

Attention Sick Women

If you had positive proof that a certain remedy for female ills had made many remarkable cures, would you not feel like trying it?

If during the last thirty years we have not succeeded in convincing every fair-minded woman that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured thousands and thousands of women of the ills peculiar to their sex, then we long for an opportunity to do so by direct correspondence. Meanwhile read the following letters which we guarantee to be genuine and truthful.

Hudson, Ohio.—"I suffered for a long time from a weakness, inflammation, dreadful pains each month and suppression. I had been doctoring and receiving only temporary relief, when a friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so, and wrote to you for advice. I have faithfully followed your directions and now, after taking only five bottles of the Vegetable Compound, I have every reason to believe I am a well woman. I give you full permission to use my testimonial."—Mrs. Lena Carmocino, Hudson, Ohio. R. F. D. No. 7.

St. Regis Falls, N. Y.—"Two years ago I was so bad that I had to take to my bed every month, and it would last from two to three weeks. I wrote to you for advice and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in dry form. I am happy to say that I am cured, thanks to your medicine and good advice. You may use my letter for the good of others."—Mrs. J. H. Breysere, St. Regis Falls, N. Y.

There is absolutely no doubt about the ability of this grand old remedy, made from the roots and herbs of our fields, to cure female diseases. We possess volumes of proof of this fact, enough to convince the most skeptical.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No sick woman does justice to herself who will not try this famous medicine. Made exclusively from roots and herbs, and has thousands of cures to its credit.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health free of charge. Address Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.



DADDY'S GOOD-NIGHT STORIES

By Farmer Smith.

THE WASH RAG DOG.

"Daddy," said Ethel one night, "do tell me more about Old Lady Fiddlesticks' dog."

Her father tucked her in bed and began:—"When the old lady got back from the sky the morning after the Gentle Breeze she heard a very loud barking, and upon opening the door saw the most peculiar dog she had ever seen. It looked just like a large wash rag, only it had legs and two beady eyes, which closed every time it barked, and it seemed to bark all the time."

"I see that the Gentle Breeze has been here before me and has provided me with a dog," said the old lady.

"I wonder what I shall call him," she said thoughtfully. Just then there was a tapping at the door.

"Come in," she said, and the Gentle Breeze came in with a rush. "You see, I have brought you the dog. My brother, the Wind, was in a great hurry and could come no further than the top of the hill, so I brought the little fellow the rest of the way."

"What shall I call him?" asked Old Lady Fiddlesticks.

"It seems to me my brother said his name was Catsup," replied the Breeze.

"What a funny name for a dog," said the old lady. "Are you sure that is right?"

"Yes, I think that is his name," said the Breeze. "Suppose we ask him." Then, turning to the dog, she said: "If your name is Catsup, turn around three times."

"The dog shut his eyes and barked with all his might. Then he turned around and began wagging his tail so hard the old lady thought he would break himself."

"He wants you to give him some popover dainties," said the Gentle Breeze. "That is the Wash Rag Dog closed his eyes and barked for half an hour."

WHY DOGS TURN ROUND AND ROUND.

"Have you ever noticed," said Ethel's father one night, "that a dog turns round and round before he lies down?"

"Yes, Daddy, I have and will you tell me why?" asked little Ethel.

"The story is simple, and here it is," said her father.

"Old Lady Fiddlesticks was sitting by the fire one night when she noticed her dog, Catsup, turning round and round before he lay down. She got up to see what was the matter. She could find nothing, for she had a comfortable pillow for him to sleep on. She thought the Breeze why it was he seemed so restless before he lay down."

"So when the Gentle Breeze came the dear old lady asked her why it was the dog went round and round before he lay down to go to sleep."

"I know most everything about good dogs, but that is too much for me," she said. "Suppose we write a note to the wise old Owl. He knows everything."

"I must tell you something which you may not know. When you wish to know anything, you write your question on the leaf of a honeysuckle vine and put it in the fire at dead of night," said the Gentle Breeze.

"But I will not be here then," said the old lady.

"I intend to do it tonight, with a honeysuckle leaf and a porcupine's quill with some violet's blue for ink," said the Gentle Breeze. And she did so and very soon the old lady was with his answer. It looked very wise he said:

"A very, very long time ago dogs lived in the long grass beside the Chick-en Broth river. Every time the dogs wanted to lie down they turned round and round to make a nice soft bed."

