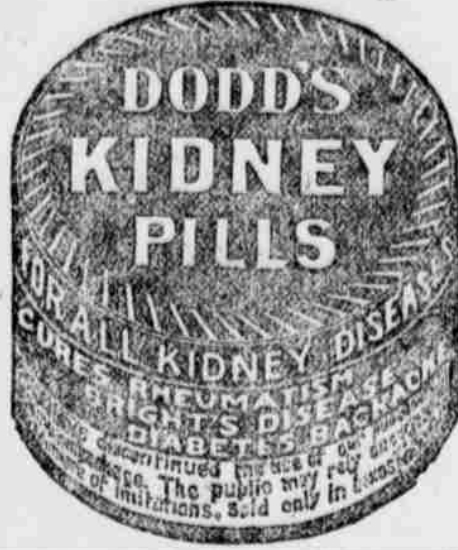


Threshing is still done by hand in India, or by bullocks treading on the grain, and the winnowing is also done by hand.

If the baby vomits don't put anything except water into his stomach for four hours.

The house owner who appreciates the beneficence of sunshine has a sun room or solarium attached to his home.



Sixty thousand elephants are annually slaughtered in Africa, to secure ivory.

Worth Knowing

—that Allcock's are the original and only genuine porous plasters; all other so-called porous plasters are imitations.

Moscow was burned on Friday.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Washington was born on Friday.

To Color Woolen Goods Black.

An old and reliable way to color black is to thoroughly dissolve 4 ozs. of extract of logwood in three gallons of warm water; add 2 ozs. blue vitriol and 1 oz. copperas. Wet the goods well, then put into the dye and let simmer, stirring often, until dark enough. Wash two or three times in a strong suds of Ivory Soap. Rinse and press while damp.

ELEANOR R. PARKER.

Illuminating gas in Sheffield England, costs only about thirty cents per thousand feet.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Itching, Bleeding, Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

The average wife knows that to be perfectly happy she must be blind to many of hubby's faults.

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN.
A Certain Cure for Feverishness, Constipation, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Coughing, Hoarseness, and Destroy Worms. They Break up Colds in 24 hours. At all Druggists, 25c. per tin. Sold by J. J. Gregory & Son, New York City. A. S. OLMSTED, Le Roy, N. Y.

GREGORY'S SEEDS
Sole Importers—Largest Stock—Selling under three brands—Warranted Pure and Guaranteed—FREE
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SICK HEADACHE
Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature
REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

25 Bushels of Wheat

to the Acre means a productivity capacity in dollars over \$16 Per Acre

This on land, which has cost the farmer nothing but the price of tilling it, tells its own story. The Canadian Government gives

Absolutely Free to Every Settler 160 Acres of Such Land

Lands adjoining can be purchased at from \$5 to \$20 per acre from railroad and other corporations. Already 175,000 FARMERS from the United States have made their homes in Canada. For pamphlet "Settling in Canada" and all information apply for information to Superintendent of Farms, 10, Ottawa, Canada, or to J. J. Gregory & Son, New York City. Write to J. J. Gregory & Son, New York City. 1100 Broadway, New York City. See this advertisement.

OLD Favorites

Alexander Selkirk.
I am monarch of all I survey;
My right there is none to dispute;
From the center all round to the sea
I am lord of the fowl and the brute.
Oh, Solitude, where are the charms
That sages have seen in thy face?
Better dwell in the midst of alarms
Than reign in this horrible place.

I am out of humanity's reach;
I must finish my journey alone;
Never hear the sweet music of speech—
I start at the sound of my own.
The beasts that roam over the plain
My form with indifference see;
They are so unacquainted with men
Their tameness is shocking to me.

Society, friendship and love
Divinely bestowed upon man!
Oh, had I the wings of a dove,
How soon would I taste you again!
My sorrows I then might assuage
In the ways of religion and truth;
Might learn from the wisdom of age
And be cheered by the sallies of youth.

Religion! What treasure untold
Resides in that heavenly word!
More precious than silver and gold
Or all that this earth can afford.
But the sound of the churchgoing bell
These valleys and rocks never heard
Never sighed at the sound of a knell
Or smiled when a Sabbath appear'd.

Ye winds that have made me your sport
Convey to this desolate shore
Some cordial, endearing report
Of a land I shall visit no more.
My friends, do they now and then send
A wish or a thought after me?
Oh, tell me I yet have a friend,
Though a friend I am never to see!

How fleet is the glance of a mind!
Compared with the speed of its flight
The tempest itself lags behind
And the swift winged arrows of light
When I think of my own native land,
In a moment I seem to be there,
But, alas! recollection at hand
Soon hurries me back to despair!

