# For Croup Tonsilitis and Asthma

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Dr. Earl S. Sloan, Boston, Mass.

Nowadays. Robins in the tree tops, Blossoms in the grass, Blossoms in the grass, Green things a-growing Everywhere you pass; Sudden little breezes, Showers of silver dew, Black bough and bent twig Budding out anew; Pine tree and willow tree, Fringed eim and larch-Don't you think that May time's Pleasanter than March? Marjorie's Almance," T. B. Aldric "Marjorie's Almanac," T. B. Aldrich.

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This bit of unstaged melodrama from the North China Daily News: "An es-paped Junjab (India) prisoner from Port Blair has been picked up off the Burmese coast. He sat out on a bamboo raft 20 days ago and drifted 240 miles. He had been on the Andaman two and half years, and escaped when sent to hospital. He was fearfully emaciated when picked up by the steamer.

## Mrs. Winslew's Scovanse Bravy for Children the sthing, softens the gums, reduces infammati alays pain, cures wind colls. 25c a bottle.

Wilbur Wright has gained 25 pounds weight during the last five months. in weight during the last five months. He thinks that aviation has something to do with it.



900 DROPS

A Black Hand Trust? Deputy

Deputy Police Commissioner Woods, of New York, in the May McClure's. The Black Hand is not a cohesive, comprehensive society, working with mysterious signs and passwords. Given a number of Italians with money, and two or three ex-convicts, you have all the elements necessary for a first rate Black Hand campaign. In New York city, however, there are so many groups of these Black Handers that they have come in more or less close contact with each other. In the same to show that the leaders, at any rate, of the divergent groups are acquainted the different groups are acquainted, and that they work their schemes in harmony, especially when their extor-tion takes the form of commercial tion takes the form of commercial swindling. In other words, the situa-tion seems ripe for the creation in the city of one fairly powerful organized society. A little police laxity, coupled with the appearance of a leader of mag-netism and force, would very likely bring about the formation of a Black Hand trust bring about Hand trust.

The way Hamlins Wizard Oil soothes and allays all aches, pains, soreness, swelling and inflammation is a surprise and delight to the afflicted. It is simply great to relieve all kinds of pain.

## He Could Not Tell a Lie. From the Baltimore Sun.

From the Baltimore Sun. The late Professor Rowland, of Johns Hopkins university, was the most em-inent physicist since the days of Joseph Henry. Among his notable achievements in the realm of pure sci-ence was the calculation of the mechanical-equivalent of heat and the use of gratings in spectrum analysis, for which purpose he devised a machine that could cut 40,000 lines to the inch on a plate of polished metal. In the practical application of his knowledge, he was noted as the inventor of the multiplex telegraph apparatus. Some years ago, testifying in a case involving the Cataract Power company, in answer to a question on cross exchanical equivalent of heat and the use

in answer to a question on cross ex-amination as to who, in his opinion, Man the greatest American scientist, he replied, "I am." After leaving the courtroom, one of

After leaving the controlon, one of the lawyers ventured to criticise this answer for its effect upon the jury, whereupon Rewland exclaimed: "Well, what else could I say? Wasn't I under oath?"

The imports of tapioca into the United States are increasing, those for the fiscal year of 1908 having been 49,806,092 pounds, valued at \$1,408,177, against 43, 647,731 pounds, worth \$1,271,350, in 1907. It enters free of duty, nearly the whole imports coming from the East Indies.

You Can Get Allen's Foot-Ease FREE.

### The Forgiving Wife. From the New York American.

I know a woman who has just come home from a long visit to Europe. She didn't go on the visit for pleas-ure; her young daughter was ill and she took her daughter abroad to save

her life. When my friend came home from When be friend came home from abroad she noticed something peculiar about the way her friends greeted her. They seemed to be sorry for her some way, though none of them said any-thing in so many words. One day my friend found out what it was that made them sorry

it was that made them sorry. Her husband had had a foolish little affair with a foolish little woman and

there had been a little scandal about

My friend loves her husband and he My friend loves her nusband and he loves her. So she went to him and said: "Dear, you are worried; you are in trouble; you think I'm going to find something out and be angry with you

"I have found it out and I am not I have found it out and I am hot angry with you. I am sorry for you. I want you to know that I am not only your wife, I am the best friend, the most loyal, the most unselfash and the truest friend you have in the world. I will stand by you through this thing. I know that you have not been really faithless to me; you have just been foolish; you are heartsick over the whole thing now; so am I. Come, let's be heartsick together."

And the husband of my friend looked at her as if he heard some one speak-ing from an open grave, and he told his wife the whole truth, the foolish, silly, miserable truth, and she talked it all over with him and comforted him and component him and comforted him and encouraged him and laughed at him and teased him, and together they faced the whole thing through—and now you couldn't lure that man away from his wife with any siren who ever sang, or any Salome who ever dreamed a dream of dancing. I wonder if it wasn't worth while?

