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Tigredia temple, Rathbone Sisters, will meet in regular session this evening. Missouri oak dry cordwood 30 cord, deliv-ered. Wm. Welch, 15 N. Main st. Tel. 128. Those interested in the Western lows blege are especially invited to the recep-on tonight.

An interesting program will be rendered at the reception of the Western lower college tonight.

There will be a special meeting this even-ing of Excelator Masonic lodge for work in the third degree.

Pat Gunnoude and a party of friends from Treynor, Ia., left yesterday for a hunting trip to the lakes around Onawa.

A maggage license was issued yesterday to Fred C. Kennedy, aged 31, of Cubs., Kan., and Gertle Boothe of this city, aged 31.

A large class of candidates will be initiated tonight at the regular meeting of Council Bluffs lodge of Eiks. Lunch will be served arter the meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance union will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the club rooms, corner or Fifth avenue and Pearl street. captain H. H. Hardy of Cincinnati, said to be the champion quick shot of the world, will give a free exhibition of shooting with the rifle and revolver at Lake Manawa next

Mrs. Ehlers, colored, aged 70, died yesterday of apoplexy at 70; West Broadway. She was the widow of a colored veteran of the union army and is survived by one son, who resides in Omaha.

Miss Beekman, the new deaconess re-cently appointed to the Broadway Metho-dist church, arrived yesterday from Adair, Ia. She will make her home with the family of Rev. James O. May, pastor of the church.

Mrs. Andrew Howard, living at Thirteenth street and Twentieth avenue, and her five children were reported to the Board of Health yesterday as suffering from smallpox. They were promptly quarantined in their home.

The Joe Smiths Junior defeated the South First street foot ball team yesterday afternoon by a score of 12 to 5. Ebel White played the star game for the Joe Smiths, while Heas did the same for the South First streeters

Bert Humbert, the Oakland, Ia., lad who was reported lost in this city last Tuesday, turned up at home all right. He got tired of waiting for his brother, who had driven to this city to move a family to Oakland, and quietly boarded a freight train and went home.

Captain E. J. Merriott of Minneapolis is in the city, called here by the serious illness of his sen-in-law. L. P. LaBelle, traveling auditor for the Union Pacific, who is at Mercy Rospital, where he underwent a surgical operation Wednesday, from which he is recovering.

Getond street.

Otto Cole, aged 16 years, a runaway boy from the Christian Home, was picked up on Breadway last night by Officer Thompson and returned to the institution. Young Cole said he spent Wednesday night in one of the brickyards in the northern part of the city. Another lad who had run away from the home was found at the waterworks pumping station. An attendant from the home took him back.

Mrs. Goldie Evaris was upable to appear

Mrs. Goldle Evarts was unable to appear in police gourt yesterday morning owing to not having recovered from her recent escapade in this city, and her case was continued until October 27. She was represented in court by two attorneys. W. W. Westrope, the man who is said to have figured so prominently in connection with Mrs. Evarts and whom the police are so anxious to locate, has not yet been apprehended.

Mrs. Could be the story told in her petition for divorce filed yesterday.

hended.

Mrs. Mary J. Guin of Moorhead, Ia., died yesterday at the home of her daughter. Mrs. A. W. Oldaker. Ill East Washington avenue, aged 68 years. Mrs. Guin had been on a visit to a daughter in Carthage, Mo., and was on her way home to Moorhead when taken ill at the Transfer debot and was compelled to go to her daughter a home here. Besides the daughter at whose house she died Mrs. Guin leaves two other daughters, Mrs. J. F. Eaiford of Moorhead and Mrs. E. A. Young of Carthage, Mo., and two sens. W. P. Guin of Daton. Tex., and C. L. Guin of Woodbine, Ia. The remains will be taken to Moorhead today, where the funeral will be held this afternoon from the Christian church.

her petition for divorce filed yesterday. She cites numerous instances of alleged cruel and inhuman treatment of her by her husband and in addition to the divorce asks for the custody of their minor child. John Linder, the wholesale liquor dealer, has begun suit against L. J. Christian to secure an accounting of their coparinership. Christian and Linder operated a saloon at 15 South Main street under the firm sond out the business has collected all the book accounts, etc.

