

How to avoid Operations

These Three Women Tell How They Escaped the Dreadful Ordeal of Surgical Operations.

Hospitals are great and necessary institutions, but they should be the last resort for women who suffer with ills peculiar to their sex. Many letters on file in the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., prove that a great number of women after they have been recommended to submit to an operation have been made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Here are three such letters. All sick women should read them.



Marinette, Wis.—"I went to the doctor and he told me I must have an operation for a female trouble, and I hated to have it done as I had been married only a short time. I would have terrible pains and my hands and feet were cold all the time. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and was cured, and I feel better in every way. I give you permission to publish my name because I am so thankful that I feel well again."
—Mrs. FRED BEHNKE, Marinette, Wis.

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—Mrs. THOS. DWYER, 989 Milwaukee Ave., East, Detroit, Mich.

Bellevue, Pa.—"I suffered more than tongue can tell with terrible bearing down pains and inflammation. I tried several doctors and they all told me the same story; that I never could get well without an operation and I just dreaded the thought of that. I also tried a good many other medicines that were recommended to me and none of them helped me until a friend advised me to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. The first bottle helped, I kept taking it and now I don't know what it is to be sick any more and I am picking up in weight. I am 20 years old and weigh 145 pounds. It will be the greatest pleasure to me if I can have the opportunity to recommend it to any other suffering woman."
—Miss IRENE FROELICHER, 1923 Manhattan St., North Side, Bellevue, Pa.

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Her Bad Break.

Maggie was a maid in the employ of a Gotham family. One afternoon two women visitors rang the bell, and telling them to be seated, Maggie went into another part of the house to see if her mistress were in.

"I am very sorry," said the maid, returning a minute later, "but Mrs. Brown went out and won't be back till dinner time."

"That is too bad," exclaimed one of the women, as the callers started for the door. "And to think, too, that I have forgotten my cards. I will have to—"

"Never mind the cards, ma'am," interjected Maggie, with a kindly disposed smile. "I told the mistress your names when I went upstairs."

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Rather Discouraging.
"Well, Twobble, how are you getting along in politics?"
"Can't say that I'm making much progress."
"No?"
"I've climbed into half a dozen political handwagons and every one of them broke down before I'd traveled far enough to reach an office."

A married woman of St. Helens, England, was recently fined \$100 for betting.

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COSTLY CLOSING OF CANALS

How Freight Rates Have Been Increased by Interruption of World Traffic.

Trade is suffering severely from the closing of the canal, and the shippers who made use of it during the months it was in operation now realize vividly what the interoceanic waterway means to them. One western firm is sending two freight boats from the Pacific to the Atlantic, where charters are highly profitable, and finds that it will cost \$15,000 more for the trip around the Horn than it would through the canal. Freight rates from the eastern to the western seaboard have about trebled. The effect of the stoppage of the canal is reflected in the greatly increased earnings of the transcontinental railroads.

Just now there is a great deal of apprehension in shipping circles lest the Suez canal be temporarily destroyed by an act of war, says Leslie's. This would mean that the shipping from the Atlantic ports of the United States and Europe to the East Indies would have to double the Cape of Good Hope. With shipping as scarce as it is now this would be a heavy blow to a commercial world already badly upset.

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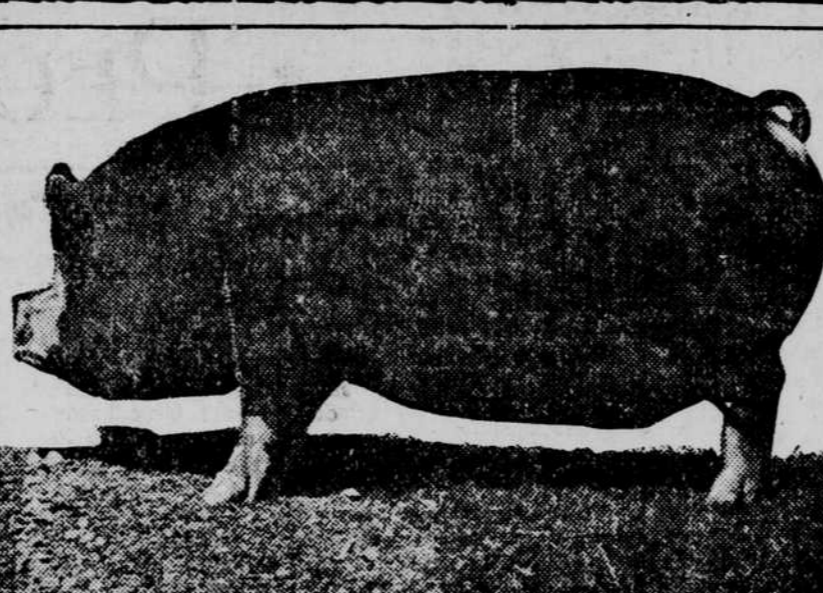
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A woman doesn't want the last word; she would rather keep right on talking.

