

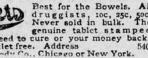
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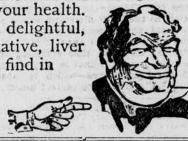
Why take sickening salts or repulsive castor oil? "Goes through you like a

dose of salts" means violence, grips, gripes, gases, soreness, irritation, and leaves your stomach and bowels weak and burnt out. Might just as well take concentrated lye. Then there's castor oil, disgusting, nauseating truck that your stomach refuses unless you disguise the taste. Fool your own stomach, eh? Don't ever at the County Seat. believe that anything offensive to your taste or smell is going to do you real good. Nature makes certain things repulsive, so you will not take them. Force yourself to nauseous doses, and you ruin your digestion,

weaken your bowels, destroy your health. On the other hand see what a delightful, palatable, perfect modern laxative, liver regulator and bowel tonic you find in

Best for the Bowels. All druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped complete and booklet free. Address 540





Have you ever been annoyed by want of a very fine thread? Well, here is an idea. It amounts to very little as an economy, but as a convenience its proportion is great. The very nicest fine thread you can have for sewing is the warp of fine lawn. But it must be the warp and not the cross thread. The next time you tear off a selvedge, instead of feeling annoyed at the long threads which come loose, wind them on a spool for future use. They will be very handy. You will find them quite strong and much nicer to work with the control of with for very fine sewing than is a manufactured thread of the same thick-ness. In making fine ties by hand, for instance, if the hems are sewed with this warp, not a single stitch will be visible, and the sewing will last as long as if made with manufactured cotton.

In making colored dresses, this same plan is a good one to follow in regard to any specially dainty little piece of sewing, as one is sure of a "good match." Also, it is well to have on hand such threads to use for darning, should necessity occur. Here you not only have the color, but the fiber and the exact thickness.

THREAD ON THE MACHINE.

When using a full spool of silk on the machine, the threads will fly off in loops, tighten on the spindle below the spool and break. To prevent this, take a fine wire hairpin, place the points in the top center of the spool, bend it over and down until the loop is half way down the side of the spool; draw the thread through the loop. It will then thread through the loop. It will then run smoothly and not break.

Plan for Good Health! Take Garfield Tea now; it regulates the liver and kidneys, overcomes constipation, purifies the blood and eradicates disease. It is made wholly of Herbs.

A Fix Indeed. W. Bourke Cockran, at a St. Patrick's day dinner, told a newspaper story.
"An Irishman," he said, "was talking about the case of Baring-Gould, whose obituary, you will remember, was recently printed by mistake, Mr. Gould still being

printed by mistake, Mr. Gould still being happily with us.
"'So,' said the Irishman, 'they've printed the funeral notice av a man that ain't dead yet, hov they? Faith, an' it's a nice fix he'd be in now if he was won o' thim people that belaves iverything they see in the papers.'"

SAVE US FROM OUR FRIENDS.

Mary, I have sold the farm for \$50,000, and we will now move to the city and enjoy the balance of our life

Five Years Later.

It is all over, Mary, I must pay John Brown's bond, which will take every dollar I own and you and I will have to go to the poor house.

MORAL.

Do not sign a friend's bond, and when you require a bond, buy it. Write for particulars or see our agent

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III Advised.

"That speech was ill-advised," said Senator Cullom, referring to a colleague's too outspoken address.

"It reminds me of a speech that a widow made to her new husband on the honey-

'Oh,' she sighed, throwing herself in the man's arms, how happy poor dear James would be if he could only know by what an agreeable gentleman he has been

PULLING OUT THE WARP. ONE WOMAN'S DEVOTION

From the Kansas City Star. Shep kept a boarding house and I lived there. I went recently to look at it again, but no trace of it was left. The progress of the city had engulfed it and a great modern apartment house stood there.

As I remember it was an ugly red brick house of three floors with steep wooden steps leading up from the street to the second floor. As if to make the house look more cold and repellant the owner had painted the window frames black and a heavy cor-

window frames black, and a heavy cornice overhung the whole.

But there was cheerfulness within the house. We were a lot of young people, mostly, and there was a decided air of respectability and comfort about the sitting room upon the second floor.

the sitting room upon the second floor, and the bedrooms upstairs. The dining room was upon the basement floor.

Mrs. North, the landlady, went up and down the stairways many, many times a day, and how she managed to hold up under all the work she did was a source of constant wonderment to me. She had no servant, except a negro girl in the kitchen. All of the other work she did herself. If ever there was a slave she was one. What made it harder for her was that she was very stout.

But she never grumbled. Neither did she smile. She was kind always, and courteous, but her face wore at all times a look of sadness and of pa-tience as if she had known much sor-

Her boarders were all young men. We loved and respected her. We knew she had seen better days. Her voice and manner showed that, and we pitled

her and did what we her burden.

