

MR. HAYDEN'S VIEWS

GIVES HIS OPINION OF THE BEST TREATMENT FOR PARALYSIS.

Declares That Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restored the Use of His Limbs When All Other Remedies Failed.

The premonitory symptoms of paralysis are: trembling of the hands; sudden loss of power in arms or legs, frequently affecting one whole side of the body; staggering; partial or entire inability to use the fingers; distortion of the features, sometimes an uncontrollable quivering of the chin; severe pains; difficulty in speech. Frequently the first warning is a vague feeling of headache, vertigo and muscular weakness.

In a recent interview Mr. W. J. L. Hayden said: "I truly think that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a great medicine for what physicians and other remedies had failed to give me the slightest relief. Too close attention to business brought on an attack of nervousness which finally developed into paralysis. There were times when it was impossible for me to move my hands or to get up from a chair. At other times I had partial control of my limbs, but I was afraid to go far from the house for fear I might suddenly become helpless and have to be carried home.

"While I was in this miserable condition, I was stricken with malarial fever and confined to bed for four months. I had the best physicians, but while they relieved my fever, their treatment did not entirely drive the malaria from my system, and they did not help my paralysis in the least.

"I was well nigh despairing when a friend persuaded me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When I had finished one box I could see results that encouraged me. My condition kept steadily improving, and when I had taken seven boxes I was cured of paralysis and the malaria was completely driven out of my system. For two years now I have enjoyed the best of health and have attended to business without any interruption."

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Humble Origin of Figures.

"Probably no man was ever more devoted to or more wrapped up in figures than the late General Alonzo B. Jackson, who devised the only satisfactory method of squaring the circle," said Professor Elijah Howe. "And yet General Jackson admitted that the science of figures cuts but a very poor figure in its origin, the term 'erm calculation' being derived from the 'calculi' or pebbles used by the Romans as counters, whose numerals stolen from the ancient Etruscans, seem to have been suggested in the first instance by the five fingers. Indeed, the term 'digit,' or finger, applied to any single number sufficiently indicates the primitive code of counting.

"The Roman V is only a rude outline of the five fingers, or of the outspread hand narrowing to the wrist, while the X is a symbol of the two fives or the two hands crossed. "In all probability the earliest numerals did not exceed five, which was repeated with additions for the higher numbers. It is a remarkable coincidence that to express six, seven, eight, the North American aborigines repeated the five with the addition of one, two, three, on the same plan as the Roman VI, VII, VIII."—N. Y. Herald.

Smaller Than a Postage Stamp.

The smallest book in the world is believed to be a Dutch one, entitled "Bloom of the Sea" or "The Garden of Flowers," published in 1847. The printed page covers a space ten millimetres (about half an inch) by six in area. The area of the entire page, including the margin, is seventeen millimetres by eight, and there are forty-nine pages in the whole work. The book is elegantly bound in old calf, and has a decorated gilt back and gilt edges. It is illustrated by well-printed plates, and is closed by a gold filigree clasp of exquisite workmanship.

This Dwarf Volume is in the Library of M. Georges Soloman, of Paris, who is said to have the best collection of such tiny books in the world.

In the same collection are no fewer than six other books, published between 1793 and 1823—larger than this, it is true, but nevertheless not exceeding a postage stamp in area, and all remarkable for the beauty of their binding.

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Great mischief happens more often from folly, meanness and vanity than from the greater sins of avarice and ambition.—Burke.

THE LAKE SHORE DRIVE.

Night Watch on the North Shore of Chicago.

A Memory of Boyhood.

Hard by our inland ocean,
Far from Chicago's roar,
You watch with keen emotion
The waves curl on the shore;
You see the white sails flying
Soft as sweet summer sighing,
You hear the sea gulls crying
To down the wild uproar.

No silvery stars to lighten
The gloom that cloaks the night,
No graceful moon to brighten
Or clothe with radiant light,
Wary winds are wailing,
A whimpering war, and raging,
As if in strife assuaging,
Their zest for strenuous fight.

Here every tree is shaken
With fitful gusts of rain,
Weird, wailing winds will waken,
To sigh and sob in pain,
The water roars and hisses—
Foaming spray from foul abysses,
And stings like sterile kisses,
That sear the soul and stain.

In this tempestuous weather
No bird beats heart to sing,
But huddling close together
They brood on journey's wing,
When the sun sheds azure showers
To revive frost frozen flowers,
To bloom in beauty's bowers,
Where rippling rhyme will ring.

