

Epileptic Pills.

A YOUNG MAN FALLS IN FRONT OF A MOVING CABLE CAR.

He has Narrow Escapes From Death—The Attacks Came on Without a Moment's Notice and the Results were Felt for Several Days Afterwards.

From the Chronicle, Chicago, Ill.

Among all the ailments from which humanity suffers, epileptic fits are the most distressing, for the reason that the patient never knows when they may come upon him. They unfit him mentally and physically for any duties, however simple they may be. They are hard to cure and yield to treatment (when successful), but slowly. As an illustration of this there is one case in the city of Chicago which has baffled the skill of some of the most eminent physicians in the city for the past five years. The case in question is that of the eighteen-year-old son of William Francis Hanlon. Mr. Hanlon has been a watchman on one of the leading daily newspapers in this city and has lived here for many years, his home being at 78 Seminary Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Speaking of his son's case he said that when he was thirteen years old he first commenced to have epileptic fits which increased in frequency and violence. For a long period he had them regularly, twice a week. After these attacks he was severely ill for a day or two, suffering with headaches and pains. His appetite became very poor, and while he had the best medical attendance that he could procure, the medicines and treatment which were given him seemed to make no impression whatever. This lasted for nearly four years, and the physician told him he could do nothing for these attacks. They came regularly without any warning, and many times his son was brought home by strangers who happened to see him fall down in the street in one of these epileptic fits. His condition became such that he was obliged to give up all work and he remained at home.

Eight months ago he saw in one of the papers the cures Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were effecting and his physician had told him he could do nothing more, he determined to give his son a trial with them. After taking them a few weeks the attacks became less frequent, his appetite became better, his general condition improved, and after two months the attacks were reduced to one in one month, and now he has only had two attacks in six months. He said he believed that they had accomplished a wonderful change in his son's condition, and could not speak too highly of their curative powers. His son came to the office of the writer a few days later and gave the following detailed statement of his case.

"It is just as my father told you. When I was thirteen years old I commenced to have these epileptic fits and they came regularly Friday and Saturday for several years, and then they also made their appearance after that one day in the forepart of the week. They were very violent, and I could not know anything about it. It is only what my father or mother would tell me about them, or when they happened to overtake me on the street, what strangers would tell me. One thing, however, I knew afterwards and that was the soreness of my tongue, which I would bite severely when I was convulsed. After that I got out of them I was always deathly sick for one or two days. They depressed me very much, because it lost me more than one job, and I could not blame them for letting me go. For I created both a disturbance and fear around me when I was thrown into these convulsions. I used to work in one of the large cigar factories, where many of my friends were at work. I did my work well, and they were pleased with it, but one day I was taken with one of these attacks and of course I lost my place."

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Sunday Seaside Excursion Will Run Sunday August 15.

And continue to run each Sunday thereafter during the season. Trains leave Albany 7:00 a. m.; Corvallis 7:30 a. m. Returning leaves Newport 5:30 p. m.

Fare, Albany, Corvallis and Philomath, \$1.50 for round trip. Points west usual rates.

Excursion Rates Every Day. The Southern Pacific now offers for sale round trip tickets from Salem to Newport, good until Oct. 1, for the price of \$4.50. Call on the Salem agent for same.

W. W. SKINNER.

TALES BY THE SEA.

(Continued from second page.)

beach that convulses as he would, if duty called, march up to the cannon's mouth if reduction to sausage meat the next minute was a dead certainty. About three hundred bathers were out in all sorts of costumes suitable to the surf. The General led out a rather fleshy middle-aged lady from Portland, whose daughter had brought her a new home made bathing suit. It was a rich creamy texture of silk and wool, trimmed with deep liver-colored borders. Into the sea then marched the general and the lady, a splendid looking pair, the admiration of the hundreds on the shore and in the water. The breakers cause the lady the regulation shivers but holding firmly the General's hand she goes bravely on to waist deep water and meets the first foam-crested roller. They leap into the air as it strikes them, the general being an accomplished surf-bather. But horror, what a change, has come over the lady's costume. The silvery fluff fabric immersed in relentless sea water has undergone a marvelous change. become almost glossy, a translucent, flimsy fabric, revealing both form and every color of skin. Theatrical flesh tights could not have left a person in a more complete state of exposure, or appearance of nudity, except where the wide colored borders of skirt, hose and short sleeves hides part of the person only partially concealed and more than partially revealed in the homemade suit. What does the general do? He sustains the almost fainting woman and they march straight for shore and the bathhouse. The general's face was pale. He saw only duty before him. With eyes partially closed, with teeth firmly clenched he marched firmly into the teeth of the crowd who rudely eyed and still more rudely giggled over the mishap to the lady in clinging garments emerging from the sea like Venus born out of the wave, with Penney's commander of the national guard in the heavy role of Neptune.

"When father got me Dr. Williams' Pink Pills eight months ago, I took them regularly. After the first week I commenced to feel better, in what way I cannot explain. I felt brighter, more hopeful, and in a few more weeks my attacks came but once a week. That, of course, encouraged me—particularly. After the first week I commenced to feel as bad afterwards, and had no headaches and no pains. Then the next month the attacks would skip a whole week and after a few weeks I was cured. That certainly was a great improvement for me. Now I am feeling so much better than I did a year ago, that I can hardly believe it. My appetite is splendid, I do not have the fears I used to have, and I am sure that the next place I get to work I shall be able to keep. Think of the wonderful change in me! In the last six months I have had two attacks and my parents tell me that they were very light compared to the ones I used to have. Another thing I wish to say and that is this: I believe I would not have had those but my pills gave out and I was foolish enough to think that I did not need to take any more. So that taught me a lesson and I shall take them regularly for some months to come."

