorable and straightforward man, and whatever he may say can be relied upon.

"E. R. BENEFIELD, County Supt. of Schools, Stafford County, Kansas."

St. John, Kansas, July 14, 1896. "I have known Dr. J. L. Limes for a number of years, and can recommend him as a prominent physician, and a man well liked in this vicinity.

"HOWARD GRAY, Cashier Commercial Bank, St. John, Kansas."

"I have known Dr. J. L. Limes for several years, and as a physician he is very prominent, and his reputation for honor and integrity are too well known to be questioned for an instant.

"H. J. CORNWELL, Editor St. John News."

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Shake Into Your Shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting feet, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight-fitting or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it to-day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25 cents, in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen B. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

An Athlete man is writing a novel in which the villain is avenged by his rival marrying the heroine.

I know that my life was saved by Piso's Cure for Constipation. John A. Miller, Au Sable, Michigan, April 21, 1896.

Swedish papers report a striking increase in the number of young men who refuse, on religious or other grounds, to do military duty. They are usually sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

When the hair begins to fall out or turn gray, the scalp needs doctoring, and we know of no better specific than Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.

Miss Helen Gould has six bicycles at her county place at Irvington-on-the-Hudson for her own use and that of her friends. Miss Gould rides in a short skirt, a waist of the same material and an alpine hat. She never mounts her wheel on Sunday.

Hall's Catarrh Cure Is a constitutional cure. Price 75 cents.

Poultry Pointers Fokins are the best breed of ducks to raise without water.

When the hens have the scours, feed chalk in the soft feed.

Always feed chickens before giving them water in the morning.

When the hens are confined, they should have plenty of cool, clear water.

Ducks can live in water all day, but must have dry quarters at night.

Damaged grain or soft feed is always dangerous. It is apt to induce disease.

WOMANHOPE

AS TO CORSETS.

HOW small waisted women are now, with full skirts and full bodices strapped in by a leather belt! "Tight lacing," one is inclined to say, but really the trimness of the waist is largely suggested by contrast to the fullness about it, and if the Parisienne does pull her stays in a trifle too much she does it at the most comfortable and least dangerous spot, the very waist line. The corset affected by the English woman—perhaps not by the best class, although they are all more or less sinners in this respect, much to the despair of their Paris dressmakers—may pinch the figure in an iron frame for its whole distance of twelve to fifteen inches, but the style of stays approved of in Paris is only fashioned with the idea of nipping in the waist. The looser, larger meshed goods or canvas weaves are lined with changeable silk and have belt and collar to match one color and a silk vest of the other. All have the loose blouse corsage.

A Corner Bookcase. The corners of a room are always rather difficult to arrange so that the effect shall be satisfactory, and for this purpose the corner bookcase pictured here will meet every need. The frame is fine quartered oak, highly polished, and finished at the top, with a hand-



THE CORNER BOOKCASE.

some molding. While the back of the case fits solidly into the corner, the front presents a square edge, while the shelves are also perfectly square. A curtain of figured silk suspended from a slender brass rod can be drawn directly across the front, or to one side.—Chicago Chronicle.

To Retain Good Complexion. It is claimed that English women have excellent complexions. While passing through Chicago during the theater season an actress of some repute was questioned as to the preservation of her good complexion. She said that she was, in the first place, an "English woman," and that was in itself sufficient. But, on being asked how one could retain a good complexion, she offered the following shampoo: According to her statement, the face shampoo not only adds to the personal attractiveness of the shampooer, but creates a peaceful, cheerful spirit in her. It rests her nerves after a morning's shopping, it restores her temper.

To take it, rub fine soap and a little glycerine on a sponge, wet in water as hot as can be borne. Lather the face and neck thoroughly with this. Then rub with almond meal until the skin is dry. Wash all trace of meal and soap off with clean, hot water; spray with cold water until the flesh is firm and cold. Dry gently with a soft towel, and touch the eyebrows and roots of the hair with a linen cloth dampened with cologne.

