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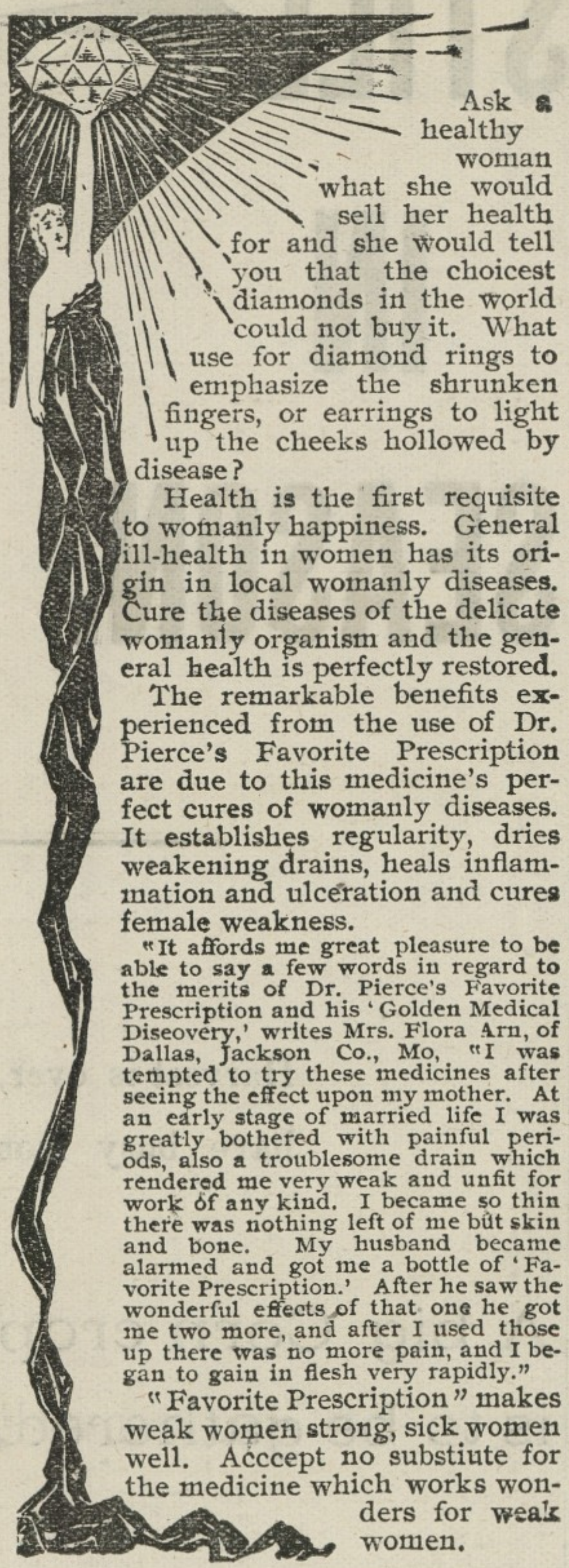
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CURIOUS FACTS.

That the boiler tubes of an ocean
steamer if placed in a straight line would
reach 10 miles, and the condenser tubes
over 25 miles.

That by calculation swallows can fly
92 miles an hour and hawks 150 miles an
hour.

That the entire stock of the world's
money, gold, silver and paper, would
not be sufficient to buy one-third of the
railways.

That never but two of the colors, red
blue and yellow, appear in the same
species of flower—either two, but never
the third; hence red and yellow roses,
but no blue; red and blue verbenas, but
no yellow; yellow and blue pansies, but
no red, etc.

That iron has been melted at Edison's
laboratory in the space of five seconds
by a secret process.

That the smallest tree in the world is
the Greenland birch, whose height is less
than three inches, but it spreads from
two to three feet.

That average height of women is two
inches greater than 25 years ago.

That in Sweden there is no capital
punishment unless the criminal con-
fesses.

That about 5,000 horses and 1,100 bulls
are annually killed in Spain in bull-
fights.

That 32,000,000 tons of water roll over
Niagara in a single hour.

That in West Stockbridge, Mass., is a
tree that starts as a maple and 15 feet
from the ground has two birch limbs,
while still higher up are current and
rasberry bushes bearing fruit every
year.

THE CENTURY.

The August Number of the Century was
Published on July 28th.