But the sea fowl is gone to her nest;
The beast is laid down in his lair;
Even here is a season of rest,
And I to my cabin repair.
There's mercy in every place,
And mercy, encouraging thought,
Gives even affliction a grace
And reconciles man to his lot.
—William Cowper.

TURN PRUNES TO VINEGAR.

Oregon Farmers Discover New Source of Acetic Fluid.
The best vinegars are made from fruit juices and heretofore apples have been the chief source of supply, with an occasional resort to pears.

In Oregon, however, it has been discovered that prunes can be utilized for the manufacture of vinegar, which, though very dark in color, is of excellent quality, of a fruity flavor, good body and having a high acetic content. In its manufacture only the undersized and otherwise unsalable prunes are used, the normal fruit being too valuable for this purpose.

The prunes are first washed and then run through a crusher which reduces them to a pulpy mass which is then inoculated with a pure culture of a specific yeast organism. This causes a strong and rapid fermentation which results in breaking down the fibrous pulp, reducing it to a clear juice which is collected and fermented in open barrels.

Upon complete fermentation, which takes about ten days and which yields 10 per cent of alcohol, the juice is re-constituted with a pure culture of vinegar ferment such as the familiar "mother."

The only objection to prune vinegar is its very dark color, in which feature it resembles malt vinegar, but as the latter finds a ready market in some parts of the country it is believed other superior qualities of prune vinegar will more than outweigh this objection.

When they're making fun of father,
No work he does, they say,
They laugh when father carves the duck,
In an unfeeling way.
They view his every action
With grievous discontent,
And never say a word about
When father pays the rent.

When father tells a story
They sit around and jeer,
When father does most anything
The family seems to sneer.
He's just supposed to plod along
And save up every cent.
Nobody seems to notice him
When father pays the rent.
—Washington Star.

Not a Big Family.
"I've just been reading all this insurance testimony."
"Looks bad, doesn't it?"
"Well, not nearly so bad as it might look."
"How so?"
"Suppose the McCurdy family had seen one of the kind that Roosevelt believes in."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

TERRIBLE SCALY ECZEMA.

Eruptions Appeared on Chest, and Face and Neck Were All Broken Out—Cured by Cuticura.

"I had an eruption appear on my chest and body and extend upwards and downwards, so that my neck and face were all broken out; also my arms and the lower limbs as far as the knees. I at first thought it was prickly heat. But soon scales or crusts formed where the breaking out was. Instead of going to a physician, I purchased a complete treatment of the Cuticura Remedies, in which I had great faith, and all was satisfactory. A year or two later the eruption appeared again, only a little lower; but before it had time to spread I procured another supply of the Cuticura Remedies, and continued their use until the cure was complete. It is now five years since the last attack, and have not seen any signs of a return. I have more faith in Cuticura Remedies for skin diseases than anything I know of. Emma E. Wilson, Liscomb, Iowa, Oct. 1, 1905."

Vermont was the first state to abolish slavery.

You Can Get Allen's Foot-Ease FREE.
Write to-day to Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y., for a FREE sample of Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to shake into your shoes. It cures tired, sweating, hot, swollen, aching feet. It makes new or tight shoes easy. A certain cure for Corns and Bunions. All Druggists and Shoe stores sell it. 25c.

To renovate black silk, sponge with black coffee, then iron.

Trust to Nature.

A great many Americans, both men and women, are thin, pale and puny, with poor circulation, because they have ill-treated their stomachs by hasty eating or too much eating, by consuming alcoholic beverages, or by too close confinement to home, office or factory, and in consequence the stomach must be treated in a natural way before they can rectify their earlier mistakes. The muscles in many such people, in fact in every weary, thin and thin-blooded person, do their work with great difficulty. As a result fatigue comes early, is extreme and lasts long. The demand for nutritive aid is ahead of the supply. To insure perfect health every tissue, bone, nerve and muscle should take from the blood certain materials and return to it certain others. It is necessary to prepare the stomach for the work of taking up from the food what is necessary to make good, rich, red blood. We must go to Nature for the remedy. There were certain roots known to the Indians of this country before the advent of the whites which later came to the knowledge of the doctors, and which are now growing rapidly in professional favor for the cure of obstinate stomach and liver troubles. These are found to be safe and yet certain in their cleansing and invigorating effect upon the stomach, liver and blood. These are: Golden Seal root, Queen's root, Stone root, Bloodroot, Mandrake root. Then there is Black Cherrybark. The medicinal principles residing in these native roots when extracted with glycerine as a solvent make the most reliable and efficient stomach tonic and liver invigorator, when combined in just the right proportions, as in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Where there is bankrupt vitality—such as nervous exhaustion, bad nutrition—and thin blood, the body acquires vigor and the nerves, blood and all the tissues feel the favorable effect of this sovereign remedy.