An Elaborate Bicycle Suit. There was recently placed with a fashionable New York tailor an order for a bicycle suit which in the matter of expense is likely to hold the record for some time. The girl who meets the bill is worth a million in her own right, is an athletic belle and is a reigning belle in the ultra smart set. The suit which makes the bill is the most elaborate ever designed in this country. It is lined with silk, finished with jewels and will cost a lump sum of \$715.50. Two shawls at \$75 apiece will be employed in making the skirt and jacket.

Outdoor Wraps. Capelike wraps for matrons show long sash ends and are often made up of silk of two different but harmonizing shades, like crushed strawberry and Nile green, the contrast being dampened by a covering of black plaited mousseline de soie, gauze or black lace embroidered with steel or jet beads.

A Seaside Costume. The smartest costumes for the river or seaside are of white pique, either as full bodice and skirt or coat and skirt with cambrie shirt. At Newport recently one of these costumes was worn over a white shirt with yellow necktie, combined with a white straw sailor hat with a yellow band of ribbon.

Getting Rid of the Flies. Nowadays people in civilized regions endeavor to keep flies out of their houses by having screens placed over their doors and windows. This keeps out the greater number of the little pests, but a few always manage to find an entrance through some crevice or cranny. To dispose of these an ingenious mind suggests the following: Near the tops of the screen doors and

window screens punch several holes from the inside with some instrument about the size of a lead pencil, thus leaving slightly funnel-shaped apertures, having a rough, jagged edge on the outside. This renders it impossible for the flies to enter through these holes, while the flies which have strayed into the house the first time they light on one of the screens crawl to the upper part, and, seeing these holes, imagine there is some place where they are not wanted on the other side, and out they go. "In this manner," said a flytrap dealer, "a house can be kept perfectly free from flies."

Newest Things Out. For business wear the proper shirt waist is of alpaca wash silk, or silk finished gingham.

Linon collars and cuffs and a satin tie are the only accessories to traveling frocks of tussore silk.

Ready made ruffings of mousseline and Persian organdies for skirts are a feature of the lace counters.

An odd waist of turquoise-blue gloria silk has a yoke of white chiffon and a bolero of heavy white point lace.

One of the grotesque fads of the moment is the cravat of mammoth proportions to be worn with silk or cotton shirt waists.

Cross bars of ecru lace on a deep maroon ground, giving the popular canvas effect, constitute a new design in Scotch gingham.

Double warp cashmere, closely resembling dray d'ete in delicate tints and beauty of finish, is one of the loveliest light wool summer fabrics.

During her strolls along the seashore porch the stylish summer girl wears a picturesque mess jacket of brilliant red military cloth, braided in black silk, a la West Point.

Strips of white embroidery set horizontally on the blouse bodice and curved pieces of the same on bolero jacket pieces give a lovely effect to lavender and pale green lawns, dimities and chambrays.

Even the most expensive materials are now velled, so extensively has the fad for nets, grenadines and filmy chiffons developed. In French gowns the predominating effect is that of black and white.

With black lawn gowns that are trimmed in white stylish women wear broad-brimmed hats of tulle, chiffon or Batavia straw trimmed with masses of white lace, mousseline, flowers or plumes.

Extreme fluffiness is a prominent characteristic of the exquisite new shoulder capes of tulle, lace and silk now shown in bewildering variety. In evolving a single cape vast quantities of light lace, plaited chiffon and baby ribbon are consumed.

A Fair Chicagoan. One of the handsomest of the Windy City's Four Hundred is Mrs. Yerkes, the charming wife of Charles T. Yerkes, the Chicago millionaire. She had quite

an adventure in New York recently, when a thief snatched her card case from her in broad daylight. He was soon captured, but Mrs. Yerkes took pity upon him and refused to prosecute.

