

RHEUMATISM



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NURSE TELLS OF SKIN CURES

"I have seen the Cuticura Remedies used with best results during the past twenty years. In my work as a nurse, many skin diseases came under my observation, and in every instance, I always recommended the Cuticura Remedies as they always gave entire satisfaction. One case in particular was that of a lady friend of mine who, when a child, was afflicted with eczema which covered her face and hands entirely, breaking out at intervals with severe torture. She could not go to school as the disfigurement looked terrible. I told her to get at once a set of Cuticura Remedies. After the use of only one set she was perfectly well.

"A grown lady friend was afflicted with skin rheum in one of her thumbs and she was cured by the Cuticura Remedies. Still another lady had dry skin rheum in both palms of her hands every fall of the year. They used to be so painful she could scarcely wet her hands until she began to use the Cuticura Remedies which cured her. I have also seen them cure children of ringworm. The children's faces would be all circles and rings around the cheeks, and the neck, and after treatment with the Cuticura Soap and Ointment they were completely cured. My husband had rheumatism on his arm and I used the Cuticura Ointment. It made his arm as limber and nice, whereas it was quite stiff before I began to apply the Ointment.

"Last May I had an ingrowing toe nail which was very painful, as the side of the nail was edging right down in the side of my toe. I cut the nail out of the cavity it made, and of course applied the Cuticura Ointment to the part affected. It soothed it and in less than ten nights it was all healed through constant use of the Ointment. Two days ago I had my left hand and wrist burned with boiling lead, and Cuticura Ointment has completely cured them. I have just recommended the Cuticura Remedies to another friend, and she is pleased with the results and is recovering nicely. I will gladly furnish the names of the people referred to above if anybody doubts what I say." (Signed) Mrs. Margaret Henderson, 77 Highland Ave., Malden, Mass., Oct. 1, 1910.

"I speak of Miteah Baxter Pinkley as in trouble," said Miss Miami Brown. "Last evening I saw her teardrops stream down her face."

"Don't worry teardrops," replied Miss Charlotte Jackson. "He does not know a little splintered up little Christmas gift mountain pen."

The greatest cause of worry on freezing days can be removed by using Defiance Starch, which will not stick to the iron. Sold everywhere, 16 oz. for 10c.

Communion by the Wayside.

Adrian Zedler—Never get through a winter without working."

Job Sturges—Yeh, I spent one winter in a workhouse.

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True charity will seek to purify the well and not rest content with painting the pump.

There are imitations, don't be fooled. Ask for Lewis' Single Binder cap, 3c.

If some men were compelled to pay as they go they would stay.

Constipation

"For over nine years I suffered with chronic constipation and during this time I had to take an injection of warm water once every six hours before I could have an action on my bowels. Happily I tried Casares and today I am a well man. During the nine years before I used Casares I suffered almost miserably with internal piles. Thanks to you, I am free from all that this morning. You can see this in behalf of suffering humanity." R. F. Fisher, Bismarck, N. D.

Pleasant, Nutritious, Patent, Taste Good. Do Good. Never Sickens. Weakens or Grips. 25c. 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C. C. C. Guaranteed to cure or your money back.

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The Man Who Got Even

By CARL JENKINS

John Singleton had owned and run a factory for 40 years. Those who dealt with him in a business way called him an eccentric. His employees denounced him as a skinflint and a robber. No one could say that he had ever given a cent to charity. When sickness came to one of his men, he was bounced right out without a word of sympathy. Appeals didn't go with him. He had started in life with the feeling that the whole world was down on him, and in being what he was he felt that he was fighting the world and holding his own.

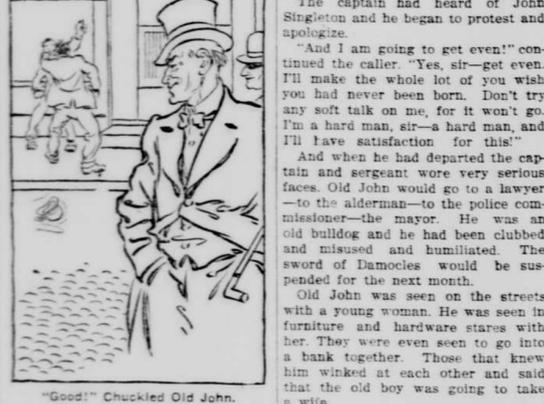
At the age of seventy Mr. Singleton sold out his business to retire. When he left the factory for the last time the workmen appeared at the doors and windows and sent a chorus of groans after him, and the street beggars took it up and passed it along.