"From that day on, all dogs turn round and round before lying down, and if you say 'Chicken Broth river' to any dog he will smile at you and wag his tail in memory of the long ago."

"Thank you," said the Gentle Breeze. "I shall tell Old Lady Fiddlesticks, and I know she will thank you."

THE NIGHTINGALE.

"Did Old Lady Fiddlesticks have a canary to sing to her?" asked Ethel one night.

"No," said her father, "but she had the Nightingale and I will tell you she came to have one."

"One morning when Old Lady Fiddlesticks was busy around her house getting ready to go to bed she heard a knock at the door and said, 'Come in,' for she knew it was the Gentle Breeze, who always came to blow upon the old lady's forehead before she went to bed."

"I was listening to the most beautiful music I ever heard," said the Gentle Breeze. "It was the Nightingale singing, and I have brought you a most beautiful white rose, thinking the Nightingale might come and sing for you. Here is the rose."

"Thank you," said Old Lady Fiddlesticks, "but what has the rose to do with it?"

"Did you not know, my dear, that the Nightingale sings its sweetest when its breast is pressed against a thorn?"

"I did not know that," replied the old lady as she smelled the fragrant rose. "We must not think that there are thorns among roses, but that it is beautiful to think that even among thorns we find roses."

"I had not thought of it that way," said the Gentle Breeze. "But here comes the Nightingale and it will sing now before it grows too light."

"So the Nightingale came and, perched on the stem of the beautiful rose which the Breeze had brought, sang its sweetest for Old Lady Fiddlesticks while its breast was pressed against the thorn."

"And the Gentle Breeze took the song of the Nightingale and carried it out so that the fowlers could hear it also."

Little Ethel was fast asleep and her father had to stop.



HE KNEW THEM.

Willie-Say, pop, what is a multi-millionaire? His Father—a man who under protest pays tax on about \$200,000.

In France, they have an expressive phrase, "liquid money." It means that part of the family income which is used for the necessities and luxuries of life. It is kept apart from the more serious, substantial portion of the income, which is that set aside for saving.

Raw Eczema on Hands.

"I had eczema on my hands for ten years. I had three good doctors but none of them did any good. I then used one box of Cuticura Ointment and was completely cured. My hands were raw all over, inside and out, and the eczema was spreading all over my body and limbs. Before I had used one bottle, together with the Cuticura Ointment, my sores were nearly healed over, and by the time I had used the third bottle, I was entirely well. To any one who has any skin or blood disease I would honestly advise them to fool with nothing else, but to get Cuticura and get well. My hands have never given me the least bit of trouble up to now."

"My daughter's hands this summer became perfectly raw with eczema. She could get nothing that would do them any good until she tried Cuticura. She used Cuticura Resolvent and Cuticura Ointment and in two weeks they were entirely cured. I have used Cuticura for other members of my family and it always proved successful. Mrs. M. E. Fallin, Speers Ferry, Va., Oct. 19, 1909."

Words of encouragement are as cheap as the other kind, and are worth double the price.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVES' signature is on each box.

Husbands who do not talk to their wives might do better if they had a chance.

A good honest remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Sore Throat is Hamlin's Wizard Oil. Nothing will so quickly drive out all pain and inflammation.

No baseball fan is too ignorant of mathematics to figure up the percentage of batting averages.

WHEN YOUR JOINTS ARE STIFF and muscles sore from cold, rheumatism or neuralgia, when you limp, strain or bruise yourself, use Perry Davis' Pain-Exterminator. The home remedy 70 years old.

"Third" the Most Probable.

From the Washington Star. Harrington Putnam, Judge Gaynor's successor on the New York bench, is noted for his logical mind.

Once, at a dinner at Red Lodge, his country house near Denning, Mr. Putnam gave an admirable instance of this mental quality. The conversation had turned to non-marrying widows, and Mr. Putnam disposed of the question thus:

"When a beautiful widow says that she will not marry again on any condition, it may be, first, her husband was so good that she could never care for another man again; or it may be, second, that her experience in married life was such as to make her desire no more of it; or it may be, third, that she is telling a falsehood."

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOR RHEUMATISM, BRIGHT'S DISEASE, DIABETES, BACKACHE, GRAVEL, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, HEADACHE, AND ALL KIDNEY DISEASES.

375 "Guaranteed"

French Sport.