Although the August Century is a
Midsummer Holiday Number, with col-
ored cover and with illustrations in
color, the general reader will be likely to
turn first to the articles relating to the
West Indian disasters. These include
contemporary records of the action of
both volcanoes from day to day, almost
from hour to hour. The Martinique
material is grouped under the title "The
Last Days of St. Pierre" and comprises
(1) a long and specific letter from the
Vicar-General of Martinique to the ab-
sent Bishop, written in the form of a
journal and covering the days from May
2d to 21st, the eruption being on the
8th, and (2) a reprint of the evening
newspaper of St. Pierre, "Les Colonies,"
for the week of May 1-7, or so much of
it as relates to "Life in the Doomed City,"
as the article is called. These two doc-
uments were preserved through the fore-
thought of Chaplain McGrail, of the
Diocese, and although a portion of "Les
Colonies" was given by him to news-
paper correspondents, much the larger
part is entirely new to the American
reader. The letter and the newspaper
extracts together make a vivid and
authoritative record of historic inter-
est and value.

WOMAN IN A PULPIT.

Mrs. Mabel Short, wife of the Rev. F.
Burgette Short, Sunday demonstrated
that she is a woman of no ordinary abil-
ity. During the absence of her husband
she officiated in the pulpit of East Lake
M. E. Church, Wilmington. What is
more her coming out sermon, so to speak,
made a decided hit with the congrega-
tion, a number of whom candidly in-
formed her that they preferred her to
her husband. The Rev. Dr. Short was
called by Presiding Elder Watt to officiate
at Newport in the absence of the
Rev. W. O. Hurst, at the service Sunday
morning. Dr. Short at first was in a
quandary, but his wife went to his as-
sistance and volunteered to serve in his
stead at East Lake. At first Dr. Short
was sceptical and did considerable sur-
mising, but Mrs. Short persisted, and as
a consequence delivered an able dis-
course to the congregation at the morn-
ing service. When it became an undis-
puted fact that Mrs. Short was to preach
Dr. Short refrained from making the
matter known to his flock, not wishing
to have anything bordering on the dra-
matic.

DR. SMITH WAS SHOCKED.

A Lightning Bolt Struck the Shelter he
Sought.

Rev. Dr. Alfred Smith, former pastor
of Wesley M. E. Church, and his son,
Paul, had a close call at Oxford, Md.,
last Sunday afternoon. Dr. Smith and
Paul were strolling along the river, and
sought shelter from a sudden storm in a
boat house. A bolt of lightning struck
the building, and they, as well as several
others who were in the place, were
greatly severely shocked. No one how-
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any bothering pain or ache, or worry with
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a leg worth only half price just now. For
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and stiff, with pain maybe in the motion of
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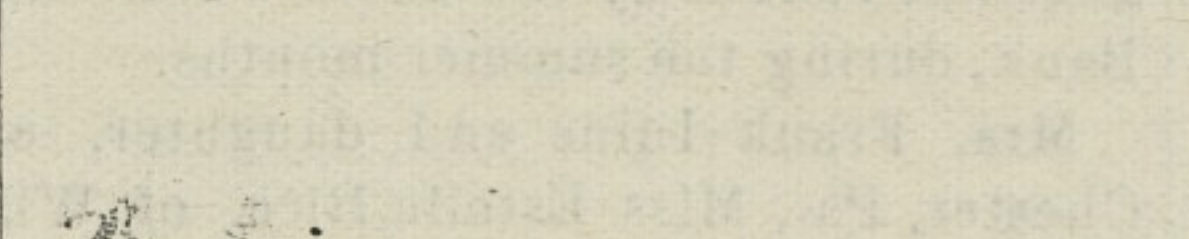
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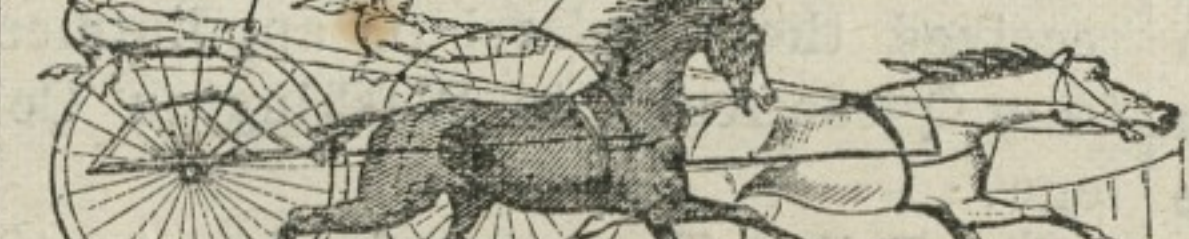
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