

EXTRAORDINARY NERVOUSNESS.

Blindfolded, Could Count Every Seam When Walking Across a Carpet.

From the Capital, Sedalia, Mo.

There is probably no one better known in Sedalia, especially among the members of the First Baptist Church, than Mrs. Mollie E. Roe, the wife of Mr. Roe, the nurseman, and nothing is better known among the lady's acquaintances, than that for the past four years she has been a physical wreck from locomotor ataxia. In its severest form. That she has recently recovered her health, strength and normal locomotion has been made apparent by her being seen frequently on the streets and in church, and this fact induced a representative of the Capital to call on Mrs. Roe to enquire into the circumstances of her remarkable recovery.

"Four years ago," she said, "I was attacked with a disease which the physicians diagnosed as locomotor ataxia, and I was speedily reduced to a mere wreck. I had no control of my muscles, and could not lift the least thing. My flesh disappeared, until my bones almost pierced my skin. The sense of touch became so exquisitely sensitive, that I believe I could be walking over the softest carpet blindfolded, have counted every seam, so it may be imagined how I felt when trying to move my uncontrolable limbs.

"The most eminent physicians were consulted, but they gave me no relief, and I was without hope, and would have prayed for death but for the thought of leaving my little children. All thought of recovery had gone, and it was only looked upon as a question of time by my husband and my friends when my troubles would end in the grave.

"One day while in this condition, I received a newspaper from some friends in Denver, with a news item marked, and while reading it my eyes fell upon an account of a remarkable cure of locomotor ataxia, by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and the case as described was exactly similar to my own. I at once made up my mind to try the remedy, and began according to directions to take the pills. The first box had not gone when I experienced a marked improvement, and as I continued I grew better and better, until I was totally cured. I took about four boxes in all, and after two years of the most bitter suffering was as well as I ever was. Not only my feelings but my appearance underwent a change. I gained flesh, and though now forty-three years old, I feel like a young girl. You can say that Mrs. Roe owes her recovery to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and that she knows that there is nothing in the world like them."

(Signed) MOLLIE E. ROE. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of August, 1900.

GEORGE R. DENT, Notary Public.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. In men they affect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature. Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Where Mrs. Ignatius Donnelly? "Kittie, what are the women doing now that their bible is finished?" "We've got up a lovely diagram to prove that Mrs. Shakespeare wrote the plays."

SYSTEMIC CATARRH. A Hopeless Invalid Brought Back to Health and Usefulness.

Dr. Hartman's free treatment for chronic catarrh has been the means of restoring a great multitude of discouraged, hopeless people to health. Only a few of the many letters received by the doctor, with a request to publish them, from grateful patients, can ever be published. The following is a specimen recently received from Mary F. Bartholomew, St. Francisville, Ill. She says: "About twelve years ago I was afflicted with female trouble (systemic catarrh). I doctored with several skillful physicians, but kept getting worse until I became bedfast. I remained in this condition about two years, under the attendance of four physicians. I got no better during this time. Finally, looking over Dr. Hartman's female book, I found a case exactly like mine and concluded I would write Dr. Hartman for advice. I am not sorry I did so. I owe my life to Dr. Hartman and Pe-ru-na. My friends and neighbors never expected to see me well again. But I thank God and Dr. Hartman for my recovery. I am now able to assist with my household duties. I did not improve rapidly as some I have read testimonials of, but my case was of such long standing, and, as the doctor said, very much complicated, I could not expect a rapid recovery. I think my recovery is a surprise to every one who know me. My appetite was so poor I could eat scarcely anything; but I can eat any and everything now without pain. I cannot recommend your medicines enough. I think if every afflicted one would take them, they would never regret it, but would praise Pe-ru-na to every one as long as they lived."

For Dr. Hartman's latest book on catarrhal diseases, address The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio. Sent free for a short time.

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DAY OF JUDGMENT IS SAID TO BE CLOSE.

Some Queer Things That Will Happen When the Crack of Doom Startles Sinners—Between March 29, 1899, and September, 1901 It Will Surely Come.