Charles M. Schwab was talking about sport.

"The French," he said, with a laugh, "are the great sportsmen. 'Le sport'—that is their adoration. They are not only never forgetful how I watched, one afternoon, from the Casino terrace of Monte Carlo, a couple of Frenchmen in a boat shooting seagulls. The blue Mediterranean was dotted with the beautiful white dead birds. They were, of course, no use to anybody."

"I know a man who joined a great crowd about a sewer grating in the Rue St. Honoré, in Paris."

"An excited Frenchman was fishing through the grating. He lowered a strong hook baited with meat, and every three or four minutes he brought up, squealing and wriggling, a fat rat. Soon he had 30 or 40 rats lying at his feet."

"The crowd was beside itself with the excellence of this sport."

"Splendid!" It shouted, at each fresh catch. "Superbe!" "Magnifique!" "Then the gendarmes came and arrested the rat fisher. The crowd writhed with indignation. It followed the prisoner to the gendarmie. It roared:

"A bas la tyrannie! Vive le sport libre!—Down with tyranny! Hurrah for untrammelled sport!"

"My friend said there came near being a revolution."

Children Who Are Sickly.

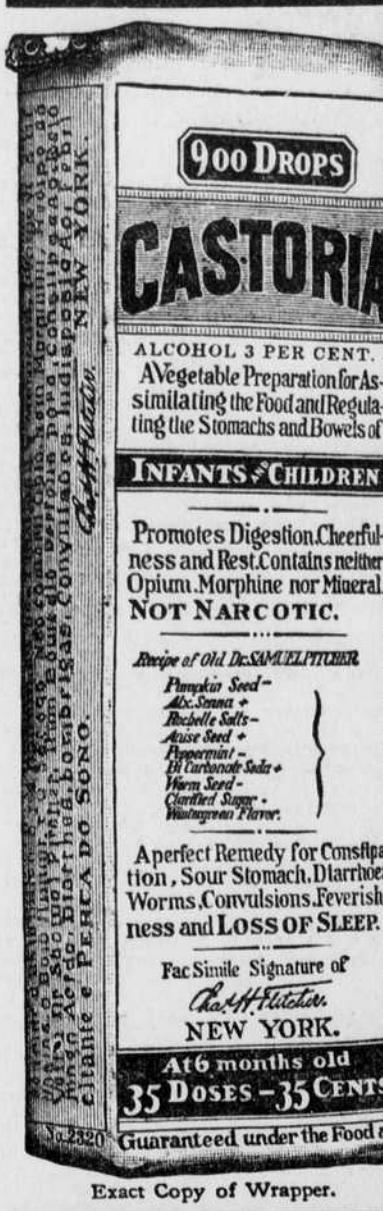
Mothers should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They break up colds in 24 hours, cure Feverishness, Constipation, Headache, Teething Disorders and Stomach Troubles. Ever 10,000 testimonials. At all Druggists, 25c. Ask to-day. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

One way to make people think you own an automobile is to buy perfume with a gasoline odor.

Free to Our Readers.

Write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, for 48-page illustrated Eye Book Free. Write all about Your Eye Trouble and they will advise as to the Proper Application of the Murine Eye Remedies in Your Special Case. Your Druggist will tell you that Murine Relieves Sore Eyes, Strengthens Weak Eyes, Does Not Smart, Soothes Eye Pain, and sells for 50c. Try It in Your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes for Red, Itchy Eyes and Granulation.

Every boy has a chance to become president, but not enough have succeeded to make more than a lonesome company.



CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

of

Dr. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over

Thirty Years

CASTORIA

Mayer Special Merit SCHOOL SHOES

"WEAR LIKE IRON" They wear best where the wear is hardest. Made of selected leather specially tanned to resist exactly the kind of wear a healthy boy or girl will give them.

Two layers of leather are sewed in at the tip instead of one, to prevent the toes kicking out. The soles are of extreme toughness.

Mayer Special Merit School Shoes are made to fit a child's foot in a comfortable, natural way that will prevent foot trouble in later years, yet they are stylish and good looking. Only the genuine have the Mayer Trade Mark stamped on the sole.

FREE—if you will send us the name of a dealer who does not handle Special Merit School Shoes, we will send you, free, post-paid, a handsome picture, size 15x20, of George Washington.

