MISS BULL RECOVERS ENCOURAGING

FEARFUL DECLINE OF STRENGTH COMPLETELY ARRESTED.

Medical Skill Had Almost Exhausted Itself in Vain Attempts to Relieve Her--A Remarkable Result.

The recovery of Miss Gertrade L. Ball is of great interest to the medical world. A very bad cough followed a severe attack of pneumonia. It seemed impossible to break it up or to restore her strength, which had been sadly undermined. In spite of the best efforts of the doctors and the use of several advertised modes of treatment her condition daily grew more serions. She finally discontinued all medicine and gave herself up to despair.

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"What was your condition at this time?" she was asked.

"My stomach was so weak I could not keep food down. I suffered from constant nansea. My kidneys were in ter- shocked mother. "You should not have rible condition. My feet and ankles were done it. A young girl should never swollen so hadly that it pained me even send her visiting card to a young man to stand on them. I was very bilious. My heart was in bad shape so I could not go up and down stairs or stand any exertion or sleep in a natural position.

"It seems a wonder that you should ever have recovered. How did it happen?"

You may well call it a marvel, but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills wrought it. is simply very diffident. If he had ever None of my friends thought I could live asked me if he might write to me I many months longer. My parents had no hope. Just then a pamphlet adver-tising Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People was thrown in our door. It was a great event for me. These pills saved me from the grave. Within a week from girls, too." the time I began to take them I felt better, and in three months I was entirely well. I cannot praise Dr. Williams' Pink Pills too highly and I dearly hope that my experience may bring good to some other sufferers."

Miss Bull, who was so remarkably cured, resides at Union Grove, Illinois. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills act immediately on the blood, purifying and enriching it. In all debilitating diseases, such as lung troubles, grip, fevers, and in all cases in which the system is thoroughly run down, these pills perform wonders. They are sold by all druggists through-

out the world. A valuable booklet on diseases of the blood, will be sent free to any one who applies for it to Dr. Wil-liams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

A 480 ACRE FARM YIELDS 25 to Mrs. S- and tell her that he may PER CENT. PROFIT A

YEAR.

What a Mercer County (Ohio) Farmer Received from One Year's

Crop.

Extracts from an interesting letter from P. H. Rynhard, of Starbuck, Manitoba, Canada, gives an excellent idea of the prosperity of those who have gone from the United States to Canada. He says:

"I bought, August, 1903, 480 acres of land, paying \$12,000 for it. We between 1,200 and 1,300 bushels of cats and barley from 200 acres. But part of the wheat went down before filling, and was not harvested except meadow, which is not included in this

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A FERFLEXING QUESTION HOW FAR A YOUNG WOMAN SHOULD GO.

In Their Anxiety for Attention, Many Girls Cheapen 'Themselves - The Fairly Good-Looking, Every-Day Girl Often Feels It Her Duty to Go More Than Half Way - Modesty the Best Policy in the Long Run.

BY KATE UPSON CLARK. (Author of "Bringing Up Boys," etc.; president of the Wheaton club, New York.)

(Copyright, 1905, by Joseph B. Bowles.) "But he was so dreadfully sky" protested the girl.

"It makes no difference," argued her under any circumstances.'

"It seems to me." continued the girl. "that I might send my card when my address has been changed. He is the son of a well-known clergyman-"Ministers' sons are often creadful

fellows!" interrupted the mother. "But he is not, and you know it. He should have dropped him a line-" "It is a wonder that you did not ask

him to correspond with you," commented the mother, coldly. "Girls do sometimes-just that-nice

"I should hope that my daughter never would!" "Well, I -certainly did not in this

case. I just sent him my card to show lips pressed gently on my forehead. It that I had gone to X--- college, in- was so lightly done that I could hardly stead of Y--, as I had told him when tell whether it was a dream or reality. we last met. X--- college is near But the next day I proposed to your him, you know."

you were perfectly crazy to have him call upon you. He will probably despise you as one of these forward creamodesty." "But now he has written to the ma-

tron to ask if he may call, and she has referred to you, mother. I have stands, and you have been terribly hard on me, but I hope you will write

call." The mother, after more expostula tion, allowed the young man to call upon her daughter. All this happened 15 years ago. The girl and the young man have been married ten years and the match has turned out to be an exceptionally happy one.