The sea spray, fiercely splashing,
Drenches all the brooding air,
Big white caps—Titans crashing,
Their kindly rapture share,
The black horizon's weirdly gleaming,
No reflux moon is beaming,
The drowsy dawn sits dreaming—
Chaste vestal in her lair.

Flattery Won Them All

An autograph collector, smiling, said: "I have inherited from my maternal uncle his magnificent collection of autographs. These autographs did not cost the old gentleman a cent; yet they are worth hundreds and hundreds of dollars. "When the autograph fever seized my uncle, he set to work in a shrewd way. Being parsimonious, he did not want to buy his autographs. Being clever, he perceived that simple signatures, such as you get if you write and ask an autograph of a person of distinction, would have no real value. "So, do you know what he did? To every distinguished person he applied to he said he was a sea captain, and he asked permission to name a new ship he was building after the great man. It was subtle flattery, that, eh? All my uncle's great folk were, without exception delighted to think of stately ship named after them, sailing here and there over the deep sea. Thomas Carlyle said: "I am pleased that you should like my work enough to name your ship after me, and I hope she will come to anchor in a happier haven than I shall ever reach." "The poet Tennyson wrote my uncle a four-page letter. He said that in every storm thereafter he would think of the Alfred Tennyson, and put up a prayer for her safety. "Thackeray was so pleased that he sent my uncle a comic drawing to hang in his cabin. "Robert Browning thanked my uncle for the compliment of naming the new ship after him, and hoped the 'R. B.' would be stancher than her namesake. "Uncle's collection numbers nearly a thousand autographs, and each letter is about this imaginary new ship."

Candles by the Carload

"Talk about how the wild and unconquerable west does business," says W. M. Thompson of Kelly, Maus & Co., "I was selling Corliss engines, machinery and other things in the Black Hills some time ago and came into the beautiful Lead and Deadwood region. "While there I met a traveling salesman from Omaha or some other point and he said to me: "Do you understand the west?" "Well, I don't," he said. "I've just lost my breath. I went up to Lead and I had some candles to sell. I called on Grier of the Homestake mine and told him I had candles—plenty of 'em. "I got samples?" he asked shortly. "I said I had not, but that I could get them quick. "Bring 'em along," he snorted. "I wired the house for samples and patted myself on the back, thinking I would get an order for 10,000 or possibly 12,000—the biggest order I ever expected to get in the mountain country. "My samples came and they were tip top. I took them up to Grier and he gave 'em a close inspection. "Pretty good lot," he finally sniffed. "Send me four car loads." "I looked at him to see if he was joking, but he wasn't. He never batted an eye. I was so staggered I walked all the way back to Deadwood trying to get my breath. I sent the order in and the house filled it, filed the greatest single order it ever had; but I changed my mind then and there as to how the west buys. It gets there with all feet."—Chicago Post.

Geysers of Great Beauty

One of the wonders of the earth is the gigantic geyser at Rotorua, New Zealand, known as "Waimangu." It made its appearance about two years ago and is situated near the one-time famous pink and white terraces of Rotomahana, whose beauties were swept completely out of existence in the terrific eruption of 1886. The crater out of which the geyser issues is fully half an acre in extent and of enormous depth. When in eruption the whole of the gigantic funnel is filled with a huge column of black, boiling mud and stones that shoots in the air to a height of nearly 1,000 feet, while the cloud of steam which accompanies it rises in calm weather several thousand feet.

Treat Phthisis at Home

An interesting method for the treatment of consumption has been instituted in the new dispensary of the New York throat, nose and lung hospital. Patients who will visit the dispensary three times weekly will receive treatment, advice, medicines, where it is necessary food and clothes, and will be carefully instructed how to live hygienically. This will enable them to remain at home and in many cases to continue in business. The treatment, in addition to medical aid, is as follows: First, hygienic and dietetic treatment.—The education of the patient. He is instructed as to his diet—when, how and what to eat, and how it should be prepared. He is taught how to breathe, sleep, ventilate his rooms, bathe and clothe himself day and night and at various seasons. And, most important of all, he is taught how to protect not only others but himself against reinfection by promptly destroying the expectorations and maintaining his home as a modern sanitarium. Second, the mechanical treatment.—The unfoldment and expansion of the lungs by the systematic and regular use of the pneumatic cabinet. Regulation of daily outdoor exercise. Gymnastic and respiratory exercises to develop the muscles of the chest and shoulders. Hydrotherapy and massage to promote nutrition. Prominent New York men and physicians stand back of the philanthropy.