To Take Stains Off Walls. Very disgusting are grease marks on wall paper. There is a way to remove them, though the process should be gone through as soon as possible after they appear and before they have time to sink too deeply into the paper. Take some pipe clay or fuller's earth and mix it with cold water until it makes a fairly thick paste. Put a layer of this on the grease marks and let it remain for twenty-four hours. By this time it should be perfectly dry and can be brushed off. In the case of old stains it may be necessary to repeat the process.

Formation of Character. Character takes shape by a very slow process. No one becomes at a bound that into which he fully matures. Slowly and in a measure imperceptibly also we tend in this direction or in that. Then God sends some special contingency or combination of circumstances, and, lo, it is disclosed what manner of men we are, upright or false, manly or cringing, true or liable to equivocate, strong or weak.

Imie Hianbeta. It is a good plan to have your blankets singly and not in pairs, as they are usually bought. Very often two make one too warm, and one is all that is necessary. Cut them apart and buttonhoje the edge with silk or worsted to match the border. This can be done with a steel crochet needle in single crochet.

Beat the Drum in 1812. Sunday, May 16, New Hampshire's only survivor of the war of 1812, Eleazer Smith, of Danbury, was 99 years old, rounding out the century of his life in unimpaired health, with acute senses and with much of the sprightliness which once filled his youth. Notwithstanding a slight lameness, his carriage is erect and his shoulders square. His eyesight is particularly good for a man of his age. Never has he needed medical attendance, and only once, and that four years ago, has he ever suffered. Eleazer Smith was born in Grafton, N. H., May 16, 1798, and was one of a family of eight children. All his brothers and sisters have been dead for more than twenty years, one brother being killed in the civil war. His grandfather was a soldier of the Revolution, participating in many engagements. He saw General Warren fall at Bunker Hill, and was himself wounded. Eleazer resided on his father's farm till 1812, when he became imbued with a desire to go to the defense of his country, but his extreme youth made him ineligible until 1814, when at 16 years of age he enlisted in the face of opposition from parents and ridicule from friends.—Hanover (Mass.) Cor. Boston Globe.

A Moving Appeal. A Wabash college boy, having been admitted to the same Greek society to which his father belonged, introduced his next request for a remittance with "Dear Father and Brother."—Minneapolis Journal.

PUZZLED BY AN OWL

Servants at the Capital Thought the Monument Was Haunted.

In one of the many glass cases in the Smithsonian Institution at Washington is a stuffed owl. This particular owl is the one, in the words of the late President Hayes, "that jarred the Washington monument," and therein lies the story.

During centennial year Congress resolved to provide the necessary funds for the completion of the monument, which up to that time had been worked at only while the several smaller appropriations lasted. It was discovered, however, that the original foundation was likely to prove incapable of sustaining the enormous weight of marble necessary for carrying the shaft 550 feet above terra firma. A new foundation was therefore needed, and architects thought a solid concrete bed 100 feet square and nearly fourteen feet in thickness would accomplish the strengthening desired.

During the operation of replacing the old foundation it was considered expedient to provide means for noting carefully the slightest vibration of the walls lest the monument might be in danger of collapsing. Accordingly a heavy weight was suspended by a stout thread from the apex to a pan of thick slat located in the base, so that no chance drafts of air would be likely to sway the weight. An ingenious contrivance was so attached to the weight that the slightest vibration of the shaft would be faithfully recorded, and its insecurity would at once be an established fact.

One morning a few months after these careful precautions had been taken there was a great commotion among the workmen. A complete record of numerous perturbations and tremblings had been written on the index, showing conclusively that the mammoth obelisk had jarred, swayed and settled during the night. Scientific heads were dubiously shaken. After much persuasion one of the men finally consented to go to the top and examine into the cause. The astonishing report came into the midst of the anxious throng below that an owl in seeking shelter in the lofty tower had somehow managed to catch its wings in the thread and was still hanging there, suspended to the interior of the monument, and the innumerable flappings and struggles of his owlish had all been recorded by the index as testimony against the stability of plumb-line marble blocks and solid concrete.—Philadelphia Record.

