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(Signed),
J. A. CASSWELL,
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Gagetown, Jan. 29th., 1900.

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Nov. 26th, 1898.

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Armstrong's Corner, Queens Co., N. B.,
Dec. 2nd, 1898.

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T. S. PETERS.
Gagetown, May 23rd, 1899.

A Frontier Missionary's Experiences.
Sowing the seeds of Christianity in the far West some years ago was a mission attended with more or less danger, great hardships and much self-denial. Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, who was a missionary on the frontier, and who has since won much fame as an author, has written a series of articles for The Ladies' Home Journal graphically narrating his experiences—often thrilling in the extreme, again pathetic, and, not infrequently, humorous. These he has related in his interesting way, which will make them exceedingly attractive, and which will show better than anything else which has ever been written that Americans are instinctively a religious people, ready to suffer any sacrifices for the advancement of Christianity. The first article of the series will appear in the April Journal.

Social Mistakes.
Perhaps the greatest of all social mistakes is to be continually talking about oneself. There is no word in all the vocabulary of conversation so tedious to others as that personal pronoun "I." Though one of the smallest words in use, there is none that takes up more room in the everybody world. "I" is a bore. It is better not to mention his name oftener than can be avoided. Another social folly is "gush." There is an insincere ring about it. True, there are people who gush from sheer good nature in wishing to give pleasure, yet they should remember that even amiable exaggeration is like a coarse sugar plum, agreeable at first, but leaving a doubtful taste in the mouth afterward.
On the other hand, there is a certain class of people in society who are equally foolish in going to the other extreme. They feign indifference about everybody and everything seldom expressing either interest or admiration. They think it "bad form" to show any pleasure in life, and a sign of superiority to be incapable of enthusiasm. A social folly is to imagine that people are always looking at or thinking of you. Such ideas are often the offspring of conceit. As a matter of fact, the people very often look at you without seeing or thinking of you. They have other things to think of. If we could only convince ourselves that we are not always the pivot of our friends' and acquaintances' thoughts, there would be fewer hurt feelings and imaginary grievances.—Spokane Spokesman Review.

Value of the Sun's Rays.
Professor Sinclair says that many know by experience that the relief afforded by the sun's rays to wearing pain, neuralgic and inflammatory, is more effective and lasting than that of any application whatever.
Those who have faceache should prove it for themselves, sitting in a sunny window, where the warmth falls full on the cheek. For nervous debility and insomnia the treatment of all others is rest in the sunshine. There is no tonic like it, provided the good effects are not neutralized by ill-feeling. To help a rheumatic limb, or to bring a case of nervous prostration up speedily, a most efficient part of the treatment would be to expose the limb or the person as many hours to direct sunlight as the day would afford.
For the chilliness which causes the blue hands and bad color resort to the sun—let it almost blister the skin, and the circulation will answer the attraction. It is a finer stimulus than wine, electricity, or massage, and we are on the verge of great therapeutic discoveries concerning it.

A "Practical" Joke.
An Irishman took a contract to dig a public well. When he had dug about 25 feet down, he came one morning and found it caved in—filled nearly to the top.
Pat cautiously looked round and saw that no one was near, then took off his hat and coat and hung them on the windlass, crawled into some bushes and waited events. In a short time the citizens discovered that the well had caved in, and, seeing Pat's hat and coat on the windlass, they supposed he was at the bottom of the excavation.
Only a few hours of brisk digging cleared the loose earth from the well. Just as the eager citizens had reached the bottom and were wondering where the body was, Pat came walking out of the bushes and good-naturedly thanked them for relieving him of a sorry job.
Some of the tired diggers were disgusted, but the joke was too good to allow of anything more than a hearty laugh, which soon followed.—London Answers.

Consolation.
If the winds blow cold, dear brother,
And the air is keen and raw,
Remember the coldest weather
Comes just before the thaw.
—Philadelphia North American.

Safe Enough.
"Sir," she exclaimed, "you kissed me!"
"Oh, well, never mind," he replied reassuringly; "I have no faith in that germ theory!"—Philadelphia North American.

Omar Khayyam.
We know what Omar referred to
As he sat on his colorless rug,
When he spoke of a blooming old desert.
He referred to his empty old jug!
—Syracuse Herald.

