

**M**ANY a dutiful daughter pays in pain for her mother's ignorance or perhaps neglect. The mother suffered and she thinks her daughter must suffer also. This is true only to a limited extent. No excessive pain is healthy. Every mother should inform herself for her own sake and especially for the sake of her daughter. Write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for her advice about all matters concerning the ills of the feminine organs.

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"Did I say courtroom? Mere force of habit. I have seven unmarried daughters."

The purple fad promises to be run into the ground.

What one calls kittenish another calls foolish.

**Genius and Poverty.**

Homer was a beggar; Plato turned a mill; Terence was a slave; Boetius died in jail; Paul Borghese had fourteen trades and yet starved with them all; Tasso was often distressed for 5 shillings; Dentivoglio was refused admittance into a hospital he had himself erected; Cervantes died of hunger, and Vagelas left his body to the surgeons to pay his debts as far as the money would go; Bacon lived a life of meanness and distress; Sir Walter Raleigh died on the scaffold; Spenser, the charming, died in want; the death of Collins was through neglect, first causing mental derangement; Milton sold his copyright of "Paradise Lost" for £15 at three payments and finished his life in obscurity; Dryden lived in poverty and distress; Otway died prematurely and through hunger; Lee died in the street; Steele lived a life of perfect warfare with bailiffs; Goldsmith's "Vicar of Wakefield" was sold for a trifle to save him from the grip of the law; Fielding lies in the burying ground of the English factory at Lisbon, without a stone to mark the spot; Savage died in prison at Bristol, where he was confined for a debt of £8; Butler lived a life of penury and died poor; Chatterton, the child of genius and misfortune, destroyed himself.

**Imagining His Feelings**

A capital story concerning a prominent member of a stock exchange is going the rounds. He was a man who enjoyed his wine, and always took great care of it when he happened to pick up a choice vintage. While living in a fashionable quarter of a city he chanced to buy a large cask of very fine old port, which he had placed at the extreme end of his cellar, and to make perfectly sure that it should not be touched he had a wall built across the cellar, and so closed it in.

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The effect upon the worthy stock broker's feelings may be imagined.

What a precious gem contentment is to us mortals.

Rubbers are one's sole's salvation in sleety weather.

The woman who sews without a thimble is not usually the one who does the mending for the family.

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Some men are angry because they do not know what they want.

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