Por Rent. Desk room for rent. Bee office, 10 Pearl

Cline to Come After Son.

John Cline of Cleveland, O., father of Matt Cline, who died Wednesday at the Woman's Christian Association hospital from burns received by falling into a car of hot ballast at Hastings, Ia., while working for the Burlington ratiroad has notified Undertaker Cutler that he will come here for his son's remains. Mr. Cline in sending word to Undertaker Cutler late Wednesday night after he had been notified by telegraph used the long distance telephone used the long distance telephone from Cleveland and later telegraphed. From what Mr. Cline said it is understood son had been away from home for the last four years and his parents had no knowledge of his whereabouts until notified of his death. When brought to the hospital here Cline requested that his parents be not notified unless in the case of his death.

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### INO OCCASION FOR ALARM

Stories of Epidemic of Diphtheria in Public York. Echools Unwarranted.

PHYSICIANS MAKE NO REQUEST OF BOARD announced her determination of filing a

Only Few Cases at Present in City and Majority of These Not Popils Who Are Attending the Schools,

President Hess and members of the Board of Education take exception to the efforts of certain newspapers to create an impression that there is an epidemic of diphtheria The students of the high school are espe-ially invited to the reception of the West-ra town college tonight.

In the city schools. In all, tweive cases of diphtheria have been reported to the Board of Health since the new school year opened of Health since the new school year opened last month, and of these not more than six were children attending the public

"This talk of there being a diphtheria greatly exaggerated," said President Hess "While It is stated that the yesterday. doctors at their meeting Tuesday night law discussed the prevalence of diphtheria among the school children, they have made no report to the Board of Education nor made any recommendations in the matter. Neither has the board received any reports from the principals of the different schools which would indicate that there was any alarming prevalence of this disease. The Board of Education stands information against him, and who was the ready to take any action that the doctors prosecuting witness, has disappeared. may deem advisable, if so requested, but so far nothing has been said to the board The republicans of the Sixth ward will hold a raily this evening at the county building. Twenty-fourth street and Avenue B. Hon. George Carson and other prominent speakers will be present.

Miss Beakman, the new decembers to the individual members so far as I know. The only information I have concerning the alleged epidemic is from what I have read in certain newspapers, and these accounts I feel sure counts I feel sure are exaggerated. Such reports when not based on facts are apt to do harm."

Of the three children reported as ill with diphtheria to the Board of Health Wednesday, it was learned that but one had been attending school. The cases so far reported are of a particularly mild charac ter, although there is the possibility of

their becoming more serious. Dr. V. L. Treynor, whose son is down with the disease, is of the opinion that the boy contracted it by playing with children who were suffering from mild cases of it, but were allowed to continue in school by their parents, the latter being under the impression that their children were merely suffering from a slight throat trouble. Dr. Treynor is of the opinion that there should be at this time a regular examination of school children for diphtheria. He has not, however, made any such recommendation to the school board.

Matters in District Court. J. Harty, night operator at the Illinois Central depot, was called last evening to Cedar Falls by a telegram announcing the sudden death of his father. Mr. Harty was unable to reach his brother, Fred before leaving, as he was unaware of his whereabouts. Fred Harty when last heard of was in Omaha during the Ak-Sar-Ben festivities. begun in the district court yesterday. Day one community near here and the farmers claims that the damage was caused by are watching their hen coops every night.

County Attorney Killpack in the name of the state of Iowa commenced suit yesterday against O. K. Hardin and F. C. Mueller to enjoin them from selling liquor at 1608 West Broadway:

Mrs. Bessie Ehlers has begun suit for divorce from Axel Ehlers, to whom she was

has begun suit against L. J. Christian to windstorm caused the accident.

Charles B. Hannan has brought suit against the Novelty Manufacturing company of this city, which was recently reorganized, and W. I. Walker to recover on a note for \$1,500 given last January.