He reached home—a home presided over by an aged sister—to find that a woman who had walked the streets for two days without food had sat down on his steps to weep and rest. He called the police and had her removed. A one-eyed man loitering on the opposite side of the street when the occurrence took place, estimated that Old John, as he was best known, had been the means of sending at least twenty mendicants a year to the island.

It was natural to believe that after the old man had retired from business on a competence and had nothing to do but saunter around, there might have come a change in him for the better. Nothing of the kind happened. He was still scrapping with the world, and he was still aggressive instead of sympathetic.

One day he halted on a corner, ready to pick a fuss with anyone who brushed against him. A young man in the dress of a workman leaned against the lamp post in dejected attitude. Two men came out of a saloon and began to fight.

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The police came running. One of them seized the young man of the dejected attitude and mopped the sidewalk with him and then started for the station with him.

"Good!" chuckled Old John again. He liked to see folks get into trouble. An officer reached out for the fighters, but they dodged him and ran away. Then he turned on Old John and struck him on the head with his stick—seized him by the coat collar and shook him—lifted him up and cracked his heels, and then bore him off in triumph. When he had landed his prisoner in the station he preferred a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

"But I'm not drunk," protested the prisoner.

"Shut up!"

"And the young man you brought in was not doing anything?"

"What's that? What's that?" exclaimed the captain of the precinct as he came from his room.

"I'll pay you out for this!"

"Threatening an officer, eh? Rush him!"

"I'll get even with you if it takes a hundred years!"

Old John and the young man were locked up together until it should be time to take them to the night court. For ten minutes the old man fairly raved. Then he calmed down and said to the other:

"You didn't say a word. What's the matter?"

"No use. A cop's word goes, and I have neither pull nor money. It's the island for 30 days for me. Maybe you can pay your fine."

Friendly Advice

Clement J. Driscoll, New York's young and efficient commissioner of police, spoke frankly, in a recent address, of the American woman's poor shopping abilities.

"The American woman," said Mr. Driscoll, "could make no better resolution for the New Year than to handle her housekeeping money more conscientiously. American husbands have a fine reputation for being generous, but I am afraid in many cases their generosity is much abused."

"I am also afraid," continued Mr. Driscoll, "that, notwithstanding their generosity, American husbands are subjected to a good deal of bickering at home about money."

The following conversation between a Brooklyn father and his little daughter bears out this fear:

"Papa, said the child, 'what is the difference between parsimony and economy?'"

"I will explain the difference by an example," the father replied. "If I cut down my own expenses, that is

New "Flexible Hats"



SOME inventive designer of millinery, taking note of the strong points of the oriental turban, and seeking for something new, brought forth the new flexible hat of velvet. The queer but charming "ding-a-ling" hat burst upon New York and promptly captivated it. Naturally it has been followed by any number of soft hats and caps of velvet and other materials suitable for winter.

The "ding-a-ling" hat is a pointed cone of velvet with a rolled up rim next the face. It is guilteless of wire except for a single small shirring wire inserted about the brim edge. It is lined with silk or satin and interlined with rice-net. The crown is made of four conical pieces sewed together except in cases where a manufactured cone of felt or beaver or velvet is steamed into the proper shape over a block. The original hat was trimmed with a single quill, placed flat against the crown at the back. The whole affair is chic if extreme, but becoming to only certain types. It is full of snap and crisp style, but impossible for many wearers.

For those who cannot wear this jaunty (not to mention somewhat rakish) little bit of new millinery any number of new designs have been and are being invented. One of them

DRESSING GOWN.



with the same or some contrasting color; it is trimmed with a simple braiding pattern that is continued down front.

The fulness of the sleeves is drawn in at the back by a short-braided strap pointed at each end; the waist-band which draws in the fulness is also braided; the pointed ends are hooked over.

Material required: 7 yards 40 inches wide.

NOW COMES THE NEW TURBAN

Expensive Models Shown in Which Wings Are the Most General Trimming.

Of course, the little "top" hat, as a few milliners call the closely fitted turban of fur and velvet, has had its day and few nights, too, and it is not surprising that the price having reached the attainable, makers are exploiting new and more expensive models.

Wings are the most general trimming. Such lovely wings, that one's appreciation of the beauty submerges the humane instincts—iridescent wings, snowy feathers and all the made varieties that are more attractive than ever.

Some of the turbans are combinations of fur and wings, each being applied in square or pointed tabs that are turned back over a malle or satin foundation.

Breasts are run through slots in fur crowns and on brims; feathers are used to edge fur wings, and fur edges feather forms.