Statesmen Ever at Odds

That Disraeli wit was too much for Gladstone. The great Liberal had but one adjective for his Tory opponent and that was "devilish." Never during the year of their opposing leadership had the two any social relations; each made light of the other's literary efforts. Some one asked Lord Beaconsfield to define the difference between a misfortune and a calamity, and unhesitatingly it came. "If Mr. Gladstone should fall into the Thames it would be a misfortune. If any one should pull him out it would be a calamity." The best of all the Gladstone-Disraeli stories tells how once at a London dinner party the ladies at the table were asked which they would marry if they had to marry one or the other—the great Liberal or the great Tory. All declared promptly in favor of Disraeli and he, who rather waded Gladstone that she might elope with Disraeli and so break her husband's heart. This happening was of course retold to Disraeli, and so pleased was he over it that he suspended a cabinet debate on the chances of a Continental war in order to relate it.—Warwick James Price in the Criterion.

Benefit in Two Meals a Day.

Persons who are the victims of chronic complaints, and whose digestion is slow and feeble are often greatly benefited by taking but two meals a day, if they are careful to eat as much in the two meals as would ordinarily be comprised in three. The neuralgia, in particular, will do well to adopt this course, but the first meal should be somewhat late and the second reasonably early.

Respect Your Own Ideas.

On the firm foundation of solid ability originality must erect a structure. To this end you must respect your own ideas as fully as those of another. You must accept the ideas that come into your own mind with as much sincerity as you do those of an Edison or a Rockefeller. Do not be limited by the achievements of others. Use their knowledge merely to push your own.

Origin of the Maxim Gun.

Vanity Fair, in the letterpress accompanying its cartoons of Sir Hiram Maxim, says that the first thought of the Maxim gun by receiving a jar on the shoulder at the firing of an old rifle. "It seemed a pity that the kick should be wasted. Therefore he put the recoil to work in automatic loading and firing at the rate of a thousand shots a minute."

Falls Heir to \$500,000.

A few months ago, in looking up his genealogy, a Londoner discovered that a woman whom he did not know was using a crest he had regarded as his own. He found she was a cousin. They became friends and when she died recently she bequeathed her estate, more than \$500,000, to him.

Men the Most Sensible.

Men, as a rule, have more sensible ideas and fewer theories in regard to the number of meals that should fill out the day's fare than have women. Some one says, with more truth than elegance, that "a man eats even though he is waiting for the undertaker, and he is right."

The average age of the Japanese naval crews is lower than that of the men in any other navy.

No one over twenty years old is accepted for enlistment. The average height is 5 feet 4 inches—less than that of any other navy. Because he followed a funeral leading a dog by a cord which happened to be colored, a carpenter at Gorlitz, in Prussia, has been sentenced to nine months' imprisonment "for an offense against religion."

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Miss Kate McDonald, of Woodbridge, N. J., writes: "I think that a woman naturally dislikes to make her troubles known to the public, but restored health has meant so much to me that I cannot help from telling mine for the sake of other suffering women."

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IN FIELD OR BARRACKS PE-RU-NA IS EFFICACIOUS.

The constant exposure to the elements experienced in an out-door life is not so apt to cause coughs and colds as sedentary habits. Those who are brought face to face with the weather every day in active life are much less liable to catarrhal diseases than those who are housed up in chilly ventilated rooms. And yet both of these classes are more or less subject to catarrh and catarrhal diseases. The soldier as well as the civilian finds it frequently necessary to use Peru-na on account of coughs and colds. No one is exempt. The strong and healthy are less liable than the weak and ill, but none entirely escape. Peru-na has always been a great favorite with the military men, both in the army and navy. The strongest kind of testimonials are received from officers of high rank concerning the virtues of Peru-na for all catarrhal ailments. Only a small per cent. of these can be used for publication for want of space. Mr. Harrison L. Deans, Barnside Post No. 8, Department of the Potomac, Camp encampment No. 69, Union Veterans Legion, Colonel Green Clay Smith Regiment No. 17, U. V. U., Department of the Potomac, Military Order of the Sons of the American Revolution, writes: "There is no longer any question as to the curative qualities of Peru-na in all catarrhal troubles. Its successful use by many of my friends entitles it to confidence and endorsement."

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