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Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to The Be October 20 by the Title, Guaranty and Trust company of Council Bluffs: 2,029

Jetter, lot 2, block 1, East Omaha park, d. Alfred E. Booth and wife to William Vernon Booth, lots 3 and 4, block 7, Grimes' add. d. Elmer M. Gatrost and wife to Chris Petersen, part sets nwt 16-76-42, w d. Zenas Graybill to Elmer M. Gatrost, part sets sets nwt 16-76-42, and part swt swt net 16-76-42, w d. Pottawattamic county to G. M. Cuppy, nets sets 20, part nwt swt 29-77-30, q c d. Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Rali-

q c d... hicago, Rock Island & Pacific Rali-way company to G. M. Cuppy, n./ ne./, part se/4 ne/4 29-77-39, q c d...

Eight transfers, aggregating......\$3,968 N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 190. Night, F667.

Falls in Vat of Paint. Drowning in a vat of red mineral paint came near being the fate of David Brock, an employe at the Bloomer Fence factory. yesterday morning. Brock was engaged in stirring the contents of the vat when he fell head foremost into it. He was rescued with considerable difficulty by his fellow employes. Fortunately, Brock only swallowed a very small quantity of the paint which acted as an emetic and thus prevented any serious results. He was wrapped n a mackintosh and taken to his home, where it took considerable scrubbing to get the paint off his face and out of his

hair. He was able to return to work in

Rooms and cafe. Ogden hotel.

Wife Causes Husband's Arrest. J. W. Reece, said to be a well-te-do live took dealer who has made his home at the Merchants hotel in Omaha for the last year or so, was arrested last night about to o'clock at the Neumayer hatel in company with a woman giving the name of Mrs. Thranher and who is said to be also known as Mrs. Bason. The couple were are better at this moment than last fall arrested on complaint of the man's wife. The following retiring directors were rewho had tracked them here from Omaha. elected for a term of three years: Mar-Reace registered at the Neumayer hotel vin Hughlitt, Frank Work, James Stillman. Wednesday night, giving his address as Oliver Ames, Zenus Crane. The directors St. Louis. Mrs Thrusher, wno is a petite | re-sleeted the officials.

she was in Mr. Reece's room merely for the purpose of assisting him in his ac-

doing for over a year past, Mr. and Mrs. Reece, it is said, have not been living together for over a year. They have a married daughter living in New

Mrs. Reece, who was accompanied her sister, after seeing the pair safely at the police station, returned to Omaha. She complaint with the county attorney this

Converts at Tabernacle. "Proving Belief by Action" was the subject of Evangelist Williams' address last night at the tabernacle. He spoke to an ture of the large chorus choir was taken during the evening.

Court Work at Logan LOGAN, Ia., Oct. 20 -(Special.)-The September term of the Harrison county district court adjourned this morning. In the matter of the State of Iowa against S. I. King, the defendant was fined \$300. King epidemic in the schools of this city is pleaded guilty. He was a lawyer of Logan, who comes of a family once prominent, and who was indicted for selling liquor in his law office. This case has been on the docket for over a year. Oscar Chevaller, who was found guilty of stealing hogs. was given a sentence of twenty-two months to be spent at Fort Madison. Reuben Staclin of Missouri Valley, who was arrested on the charge of assault, was dismissed at his preliminary hearing yesterday. His 13-year-old daughter, who filed

> Fight Over Money CRESTON, Ia., Oct. 20 .- (Special.)-A fight took place at Afton Junction Wednesday between the agent and Mr. George T. Brown of Afton. The agent claims that Brown owes him \$10, and when the latter applied for a ticket at the ticket office and handed the agent a ten-dollar bill, the latter refused to return any change, whereupon a fight occurred. Mr. Brown was the larger man of the two, but the agent used ticket punch for a weapon, and succeeded in inflicting two scalp wounds on Mr. Brown. He was taken to Afton and his wounds dressed, and rumor has it that the agent has disappeared from this part of the country.

Report Conl Near Creston. CRESTON, Ia., Oct. 20 .- (Special.)-Union county people are again excited over the find of a vein of coal in Pleasant township on the old Cue farm. The vein was discovered by two young men at a point on the bank of the Grand river, where the summer rains had washed away a large amount of dirt. It is rumored that a shaft will be sunk at once in the hope of finding more of the mineral. Samples of coal brought to this city are of good quality. and the people of the vicinity are of the opinion that a large vein will be struck.