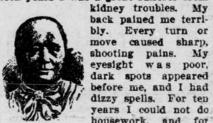
If You Have Common Sore Eyes, if lines blur or run together, you need PETTIT'S EYE SALVE, 25c. All drug-gists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. X.

The Industrious Negroes of Africa. From Leslie's Weekly. The blacks of tropical Africa are proving their willingness to work hard for the whites along the lines of the new civilization which has been introduced in the Dark continent. The neduced in the Dark continent. The ne-gro planters of German East Africa are raising more products for export than the white planters. In 1903 the native planters of Southern Nigerla shipped to Europe and South America 800 bales of cotton; in 1906 their cotton exports rose to 6,000 bales and if the season of 1909 fulfills its promise the export crop will be well-nigh 50,000 bales. The pative coffee sent to Europe and Amernative coffee sent to Europe and Amer-ica now amounts, without the invest-ment of a single dollar of foreign capital, to one-third of all the coffee ex-ports from that dependency.

#### TEN YEARS OF PAIN.

Unable to Do Even Housework Because of Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. Margaret Emmerich, of Clin-ton St., Napoleon, O., says: "For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from

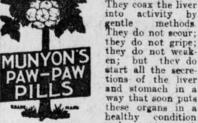


housework, and for two years did not get out of the house. The kidney secretions were irregular, and doctors were not helping me. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me quick relief. and finally cured me. They saved my life.'

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healthy condition and corrects consti-pation. In my opinion constipation is responsible for most ailments. There are thirty-two feet of human bowels, which is really a sewer pipe. When this pipe becomes clogged, the whole system becomes poisoned causing billourness in pipe becomes clogged, the whole system becomes poisoned, causing biliousness, in-digestion and impure blood, which often produces rheumastism and kidney ail-ments. No woman who suffers with con-stipation or any liver complaint can ex-pect to have a clear complexion, or enjoy good health. Munyon's Paw.Paw Pills

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#### Queer Gardening.

From the Louisville Times. Secretary Wilson, of the department of agriculture, said the other day of a certain farmer: "He is now profiting by the department's

advice, but he was very stupid at the beginning. He farmed as a Philadelphia lady, one spring season, planted her garden "The lady's husband came home and found her poring over a seed catalog. She

had a long list of seeds written on a sheet of paper. "This is a list, my dear,' she said, 'that

I want you to buy for me tomorrow at the seed man's.' "Her husband looked at the list. Then he laughed loud and long.

" 'You want these flowers to bloom this summer, don't you?' said he. 'Yes, of course.

"'Well, those you have put down here don't bloom 'till the second summer.' "'Oh, that's all right,' the lady said

easily. "'All right? How is it all right?' "'I am making up my list,' she plained, "from a last year's catalog.'

Authoritative opinions hold that the number of sheep in all countries in the world decreased from 400,000,000, 1873, to 300,000,000 in 1908.

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### DOLLAR WHEAT HAS COME TO STAY.

In Less Than Five Years Central Canada Will Be Called Uron to Supply the United States.

A couple of years ago, when the announcement was made in these columns that "dollar wheat" had come to stay, and that the time was not far distant when the central provinces of Canada-Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta-would be called upon to supply a large part of the wheat consumption in the United States, there were many who laughed at the predictions and ridiculed the idea of wheat reaching the dollar point and staying there. Both of these predictions have come to pass. Dollar wheat is here-and it is not only here, but is here to stay; and at the same time, whatever unpleasant sensations it may arouse in the supersensitive American, Central Canada is already being called upon to help keep up our bread supply, and within the next five years will, as James J. Hill says, literally "become the bread-basket of our increasing millions."

There are few men in the United States better acquainted with the wheat situation than Mr. Hill, and there are few men, if any, who are inclined to be more conservative in their expressed ylews. Yet it was this greatest of the world's railroad men who said a few days ago that "the price of wheat will never be substantially lower than it is to-day"-and when it is taken into consideration that at that time wheat had soared to \$1.20, well above the dollar mark, the statement is peculiarly significant, and doubly significant is the fact that in this country the population is increasing at the ratio of 65 per cent, while the yield of wheat and other products is increasing at the rate of only 25 per cent. For several years past the cost of living has been steadily increasing in the United States, and this wide difference in production and consumption is the reason.

