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A Burial Swindler Who Fooled Eugene Kelly, Jr., Once Too Often.

Eugene Kelly, Jr., son of the New York millionaire banker, is the latest victim of the burial swindle. Last December he received notice from Chicago of the death there of Frank M. Vernon, 19 years old, whom he had once befriended, in a letter signed A. E. Peltzer & Co., undertakers. It was brief and confined itself to a request



FRANK M. VERNON.

that \$108 be forwarded to Chicago to pay for the funeral. Mr. Kelly sent the money with a letter inquiring for details. In reply he received this letter from "A. E. Peltzer & Co.":

DEAR SIR—Through an oversight which we hope you will pardon, our letter to you was not written from my personal inspection. Having known young Vernon's relations, I took him under my care when death was inevitable. Vernon was very well connected in this city, his father being a prominent politician and two uncles in the abstract and title business. He had when he died but one relation, an uncle, who, I understand, defrauded Frank out of a sum of money. You probably know of his leaving this uncle and starting out for himself with race horses, two of which he owned, but lost through gambling. We understand that one of them, Ratalpo, now owned by M. F. Dwyer, was purchased for him by a friend in the east.

As you probably know, Vernon was a remarkably bright young man, well read, etc., whose abilities, had they been directed in proper channels, would have made him a prominent man. Dr. Wilbur Hildreth, who accompanied Vernon, was a physician of note in Cincinnati. Frank Morris Vernon is buried in the family vault, in the name of Herbert William Vernon, in the Waldheim cemetery, this city. I was with him during his last moments. Vernon suffered intense agony, but bore it bravely and spoke of you as his friend and benefactor.

The letter said that Vernon's watch and ring would be shipped by express, and that Dr. Hildreth asked \$50 for his trouble. A day later a package came by American express C. O. D. \$50. Mr. Kelly paid the money, expecting to find the jewelry. He found only a package of playing cards.

Mr. Kelly then reported the case to the police. A short time ago Vernon was heard from in St. Louis, whence he wrote to Mr. Kelly asking for money. On the police inspector's advice Mr. Kelly told Vernon to come to New York. He arrived in due season and was arrested for obtaining money under false pretenses, was promptly convicted and sentenced to one year in prison.

Mme. de Genlis' Childhood.

If Mme. de Genlis' own account of her bringing up before her marriage is true she is a remarkable example of a woman who has learned from experience, and has contrived even among the incessant claims of society to repair her parents' neglect in the matter of education. At six she set forth with her mother to Paris, where she spent a few dismal weeks. After she had two teeth taken out (the history of children is always the same) "they put a pair of stiff whalebone stays on me and imprisoned my feet in tight shoes, which prevented me from walking. They rolled my hair in curl papers and I wore for the first time a panier. To cure my provincial air an iron collar was fastened round my neck, and as I squinted a little the moment I woke a pair of spectacles was placed on my nose, and these I was not allowed to move for four hours. Finally, to my great surprise, I was given a master to teach me how to walk (which I thought I knew before), and I was forbidden to run, or to jump, or to ask questions."

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THE TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE OF A WELL-KNOWN BUSINESS MAN.

So Badly Crippled With Rheumatism That He Lost All Power of Feet and Legs—How He Was Cured.

From the San Francisco Chronicle.]
M. E. Douglas, a young man who owns and runs a harness shop out of 2612 Mission street in this city, tells a tale of a remarkable cure of rheumatism after he had suffered for several years, and had almost given up hoping that it could be cured. That Mr. Douglas' cure is permanent is amply demonstrated by the fact that he was effected two years ago, and rheumatism has not troubled him at all since that time.

It was in regard to his recovery that a Chronicle reporter called upon Mr. Douglas a few days ago. The young man told the following story:

"About four or five years ago I began to be much troubled by severe pains in my feet and ankles, and it annoyed me so greatly that I could only keep at work with difficulty. I began to think that I was standing on my feet too much, and would have to manage to do easier work. I was in a harnessmaker's shop then. About that time I read of a disease of the feet which is contracted in the German army. I decided that I had the same disease, and read up the remedies used for it and tried them. Of course, they did me no good. I then tried hot water bathing, and also used mustard water. I got some relief from the bathing, but it was only temporary, and my trouble was constantly increasing. At last I went to a physician, and he gave me a prescription, but it did me no good. I was now so badly off that the acute pain had gone up beyond the calves of my legs. I used to have to sit down very often, and frequently when I would try to stand I would fall right over. I completely lost power over my feet and legs, and was almost paralyzed. Finally I determined that I would have to let the disease wear itself out.

"You see, we are all natives of Canada. My father, mother and I used to live at Woodstock, Ontario. We got the Woodstock Sentinel Review, which contained a number of reports about the wonderful properties of a medicine called Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I thought that, if one-quarter or one-eighth of what was said about them was true, they might do me some good. We got \$2.50 worth of them, and I began to take them without much regularity and without thinking much about their curing me. I just took them when I thought of it, two or three at a time as they happened to come handy. I was also suffering from a severe attack of piles, which gave me a great deal of trouble. After I had been taking the Pink Pills awhile I noticed that the piles left me, and then my rheumatism just went away from me so easily that I hardly thought of it until it was gone. I had given up all other treatment, and was taking nothing but the pills; so it must have been the pills that cured me. I took more, and in fact take some still. We always keep them in the house now. They give your cheeks a fine, healthy glow, and keep you feeling well all the time. My rheumatism was completely cured, and has not troubled me for two years.

"My grandfather, John Douglas, is still living in Canada. He was quite well acquainted with this very Dr. Williams who first compounded the pills, and knows that he has the very best of standing in the community. I cheerfully recommend the Pink Pills, and I think that any one who takes them is sure to receive benefit. As I said, we still keep the pills in the house all the time, and would not be without them."

Mr. Douglas is 26 years of age. He has been in San Francisco for the best part of his life. He is well and favorably known by a great many San Francisco people. Any one of an inquiring frame of mind can find him at work in his harness shop at 2612 Mission street. An analysis of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People shows that they contain in a condensed 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 effects of the grippe, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexion, all forms of weakness either in male or female. Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent postpaid on receipt of price (50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50) by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

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