

# A Michigan Miracle.

MRS. HARRIET A. BEGOLE TELLS OF AN UNEXPECTED BLESSING.

Lost Her Voice and Did Not Speak Again for Nearly Thirteen Years—How Her Speech Was Restored.

The Ypsilanti Commercial, Ypsilanti, Mich.  
Many things appear miraculous that are really the result of natural laws the workings of which can be accurately predicted. A striking example of this occurred in a prominent Michigan family recently, and in this case there can be no question as to the truthfulness of the narrative since it is attested by Mrs. Harriet Begole, of Ypsilanti, Mich., a sister-in-law of Mr. Joshua Begole, who was governor of Michigan in 1883-84. When interviewed Mrs. Begole said:

"In 1881 I suffered from a severe illness brought on by a hard cold. During this illness my voice left me and I did not speak again above a whisper for nearly 13 years. I was treated by five local physicians and afterward went to New York and consulted the leading specialists there. They diagnosed my case as partial paralysis, stating that the left side of my throat was entirely paralyzed and the right side partially so. I returned home utterly disheartened. For nearly eight years I have suffered from a severe stomach disorder and about a year ago I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People for this trouble. I was much benefited by the first box and so was encouraged to persist in their use. My stomach trouble was relieved, my general health became greatly improved and to my surprise I regained control of my vocal organs. I have used five boxes of the pills and last November I spoke aloud for the first time in almost 13 years. I am now 71 years of age and have full control of my voice. I feel so grateful that I wish to make known to others the wonderful curative powers of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. (Signed) MRS. HARRIET A. BEGOLE."

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of May, 1899, at Ypsilanti, Mich.

JOHN P. KIRK, Notary Public.

There is nothing surprising in this cure, remarkable as it is, to those who know that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are so compounded that they act simultaneously on the blood and nerves. They tone up the system and cannot be expelled or excreted, as a disorderly digestion as proved in the above case. Their power in rebuilding wasted nerve tissue makes them invaluable in the treatment of partial paralysis, and to this fact Mrs. Begole owes the restoration of her voice after years of useless but expensive treatment.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People contain in a compressed form all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effect of a gripple, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexion, all forms of weakness either in male or female. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by all dealers or will be sent postpaid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, (they are never sold in bulk or by the 100), by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Big Rain in California.

Rains the past week or two have been so heavy in Southern California that business men are extremely happy. First big rain in years.

# Scrofula THE OFFSPRING OF HEREDITARY BLOOD TAINT.

Scrofula is but a modified form of Blood Poison and Consumption. The patient who is tainted by either will see in the child the same disease manifesting itself in the form of swollen glands of the neck and throat, catarrh of the eyes, offensive sores and abscesses and sometimes white swelling—sure signs of Scrofula. There may be no external signs for a long time, for the disease develops slowly in some cases, but the poison is in the blood and will break out at the first favorable opportunity. S. S. S. cures this wasting, destructive disease by first purifying and building up the blood and stimulating and invigorating the whole system.

J. M. Seal's Public Square, Nashville, Tenn., says: "Ten years ago my daughter fell and cut her forehead. From the wound the poison of the side of her face became swollen and bursted. Several local doctors here and elsewhere attended her with no benefit. We decided to try S. S. S., and a few bottles cured her entirely."

S. S. S. makes new and pure blood to nourish and strengthen the body, and it is a positive and safe cure for Scrofula. It overcomes all forms of blood poison, whether inherited or acquired, and so remedies so thoroughly and effectively cleanses the blood. If you have any blood trouble, or your child has inherited some blood taint, take S. S. S. and get the blood in good condition and prevent the disease from further damage.

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# PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

# Science and Invention

A sheet of water one inch thick and one acre in area weighs 101 tons.

An old Danish galley was recently dug up in England, while an excavation was being made. Its timbers are of oak and elm and they are well preserved. The vessel is assigned to the time of Alfred the Great, which would make it over one thousand years old. An antique sword and some bones of animals now extinct in England were also found.