This difference must be supplied by the vast and fertile grain regions of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. There is now absolutely no doubt of this. Even the press of the country concedes the fact. Results have shown that no other country in the world can ever hope to equal these provinces as wheat producers, and that no other country can produce as hard or as good wheat. Said a great grain man recently, "If United States wheat maintains the dollar mark, Canada wheat will be well above a dollar a bushel, for in every way it is superior to our

home-grown grain." With these facts steadily impinging their truth upon our rapidly growing population, it is interesting to note just what possibilities as a "wheat grower" our northern neighbor possesses. While the United States will never surrender her prestige in any manufacturing or commercial line, she must very soon acknowledge, and with as much grace as she can, that she is bound to be beaten as a grain producer. It must be conceded that a great deal of the actual truth about the richness of Canada's grain producing areas has been "kept out of sight," as Mr. Hill says, by the strenuous efforts of our newspapers and magazines to stem the exodus of our best American farmers into those regions. It is a fact that up to the present time, although Canada has already achieved the front rank in the world's grain producers, the fertile prairies of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta have as yet scarcely been scratched. Millions of acres, free for the taking, still await our American farmers; and when these millions are gone there are other millions in regions not yet opened up to immigration. A few years ago the writer, who had been through those wheat provinces several times, laughed with others of our people at the broad statement that Canada was bound to become "John Bull's bread-basket." Now, after a last trip (and though he is a staunch American) he frankly believes that not, only will Canada become John Bull's bread-basket, but it will within the next decade at least BECOME THE BREAD-BASKET OF THE UNITED STATES. Perhaps this may be a hard truth for Americans to swallow, but it is a truth nevertheless. And it is at least a partial compensation to know that hundreds of thousands of our farmers are profiting by the fact by becoming producers in this new country. The papers of this country have naturally made the most of the brief period of depression which swept over Canada, but now there is not a sign of it left from Winnipeg to the coast. Never have the three great wheat raising provinces been more prosperous. Capital is coming into the country from all quarters, taking the form of cash for investment, industrial concerns seeking locations, and, best of all, substantial and sturdy immigrants come to help populate the prairies. Towns are booming; scores of new elevators are springing up; railroads are sending out their branch lines in all directions. thousands of prosperous farmers are leaving their prairie shelters for new and modern homes-"built by wheat": everywhere is a growing happiness and me feel like a different woman. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is worth its weight in gold to suffering women."-MRS. MARY WOOD, R.F.D.3. If you belong to that countless army for the transformed and the transformation of the transformat contentment-happiness and contenternment is still giving away its homesteads and selling pre-emptions at \$3.00 an acre, and the railway and land companies are disposing of their lands at what may be considered nominal fig-

#### In a Serene Alr.

[These stanzas were the opening ones of Tennyson's "A Dream of Fair Women." The poet, however, later cut them out of the poem.]

As when a man that sails in a balloon, Down-looking sees the solid shinir

ground Stream from beneath him in the broad blue noon, Tilth, hamlet, mead and mound;

And takes his flags and waves them to the mob, That shout below, all faces turned to

where Glows ruby-like the far-up crimson globe, "Filled with a finer air;

So, lifted high, the poet at his will Lets the great world flit from him, seeing all, Higher thro' secret splendors mounting

still, Self-poised, nor fears to fall.

Hearing apart the echoes of his fame, While I spoke thus, the seedsma

While I spoke that, Memory, Sow'd my deep-furrowed thought with many a name Whose glory will not die. —Alfred Lord Tennyson.

RASH ALL OVER BODY.

Awful, Crusted, Weeping Eczema on Little Sufferer-A Score of Treatments Prove Dismal Failures-Cure Achieved by Cuticura.

"My little boy had an awful rash all over his body and the doctor said it was eczema. It was terrible and used to water awfully. Any place the water went it would form another sore and it would become crusted. A score or more physicians falled utterly and dismally in their efforts to remove the trouble. Then I was told to use the Cuticura Remedies. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent, and before we had used half the Resolvent I could see a change in him. In about two months he was entirely well. George L. Lambert, 139 West Centre St., Mahanoy City, Pa., Sept. 26 and Nov. 4, 1907."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props. of Cuticura Remedies, Boston.

#### Fact.

Germany has spent \$150,000,000 in the last 20 years in the development and improvement of inland waterways. As a result the empire has now 8,278 miles of navigable streams and canals.

By signing a treaty on March 11 at Bangkok, Siam, 15,000 square miles of territory have been added to the Brit-ish empire. Under the treaty British capital to the extent of \$20,000,000 will be furnished for the construction of railroads south from Bangkok.

The little king of Uganda, is an in-The little king of Uganda, is an in-telligent boy, 11 years old, now being educated by an English tutor. The fact that he is a keen football player is itself a good sign that he has been trained on right lines.—My visit to Uganda, by Bishop J. E. Hine.

There are three cathedrais at Mengo. Uganda, all on neighboring hills. The Mengo cathedral of St. Paul, Church of England, has a congregation of 3,000. The other cathedrais are Roman Cath-olic, one English, the other German, both large buildings.