Wholesale Chicken Stealing. NEVADA, Ia., Oct. 20.-(Special.)-Two thousand chickens have been stolen from Building permits were issued yesterday to Mrs. Mary A. Rapp for a \$1,000 two-story frame cottage at Second avenue and Thirteenth street; to P. B. Wickham, for a \$2,000 two-story brick resilience at the corner of Union and Pierce streets, and to B. M. Webster for a \$1,000 two-story frame dwelling on Fletcher avenue and North Second street.

As many as 250 chickens have been stolen from one man in one evening. A farmer on watch fired his shotgun at two men seen about his chicken house and believes he hit one of them. A Radeliffe character the dwelling on Fletcher avenue and North Second street.

Mayor Names Registrars MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., Oct. 20 .- (Spe cial.)-J. J. Amen, mayor, has issued a registration notice to local voters. All must register by October 29, as follows: First ward, J. H. Crowder and A. J. Gilmore, registrars; place, Oxford hotel. Second ward, Bruce Fleming and T. M. Gilmore, State Savings bank; Third ward, W. L. Douglas and Charles Alexander, city

Wind Blows Team from Bridge. MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., Oct. 20 .- (Special.)-Thomas Duhigg, carrier on rural free delivery route No. 2, met with the McCormick to take the presidency of one misfortune yesterday afternoon of having of the leading schools of the east, and a cruel and inhuman treatment of her by her his team and mail wagon blown off a bridge on the lowlands near this place and thrown into three feet of water. Some of the mail was lost in the water. A heavy

Admits He Swore Fulsely. DAVENPORT, Ia., Oct. 20 .- (Special.)-In sensational motion to set aside the verdlet in which A. P. Huggard was given \$27,000 damages against the Glucose trust W. T. C. McDonald of Chicago admits that he gave perjured testimony, and charges a prominent Davenport lawyer with inducing him to do so. He claims to have been paid

New Woman's Club, MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., Oct. 20.—(Spe-cial.)—Last night twelve of Missouri Valclub at the home of Miss Ada Briggs, who was elected president. The object of the organization is to take up the study of Shakespenre.

WILL OBSERVE HALLOWE'EN New York Capital Plans Carnival

for the Night of Mystery. ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 20 .- Business men and newspapers here have united in plan-

ning a unique public celebration to take place on October 31 in honor of Hallowe'en, Funds have been raised by popular sub-scription, which will be expended in a carnival lasting through the day and evening. In the morning one of the prettiest girls the committee can find will be crowned Queen Titania and over 500 persons in costume will take part in the ceremony on the broad stairway approach to the capitol. The queen and her retinue will then proceed to the city hall, where the keys of the city will be received from the mayor to be used in a symbolical unlocking of the four gates of the city. The evening will be devoted to a parade of floats and maskers and an attempt will be made to reproducthe carnival scenes of New Orleans and

NORTHWESTERN HAS MEETING President Hughitt Announces That no

> Exicusions Are Under Contemplation.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20 .- The annual meeting of the Chicago & Northwestern railway today was a harmonious affair. All the retiring officials and directors were reelected. Shares to the amount of were represented out of a possible total of 787,782, including bonds. President Marvin Hughitt announced

that the company has no extensions under consideration and that ratiroad conditions

## blonde of attractive appearance, was very | DOCTOR REFUTES CHARGES

counts, which work she said she had been State Bard Votes Unanimously to Jr n erate Shenandoh Physician.

BURGLAR'S SKULL CRUSHED BY WATCHMAN

State Board of Control Unable to Re model Dipsemaniac Hospital with Funds Provided by the Legislature.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Oct. 20 .- (Special.)-The State Board of Medical Examiners today exonerated Dr. W. H. Warren of Shenanaudience of nearly 2,000 persons, and at doah from most remarkable charges which the close of the meeting thirty converts, have been laid against him the last year. were added to the list. A flash light pic- Warren is an itinerant doctor, who was well along in years before he secured a diploma to practice medicine and later a certificate from the state board. Last year the accusation came from the secretary of the Colorado Board of Health to the effect that Warren had never attended college at all and never in person received a diploma that he had employed one Sidney Knowles to attend the University of New York, that Knowles personated Warren and gradureed with the name of Warren and that he turned his diploma thus obtained over to Warren for \$1,000. It was alleged that Knowles had made confession of these matters. The state board of Iowa was therefore asked to rescind Warren's certificate on the ground that his diploma was obtained by fraud. The investigation has

been going on for a long time. Today Warren presented to the board affidavits contradicting all the accusations and showed by the testimony of reliable physicians that he did in fact attend college and that he graduated in person in 1886. It now develops that the whole matter grew out of trouble in Colorado, where Warren had traveled and where he had got into trouble over payment of a bill. The state board on hearing the evidence immediately voted exonerate Dr. Warren. Infested by Burglars

