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Venom.
Mabel—Are you going to return the poor fellow's ring?
Florence (who has just broken her engagement)—I haven't decided. I suppose he'll propose to you now, and I thought I'd just hand it over to you to save bother.—Philadelphia North American.

NERVOUS DEPRESSION.

[A TALK WITH MRS. PINKHAM.]
A woman with the blues is a very uncomfortable person. She is illogical, unhappy and frequently hysterical. The condition of the mind known as "the blues," nearly always, with women, results from diseased organs of generation.

It is a source of wonder that in this age of advanced medical science, any person should still believe that mere force of will and determination will overcome depressed spirits and nervousness in women. These troubles are indications of disease.

Every woman who doesn't understand her condition should write to Lynn, Mass., to Mrs. Pinkham for her advice. Her advice is thorough common sense, and is the counsel of a learned woman of great experience. Read the story of Mrs. F. S. BENNETT, Westphalia, Kansas, as told in the following letter:

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Among His Impediments.
"You've got a lot of baggage," remarked the Washington friend who had accompanied him to the railway station.

"Yes," responded the retiring congressman, "but I carry something on my mind that weighs me down more than all this stuff put together."

"What is it?" inquired the other.
"It's my 'ex'" said the departing statesman, with a dry sob.—Chicago Tribune.

The Power of Storm.
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"So your poodle ran away, Miss Chic?" "Yes. I'm very sorry now I didn't have a muf made out of him—as Jack wanted me to."—Puck.

There was a young man from Lenore, Who boldly went off to the war; The "beef" made him sick, He recovered quite quick By the prompt use of old Jesse Moore

Use of sense makes no one poorer.—Ram's Horn.

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A Matrimonial Musing.
The average young man thinks he is in a position to marry if he has \$250 in the bank and a steady job. Hope is a great factor in a love affair. After the man is 40 he wonders how he ever did it, and when he eats pie at night and has the nightmare he always imagines that he is marrying again on \$250.—Acheson Globe.

A RED HENRY WARD BEECHER.

Chief Half-Moon bore a striking resemblance to the Noted Preacher.

Chief Half-Moon of the Sin-Ka-Use or Columbia Indians, is dead. Half-Moon, better known as Moses to the white people in the State of Washington, had three claims on fame. One, and to him the most important, was that he bore close resemblance to Henry Ward Beecher, the facial likeness being startlingly similar. Another was that he was a first cousin to the redoubtable Chief Joseph of Nez Perce reputation, and masqueraded a great deal in the guise of a good Indian. Half-Moon's third claim to fame rested on the assertion of his kinsmen that he was between 100 and 200 years old. This latter claim, however, seems to be merely a bit of Indian hyperbole. Pioneer residents of Washington put Half-Moon's age at 75 years.

Half-Moon came of bad parentage. His father was a bloodthirsty, murderous savage, and Half-Moon inherited all of his worst traits. Previous to the subjugation of his tribe he was continually at war with the whites, and participated in many murders and brutal massacres.

Personally, Moses was a commanding figure, standing nearly six feet in height, and weighing about 250 pounds. He was by far the biggest Indian in the bunch and strong as an ox. His strength had, however, become merely a tradition, for, since he became the petted ward of the government, with its \$1,000 annuity, he had no ambition or excuse to do aught but live in idleness and splendor, preferring only to



CHIEF HALF-MOON.

take up the white man's burden in the shape of bearing a load of Kentucky rye under his belt. These occasions, however, were only periodical with the aged chief in his later years, as he had long been a sufferer from Bright's disease, which finally carried him off.

A LETTER ON THE STAGE.

Society Woman Trying to Earn a Living for Herself and Her Husband.

Mrs. T. Benton Leiter, niece of Levi Z. Leiter, the Chicago millionaire, and herself a popular member of Chicago society, has gone on the stage. It isn't love of applause or a theatrical ambition that led her to adopt the profession, but the necessity of earning a living for herself and her paretic husband. The latter is a cousin of Joe Leiter and of Lady Curzon, the vice reine of India. Mrs. Leiter is a woman of education and culture. She has written several stories for children, which are meritorious.

