

Traits of Women.

The woman who looks as if she would not hurt a fly is the very one who would face mice, cockroaches and sudden death without more than a first involuntary shudder. It is she who will effect a daring rescue or a startling collapse, she who in emergencies does not wait timorously for Johnny to get his gun, but gets it and uses it herself.

Down to the Sea in Ships.

Statisticians find that something like 2,000 vessels of all sorts disappear in the sea every year, never to be heard from again, taking with them 12,000 human beings, and involving a money loss of \$100,000,000. Still we like to think the world advances steadily toward the millennium.

The Conscientious Murderer.

It was fine sense of the conscientious that led the Rhode Island murderer accused of killing a woman with an ax to plead "not guilty with the ax" and afterward to confess that he had done the deed with a club. Though he had committed murder he could not stoop to the telling of a lie.

Good News for All.

Bradford, Tenn., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—Scientific research shows Kidney Trouble to be the father of so many diseases that news of a discovery of a sure cure for it cannot fail to be welcomed all over the country. And according to Mr. J. A. Davis of this place just such a cure is found in Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Davis says:

"Dodd's Kidney Pills are all that is claimed for them. They have done me more good than anything I have ever taken. I had Kidney Trouble very bad, and after taking a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills I am completely cured. I cannot praise them too much."

Kidney Complaint develops into Bright's Disease, Dropsy, Diabetes, Rheumatism, and other painful and fatal diseases. The safeguard is to cure your kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills when they show the first symptom of disease.

Quails Become Scarce.

Quails are becoming so scarce that both France and Germany have absolutely prohibited their killing.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

What do you care if you haven't any money? You are rich in experience.

The Wabash is the Only Line Landing You at the World's Fair.

Round trip rates from Omaha are as follows: \$8.50 sold daily except Friday and Saturday, good 7 days. \$13.80 sold daily, good 15 days. The Wabash is the only line that land's passengers at the main entrance of the World's Fair grounds. Also the only line that can check your baggage to the World's Fair station. Think what a saving of time, annoyance and extra car fare.

All agents can sell you through ticket and route you over the Wabash. Very low rates to many points South, Southeast. For beautiful World's Fair folder and all information call at 1601 Farnam St. or address Harry E. Moores, Gen. Agt. Pass. Dept. Wab. R. R., Omaha, Neb.

Chance is one of the most profane words in our language.

More Flexible and Lasting.

won't shake out or blow out; by using Defiance Starch you obtain better results than possible with any other brand and one-third more for same money.

Kept Out Witches.

In England, up to comparatively recent times, horsehoes were extensively used almost everywhere as anti-witch charms and the custom is not even yet an extinct one. No witch, it used to be said, could enter a building over the door of which a horse-shoe—or, better still, three horse-shoes—had been affixed, prongs downward.

Synonyms for "I."

The Japanese language contains no fewer than eighteen synonyms for the personal pronoun "I," one for each class of people; and etiquette makes it unlawful for a person belonging to one rank in society to make use of the pronoun pertaining to another.

Qualifications of Dublin Voters.

To vote in Dublin one must occupy at least a room at a certain rental, and the law authorities have decided that the room the voter occupies must have a door. Portieres will not suffice.

Money Versus Experience.

Londoners are singularly well cared for in the matter of recreation. They have fifty-three theaters and forty-three music halls.

The Good and the Beautiful.

Though we travel the world over to find the beautiful, we must carry it with us, or we find it not.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Growth of Hair and Nails.

In every seven years the average man grows a beard 25 feet long, hair 50 feet long, and nails 23 feet long.

Bar Unvaccinated Persons.

Thirteen British life insurance offices decline proposals from unvaccinated persons.

M. Paul Deutsh, a Hungarian, in walking round the world, wore out three pairs of soles and heels between Boulougne and Paris.

Of the 467 savings banks in Japan only one is foreign. Of the 1,799 ordinary banks only four are foreign.

Small men do not gain great truths and great men do not retain them.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound—while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in ¾-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

An open denial of God may be better than an empty definition of Him.

Insist on Getting It.

Some grocers say they don't keep Defiance Starch. This is because they have a stock on hand of other brands containing only 12 oz. in a package, which they won't be able to sell first, because Defiance contains 16 oz. for the same money.

Do you want 16 oz. instead of 12 oz. for same money? Then buy Defiance Starch. Requires no cooking.

Red blood is always better than blue vision.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Is Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Median Age of Negroes.

The median age of negroes is 19.4 years—that is, half the negroes in the United States are below that age. The median age is four years below that of the whites (23.4 years), a difference closely connected with the high birth rate and high death rate of the negroes.

Britain's Imports of Eggs.

Of the two billion odd eggs annually consumed in the United Kingdom less than one-third are produced in Great Britain. Nearly every country in Europe exports vast numbers of eggs to the "tight little island." Russia does the biggest business in this line.

Drink Nothing with Meals.

Don't drink with meals. If food is eaten slowly and well masticated, it will soon be possible to eat without drinking, and the meal will digest far better than when swallowed and washed down with liquids.—Exchange.

The Political Shirker.

"I hates," says Uncle Eben, "to see a man thinkin' he's done his whole duty as a taxpayer an' a patriot when he pins a campaign badge on his coat lapel."—Washington Star.

Soldiers Cultivate Gardens.

In the French army soldiers are allowed to have gardens in any spare barrack ground and grow vegetables, which help out their rations.

Wait Till He Calls.

When Messer Trouble comes lurking down the street don't tear out and embrace him. He may have business in another direction.

Sea Water as Antifat.

A new fad for reducing fat is causing a good deal of talk in theatrical circles. It is the deep sea water cure.

It Would Arouse Her Suspicions.

A man should be very careful not to hug his wife as if he thought she was somebody else's.—New York Press.

A ledger makes a hard pillow.



A prominent club woman, Mrs. Danforth, of St. Joseph, Mich., tells how she was cured of falling of the womb and its accompanying pains and misery by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Life looks dark indeed when a woman feels that her strength is fading away and she has no hopes of ever being restored. Such was my feeling a few months ago when I was advised that my poor health was caused by prolapsus or falling of the womb. The words sounded like a knell to me, I felt that my sun had set; but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound came to me as an elixir of life; it restored the lost forces and built me up until my good health returned to me. For four months I took the medicine daily, and each dose added health and strength. I am so thankful for the help I obtained through its use."—MRS. FLORENCE DANFORTH, 1007 Miles Ave., St. Joseph, Mich. —\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

"FREE MEDICAL ADVICE TO WOMEN."

Women would save time and much sickness if they would write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice as soon as any distressing symptoms appear. It is free, and has put thousands of women on the right road to recovery.

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