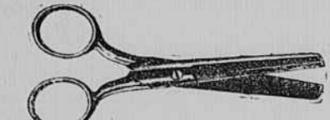


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A HINDOO WOMAN WHO GAVE MILLIONS TO CHARITY. The Justly Renowned Bai Motilbai Wadia the Wealthiest and Most Philanthropic of India's Women—She Wore Priceless Bangles on Her Ankles. There has just been borne to the gressome "tower of silence," in far-off Bombay, India, the body of her who was in her time the most enlightened, the wealthiest and the most philanthropic of Parsee women. This was the justly renowned Bai Motilbai Wadia, widow of a millionaire Parsee merchant of Bombay. Bai Motilbai was 101 years old when she died, and had survived her husband over thirty years. It is calculated that she has in her time given thirty lakhs or 3,000,000 rupees (about \$1,500,000) to public charities, besides \$2,000,000 in private almsgiving. Some years ago she presented to the City of Bombay the first Indian hospital for native women. The hospital site was also her gift and, together with the necessary endowments, this magnificent present cost her over \$2,000,000. But so enormous was the good woman's fortune that her heirs were left several hundred lakhs of rupees.



In spite of her great philanthropy few residents of the island city of Bombay knew Bai Motilbai Wadia by sight. She did not drive abroad in her carriage clad in rich attire, as most of the rich Parsee dames are accustomed to do. On the contrary, she spent most of her time within the splendid solitude of her great mansion in the Parsee bazaar. When Lord Reay, the then governor of Bombay, was about to lay the foundation stone of the hospital, he visited her in her house. With him went Capt. Bayley, C. I. E., who subsequently supplied to the writer the following somewhat interesting description:

"Bai Motilbai Wadia looked older even than her ninety odd years called for. Her thin, olive-hued hands seemed almost transparent, and she was supported from her divan to meet Lord Reay by two serving women. She was outwardly arrayed in a single piece of material, which enwrapped her from head to heel. The stuff appeared costly beyond my computation. It was of very heavy yellow silk, with great fringes, not of gold lace, but of solid jingling gold. The gown was not caught around her waist, but fell in the Greek fashion from her neck. The muslin veil which covers the heads of Parsee ladies when abroad had been laid aside within the confines of home, and we had an uninterrupted view of Bai Motilbai's deeply furrowed, but still handsome and winning face. She spoke in Hindustani to our interpreter, and her voice had a sort of pleading tenderness that won our hearts at once. As the interpreter translated her words she looked straight at Lord Reay, smiling charmingly and punctuating each sentence with a little nod of approval. I cannot quite remember what she said; but the delightful manner in which it was spoken impressed us all very deeply. "Bai Motilbai, during the interview, leaned on two crutches of bamboo, topped with gold, and Lord Reay insisted that she resume her seat on the divan. Her feet were shoeless and around the ankles as well as over her wrists, were heavy bangles of gold set

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with seed pearls and emeralds. A necklace of emeralds hung around her neck. She wore large tortoise shell spectacles, which gave her a decidedly incongruous appearance. As she tottered across the room her gold fringes rattled, and the bangles she wore clattered like the keys of a fall weather. Her maids were all dressed very finely, being probably decked out for the occasion. On our leaving she clasped her hands, and a serving woman entered with a small casket. This was handed to Lord Reay, and on being opened was found to contain a sumptuous pearl necklace, a gift from the Governor's wife. "The aged 'merchant princess,'" as the Daily Editor loved to call Bai Motilbai, is said to have declined the exalted honor of belonging to the Imperial order of the Crown of India, a coveted distinction conferred upon great ladies, native or British, who have conferred benefits upon India. But indeed she possesses far higher claims upon the notice of posterity than this. She must always remain, enshrined in her sex's memory as the greatest practical benefactor of the native women of India. As long as the great Bombay female hospital stands she will need no monument.

GOT RICH SHOEING HORSES.