Nevertheless the mother was right, and in most cases the young man would really have despised the girl. . . .

Talking over this question with the indicious mother of three marriageable daughters she said of her eldest, a threshed 2,973 bushels of wheat and plain and rather too serious, but truly lovely, girl: "Adela might have been married to any one of three or four delightful young men, if she had only been willing to show them how much she liked them. No young man wants threshing time \$3,000. Besides 120 to be 'turned down,' and Adela is so threshing time \$3,000. Besides 120 acres laying idle, except a timothy meadow which is not included in this treme. One after another they dropped

product and the increase of value of land will pay me more than 25 per love with any one of them, but I feel cent. on the investment. Two broth-

"On the contrary he seems fuscin-ated with her. She is evidently deter-mined to 'get' him' and his aunt thinks that she may succeed.' One can only say that to most sensible men-and this young man hat THE CZAR'S AMBITIOUS AND

been considered sensible heretoforethis girl's conduct would be simply revolting. It seems as though there must be something exceptional in the The Russian Throne Endangered by circumstances which has not appeared in the story.

Certain Scriptural and classical tales lead us to infer that this condition of

had adored her for years, but the idea grand duke married Duchess Marie of that she could ever care for me, exceping as a friend, I had never dared to cherish. I was a modest man-too modest-as she told me often in later

life "One summer, in the old stagecoach days, her father put her in my charge to make a two days' journey. We had to ride all night. There were nine in the coach. Her place was just opposite to mine. I fell asleep early and sat with my head resting on a broad leather band which had been stretched in front of us for that purpose. Suddenly I was roused from my stupor by feeling a pair of smooth Aunt Lucy, and we had more than 40 "Oh, of course, he understood that happy years together. She had supposed that I was too sound asleep to

know what she had done, and had been wild with shame when she thought of tures who haven't a particle of the other alternative; but if her feelings had not overcome her for just that instant I should never have dared to speak to her, and then how poor my life would have been!" Nevertheless, "Aunt Lucy's" exam-

ple cannot be commended as one to be followed. Modesty forever remains a cardinal virtue, especially in women. EMBROIDERY INITIALS.



SCHEMING RELATIVES.

Those Nearest It-History May Repeat Itself-Power Behind So-Called Ruler.

-Their influence upon the czar has been things dates from those earliest ages, "before Saturn came into Italy." Even of events since the fall of Port Arthur, our own American grandmothers some- although observers have long been times allowed their feelings to get the aware of the pernicious effect which the better of them. Many years ago a grand dukes have had upon the course of charming old gentleman (long since Russian policy. Foremost in the public departed from this life) related to his eye is Grand Duke Vladimir, who is nephew's wife, between whom and him-self there was a bond of tender affec-at any moment, and who would no doubt tion, the following remarkable tale: resort to the old-fashioned methods of "You never knew your Aunt Lucy, repression, despising all petitions or but her portrait and what you have deputations, whether of police origin or heard of her must tell you that she genuine. The deep faith of the Russian was an uncommon woman. She was people in their religion is shown by the very handsome, very talented, very persistent unpopularity of Grand Duchrich, and she had scores of lovers. I ess Vladimir; 31 years ago when the



prince consort of the Netherlands) the bride refused to follow the usual rule of becoming a member of the Orthodox Greek church, and she has ever since remained a Lutheran, though, of course. her children are brought up in the Russtan state religion. A year or so ago,

she with her son, Grand Duke Cyril. ane with her son, Grand Duke Cyrl, was thrown out of a motor car whilst holiday-making in the Riviera. The oc-currence horrified a peasants, who heard of it, not a littl. Abut it was only what they expected from an infidel. Grand Duke Cyrl has gamed public sympathy by his romantic attachment to the grand duchess of Hesse, but apparently the obstacles to the marriage have not yet been removed.