Early Opposition to Anesthesia. Every discovery has met with antagonism. Each advance in medicine has been opposed until the proofs have been so manifest that the great majority of antagonists have been overwhelmed thereby. The Nineteenth Century has an article on "The Advance of Medical Science During the Victorian Era" from the pen of Malcolm Morris, F. R. C. S., in which the opposition to the use of anesthetics is described. Dr. Simpson was its champion. After depicting the attacks of the daily papers and the refusal of suffering patients to have chloroform administered to them it says:

"These feelings were by no means confined to the nonscientific public. There was strong opposition from some surgeons who held that pain was a wholesome stimulus; on this ground the use of chloroform was actually forbidden by the principal medical officer of our army in the Crimea. The clergy naturally bettered the instructions of these enlightened professors of the art of healing. I need only to quote one philanthropic divine who anaesthetized chloroform as 'a decay of Satan apparently offering itself to bless women,' but 'which will harden society and rob God of the deep, earnest cries which arise in time of trouble for help.' Simpson answered those fools according to their folly. He quoted scripture to prove that the Almighty himself performed the first operation under anesthesia, when he cast Adam into a deep sleep before removing his rib. He fought the battle of common sense with such convincing logic and such an overwhelming mass of evidence—chemical, physiological, clinical, and statistical—that he finally shamed his opponents into silence."

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The Pottery Tree of Brazil.

One of the curiosities of Brazil is a tree whose wood and bark contain so much silica that they are used by potters. Both wood and bark are burned and the ashes are pulverized and mixed in equal proportions with clay, producing a very superior ware. The tree grows to a height of 100 feet, but does not exceed a foot in diameter. The fresh bark cuts like sandstone and when dried is brittle and hard.—Democrat Magazine.

Modern Prov rbs. Be slow to promise and quick to perform; a gift long delayed is earned by waiting and paid for in days.

Contention born of pride, is apt to be put out to nurse with envy until it is christened by revenge or regret.

Adversity overcome, leaves in his victor's hands a great pair of strong wings with which to fly to greater heights.

An Atholion woman very rarely goes away on a visit, because she dislikes to kiss all her kin before she goes.

When a baseball crank becomes so interested in a game that he becomes offensive, he is called a baseball rooster.

The less energy a man has, the easier he drifts into matrimony.

Attempt to make reform a paying business, and it ceases to reform.

After a man's daughter becomes an old woman, he calls her his little girl.

What has become of the old-fashioned singer who sang "Marguerite" at every church concert?

The reason that the good die young is that they wouldn't be good if they grew up.

If every dog has his day it is pretty certain that there are worse things than being a dog.

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It Turned Out All Right.

Young Wife—Just to think, Harry, dear, my new hat blew into the street today and was run over by three wagons, four cars and an omnibus.

Harry—Humph! That means a new hat, of course.

Young Wife—No truly. It was rescued, and I took it to Mrs. Wayppes, who was perfectly charmed. The wagons and things had mangled it into the most fashionable shape imaginable—Tit-Bits

MRS. KRINER'S LETTER

About Change of Life.

"I suffered for eight years and could find no permanent relief until one year ago. My trouble was Change of Life. I tried Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and relief came almost immediately. I have taken two bottles of the Vegetable Compound, three boxes of Pills and have also used the Sanative Wash, and must say, I have never had anything help so much, I have better health than I ever had in my life. I feel like a new person, perfectly strong. I give the Compound all the credit. I have recommended it to several of my friends who are using it with like results. It has cured me of several female diseases. I would not do without Mrs. Pinkham's remedies for anything. There is no need of so much female suffering. Her remedies are a sure cure."—MRS. ELLA KRINER, Westtown, Henry Co., Ind.

Hon. Mary Harriet Geraldine Drummond, the only daughter of Viscount Forth and grand daughter of the Earl of Perth, is running a small ice cream establishment in Bro. klyn.

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