Her husband for years held a responsible position with his millionaire uncle. He was a hard and close worker and was busy from morning till night in attending to his uncle's affairs.



MRS. T. BENTON LEITER.

About a year ago the young man began to fail in health. His mental power grew weaker daily and finally his condition was that of a mere boy who cries when his pet toy is taken from him. His wife has been obliged to support him of late.

And He's at It Yet.
Cecl J. Rhodes is the fourth son of a rector of Bishops Stortford, and in his boyhood often scandalized the good people of the place by his tricks. If there was any "devilment" on foot, says one who knew him, it was 100 to 1 that young Rhodes was in it.

One Ear Best.
A well-known professor asserts that the smallest intervals of sound can be better distinguished with one ear than with both. It takes the full complement, however, to hear the alarm clock at 5:30 a. m.

Simple Antidote.
Milk, if taken in large quantities, is the best antidote for carbolic acid.

CATARRH OF THE PELVIC ORGANS.

The Reason Why So Many Women Are Sick.



Mrs. Eliza Wike, 150 Iron St., Akron, O.

Mrs. Eliza Wike says: "I would be in my grave now if it had not been for my God-sent remedy, Pe-ru-na. Everybody says I am looking so much better. No doctor could help me as Pe-ru-na did. I was a broken-down woman. It is now seven years past that I was cured."

Mrs. Sarah Gallitz, of Luton, Ia., also writes: "I was suffering with the change of life. I had spells of flowing every two or three weeks, which would leave me nearly dead. I had given up hope of being cured, when I heard of Dr. Hartman's remedies and began to use them. I am entirely cured, and give all the credit to Pe-ru-na and Man-a-lin."

A healthy woman is becoming more and more rare. But comparatively few women who are suffering with catarrh know that this is the case. Their trouble is called dyspepsia, heart trouble, female weakness, weak lungs, nervous debility; indeed, almost the whole category of medical terms has been applied to catarrh of some

organ of the female anatomy. If these women would only realized that their trouble is probably catarrh of the organs peculiar to women or pelvic organs, and cure themselves with Pe-ru-na, how much unnecessary suffering would be saved.

Mrs. G. C. Worstell, Clarksburg, W. Va., writes the following to Dr. Hartman. This is only one of hundreds of similar letters which the doctor receives from thankful women. Mrs. Worstell says: "I trust that no one will think from this that I want my name in public for any cause only to let sufferers know where they may find relief from many ailments. I can truly say I have been much benefited by the use of Pe-ru-na. I feel better than I have for two years. It is the best medicine that I know for female troubles. I have taken medicine from the doctors and found no relief; but when I began taking Pe-ru-na I could see that before I had taken the first bottle that it was doing me good. I recommend it to all suffering women. I think that it is the best medicine in the world. I can't say enough in its favor. You can publish this if you like."

Dr. Hartman has written a book entitled "Health and Beauty" especially for women. It treats of female catarrh in all its different phases and stages. It is profusely illustrated and contains common sense talks on subjects which should interest every woman. This book will be sent free to any woman who addresses Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.



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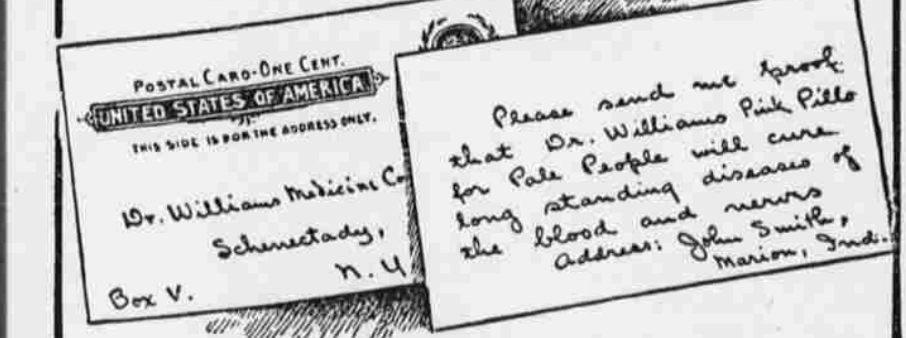
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