There are various kinds of tea, which, though not fraudulent manufactures, are not made of the real leaf.

JINGLES AND JESTS.
The Imaginary World.
Some folks there be who say it's wrong to sleep instead of work;
They bid me toil with might and main and never, never shirk.
But when asleep I'm dreaming; when awake, I see what's true.
If I should get insomnia, I don't know what I'd do!
There are no dusty rafters in the castles slumber rears,
And 'tween the apparitions which surround a couch with fears
All vanish in an instant, while fair prospects glide in view.
If I should get insomnia, I don't know what I'd do!
The thundering of cannon and the angry battle-cry
Are lost to consciousness in one short drooping of an eye.
The crafty machinations of this weary earth are through.
If I should get insomnia, I don't know what I'd do!
—Washington Star.

The Poet Again.
Still farther wandered the poet afield and paused not until he came upon the figure of another farmer.
"The man with the hoe in sooth!" sighed the poet confidently.
"Why don't you call a spade a spade?" cried the farmer, with much heat and quite unreasonably.
For, although the truth of the matter was that the farmer was digging for fish bait, of course it was not to be expected that the poet would take cognizance of this.—Detroit Journal.

The Silent Hero.
We have heard in song and story
Of the man behind the gun,
And we all concede the glory
Of the wonders he has done.
It's a very noble calling
To arise with gun in hand,
While the men like leaves are falling
For the honor of the land;
But, remember, there's the glory,
When the battle has been won,
To be praised in song and story
As "the man behind the gun."
There's another sort of hero,
And of him the poet's pen
Never writeth; he's but zero
In the book of "Noble Men."
Not for gallant deeds in war meant,
Yet, with temper in command,
He must suffer mental torment
Nor so much as raise his hand.
Though his enemies should blind him,
He must let it go at that.
In the theater you'll find him;
He's "the man behind the hat."
—Catholic Standard and Times.

The Savage Bachelor.
"If you had been at the Browns' golden wedding celebration last night," said the sweet young thing, "you would have altered your views on matrimony."
"I wouldn't, either," said the savage bachelor. "If matrimony were not a fake, there would not be such a rowwow raised over a couple that have managed to endure each other for a few years, and don't you forget it!"—Indianapolis Press.

What of the Mule?
I read about the heavy gains,
The heavy and the light—
The kind that weighs a score of tons
And scales the kopje's height,
And yet, it seems so strange to me,
They write of merry Yule,
Of fight and flight, of French and White,
But naught about the mule!
How does he stand the battle crash?
Does panic seize him now?
Do both his heels together flash
Upon the kopje brow?
Of wassail and of Yule,
But, hope deferred, they write no word
About the army mule!
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Rather.
Yeast—See this suit I've got on?
Crimsonbeak—Of course I see it! What of it?
"Well, my tailor wouldn't let me pay a cent for it."
"What!"
"Why, I refused to take it without pay, but he insisted that I should take it as a gift."
"Well, well, that's rather unusual to have a tailor press a suit of clothes on you!"—Yonkers Statesman.

He Was a Boxer.
"Please play for me your favorite now!"
He pleadingly besought his Rosa.
"Of course," said she, "I'll play you now
A nocturne by a great composer."
He smiled, and then as readily
A playful little glance he throws her.
He interposed in tone of glee,
"A knock-turn is a great composer."
—Richmond Dispatch.

The Chop and the Cherry Tree.
"Popkin loves to be historically correct."
"What's his latest?"
"He had an English chop for breakfast on Washington's birthday."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Consistent Profession.
It has often been said of the medical tribe
That they seldom will swallow the stuff they prescribe;
Yet, though they may not think their jalap is nice,
They will profit derive from their own good advice.
—Chicago Record.

A Raise.
Sandy Pikes—What did yer feel like when de farmer pulled yer out of de well?
Billy Coalgate—I felt like I wuz brought up on a farm.—Chicago News.

The Detachment.
He loved her for her wondrous hair,
So marvelously rich,
But when he saw it on a chair
Love's train of thought, just then and there,
Was wrecked by a misplaced switch.
—Elliot's Magazine.