A gang of burglars has been operating in East Des Moines the last week and about a dozen houses have been entered and articles stolen therefrom. In a number of instances chloroform was used to facilitate the operations. The residents of a part of the city have organized a force of night watchmen to protect themselves and are armed to put an end to the depreda-

This morning at an early hour an un identified man, who was alleged to have been attempting to break into the Harris-Emery store on Walnut street, was struck on the head by Charles Morton, colored porter at the store, and his skull crushed, will die. The stranger was unable to give institution will be opened next year. There his name, but the initials "E. R. P." were is much complaint on the part of county on his shirt collar. It is believed he is one of the gang of robbers.

Mine Promoter Very III. News comes from Iowa Falls to the effect that Byron B. Bliss, the promoter and sylctims of drugs and liquous from running manager of the Hawkeye and the Lillooet Mining companies, is very 'fil with locomoter ataxia at his home in that city. The investigation of his affairs shows that with one company he is short about \$17,000, while probably in a somewhat larger sum with the other company. Attorneys represums. The headquarters of the Hawkeys company have been taken to Cedar Rapids and it is entirely in other hands. Investigation shows that both companies were

be able to pay it back before any suspicion arose. It is probable that presecutions will Call to College Hend. Word has been received in this city of the call of Dr. A. B. Marshall, for many years paster of the Central Presbyterian church in this city, to the presidency of Coe college of Cedar Rapids. The college has been without a head since the resignation of Dr.

under wretched management and that Bliss

took the money supposing that he would

church have been mentioned for the place. Work Begun on Interurban. Work has actually been commenced here on the proposed interurban electric line westward to Adel and in the direction of the Missouri river. The route west through two counties has been definitely located and the right-of-way secured, and the grading will be pushed as much as possible this fall. The line will cross the Des Moines river in the north part of the city and proceed directly westward and about five

number of leading men of the Presbyterian

miles will be completed this year. Dipsomania Hospital Waits. The State Board of Control has abandoned the effort to let contracts for the new buildings and remodeling of old ones ley's young women organized the X. L. D. at Knoxville in time for any work to be done this year. The legislature made an

for many years, having Boils and other Eruptions. Having heard of S. S. S. I decided to try it, and am glad to say that it has done me a great deal of good. I intend to continue to use it, as I believe it to be the best Blood Medicine upon the market. Cleveland, Tenn. W. K. DETERS.

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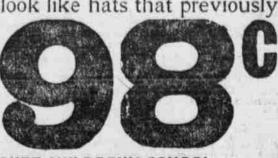
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appropriation and required that the building be of a certain specified capacity and the state board has found it impossible to construct a building of that size for the money allowed. The state architect is at Stringham and Hopkins, the monitors work on the plans, but the contracts will Miantonomah and Florida and several seam the effects of which it is expected he be let some time during the winter and the going tugs. officials in the state because of the slow-

away from the state hospitals. Make Room for Pipe Organ, The chapel at the State Industrial School for Boys at Eldora is being remodeled and enlarged in order to make room for installing the big pipe organ which is to be sent there from St. Louis. This is the senting the stockholders have investigated organ at the lowa building at the exposi-and find that he has sufficient property not tion, which was purchased by former Govexempt to make good the shortages and ernor Larrabee, president of the Iowa commission, and made use of at the Iowa building this year. The organ has been presented by the former governor to the industrial school and will be placed there soon. The work of enlarging the chapel at Eldora is being done entirely with the labor of the

ness in getting the institution started, be-

cause under the present system there is no

way of preventing the dipsomaniacs or

**GREAT MONEY ORDER BUSINESS** 

boys at the school.