What the czar has to fear is not so much the uprising of his people, but a palace revolution instituted by his august relatives when his actions do not command their approval. A century ago his ancestor was "removed" in a manner equaled only by the Servian tragedy of May 29, 1903, and curiously enough Count Pahlen, who was the leading spirit in the removal, is to-day rep-resented on the czar's entourage by a direct descendant.

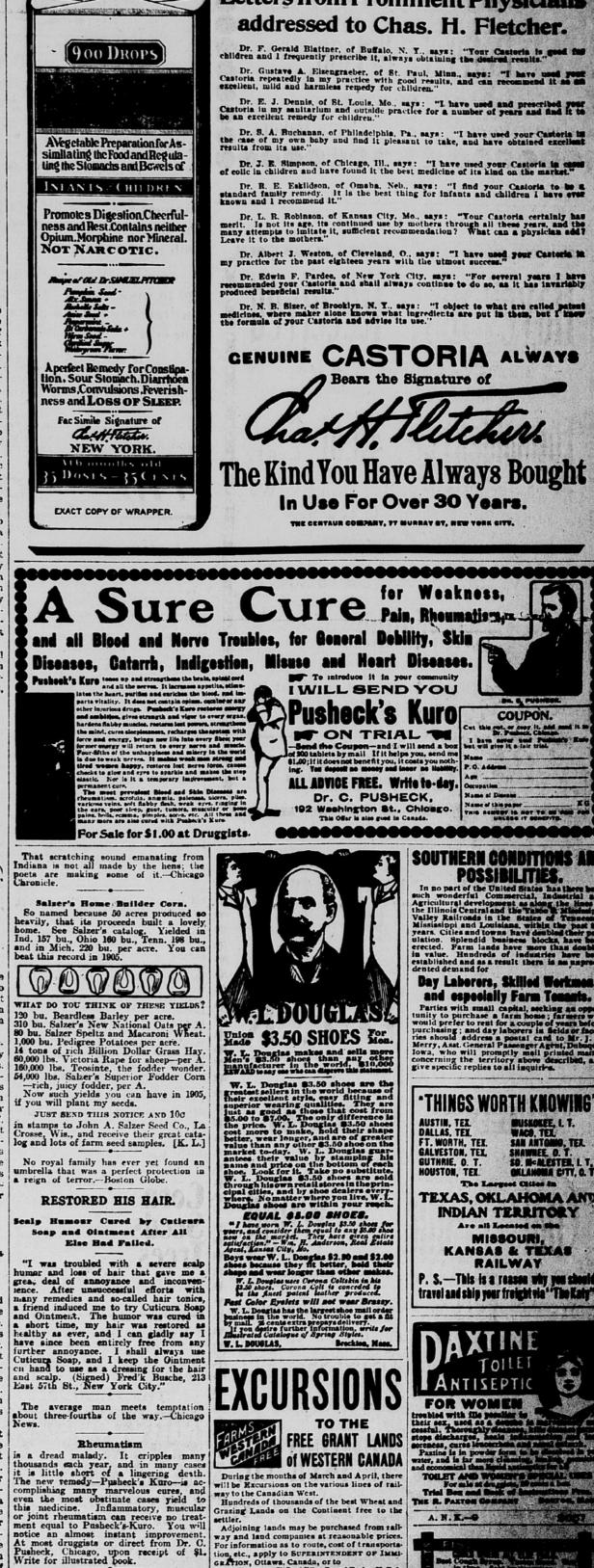
The unwillingness of the grand duca! faction to allow the czar to depart from Russia or even to consent to the czarina's absence just now (though she will,

What is Castoria.

ASTORIA is a harmless substitute for Castor, Oil, Paregoric, D

Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and elle Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Tre cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stor and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The children's Panaces The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children-Experience against Experiment.