"I ought not to have thought to get rid of a trouble I had for five years in five months. I know that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People have produced this wonderful change for the better in me, and I feel that all the terrible time I have had in the last five years is done away with now."

(Signed) "A. C. HANLON."

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of December, 1896.

LESTER L. JONES, Notary Public.

The above statement made by my son is correct, without any exaggeration whatever in detail or in whole.

(Signed) Mr. and Mrs. W. F. HANLON, No. 78 Seminary Ave.

The foregoing is but one of many wonderful cures that have been credited to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People which heretofore have been supposed to be incurable, such as locomotor ataxia and paralysis, such as the most trifling ailments. In many cases the reported cures have been investigated by the leading newspapers and verified in every possible manner and in no case has the least semblance of fraud been discovered. Their value has spread to the far ends of civilization and there is hardly a drug store in this country or abroad where they cannot be found.

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THE MARKETS.

Provision.

Portland, Aug. 21 Wheat valley, 88c;

Walla Walla, 86c

Flour—Portland, 4.15@superfine, 2.25 per

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Oats—White, 38@40c; grey, 37@39.

Potatoes, New 35@40c per sack.

Hay—Good, 10@12.50 per ton.

Hops—10@11 1/2c.

Wool, Valley, 11@13c; Eastern Oregon

7@9c.

Mohair, 19@20c.

Milk—Butter, 14.00; shorts 15.50.

Poultry—Chicken, mixed 3.00@3.50,

broilers, 1.50@2.75; turkeys, live 10c

Eggs, Oregon, 12 per doz.

Hides, green, salted 60 lbs 7c; under

60 lbs 6 1/2c; sheep pelts, 10@70c

"Yellow" 2 1/2c@3c.

Onions—1 1/2c@1.50 per sack. In many cases

Wheat Bags—Calcutta 25 per 100

Beans—small white, 1 1/2c@1 3/4c; Lima 3-3 1/2c

Hogs Heavy, 4.00

Butter, Best dairy, 25@30; fancy creamery

35@40c per roll.

Cheese, 11 1/2c.

Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated, bleached

6 1/2c; unbleached 3 1/2c@4c; sundried

8 1/2c.

Pears—50@60c

Plums—pitted, 30@40c.

Prunes—4 1/2c@6c.

Veal—small 3@3 1/2c per lb.

Mutton—Wethers 22 1/2c; dressed mut

ton, 4 1/2c; spring lambs 5 1/2c per lb.

Beef—Steers 2 1/2c; cows 2.25.

Dressed 4@5 1/2c.

Cured Meats—Hams 10 1/2c@10 1/2c; bacon 7 1/2c

Lard—in pails, 7 1/2c.

SALEM MARKET

Wheat—80.

Oats 25c.

Apples—25@30c.

Hay, Baled, cheat, \$7.00@8.

Flour, In wholesale lots, 4.10; retail

4.60; bran, bulk 12@13; shorts, 15.50@17.75

Chop feed, 15.00@16.00.

Poultry—Chicken, 5; spring 8.

Veal—Dressed, 3 1/2c.

Hogs, Dressed, 4.50.

Live Cattle, 2@2 1/2c.

Sheep, Live, 1.50.

Spring lambs, \$1.00.

Wood, Best, 12c.

Hops, Best, 9@10c

Eggs, 11 in trade.

Farm Smoked Meats Bacon, 7c; hams

10c; shoulders, 5 1/2c.

Potatoes 25c trade.

Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated bleached,

7c—See unbleached 4c@5c.

Plums—4c.

Butter—Dairy 12@15c; creamery 20

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"Reminiscences and current topics," published at Baker City has the following about two Salem gentlemen, in connection with its history of St. Joseph's Catholic church of this city: Father White is still pastor here, beginning with the first Sunday, also the first day of the year 1888, and is therefore the longest in continuous service of any priest who has been in charge of the parish. During the years of general progress and prosperity up to 1893, the Catholic congregation under Father White grew and advanced in wealth, numbers and intelligence, but in the past few years there has been a standstill. There is plenty of work for a pastor here, but it cannot be said that at present his pecuniary compensation is calculated to establish a plethoric bank account for him. The present spring, however, begins to show cheerful signs of an upward tendency again.

In the later days there are many who deserve credit for their efforts and contributions, the list being so large as to exclude enumeration; but a few demand extra recognition. One of the best friends of the church in this city is a non-Catholic, Hon. A. Bush, whose word of encouragement and substantial financial aid have always been freely given. At the building of the new church, in 1888, he donated \$200, besides granting other valuable favors. In fact, our most authentic information is to the effect that he has always befriended the Catholics through oppression or stress of circumstances.

It is to be regretted that there is any uncertainty about President Chapman's return to the State University. He has some for real culture and has considerable talent as an organizer. Few people realize the difficulties that surround an executive position, and still fewer the great difficulty in finding a man who is possessed of both university culture and executive ability. If Chapman could drop little local and personal matters and get himself onto a broader basis, he has some of the good parts essential to the position he seeks to fill. But as a young man he still suffers from a theoretical, Miss-Nancy manner, that many universities galyanize upon their students. If Oregon loses Chapman, there is danger of a mere political rustler getting the place, and then the begira of our young men and woman to other states would be still farther increased.

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