For First Time in History Issue Amounts to Over Fifty Million Orders.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20 .- The total number of money orders issued by this government during the last fiscal year passed the 50,000,000 mark for the first time in history, as shown by the annual report of the superintendent of the money order system. The net revenue of the money order bustness was \$2,528,403, an increase of \$288,494 as compared with the previous fiscal year The gross revenue was \$3,626,676, an increase

of \$376,282 The number of domestic orders issued was 50,392,554, aggregating \$378,778,488, and international money orders issued numbered 2,208,344, aggregating \$42,550,150. Domestic money orders paid and repaid numbered 50,550,368, aggregating \$378.511,407; International, paid and repaid, \$915,836; fees received from issue of domestic orders were \$3,039,440; from international, \$444,980. There are 36,061 domestic and 6,913 international money order offices in operation up to today, against 34.547 domestic and 6,322 international in operation June 30, 1903. The issue of domestic orders increased 4,450,578 in number and \$25,150,840 in amount, while international orders issued increased 294,195 and \$7,312,215, respectively.

GERMAN EXILE KILLS HIMSELF Adam Engelhart, Veteran of Franco-Prussian War Ends Life in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20 .- Grieved over the loss of his favorite son and an exile from the fatherland because he had shot and wounded a German officer, who he believed intentionally caused his son's death, Adam Engelhart, a veteran of the Franco-Prussian war, today shot himself dead in the hall of an East Side tenement house, where he lived. Engelhart was 57 years old. He left a large family and, it is said, a prosperous business in Germany when he fied to this country. Before taking his life Engelhart had pinned on his breast all of his five officials received for bravery during the Franco-Prussian war, including one given him for his services at Sedan.

In Engelhart's room were found ten letters sealed and addressed, some to the police and others to his relatives in Germany One bore an address, which when trans lated means "Oh, that murderer." It is supposed that the letter is Engelhart's farewell message of hate to the officer who he believed had killed his son.

PREPARE SHIPS FOR DRILLS Winter Mancuvers of Squadren Are to Be Held at Hampton Ronds.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10 .- With the arrival of the battleship Massachusetts pe the League island navy yard preparations were begun to repair the formidable squadbook on blood and | ron of war vessels at the navy yard so they can be mobilised next December. An officer of the navy yard said that by Christmas all of the vessels must be at Hampton Roads for winter maneuvers. As soon as the Massachusetts fastened to its dock today a large corps of mechanics boarded

No Anxiety for Vessel. NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—The local agents of the Spanish Royal Mall steamer Buenos Ayres, which has been reported more than three days overdue at Havana, said today that they feel no apprehension regarding

Frenchmen Go Home,

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Alfred Pickard, delegate from the French government to the Louisiana Purchase exposition at St. Louis, sailed for Havre today on the steamer La Lorraine. The members of the band of the Regublican Guard, who came over from France to appear at the exposition, also sailed on La Lorraine, having completed the engagement at St. Louis.



Miss Rose Hennessy, well known as a poetess and elocutionist, of Lexington, Ky., tells how she was cured of uterine inflammation and ovaritis by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have been so blessedly helped through the use of Lydis E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I feel it but just to acknowledge it, hoping that it may help some other woman suffering as I did. "For years I enjoyed the best of health and thought that I would always do so. I attended parties and receptions thinly clad, and would be suddenly chilled, but I did not think of the results. I caught a bad cold eighteen months are while weathers in the second think are added to the results. months ago while menstructing, and this caused inflammation of the womb months ago while menstructing, and this caused inflammation of the wome and congested ovaries. I suffered excruciating pains and kept getting worse. My attention was called to your Vegetable Compound and the wonderful cures it had performed, and I made up my mind to try it for two months and see what it would do for me. Within one month I felt much better, and at the close of the second I was entirely well.

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it was doing me good. My appetite was returning, the pains disappearing, and the general benefits were well marked.

"You cannot realize how pleased I was, and after taking the medicine for only three months, I found that I was completely cured of my trouble, and have been well and hearty ever since, and no more fear the monthly period, as it now passes without pain to me. Yours very truly, MISS PEARL ACKERS, 327 North Summer St., Nashville, Tenn."

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