As to the place at which wings rise to the millinery occasion it would be difficult to say. They are everywhere, of all sizes and shapes, and give a fairly durable ornamentation for hats. They are decidedly less expensive than plumes and are invariably becoming. So what more can you require?

TEN MILLION PEOPLE IN THE CANADIAN WEST BY 1920

"Toronto Star," Dec. 16th, 1910.

The prediction is made that before 1920 Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia will have ten million people. It is made not by a sanguine Western journal but by that very sober business newspaper, the New York Commercial. It is based upon actual observation, upon the wheat-growing capacity of the Canadian West, and upon the prospects of development following the building of railways. The writer shows how the position of leading wheat market of the world passed from Milwaukee to Minneapolis and thence to Winnipeg. Canada's wheat-growing belt is four times greater than that of the United States, and only five per cent of Canada's western agricultural area is under cultivation. There are 170,000,000 acres of wheat lands which will make these Western Provinces richer, more populous, more dependable for food supplies than the Western States can ever become. The center of food supremacy will change to Canada, and 25 years more will give this country 40,000,000 population west of Ontario.

All these estimates of population are in the nature of guesses, and must not be read too literally. But the enormous area of wheat-growing land, the rapid construction of railways, and the large volume of immigration are facts which must be recognized. They point to the production of an ever-increasing surplus of wheat and other cereals. However rapidly the urban, the industrial and commercial population of Canada may increase, the increase of home consumption is hardly likely to keep pace with that of the production of wheat; for a single acre of wheat will provide for the average annual consumption of four people.

While production in Canada is thus running ahead of consumption at a prodigious rate, consumption in the United States is overtaking production, and the surplus for export is growing smaller year by year. It is true that the limit of actual power to produce wheat is as yet far away. By methods of intensive cultivation, such as prevail in France, the production could be greatly increased. But with the overflowing granary of Canada so close at hand, it seems likely that our neighbors will begin to import from us, turning their own energies more largely to other forms of agriculture.

It must be remembered that while the Northern States resemble Canada in climate and products, the resemblance diminishes as you go southward. The wheat belt gives place to a corn belt, and this again to semi-tropical regions producing cotton, tobacco, cane-sugar, oranges and other tropical fruits.

The man who secures a farm in Western Canada at the present time secures an investment better than the best of bond or any government or bank. It is no unusual thing for a farmer in Western Canada to realize a profit of from \$5 to \$10 per acre. There are thousands of free homesteads of 160 acres each still to be had, and particulars can be obtained by writing your nearest Canadian government agent.

Tell Wellman.

"So you have a new idea for a dirigible balloon?"

"Yes. Make the equilibrator larger, put a motor into it, and let it pull the balloon."

Woman's Danger Periods Made Safe

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

The Change of Life is the most critical period of a woman's existence, and neglect of health at this time invites disease.

Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to medicine that will so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs. Here is proof:

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WEAK BACKS MADE STRONG.

Backache in most cases is kidney-ache, and usually accompanied by irregularities of the urine. To remove the pain and weakness, you must cure the kidneys. Do so with Doan's Kidney Pills. J. E. Dunlap, Kennet, Mo., says: "My condition was terrible. I was in bed for six weeks and could not move owing to intense pain in my back. My feet and limbs were swollen and urine scant and distressing. After taking doctor's treatments without relief, I began with Doan's Kidney Pills. They straightened me up in a hurry."

Remember the name—Doan's.

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A Friendly Tip.

"Now that provisions are lower, Mrs. Hasher," said the fussy boarder, "don't you think you ought to reduce your rates?"

"No, indeed," replied the landlady. "I find it hard to pay my debts as it is."

"But," suggested the fussy boarder, "if you paid in advance as you make others do, you would have no debts."

Constipation causes and seriously aggravates many diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Dr. Pierce's Peppermint. Tiny sugar-coated granules.

Modern life pushes a man into the mud and then chides him for materialism.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

Permanently will refund money if PAIN EXIST. MUST fail to cure any case of itching, burning, bleeding of Prolapsed Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Love may make the world go round, but it doesn't always seem to be able to make both ends meet.

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You Want a Proven Remedy

to correct a bad stomach—to restore the appetite—to relieve constipation and keep you strong and healthy. Then, by all means, get a bottle of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It has a proven record, extending over a period of 57 years, in cases of Poor Appetite, Headache, Belching, Indigestion, Costiveness, Colds, Grippe and Malaria and you will find it just the medicine you need. Its results are quick and certain. Try it today.

SWAMP. Is not recommended for everything, but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. At drug-cists in fifty-cent and dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it.

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