We also make Honorbilt Shoes for men, Leading Lady Shoes, Martha Washington Comfort Shoes, Yerma Cushion Shoes and Work Shoes.

F. MAYER BOOT & SHOE CO. MILWAUKEE WISCONSIN

A Barking Dog Sometimes Bites.

From Success Magazine. A Western Pennsylvania tax collector, though afflicted with stuttering, is an old gentleman of uniformly good temper, which apparently no combination of circumstances can ruffle. One morning he was asked into the "settin' room" by the lady answering his knock, and was immediately beset by a barking dog.

"Don't mind Tip," said the lady, "he's only fooling—he won't bite you."

"He w-w-w-won't, w-w-w-won't he?" said the old gentleman triumphantly. "h-h-h-h's b-b-b-b-biting me n-now."

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The live powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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

There is nothing quite so good as a good woman, or half as bad as a bad one.

A little cow hair in the butter goes a long way toward proving that it is not oleomargarine.

For Asthma, Bronchitis and all Throat Troubles Take PISO'S CURE

THE BEST MEDICINE FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

The relief is as quick as it is certain. Pleasant to take and guaranteed absolutely free from opiates.

All Druggists, 25c. each.

If afflicted with Sore Eyes, use THOMPSON'S EYE WATER

HAVE you read "A Workingman's View of the Bible" \$1.30 by mail. The O. P. Donaldson company, Webster City, Ia.

ALFALFA, corn and what land in the shallow water belt of the Panhandle. Ideal climate, fine water, cheap lands, good terms. Meharg Land company, Plainview, Tex.

My Creed. I do not fear to tread the path that those I love have long since trod. I do not fear to pass the gates and stand before the living God. In this world's fight I've done my part; If God be with me He knows it well; He will not turn His back on me and send me down to blackest hell. Because I have not prayed aloud and shrouded in the market-place. 'T is what we do, not what we say, that makes us worthy of His grace. —Jeannette L. Gilder in Putnam's.



The Tenderfoot Farmer

It was one of these experimental farmers, who put green spectacles on his cow and fed her shavings, who said that it didn't matter what the cow ate so long as she was fed. The questions of digestion and nourishment had not entered into his calculations.

It's only a "tenderfoot" farmer that would try such an experiment with a cow. But many a farmer feeds himself regardless of digestion and nutrition. He might as well eat shavings for all the good he gets out of his food. The result is that the stomach grows "weak" the action of the organs of digestion and nutrition are impaired and the man suffers the miseries of dyspepsia and the agonies of nervousness.

To strengthen the stomach, restore the activity of the organs of digestion and nutrition and brace up the nerves, use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is an un-failing remedy, and has the confidence of physicians as well as the praise of thousands healed by its use.

In the strictest sense "Golden Medical Discovery" is a temperance medicine. It contains neither intoxicants nor narcotics, and is as free from alcohol as from opium, cocaine and other dangerous drugs. All ingredients printed on its outside wrapper.

Don't let a dealer delude you for his own profit. There is no medicine for stomach, liver and blood "just as good" as "Golden Medical Discovery."

WESTERN CANADA

What Governor Deneen, of Illinois, Says About It:

Governor Deneen, of Illinois, owns a section of land in Saskatchewan, and he has said in an interview:—"As an American I am delighted to see the remarkable progress of Western Canada. Our people are flocking across the boundary in thousands and I have never met one who admitted to making a mistake. They are all doing well. There is scarcely a community in the Middle of Western States that has a representative in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta."

125 Million Bushels of Wheat in 1909

Western Canada field crops for 1909 will yield 125,000,000 bushels of wheat on 100 acres, and 170,000,000 in cash. Free homesteads of 160 acres, and pre-emption of 100 acres for \$5.00 an acre. Railway and land companies have land for sale at reasonable prices. Many farmers have sold for their land out of the proceeds of one crop. Splendid climate, good schools, excellent railway facilities, low freight rates, wood, water and lumber nearby.

For pamphlet "Last Best West," a number of other leaflets, location and low settlers' rates, apply to the nearest Canadian Government office, or to the following Canadian Gov. Agents: E. T. Holmes, 315 Jackson St., St. Paul, Minn.; J. M. MacLachlan, Box 116, Watertown, N. Dak.; and W. V. Bennett, Room 4, Bee Building, Omaha, Neb. (Use address nearest you.) Please say where you saw this advertisement.