Some of the vast changes which the face of the earth has undergone are indicated by the recent discovery in the small lakes scattered among the extinct volcanoes of Auvergne in France.

It has been asserted that insects are particularly attracted by the colors of certain flowers. Felix Plateau, after investigating the conduct of insects in their visits to various flowers, concludes that while they may perceive colors and thus be enabled to distinguish, at a distance, between flowers and leaves, yet they show no preferences among the different colors. Blue, red, yellow, white are indifferent to them. He thinks that the odor of flowers affects insects more than their colors do.

The experiments of the French grape growers in Algeria have shown that too much sunshine is unfavorable for the making of good wine. In the more temperate climate of France grapes possess a proper proportion of sugar to acid for wine making, but the Algerian sunshine induces so active an assimilation by the vines that the quantity of acid is reduced and that of sugar is increased. In consequence, the wine makers of Algeria are driven to many devices for improving the flavor and lasting quality of their wines.

X-rays have been subjected to a novel purpose in Calcutta. A thief was supposed to have stolen a diamond worth 10,000 rupees and to have effectually secreted it on his person by swallowing it. Expert thieves in India temporarily secrete small valuables of this description in the throat. It is called "pouching" and the thief swallows the lead by the piece of thread which the teacher holds. When the man has become skillful in this art of swallowing, the leaden pellet is coated with lime, which has the effect of enlarging the sac so that it becomes capable of retaining large articles. In the case of Calcutta the Roentgen rays revealed the presence of some substance in the throat, but its precise identity could not be gathered.

# THEY NOW KNOW BETTER.

Geologists Have Discarded the Old Notion About Glacial Movements. A few years ago geologists confidently asserted that at one period of the world's history a great ice cap came moving down from the polar regions and swept over North America as far south as latitude 28, carrying with it great boulders—which lie about on slopes and hillsides to this day to prove it—and scratching the record of its movement upon cliffs and ledges. Then this ice cap kindly melted and disappeared. This was taught in the schools, and to doubt it was heresy; for science, when it takes up a theory, is dogmatic, and all geologists said: "Behold, how wonderful is our knowledge; what secrets we can wrest from the past!" After a while science rather gave up the polar ice cap theory and laid down a new dogma—that of a single continental ice sheet for North America.

The recent investigations of officers of the Canadian geological survey prove that the scientists evolved their glacial theory out of a vivid imagination. It has been found that in northern Alaska there is no evidence that that part of the country ever was covered by a glacier—in fact, conclusive evidence exists that it was not. At the mouth of the McKenzie River is plenty of evidence of glacial action, and also that the glacier which left its record came from the south. On the western shores of Hudson Bay are marks of a glacier which came from the west, and on the eastern shores of one which came from the east. East of the Canadian Rockies is a long belt which shows no evidence of ever having been exposed to glacial action.

These geological discoveries have put the geologists "all at sea," and they now have evolved a new theory regarding the glacial period. It is that one big glacier did not at one time cover all the North American continent, but that several glaciers, moving at different times from different centers of distribution, made their way in different directions and left the glacial records which are now found. They have even given names to these glaciers, such as the "Cordilleran glacier," the "Labradorian glacier" and the "Kewatin glacier." Prof. Lawson, of the University of California, in a writing on the subject in the International Monthly, says that as yet it cannot be said that the succession of these great glaciers in time has been established well enough to warrant an unqualified acceptance, but he seems to have little hesitation in accepting the theory of different glaciers moving from different points.

# HE FOUND ONE HONEST TOUT

Man from the Race Track Who Trusted a Stranger and Won Out.

Among the passengers on an elevated train the other night was a party of men returning from the race track, and from the unmistakably good humor they displayed it was clear that they had succeeded in getting some of the bookies' money. They were talking of the dishonest people met at a race track, and the general opinion seemed

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