A Lady Tells How She Helped Her Hus-

band to Break the Awful Spell. I was much interested in the notes from Dr. Ford's lecture in the Herald of Health, and wish that every woman as read them. Those of us who are at the heads of households may some time need all the knowledge we can get upon the subject of insomnia. The trouble grows more common every year, especially in America, where we are apt to live upon "nerve" in all times of trial or excite-

There is no doubt that personal magnetism is one of the best medicines for insomnia, the will of the nurse subjugating and calming that of the patient. Two very unhappy cases have come under my own personal supervision. One was my husband, who became so wretchand then get up to walk all over the place, and often for miles into the country. One night I began talking to him voice quieted him, kept on, repeating poetry, and finally mixing my sentences up in a dreadful way, I was so sleepy did not awaken until near morning. It was remarkable, for he had not slept so much at night for two years. That day I learned to repeat Paris Ronn, knowing that my husband was very fond of it. So when he got wakeful the next night I had something to say over to him, and to my delight, he fell asleep before I was half through the poem. And so we kept up our midnight conversations for three months, I telling all the fairy stories, the gossipy incidents, and repeating all the poems I knew. And little by little, so soon as he began to sleep every night, he was cured, and now a cannon fired in the room would hardly awaken him.

The other case was of a lady with whom I spent a year. I begged her to try the Dalsarte movements of the body -limbering herself, and swinging about until she began to feel drowsy. When she would grow restless in the night, she would arise and try the same exercise. It finally cured her, after a year of faithful practice. Her trouble was more physical, while my husband's was mental. He grew to depend upon me like a child, and if I happened to be away from the house, he could not sleep. So soon as a person so afflicted begins to sleep well, the general health improves and sleep is more easily induced. As Dr. Ford says, there is a knack of putting one to sleep, and each daughter of the family ought especially to learn the secret, if possible, for so much of the comfort and well being of humanity depends upon women.-Mrs. George W. Ogilvie in Herald of Health.

#### The Benevolent Foreigner.

Mrs. Micawber, in "David Copperfield," when about to sail with her alway impecunious husband for Australia, announces that she wishes that husband to take his stand upon the vessel's prow and firmly say: "This country I have come to conquer! Have you honors? Have you riches? Have you posts of profitable pecuniary emolument? Let them be brought forward. They are mine." Fiction is always' behind reality, and no fancied Micawber ever carried his effrontery so far as many instances, well authenticated, in actual life. When, for instance, the Hungarian general, Klapka, had been invited by some agent of Mr. Seward's to serve in our army during the civil war, he wrote to Gen. McCfellan, giving his terms. Those terms were that he should be paid \$100,000 in cash; that his annual salary should be \$25,000; that he should serve as Gen. McClellan's chief of staff for a short time, until familiar with English, and should then take McClellan's place at the head of the American army. There was nothing unexampled about this. We meek and patient Americans are constantly in the position of being lectured on manners by foreigners so ill bred that, were they Americans, they would never have a second invitation into well bred company; on pronunciation and language by persons unable to make themselves heard before an audience; on the graces of literature and art by orators who cannot even dispose of their own arms and legs without the greatest discomfort. Long suffering as we are by nature, Americans have had so much put upon them in these ways that the revenge taken in Europe by Barnum and Buffalo Bill seems hardly too severe an international retribution. T. W. H. in Harper's Bazar.

#### Man Changes Little.

Horace's rustic waited for the river to run down. If he could have waited long enough he might have seen its last drop roll by. But human nature is always the same. If one of those who died when the world was young should return to it now he would not know its cities and their customs; but he would know its children and their ways, its mothers and their hopes, its lovers and their vows. He would not know the old philosophies by their new names, or the old sciences under the modern developments; but he would know the human heart and its ideals as he would know the midnight sky and its constellations.

We are told that ours will one day be a dead planet moving with other dead planets around a cold and darkened sun. That will not matter if love is immortal. A wandering angel, curious of such things, would find amid the ruins of our civilization here and there an infant's toy, a marriage ring, a sculptured cross. "These are tokens," he would say, "of eternity, not of time. They can teach us nothing new in heaven."-New Orleans Picayune.

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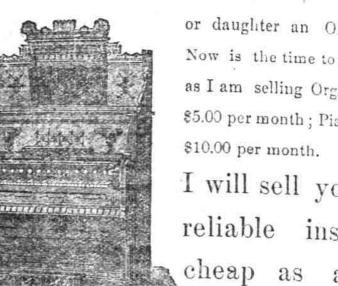
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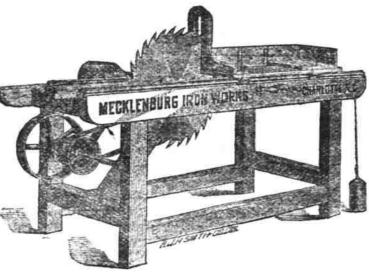
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