The Way It Works.
"Young man, don't you know you spend too much money on the theater?"
"Yes, I know it, but I am too poor to ever get any passes, you know."—Indianapolis Press.

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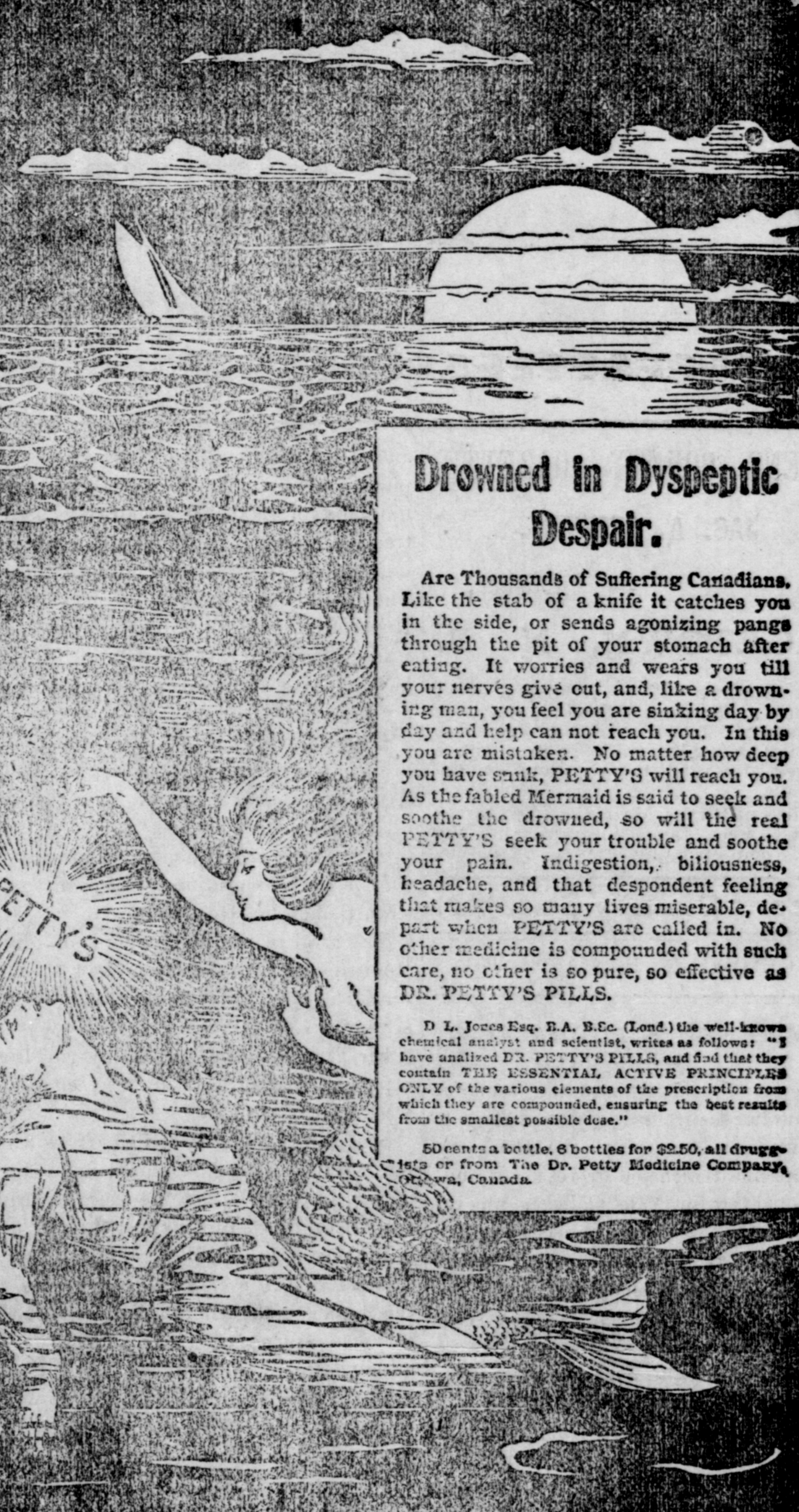
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