Scheme Which a Blacksmith Worked on His Former Patron. "I lived at a little cross-roads hamlet, which was not even a post office, on the line between New York State and Pennsylvania," said a story teller. "Of course there was a blacksmith shop there. In those days the blacksmith's trade was a notoriously good one. All the blacksmiths got rich, what with their horse, mule and ox shoeing, and the wagon and other repair work which they did. "This State line shop was a busy place. There was no tavern there, but the blacksmith had a cider press, and he made the cider for all the farmers for miles around. But neither this nor the profits of his shop could account for the rapid way in which he accumulated wealth. As is well known, apple cider, if allowed to stand long enough, will become 'hard,' and after that it will turn into vinegar. This cider dealer always had plenty of hard cider on hand, but never had any vinegar for sale. The farmers and others who stopped at his place could always get a drink of hard cider, which they took out of a tin dipper at 10 cents a drink, and the size of the drink was something which attracted very little attention. Hardly any kind of beverage is more intoxicating than hard cider. "The blacksmith required no license to sell hard cider, and he worked the game to the limit. His place became very popular, and the farmers came from many miles around in both States to get their horses shod at his place. Many of them would come home intoxicated, and their wives began to protest. They always had to have some excuse for having visited the State line shop, and so the blacksmith, after supplying them with a few dipperfuls of hard cider, would take the shoes off their beasts and put on new ones, whether they needed them or not. For this service he would charge a good round price, while in many instances it was noticed he made no charge for the cider. "But as is the way of all flesh, this blacksmith died one day, and then his business secrets came out. He left an estate of over \$80,000, and in the cellar of the cider-press a great number of empty whiskey barrels were found. For years he had been putting whiskey into his cider, and had been setting new shoes on nearly every horse which came along, willy nilly."

Was Not Ashamed. A San Francisco manufacturer has advised his little son, not once, but fifty times, to avoid contentions with other children, but if a quarrel is forced upon him to defend himself at all hazards. The boy is a member of the Plymouth Congregational Sunday school and it is the custom of the pastor of the church to give every child in the Sabbath school a nice little Bible on the Sunday following his seventh birthday. Last Sunday it was Master Kerr's turn to receive a Bible, and when his name was called he marched forward with a black eye he had received in a fight with another urchin the day before. The pastor eyed the boy's face narrowly and the whole congregation tittered. The little fellow flushed with embarrassment, but accepted the Bible as gracefully as possible, listened to the few words of commendation and advice and started for his seat. The tittering was renewed, and when half-way down the aisle, the boy's pent-up feelings could be restrained no longer. He resented the imputation conveyed, first by the pastor's searching gaze and then by the congregation's amusement, and, stopping in the aisle, he turned around and shouted: "Well, I licked him, anyway."

Value of the Egg in Sickness. The value of egg albumen as food in certain diseased conditions is pointed out by Dr. C. E. Boynton. When fever is present and appetite is nil, he says, when we want an aseptic article of diet, the white of an egg, raw, serves both as food and medicine. The way to give it is to drain off the albumen from an opening about half an inch in diameter at the small end of the egg, the yolk remaining inside the shell; add a little salt to this and direct the patient to swallow it. Repeat every hour or two. In typhoid fever this mode of feeding materially helps us in carrying out an antiseptic plan of treatment. Furthermore, the albumen to a certain extent may antidote the toxins of the disease. Patients may at first rebel at the idea of eating a "raw" egg, but the quickness with which it goes down without the yolk proves it to be less disagreeable than they supposed, and they are very ready to take a second dose.—Pacific Medical Journal.

Railway Material for Japan. More railway material for Japan is soon to be purchased. A set of specifications for material sufficient to build about 100 miles of track have recently been received by Joseph U. Crawford, Philadelphia, Pa., consulting engineer for the Japanese Government. These include some 16,000 tons of sixty-pound steel rails, and about 2,000 tons of fish plates, bolts, etc. Thirty locomotives are also included.



A consumptive hopes and hopes, but a time comes when hope ends and the black shadow of despair forecasts the coming of death. Thousands of doctors say that consumption is incurable. Thousands of consumptives believe that there is "nothing much the trouble and that there is no need to bother with medicine." Both are wrong. Consumption is the most deadly of diseases but it is distinctly curable. It has its inception, like all other wasting diseases, in disorders of the digestive organs, and the first step towards its cure must be the relief of these disorders. Ninety-eight per cent. of all cases of consumption are cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Thousands of consumptives have testified to their complete and permanent recovery through its use, and after they were given up by the doctors and all hope was gone. It corrects all disorders of the digestion, makes assimilation perfect, fills the blood with the life-giving elements that build up new, firm and healthy tissues, and acting directly upon the lungs drives out all disease germs. It is a specific for all lingering, bronchial, throat and lung affections. "I have been troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia," writes Geo. H. Slater, Esq., of Yates City, Knox Co., Ills., "for the last two years. I got a bottle of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and took it as you directed. It did me so much good I am going to get another bottle and take it. It is the best medicine in the world for those who have stomach trouble. I have recommended it to several already."

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