KNOW THE CAUSE OF YOUR AILMENT FREE!

Diagnosing disease by analyzing the urine has proven a great benefit to suffering humanity as the test of urine reveals the cause of your ailments. When the cause is removed, the road to health is short and quick. A. W. Van Bysterveld, the chemist with this Company, has spent a lifetime in examining human urine and so accurate has he become that the patient tells nothing, simply send in a sample of the urine, stating age and sex, he will locate the cause of your aches and pains, describing them better than you can explain yourself. Mailing cases for sending urine and booklet sent free on request.

Van Bysterveld Medicine Co., Ltd. 33 Sheldon St., Grand Rapids, Mich.

You Can't Cure Constipation

with a whip. Harsh cathartics, through irritation, harden the bowel lining. They cause the trouble which you seek to cure. CASCARETS act like some foods. They restore a right condition.

Vest-pocket box, 10 cents—at drug-stores. People now use a million boxes monthly. 857

VETERINARY COURSE AT HOME

Learn and upward can be made taking our \$1200 Veterinary Course at home during spare time; taught in simplest English; Diploma granted; positions obtained for successful students; complete reach of all; satisfaction guaranteed; particulars free. Ontario Veterinary Correspondence School, Dept. 10, London, Canada

PATENTS

Watson E. Coleman, Washington, D. C. Books free. High references. Best results.

WANTED: Lady or Gentleman of fair education to travel for firm of large capital. Salary \$1,075 per year, payable weekly. Expenses advanced. Address Geo. Clewley, Philadelphia, Pa., Dept. 8

About the New Orange Cucumber.

From the New York World. A fruit that is half orange and half cucumber is the remarkable product of three years of careful experimenting by a young Massachusetts horticulturist, Howard S. Hill, of Gardner. He began by mixing the male pollen of the orange with the female pollen of the cucumber.

A strange looking product was the result. The color and shape are nearly that of an orange. The skin is smooth like the cucumber. The vine on which the fruit grows is but little changed from that of the cucumber. The taste of the orange-cucumber is more acid, and a little more attractive than that of the cucumber. Last year Mr. Hill mixed the male orange pollen with the female pollen of the orange-cucumber. The result was a more marked orange sort of a cucumber.

Last fall he mixed as before and the orange size and shape, the navel being distinct and full of seeds. The section marks of the orange show through the skin, but when the product is sliced into sections, do not exist within. The texture and composition are still the cucumber, though the substance is softer, the inner seeds smaller, and to the taste slightly sweet, but exceedingly agreeable.

THE KENTUCKIAN WAS PLEASED.

He Secured a Good Half-Section in Central Canada.

It is not only from Kentucky, but from thirty-five to forty different states that there comes the expression of satisfaction from those who have taken up lands in Central Canada as a free homestead or have purchased lands.

Mr. E. K. Bell, of Frankfort, Kentucky, writes to a Canadian government official, and says: "I have just returned from Alberta, overjoyed with my trip. Your literature was very flattering, but not half what I found it. I bought a half section between Calgary and Edmonton, one mile from railroad, near a good town. This is the best country I ever saw or ever expect to see. I will go in the spring and get to work on my place. I think it is the coming country of the world."

Some of the papers describe the settling of the Canadian West as "becoming a fever with a great many people. The lure of its golden promises is creeping into their hearts and many are they who are answering the call of that unsettled territory."

This paper editorially cautions its readers to exercise care and thought before moving to a distant country. This would be a wise precaution, and is exactly what the Canadian officials ask.

The success of the settler who has made Canada his home for years is the best evidence that can be offered. And of the large number of Americans who have made their homes in Canada, very few have returned. All are satisfied.

It is all right to have a policeman around, but a good conscience is better and costs less.

Wm. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children settles the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Man can be constant to three things at a time, two of which are himself, and the third in doubt.

FILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

PAYO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Files in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Man can be constant to three things at a time, two of which are himself, and the third in doubt.

Wm. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children settles the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Man can be constant to three things at a time, two of which are himself, and the third in doubt.

Wm. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children settles the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Man can be constant to three things at a time, two of which are himself, and the third in doubt.

Wm. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children settles the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Man can be constant to three things at a time, two of which are himself, and the third in doubt.

Wm. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children settles the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Man can be constant to three things at a time, two of which are himself, and the third in doubt.