

When You Speak of Preparedness

REMEMBER,

HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters

stands out very effectively as a bulwark against liver or digestive troubles, general weakness and malaria

Don't Experiment, Get Hostetter's

An Eye to Business. "This play is the worst ever. I am going to demand my money back."

What the Doctor Knows

KIDNEYS MUST BE RIGHT TO INSURE HEALTH.

Few people realize to what extent their health depends upon the condition of the kidneys. The physician in nearly all cases of serious illness, makes a chemical analysis of the patient's urine. He knows that unless the kidneys are doing their work properly, the other organs cannot readily be brought back to health and strength.

Didn't Want Much.

One Saturday night a lady who possessed a fruit and vegetable shop hurried to serve her last customer, a very red-faced woman.

Returned It, All Right.

Over her garden fence the conversation had suddenly turned acrimonious. "An' if your boy, 'Erbert, ties any more cans to our pore dog's tail,"

John Rebow of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., has adopted 20 orphans.

Another Article Against Coffee

In spite of broad publicity, many people do not realize the harm the 2 1/2 grains of caffeine in the average cup of coffee does to many users, until they try a 10 days' change to

POSTUM

Postum satisfies the desire for a hot table drink, and its users generally sleep better, feel better, smile oftener and enjoy life more.

A fair trial—off coffee and on Postum—shows

"There's a Reason"

Paying the Price

We are always paying the price for the things we lose or gain. Out of this life of the mingled gladness and of pain.

We pay it for love and peace, for cheer and comfort and song; We pay for sinning and going astray, we pay it for doing wrong;

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Passing of French Dowry

Boon to the Country, But Blow to Fiction Writers

The French custom of providing marriageable daughters with a dowry has been a social Gibraltar in that land. Without it the plots of novels and plays would have been crippled.

Young people who hesitate to marry because of lack of property once they lose everything proceed instantly to marry. The one bright spot in the South at the close of the Civil war

The new custom in France is a vast improvement on the old. It is gratifying for the young folk, but it is hard on the fiction writers.—Boston Globe.

Deplores "American Voice," Doctor Suggests a Remedy

Dr. Charles Prevost Grayson of Philadelphia reproved American doctors at the annual meeting of the Laryngological, Rhinological and Otolological association because they had done nothing whatever to correct the "American voice," in which, he averred, "no amount or depth of patriotism can so

Not a Dry Speech.

Mrs. Flatbush—You say the dinner was given in the open air? Mr. Flatbush—Yes, it was.

A Trite Observation.

"You hear so many people say: 'This war is a horrible thing,' that the expression becomes monotonous. 'So it does. I saw a deaf-and-dumb man meet another deaf-and-dumb man on the street the other day and I wondered if that was what he was saying on his fingers.'"

Wise and Otherwise.

If a man is a liar why does he get mad if he's called one? Perhaps no man appreciates a legacy more than a man without legs.

If the shoe fits it's a sure sign a woman will ask for a smaller size.

And one good turn is usually followed by two bad ones—in a variety show.

Even when a man knows a woman's age she never thinks he thinks she looks it.

Some men never give a thought to the hereafter except when they have occasion to pass a graveyard on a dark night.

The man who tries to buy his way into heaven will discover later that he gave up money to an unauthorized representative.

The truth about some men is never known until after they acquire monuments—and then it may not be found thereon.

When a man gets short of money lots of his so-called friends get short of sympathy.

Some men are born great, some achieve greatness, but the majority do not seem to worry themselves very much about it.

Next! Golden Stockings!

This is to be one of the strongest seasons for hosiery to match the gowns that we have had for some time," says a woman hosiery buyer for a large house.

HOW MUCH IS HUBBY WORTH TO YOU?

By LAURA JEAN LIBBEY.

There's na' luck about th' hoose. There is na' luck a'aw. There is na' luck about the hoose. When our guide man's away.

A paragraph has been going the rounds of the papers from one end of the country to the other concerning the disappearance of a husband. The deserted wife in an advertisement offered four dollars for information which would lead to his whereabouts.

The husband who is companionable, but is unfortunate in securing work and holding a job down, many a wife finds worthy of supporting, hoping on, Micawberlike, for better days to come.

The husband who openly rebels at doing anything to provide for his wife, gives her no pleasure, is not solicitous as to whether she is well or ill, in fact who has not her interest or love for her at heart, is not worth a sou market or one thought.

A husband should not be measured by his wealth. Many who are fitted to accomplish great things are laid down by the iron hand of circumstance. They are worth encouraging, helping and loving. They are pure gold among the world of human dross.