IN the Bible House, New York city, there is preaching now a man who speaks like an Englishman, and whose name is Beverly O. Kinnear. The subject of his talks is the end of the world and, unlike most alarmists, his audience consist of a large number of both the faithful and unfaithful of the best classes in the city. They are attracted to him because of his earnestness and the convincing truths of many of his utterances. These are of a sort that you "can't get away from," though mixed with some not quite convincing. His plan is to go from one city to another preaching without money and without price. He wants to point out to the people the fulfillment of all the prophecies, at the close of which the Millennium would come. Unlike Moody, he does not take up a collection. After the meeting Dr. Kinnear answers questions.

"Do not say I preach the end of the world," said he, "that only makes people laugh. I preach the end of the age. After that we shall be taken off this continent and transported to another, if we are believers. If unbelievers, we shall be killed. The time for this is now close at hand. I quote a few, a very few, of many authorities. Sir Richard Proctor says: 'In about 1897-98 the heat of the sun will be so enormously increased by the impact of a comet as to destroy life upon this earth.' Sir J. W. Dawson wrote: 'I anticipate the destruction of the present state of things on earth by conflagration from the teachings of science.' Moody declares the church is cold and formal. May God wake us up! And I know of no better way to do it than to get the church to looking for the return of our Lord.' Dr. Frank M. Close, of Oakland, Cal., ex-president of the Tacoma Academy of Science, writes: 'The late seismic disturbance, which extended over the middle and southern states, was one of the preliminary throes of a great cataclysm.'

"These undoubted authorities show that the time is near at hand. We know that the end of the age is within this generation, but whether the present generation began in 1870 or 1871 we do not know. That is where chronology is liable to err. But the time is near and we must be watching for it. 'What will become of the present United States when the end of the world comes? It will be carried over to England. McKinley is to be the last President of the United States. Before the end of his term there will be a terrible European war. Nations are building war ships and getting ready for it. More have been built within the past year than in the world's entire previous history. This war occurs within the next three years; in it comes the end of the age. 'It is not certain how the end of the world will come. He may descend to earth or He may take the faithful up to heaven. That is not revealed as yet. If He descends to earth He will gather the faithful together and establish a kingdom in Jerusalem and there rule His people 'with a rod of iron,' as the scriptures say. If He decides to take us all up to heaven, He will do so and leave the others here. Either way it will be the Millennium. 'What is the Millennium? The Mil-

lennium. Their mission then will be to follow Christ forever and forever. 'Now when it comes to locating the day for this to begin I must beg off a little. I used to believe in chronology, and all signs say that the world will come to an end March 29, 1899. But it may be September, 1901. That is my present belief. There is only a little difference. One is surely right. And the time is very near. Among the guides to a perfect christianity approved by Dr. Kinnear, while waiting for the Millennium, are these simple suggestions: 'A sure cure for scolding and tattling: Keep your mouth shut and breathe through your nose.' 'The devil has the name of being the meanest, but it does seem as though some men are trying to break his record.' 'You are quite good looking, but your conduct spoils your beauty.' 'To know all you tell is better than to tell all you know.' 'Blessed is he who enjoys all his time profitably and is silent on subjects that do not concern him.'

BEAUTIFUL CUBAN AMAZON. Fought by Her Husband's Side Until He Was Killed—Hid in a Cave.

The accompanying portrait is that of Dolores Monteo, a beautiful Cuban amazon, who has done brave and effective work with the insurgent soldiers in their fight for freedom. She fought in the insurgent army with her husband, who was an officer. He was killed, and she took refuge in a cave, where food was smuggled to her by the natives. By General Weyler's orders, Spanish troops hunted for her

THE CASE URGENT.

"Mamma sent me for half a dollar's worth of disinfectants," said the little boy. "What kind?" asked the druggist. "I don't know 'sactly. Something purty strong, I guess."

"What does she want it for?" "Why, it's like this. Me an' the other boys has been runnin' a Kekimo village in one of the back rooms upstairs for more'n three weeks, an' she's just found it out."

Over the Prescriber. Hosts of invalids tumble to destruction simply because they will exercise no discretion in the matters of eating, drinking and the avoidance of exciting causes, and shove all, in the form of medicine, they procure in doing them, active in season and out of season with drastic and violent remedies, cathartics and mineral poisons. The best, the safest, the most reliable substitute for such hurtful nostrums, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, potent for malarial, rheumatic, dyspeptic, nervous and bilious complaints.

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