Although some physicians have been aware of the high medicinal value of the above mentioned plants, yet few have used pure glycerine as a solvent and usually the doctors' prescriptions called for the ingredients in varying amounts, with other drugs.

"The Golden Medical Discovery" is a scientific preparation compounded of the glyceric extracts of the above mentioned vegetable ingredients and contains no alcohol or harmful habit-forming drugs.

Shakespeare was born on Friday.

Pilo's Cure for Consumption always gives immediate relief in all throat troubles.—F. E. Bierman, Leipsic, Ohio, Aug. 31, 1901.

Colds and serious diseases resulting from them can be prevented by carefulness. Keep a wooden robe and wool lined slippers near the bedside to be slipped on when called suddenly up during the night.

If the baby becomes fussy when it is time for his nap, change his sleeping place to another part of the room where he will become interested in his new surroundings and fall asleep.

It is well to remember that all the good excuses have already been made.

RAISED FROM A DEATH-BED.

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Mr. Pitts, 60 Hathaway street, Stowegran, Me., says: "Seven years ago my back ached and I was so run down that I was laid up four months. I had night sweats and fainting spells and dropped to ninety pounds. The urine passed every few minutes with intense pain and looked like blood. Dropsy set in and the doctors decided I could not live. My wife got me using Doan's Kidney Pills, and as they helped me I took heart, kept on and was cured so thoroughly that I've been well three years."

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A TRAINED NURSE

After Years of Experience, Advises Women in Regard to Their Health.

Mrs. Martha Pohlman of 55 Chester Avenue, Newark, N. J., who is a graduate Nurse from the Blockley Training School, at Philadelphia, and for six years Chief Clinic Nurse at the Philadelphia Hospital, writes the letter printed below. She has the advantage of personal experience, besides her professional education, and what she has to say may be absolutely relied upon.



Mrs. Martha Pohlman

Many other women are afflicted as she was. They can regain health in the same way. It is prudent to heed such advice from such a source. Mrs. Pohlman writes: "I am firmly persuaded, after eight years of experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that it is the safest and best medicine for any suffering woman to use."

"Immediately after my marriage I found that my health began to fail me. I became weak and pale, with severe bearing-down pains, fearful backaches and frequent dizzy spells. The doctors prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I would blurt after eating, and frequently become nauseated. I had pains down through my limbs so I could hardly walk. It was as bad a case of female trouble as I have ever known. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, however, cured me within four months. Since that time I have had occasion to recommend it to a number of patients suffering from all forms of female difficulties, and I find that while it is considered unprofessional to recommend a patent medicine, I can honestly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for I have found that it cures female ills, where all other medicine fails. It is a grand medicine for sick women."

Money cannot buy such testimony as this—merit alone can produce such results, and the ablest specialists now agree that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most universally successful remedy for all female diseases known to medicine.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful periods, weakness, displacement or ulceration of the female organs, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excita-

bility, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, at once removes such troubles. No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement.

The needless suffering of women from diseases peculiar to their sex is terrible to see. The money which they pay to doctors who do not help them is an enormous waste. The pain is cured and the money is saved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

It is well for women who are ill to write Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. The present Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, her assistant for many years before her decease, and for twenty-five years since her advice has been freely given to sick women. In her great experience, which covers many years, she has probably had to deal with dozens of cases just like yours. Her advice is strictly confidential.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds Where Others Fail.

NOT YOUR HEART

If you think you have heart disease you are only one of a countless number that are deceived by indigestion into believing the heart is affected.

Lane's Family Medicine

the tonic-laxative, will get your stomach back into good condition, and then the chances are ten to one that you will have no more symptoms of heart disease.

Sold by all dealers at 25c. and 50c.

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A Positive CATARRH CURE

Ely's Cream Balm
is quickly absorbed. Gives relief at once. It cleanses, soothes, heals and protects the diseased membrane. It cures Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50c., at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size 10c. by mail. Ely Brothers, 50 Warren Street, New York.

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Whitens the teeth—purifies mouth and breath—cures nasal catarrh, sore throat, sore eyes, and by direct application cures all inflamed, ulcerated and catarrhal conditions caused by feminine ills. Paxtine a possessor extraordinary cleansing, healing and germicidal qualities unlike anything else. At all druggists, 50 cents. LARGE TRIAL PACKAGE FREE. The R. Paxton Co., Boston, Mass.

Try lying on the left side for twenty minutes to relieve indigestion.

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