Every man has failures, as well as successes. A wife should not be daunted because of them. A husband's worth is far above price to the wife who loves him for himself alone.

anesthetize our ears that they will find anything musical." Doctor Grayson did not suggest surgical treatment, but merely that the education of children in proper articulation be compulsory. He blamed the difference and lack of proper training for the habit of slurring and clipping and muddling our syllables, and urged that no teachers be appointed who have not clear voices and do not enunciate distinctly.

The Sleep of Fishes.

It has often been asserted that fish never sleep, a sufficiently amazing story that anything can do violence to the laws of nature.

War makes New Economies. War is producing some queer economies. The Italians, who are fighting above the snowline find wood scarce and fires a rarity.

Hand-Painted Bodice Latest. Hand-painted undergarments are making a bid for favor in the lineup of fall apparel!

England's First Scientist. The first great English scientist was Roger Bacon, who died 621 years ago. The exact date of his birth is unknown, but it is believed that this year marks the 700th anniversary.

Animal Isles. There is the Isle of Dogs and Whale Island, Pewit Island, in Essex, and Crane and Gulf Islands, off the coast of Cornwall. Near Lundy Island are Rat Island and the Hen and Chickens.

Purpose of the Menhaden. The most numerous fish of economic importance on the east coast of the United States is the menhaden, which is known also by a large number of other names, some of them inappropriate and misleading.

Gilded Hopes. "I understand Paris is going in for municipal reform." "Good! If Paris can set a good example as successfully as it sets most of the fashions, the result will be wonderful."

Nearly Always, Willie. "Pa, I know which is the most warlike nation." "Well, my son, which is it?" "Vae-d-nation, pa. Cause it's always in arms, isn't it?"

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 *Wm. L. Douglas*. In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

The Usual Way. Browning—I understand you were at the races yesterday? Greening—Yes, but I happen to pick one before he was ripe.

CLEAR RED PIMPLY FACES

Red Hands, Red Scalp With Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free. The soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal.

Real Fighting Began Later. "You were married before the war started, weren't you?" "Well, yes; though we did have one brief engagement previous to the ceremony."

A GRATEFUL ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mr. F. C. Case of Welcome Lake, Pa., writes: "I suffered with Backache and Kidney Trouble. My head ached, my sleep was broken and unrefreshing. I felt heavy and sleepy after meals, was always nervous and tired, had a bitter taste in my mouth, was dizzy, had floating specks before my eyes, was always thirsty, had a dragging sensation across my loins, difficulty in collecting my thoughts and was troubled with shortness of breath."

Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodds Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved. 50c. per box.—Adv.

Chile has heavily increased tariff duties.

Ordinary Nuxated Iron will often increase the strength and endurance of delicate, nervous folks 200 per cent in two weeks' time.

SPECIAL NOTE.—Dr. E. Sauer, a well-known physician who has studied widely in both this country and Europe, has been specially employed to make a thorough investigation into the real secret of the great strength, power and endurance of Jess Willard, and the marvelous value of nuxated iron as a strength builder.

NEW YORK.—Upon being interviewed at his apartment in the Colonial Hotel, Mr. Willard said: "Yes, I have a chemist with me to study the value of different foods and products as to their power to produce great strength and endurance, both of which are so necessary in the prize ring."

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And prevents others having the disease no matter how exposed. 50 cents and \$1 a bottle, \$5 and \$10 dozen bottles. All good druggists and turf goods houses.

Constant Reader. "Biggins is a pessimist, isn't he?" "Yes. He's so fond of bad news that he goes down cellar every morning to read the gas and electric meters."

Where Are the Boys? The Minden Magazine, the organ of the Lancashire Fusiliers, observes in a recent issue: "We are not, of course, allowed to say where we are, but we may venture to say that we are not where we were, but where we were before we left here to go to where we have just come from."

Now, Nuxated Iron helped me to whip Frank Moran

JESS WILLARD TELLS SECRET OF HIS EASY VICTORY. ALSO REVEALS HITHERTO UNTOLD SECRET OF HIS GREAT TRIUMPH OVER JACK JOHNSON; SAYS IRON IS GREATEST OF ALL STRENGTH BUILDERS



Among all the prominent figures of the prize ring, probably none is so devoted to family life as Jess Willard. After each engagement the champion hurries to his wife and children and remains at their side until public demand forces him to leave for new encounters.

"I consider that plenty of iron in my blood is the secret of my great strength, power and endurance."

The secret of great strength and endurance and filled his blood with iron before he went into the fray, while many another has gone to inglorious defeat simply for the lack of iron.

NOTE.—Nuxated Iron, recommended above by Dr. Sauer, is not a patent medicine nor secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists and whose iron constituents are widely prescribed by eminent physicians everywhere.

Many an athlete or prize fighter has won the day simply because he knew