We wondered why she did not have we wondered why she did not have the words from the beauty that the words from the words f we wondered why she did not have another servant or two to do the heavy work for her. The profit from the house would have permitted it and left her a fair income besides. But we never questioned her about it. Each of us, quite independent of another had formed the opinion that there was some great tragedy, perhaps, that had saddened her, and that we ought not to pry into it.

Once every month, regularly, through the three years I lived there, she went away in the evening and returned the next afternoon. Those were the only times she ever left the house except when she went to market. She took when she ever left the house except when she went to market. She took always with her upon these over-night trips a large "telescope" valise packed full of bread and cakes of her own making. We always knew, several days beforehand, when she was going upon one of these trips, by the prolonged odor of cake-baking that filled the house. We wondered much about these mysterious trips. We knew that she went out of town because one of the boarders had seen her getting upon a train at the union depot, dragging her heavy valise up the steps after her. Once each month, and never oftener, a letter came to her. It always came upon the same day of the month. She knew when to expect it, she waited and watched for it and never once failed to meet the postman at the bottom step of the street stairway to take the letter from his hand. The arrival of the letter always meant a crying spell for her. She carried it straight

the letter from his hand. The arrival of the letter always meant a crying spell for her. She carried it straight to her room, shut the door and came out a little later with eyes red and swollen from weeping, and her face more sad than ever.

No one of us ever saw the postmark upon the letters, or knew where they came from. We would like to have known, but we respected her too much to try and find out.

At last her health began to fail. We noticed the beginning of the breakdown

At last her health began to fail. We noticed the beginning of the breakdown and we talked gravely together about it. Her effort to keep up was pitiful, but one morning she was too sick to leave her bed. And then we took charge. We sent for a doctor who told us that she would never get up again. We hired two girls to do the work and we tried to cheer her by telling her that all was going along smoothly and that not one of her boarders would leave her. leave her.

One day the doctor told her that she could not live more than a week. "Oh, doctor, can't I live two weeks, don't you think?" she pleaded. The doctor shook his head.

"Oh, I must, I must. Doctor, try and keep me alive two weeks by all means," she said.

The week went by and she was yet alive, but failing rapidly. "If I can only live three more days," she said beseechingly, to the doctor. He asked her why, but she refused then to

That night the doctor told her she was dying, that she could not live until morning, and advised her that if she had any instructions to give as to her property then was the time to do it. She replied, weakly:
"This is Tuesday. My husband will be here Thursday. Do not bury me un-

til he comes.' An hour later she was dead.

Thursday afternoon a man at the door, a man with gray hair and bent shoulders, asked:

"Does Mrs. North live here? I am her husband."

"She did," was the answer.

"What! Has she moved?"
"No; come in and I'll explain."
He was told of her death. I have seen much sorrow and grief in my time, but never such heartbroken grief as he went through. He fell across her coffin with both arms clasped around it, and his tears fell like rain upon the dead face, stamped yet with the look of patience and long suffering. His grief exhausted him so that a physician had to be called to quiet him with medi-

After we returned to the boarding house from the burial in the cemetery we missed him. He did not come that night. The next morning his dead body was found beside the newly made grave of his wife. His head rested upon the sod above her breast as if it had been a pillow. Some time during the long, dark night that he lay there alone in the cemetery he had ended his life. He was buried next day in a grave beside

Then the public administrator took charge of her property and, in reading her letters—she had saved every one of them—he discovered the secret of her life. Ten years before her husband had been sentenced to the penitentiary. She had gone with him to the door of the prison and then came to Kansas City to work and wait for his release. Ten long years she waited, patiently, devotedly. The prison rules permitted her to see him only once a month, and each month for ten years she had gone to Jefferson City to spend one comfort-ing hour with him. The prison rules allowed him to write her only one let-ter a month. Those letters, sacredly preserved by her, told the story of the ten-year vigil kept by both of them. Those letters told of their plans for the future, when he should be free again. She had saved \$800; it was in the bank, and with it he was to open a little grocery store near her boarding hou he had already leased the room for it. The administrator sold the boarding house furniture and the money, added to the \$800 in the bank, paid the doc-tor, the funeral expenses and bought a large, rough, granite monument, which was placed at the heads of the two graves. You can see it any day in

acred to the memory of one woman's devotion.' A. B. M.

Women Avoid Operations

When a woman suffering from female trouble is told that an operation is necessary, it, of course,

frightens her.
The very thought of the hospital.

the operating table and the knife strikes terror to her heart. It is quite true that these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but a great many women have been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after an operation has been decided upon as the only cure. The strongest and most grateful statements possible to make come from women who by taking



MISS ROSE MOORE

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

made from native roots and herbs, have escaped serious operations, as evidenced by Miss Rose Moore's case, of 307 W. 26th St., N. Y. She writes:—
Dear Mrs. Pinkham:-"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured me of the very worst form of female trouble and I wish to express to you my deepest gratitude. I suffered intensely for two years so that I was unable to attend to my duties and was a burden to my family. I doctored and doctored with only temporary relief and constantly objecting to an operation which I was advised to undergo. I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; it cured me of the terrible trouble and I am now in better health than I have been for many years."