Letters from Prominent Physicians

Dr. E. J. Dennis, of St. Louis, Mo., says : "I have used and prescribed year Castoria in my anitarium and outside practice for a number of years and find it to be an excellent remedy for children."





have not done a single thing to this land except to fence it and break and cultivate about one-half of it. Haracre. This year 27 bushels per acre. They can get any day \$25 per acre. These are only a few of many hundreds of such chances. It looks like boasting, but truth is justifiable, and the world ought to know it, especially the home-seeker. I know of quite a few farmers that have made fortunes in from 10 to 20 years, retired with from \$20,000 to \$100,000.

Writing concerning another district in the Canadian West, S. L. Short says:

"Dear Sir:--I have to inform you that I have just returned from the Carrot River Country in Saskatchewan, where I located land of the very finest black vegetable loam, which I am proud of, and will move in the spring. Farmers are still plowing there. A mild climate and beautiful country to behold. Cattle are fat and running outside. Wood and water good. Saw oats weighing 42 pounds to bushel. Potatoes large and well ripened: also wheat that brought there 82 cents. The country exceeded my expectations. Saw oats in stock, thicker on the ground than appears in many of the illustrations sent out in descriptive pamphlets. I have been in many western states, but the soil excels any I ever saw."

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The Canadian Government Agents at different points report that the inquiries for literature and railroad rates, etc., to Western Canada are the greatest in the history of their work.

A Comparison.

"You say you did not seek the office?" "Yes, sir. The office sought me." "I understand. You are like one of these men who claim credit because they set a trap for game instead of going out and shooting it."-Washington Star.

Effects of Prosperity.

In the six years of the country's greatest prosperity, from 1897 to 1903, average prices of breadstuffs advanced 65 per cent., meats 23.1 per cent., dairy and garden products 50.1 per cent. and | man that his aun , with whom he lives, | years ago, who labored under the imclothing 24.1. All these were products has had to ask her to discontinue her pression that silk would spot if wet of the farmer and stockman who frequent visits to the house. The girl, Two-thirds of the summer silks are profited more than any other class of who has to pass the place on her way washable. the community by these advances. to and from her daily work, had taken The miner benefited 42.1 per cent. by up the habit of calling for him to walk that advance in the average price of to her office with her, as his work lay should do well to watch out for them, metals. The only decrease in the in the same direction! But the aunt for they will be handsome and well average prices of commodities in that has not saved her nephew from this adapted to nice wear as well as to period was in railway freight rates, determined young person, who now which decreased from .798 per ton-mile steps up to a certain window and taps in 1897 to .763 in 1903, a loss of 4.4 on the pane to let him know that she per cent. The report of the Interstate is there. Commerce Commission shows that the average increase in the pay of rail- asked the listener to this extraordinary road employes in that period was a story.

The Case of Jones. "Jones has got him a nag." "Fast horse?" "No; mean wife."-N. Q. Times-Democrat

trifle above 8.5 per cent.

commonly well, and they were such fine 160 acres each six years ago. They fellows that she might have grown to love any one of them-or so it seemed to her father and me. But she has a horror of what are slangily cailed vested last year 28 bushels wheat per 'man-chasers', and therefore she remained so strictly impartial that nobody could tell her feelings at all. It is a great puzzle, deciding how far a modest girl should go in 'encouraging' a young man," sighed the mother . . .

> A distinguished writer has promulgated the doctrine that there will be no equality between the love-suitor and the suited until the economic question is better adjusted between men and designs in women's umbrellas. women. She reminds us that in families where the woman has more money able or double shot chiffon. than her husband he almost never sues for divorce. The man, in our present by Parisian dressmakers and combines social condition, has more to give to especially well with violet and helio the woman than she has to give to trope. him, especially in our older and more thickly settled states. Therefore she still in demand, but they are modified is, as a rule, more desirous of marry- to suit American ideas and figures. ing him than he is of marrying her.

crime for any woman to dare to fall in the coming season. love with any man until his majesty shall indicate that he wishes to have

Now for the exceptionally beautiful or graceful or entertaining or rich sets mostly in white are on view. girls, who are all more or less in a of girls belonging to good families can- days.