MAKE MORE MONEY FROM THE FARM HOG



Champion Brood Sow.

Hogs are comparatively scarce despite what the department of agriculture has to say of their increase in 1914, as compared with 1913. They may have increased, but the population is increasing faster. They are not as high in price as we think they should be, and we think our reasons are good. We still believe that the middleman is exploiting both the producer and the consumer, says an Iowa writer in Farm Progress.

After all, however, the hog is the big money-maker in a vast number of communities. We are taking a lower price than we should, but we ought to figure out some ways and means to increase our profits by bettering our breeding, our care and our feeding of the hogs. If we can pull down the cost of producing a hundred pounds of pork, we will be increasing our profits by just that much. I am absolutely certain that nothing short of a genuine catastrophe is going to be able to keep the price of pork down where it is for another year.

Have you considered how rapidly the world's whole supply of reserve foodstuffs is now being eaten, destroyed and wasted? Possibly the war lords did have a great many million prepared rations put away when the war began. A million men will eat 3,000,000 rations daily, to say nothing of the waste. How can the prices of all foodstuffs, meats in particular, and pork along with them, be kept down much longer? It is simply an impossibility.

The man who makes good breeding the very foundation of his hog growing will make more money than the man who does not. We are all trying to grow quickly, developing animals that will give up quicker returns and therefore better profits. Just what characteristics do we want in a hog?

that is to do these things? We might enumerate them here:

First, easy keeping, something that means much to the breeder, the grower and the feeder.

Second, quick and early development. We have no time any more for a hog to put in a couple of years growing a bony framework on which to put the fat layers.

Third, prolific breeding qualities. The sow that will drop a litter of ten pigs every time is worth three times as much as the sow that will farrow five pigs about every other time. Of course not every sow is a ten-pig animal.

Fourth and fifth, we want animals that are of a quiet disposition and vigorously healthy. We don't want a breed of hogs that will put on a pound of flesh in the morning and run it off in the afternoon. We want animals that will resist ordinary hog ailments, and we would be greatly pleased if someone would develop a breed of cholera-immune swine.

Of course, there is no perfect breed of swine, but there are numbers that are very popular with practical hog growers. Pick out any one of the better breeds, stick to that one breed and try to pay more attention to the selection of individual sows and boars. Watch the sow whose litters develop rapidly. Get rid of the sow whose litters grow slowly and whose pigs are chicken killers, fence breakers and persistent rooters. Pay particular attention to the sow whose litters are a little larger than the average.

If you have any scrub hogs get rid of them. The razorback is all right in his native canebrakes, but he has no place on a farm. All these things will help in reducing the cost of growing hogs and will mean more money for the grower.

STALLION SHOULD BE BROKEN TO HARNESS

Animal Should Be Worked Provided Driver Gives Him the Necessary Attention.

Many farmers have written to the Kansas State Agricultural college to know if it is advisable to work stallions.

"Yes, all stallions should be worked; that is, provided the man who works them understands them and knows how to give them the proper care," is the answer given by Dr. C. W. McCampbell, secretary of the live stock registry board and assistant professor of animal husbandry in the college.

"A stallion should be broken to harness in the water before he is two years old," says Doctor McCampbell. "As few are broken at this age the man who usually buys stallions faces the problem of breaking them after the horses have reached maturity. Several precautions must be observed when breaking a stallion. First, the man must be a thorough horseman, and second, he must remember that while the horse is big he is usually soft and cannot stand a great amount of hard work until he becomes accustomed to it.

"In breaking a stallion it should be borne in mind that he should have only a few hours' light work every day for several months, but after he has become accustomed to work, he can, with proper care, do a full day's work out of breeding season, and at least half a day's work during the breeding season."

COMFORTABLE SOWS ALWAYS PROFITABLE

Good Shelter, Preferably in Cot, Liberally Supplied With Straw, Is Favored.

The brood sow should have a comfortable shelter in winter. Good shelter, preferably in a cot well supplied with straw, will contribute to her well being, and in that lies strength for her offspring.

The shelter should be placed a considerable distance from her feeding place, in order that she may be compelled to take exercise. Her feed should consist of bulky foods, such as milk, roots and clover hay, and enough grain to keep her in good condition without causing her to put on fat.

Colt Feeding.
Proper feeding of colts should always be accomplished by plenty of outdoor exercise for the young animal. In no way can a colt be ruined so easily and surely as by liberal feeding with lack of exercise. Close confinement and the raising of good colts do not go together.

Immune Grapes.
The scuppernon and other varieties of muscadine grapes are sufficiently immune to destructive disease and insect attacks and do not need spraying.