#### Many a Day Is Spolled

By a cough which cannot be broken by ordinary remedies. But why not try a medicine that will cure any cough that any medicine can cure? That is Kemp's Balsam. It is recommended by doctors and nurses, and it costs only 25 cents at any druggist's or dealer's. Keep a bottle always in the house and you will always be prepared to treat a cold or cough before it causes any suffering at all.

Representative John K. Tener, of Pennsylvania, is the tallest member of the new congress. Mr. Tener is a se-date banker and only a few old time baseball enthusiasts recognized in him when he came to Washington, Jack Tener e famous nitcher. Tener, a famous pitcher.

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, ach-ing feet. It makes new or tight shoes easy. A certain cure for Corns and Bunions. All Druggists and Shoe Stores sell it. 25c.

Jose Gaudaloupe Aletid, of Jalostit-lan, state of Jaliso, Mexico, is said to be the oldest man in the world. The record of his birth as contained in the archives of the parish church, shows

For Infants and Children

The Kind You Have

From the West Indies. From the New York Times

A young woman who has been to Russia has introduced on her tea table a little cake that is popular among her friends.

A rich puff paste is divided into four parts, each rolled as thin as possible. On one sheet is put an almond paste, on another pounded peanuts or pistache nuts, on a trird currant jelly or orange marmalade. The layers are placed on each other, honey or maple syrup is poured over, and the whole baked in a moderate oven until a dell-

cate brown. When cold the crust is cut in squares or diamonds and passed on a plate cov-ered with a lace doily. Another delicacy for afternoon tea is

the crisp cassava wafer used so much in West Indian households. This is served cold, but is better if buttered,

and made very hot in the oven. Rich little crullers or doughnuts, made not more than two inches long and dusted thickly with powdered sugar, are a pleasant change from the usual small cake passed with afternoon tea.

noon tea. A nice and inexpensive sandwich fill-ing is cold chicken or lamb, put through a chopper, highly seasoned with salt and pepper and mixed to a smooth paste with rich cream. This is not so rich as mayonnaise, which is usually employed in sandwiches. Bars of brown bread slightly tonsted, buttered and covered with sardine

buttered and covered with sardine paste made by shredding sardines and mixing with lemon juice are a nice change from sandwiches.

The Interior of the Earth. From the New York World. The University of Jena has just awarded the prize for the best essay on the condition of the interior of the earth. M. Thiene, who won the University of Jena's prize, did it with the following theory:

following theory: The mean density of the earth is known to be more than five times that of water. As the outer layers of the crust have a very feeble density—wa-ter, 1; rocks, an average of 2½—It fol-lows that the interior must have a den-eity of about 77-10 which is that of sity of about 77-10, which is that of iron. Again, there is enough accurate information about the rigidity of the information about the rigidity of the earth to make it fairly certain that this is slightly greater than steel. M. Thiene calculates that the crust of the earth is about 930 miles thick, though most of the best authorities are inclined to place it at about 30 miles. If his figures be correct, there must be inside the crust an exceedingly dense and rigid core, which he calls barysphere.

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Mrs. Hall Caine acts not only as her husband's literary adviser, but as his secretary. He has repeatedly tried to get her to give her place to a type-writer, but she enjoys the work and refuses.

sured in Germany under the invalidity and old age pensions act. Last year the total cost of administration was \$3,774,250; old age pensions amounted to \$4,225,000, invalid pensions amounted to \$22,600,000, and \$2,000,000 was spent in returning premiums in case of marriage or death.

An automatic burglar alarm has just been invented in Russia by Lieutenant Colonel Tufiaex and a Mr. Doman-avsky. The signal consists of 200 shots avsky. fired automatically.



### By Lydia E. Pinkham's **Vegetable Compound**

Bardstown, Ky .- "I suffered from ulceration and other female troubles for

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prostration.

If you want special advice write foritto Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. It is free and always helpful.

The Geographical society, of London, has awarded the Victoria research medal to Professor Alexander Agassiz, of Cambridge, Mass. The society has also awarded a special medal to Lieu-tenant Ernest H. Shackleton, who recently returned from an expedition to the south pole.

Last year more wheat went to Europe from the port of Montreal than from New York and all other other Atlantic seaports combined. Yet Montreal is a comparatively long distance from the ocean proper and 250 miles. from the nearest salt water.

Take Garfield Tea ! Made of Herbs, it. is pure, potent, health-giving—the most rational remedy for constipation, liver and kidney diseases. At all drug stores.

It has been suggested that one of the most desirable forms of "skywear" for use in flying would be a "life-saving skirt," made of strong umbrella silk, "cut very voluminous, so that when filled with wind it takes the form of a parachute."

A French company, Clement-Bayard, was the first to go into the sole busi-ness of building airships, and the sec-ond concern of this character is to be in the United States.

The majority of the world's breweries belong to Germany.

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