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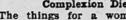
displayed in society, where only the designs in embroideries. showier traits usually app ar. If they fall deeply in love, as many of them do, without proper encouragement,

be the foundation of good society.

"But he must despise her."

triumphs in the art of silk making Thus in a certain gleat western city

common wear.



"And does he go out and join her?" whose complexion is not above reproach are cooked vegetables, raw and cooked salads and stewed fruits. The "He gets right up, hurries on his hat | cooked salads are those that are made and coat, and walks off gairy with this of vegetables and the Russian salads, peculiar girl. Now she belongs to a which are composed of shredded beets. respectable family, is well educated, cold potatoes, string beans and peas. and nobody breathes a word against all beautifully dressed, with mayonher character. How can she do this?" naise, a dish fit for the czar .- Boston Budget



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Brown is the leading color in veilipg, remarks the Brooklyn Eagie. Animals' heads decorate the newes A novelty in veils is one of change

Plum red is one of the colors favored

Wide girdles of Parisian origin are Silk negliges and sacques, principal-Yet she must not show this desire, ly of plain and fancy china silk, are since tradition has made it almost a expected to be much in evidence during

> Special styles in corset covers to wear with the new lingerie waists are being introduced. Beautiful wide fancy collar and cuff Shot silks in the new colorings are

position to dictate terms, the situation as soft and drape as gracefully as the is not very hard. But a vast number much prized India muslins of olden not properly be classed under any one In the parasol advance guard in

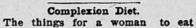
good looking, everyday, commonplace pronounced features of the coaching Bluebell and edelweiss are the latest

Washable Silk Underwear.

It is very smart these days to have they sometimes trangress the laws of all one's underwear, even to one's cordecorum and over-step that feminine set, washable, and the best of fancy modesty which some of us consider to silk petticoats are now made of wash able silk. The new washable silks are

a young woman in a well-paid and in- and the wash silk shirt waists and tellectual occupation, is apparently so wash silk dress skirts would surprise deeply enamored of a young business the old fashioned dressmaker of a few

> They are promising many novelties in the wash silk line and all women



GRAND DUKE CYRIL ft is said, shortly visit Germany) is due to the fact that the people will submit to their acknowledged ruler's action, but would decline to allow a regency in name, though it apparently exists in

fact. The grand dukes have been singularly unfortunate in the creatures they have selected to carry out their plans. Alexieff, for whom they secured the appointment of viceroy of the far east, has plunged Russia into a war of which the end is not yet. And the procurator of the holy synod, M. Pobledonotseff represents the most reactionary element in Russian affairs, though the recent addition of stripes to his parade trousers may be an indication of greater influence with the czar! All the czar's relatives share in the vast sum known as the Romanoff family fund, over which the czar is said to have absolute control.

WISE WIFE'S SURPRISES.

Little Attentions Which She Benders. Make Married Life a Complete Success.

The successful wife keeps on hand a little bomb in case of need. She keeps a surprise tucked up her sleeve. where it can be fired on a moment's notice, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. Maybe it is a carnation for his coat lapel; maybe it is his favorite pudding served extra; perhaps it is the baby's picture framed for his desk.

Something she has ready, and when his affection needs jogging she does not hesitate to do the jogging. Why, a bunch of violets or a knot

of bright ribbon where it adds the most to the wife's charms almost makes a man forget that he is hungry.

A saucy pinch with the usual kiss or a merry chase away from the accustomed greeting will almost make a man forget that he is married to the adorable creature. A stage whisper now and then and a twinkle of mischief are worth hours of cooing. The woman who buries her roguishness on her wedding day robs hor home of much of its happiness.

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Man made money is better than a money made man,-The Commoner.

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