This and other such cases should encourage every woman to try Lydia

This and other such cases should encourage every woman to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before she submits to an operation.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. From the symptoms given, the trouble may be located and the quickest and surest way of recovery advised.

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ANOTHER WESTERN CANADA

RECORD. The Way in Which a Swan River

Farmer Became Wealthy. Swan River, Manitoba, Nov. 21, 1906. Two weeks ago we gave an account

of the prosperity of a farmer in Western Canada, and this week we reproduce another. "I have been asked regarding this year's work on my farm, and I here-

with willingly submit the following statement: Three years ago I purchased an improved farm of 186 acres on Section 9, Township 36, Range 27, west of the

First Meridian, two (2) miles from the town of Swan River. I plowed and cropped 1221/2 acres of land during this year (1906), 80 acres of wheat, 30 acres in oats and 121/2

in barley. The cost of putting in and taking off this crop this season is as follows: Cash paid for blue stone \$ 1.50

Cash paid for binder twine.... 39.00 Cash paid for hired help..... 125.00 Cash paid for threshing...... 175.00

Receipts for the year as follows: Bushels.

so acres of wheat (yiel bushels per acre), total......2,400 30 acres of oats (yielded 46 bushels per acre), total......1,200 And (one stack of oats in sheaf) 200

121/2 acres barley (48 bushels per acre) 600 Crop potatoes 300 15 tons of hay.

1,168 bushels wheat at 62c....\$ 724.16 1,232 bushels wheat in granary 763.84

at 62c 300 bushels barley at 35c... 105.00 300 bushels barley in granary at 35c 105.00 1,200 bushels oats in granary at 25c 100 bushels potatoes at 30c.. 30.00 200 bushels potatoes in root

60.00

50.00

45.00

30.00

\$2,213.00

\$8,747.50

house at 30c 1 stack of oats in sheaf for feed 15 tons of hay at \$3..... Garden roots and vegetables..

Cost of above, besides my own

labor 840.50

I have in all 125 acres ready for cron next year, including 10 acres cleared and broken this season. TOTAL ASSETS.

186 acres land with house, stable and outbuildings, etc....\$5,000.00 Implements 500.00 4 head of horses and harness. 800.00 15 head of cattle..... 375.00 20 pigs 200.00 Receipts of this season's crop 1,872.00

Liabilities are 1,000.00 Total assets\$7.747.50

I have made the above amount by farming in Manitoba. I think it has paid. This is my standing to-day. I am a single man, a Canadian, and 26 years of age. For particulars how to secure low rates to the free homesteads of Western Canada, apply to any Canadian government agent.

A Truth Put Neatly.

Miss Ellen Terry, at a reception in New York talked about the innumerable women who ask her to help them get on the stage.

"The fact is," she said, "every woman

Elmwood cemetery. It bears this inunder 30 believes she is an actress.

"And every actress," she added,
lieves she is under 30."

In the last six years in the course of reventy-three wars or military and naval expeditions in Asia and Africa, Great Britain has had 8,678 men killed and 23,733 wounded.

SLEEP BROKEN BY ITCHING.

Eczema Covered Whole Body for Year-No Relief Until Cutiours Remedies Prove a Success

"For a year I have had what they call eczema. I had an itching all over my body, and when I would retire for the night it would keep me awake half the night, and the more I would scratch, the more it would itch. I tried all kinds of remedies, but could get no relief. "I used one cake of Cuticura Soap,

one box of Cuticura, and two vials of Cuticura Resolvent Pills, which cost me a dollar and twenty-five cents in all, and am very glad I tried them, for I was completely cured. Walter W. Paglusch, 207 N. Robey street, Chicago, Ill., Oct. 8 and 16, 1906."

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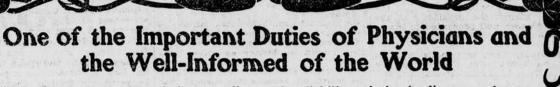
has been made accessible to markets by the railway construction that has been pushed forward so vigorously by the three-great railway companies.

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appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing, therefore we wish to call the attention of all who would enjoy good health, with its blessings, to the fact that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and the use of medicines dispensed with generally to great advantage, but as in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time, the California Fig Syrup Co. feels that it is alike important to present truthfully the subject and to supply the one perfect laxative remedy which has won the appoval of physicians and the world-wide acceptance of the Well-Informed because of the excellence of the combination, known to all, and the original method of manufacture, which is known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

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