PAY ATTENTION TO THE HORSE'S TEETH

Poor Economy to Feed Animal All He Can Eat if He Cannot Masticate His Food.

(By H. S. EAKINS, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins, Colo.)

There are many different kinds of colic in the horse and impaction colic is one of the most fatal. Impaction colic is caused by improperly masticated food resulting from bad teeth. A horse is said to be as old as his teeth.

The period of usefulness of a horse—and in many cases of his life—may be prolonged several years by proper attention to his teeth. The food that a horse eats is not cooked for him and his grinders must be in almost perfect condition, otherwise he becomes a hard keeper. The teeth should be given attention as often as once a year. It is poor economy to feed a horse all he will eat and still have him in poor condition and capable of giving only a mediocre service in return.

Be merciful to your horse by not neglecting his teeth. He is doing the best he can for you.

SKIM MILK FAVORED FOR THE DAIRY CALF

Skill and Patience Required in Raising Heifers to Perpetuate the Dairy Herd.

In order to perpetuate the dairy herd it is necessary to raise the heifer calves. This appears at first to be a very simple matter, but herdsmen have found that it demands both skill and patience.

Vigor and thrift are needed in the young animal, because upon it is to be placed the responsibility of producing a large and economical flow of milk, and of contributing to the reproduction of the herd.

It is entirely out of the question to raise the dairy calf on whole milk alone, because of the cost. There are other good ways in which the same result can be gained. Various substitutes for milk have met with more or less success, but it is difficult to dispense with nature's own food.

Skim milk for calves has many advantages. True, there are some disadvantages, but these can be eliminated by careful feeding. A herdsmen must know his calves.

Bright Sheep Outlook.
The revival of the sheep industry in the far West conveys a hint to the owners of hillside farms in the East, and, for that matter, to all farmers. At the present prices of lambs, ewes and wool, the outlook for the sheep industry is bright.

Apply Manure at Once.
Arrange to get the manure out on the land as fast as it is made. If for any reason this is inconvenient, construct a manure shed and store it under shelter.

WESTERN CANADA'S GREAT HARVEST

Decidedly Encouraging From Every Standpoint.

Speaking of conditions generally in Canada, the most encouraging feature of the year, from a trade and financial standpoint, has been the bountiful harvest of the Northwest, where a greatly increased area under cultivation has given the highest average yield in the history of the country. It is estimated that the grain crop of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta has a market value to the producers of approximately four hundred million dollars, in the use of which we may anticipate not only the liquidation of much indebtedness, but the stimulation of current trade.

The annual reports of the various banks throughout Canada are now being published. They savor of optimism all the way through, and, contrary to what might be generally expected in war times, business is good everywhere.

The General Manager of the Bank of Montreal at the recent annual meeting said: "The position of Canada is a highly favored one, with an assured future of growth, development and general prosperity."

In the same report it is said that the Canadian West "has recovered to a marked extent from the economic dislocation of a year ago."

The season's wheat and other cereal crops have exceeded all previous records in quantity and quality, and, despite the enormous yield, prices have been uncommonly well maintained.

It would be difficult to exaggerate the importance of these results to the Prairie Provinces—and the Dominion at large.

The prosperity of those engaged in mixed farming and ranching is most encouraging.

The flour mills in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are busy and are doing well. Their combined daily capacity is about 27,000 barrels.

The large advances of the Dominion Government to farmers in certain districts, principally in the form of seed, were made very opportune and have been amply justified by the very large crop yield in those districts.

Business in many important lines is good and should continue to improve as returns from grain yet to be marketed are received.

The general business outlook has been transformed by the large crop. The returns of the gross earnings of Canadian railroads for November show those of the Canadian Pacific increased \$1,796,000 or 78 per cent for the last nine days of the month. Compared with same month year ago, increase no less than \$5,291,000 or 67.6 per cent against a 45 per cent gain in October, and a decrease of 4 1/2 per cent in September.

H. V. Meredith, of the Bank of Montreal, in a recent address delivered at Montreal, declared that the most encouraging feature from a trade and finance standpoint had been the bountiful harvest of the Northwest, where the greatly increased area under cultivation had given the highest average yield in the history of the country. He estimated the grain crop of the three provinces at a value of over \$400,000,000, and said that such remarkable results would have the effect of attracting the tide of immigration to our shores, when the world is again at peace. The restoration of a favorable balance in our foreign trade is a factor of supreme importance at the present time.

It is the general opinion in the East that the 1915 grain crop in the Prairie Provinces not only put the whole Dominion in a sounder trade and financial standing, but that it will also result in a big increase in immigration to the West of agricultural settlers, who will include capitalized farmers from Europe and the United States as well as homesteaders.—Advertisement.

Losses Curtailed.
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