

**Patience is
No Virtue!**

Be impatient with Backache!
Too patiently do many women endure backache, languor, dizziness and urinary ills, thinking them part of woman's lot. Often it is only weak kidneys and Doan's Kidney Pills would cure the case.

A MISSOURI CASE.

Mrs. H. J. Linnebur, 802 Madison St., St. Charles, Mo., says: "I was miserable from backache, pains in my head and dizziness. My housework was a burden. Doan's Kidney Pills stopped these troubles and removed annoyances from the kidney secretions. I have much to be grateful for."

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Marriage may either form one's character or reform it.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets first put up 40 years ago. They regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated tiny granules. Adv.

Counsel of Despair.

"I want a piece of meat without any bone, fat or gristle," said the bride, on her first trip to market. "Yes, ma'am," replied the butcher. "I would suggest that you take an egg."
—Youth's Companion.

Different Kind.

"I've got a chicken for you if—"
"Shh! Come over here where my wife can't hear you. Now, what's her name?"

"This is a chicken your wife ordered for your Sunday dinner."

Farms for Children.

Perhaps the smallest farms in the world, each four by eight feet, have been devised by Mrs. Henry Parsons for the International Children's School Farm league, and demonstrated in New York. Each child becomes owner of his diminutive farm, in which he works, grows and harvests seven different kinds of vegetables, and these are borne by him in triumph to his family. About each farm is an 18-inch path, which he keeps in order; under his instructor it becomes a tiny object lesson in good roads.

THE LUCKIEST MAN.



Eben—So Miss Antique is going to get married at last. Who is the lucky man?

Flo—The clergyman. He's going to get paid for it and assumes no responsibility.

SCOFFERS

Often Make the Staunchest Converts.

The man who scoffs at an idea or doctrine which he does not fully understand has at least the courage to show where he stands.

The gospel of Health has many converts who formerly laughed at the idea that coffee and tea, for example, ever hurt anyone. Upon looking into the matter seriously, often at the suggestion of a friend, such persons have found that Postum and a friend's advice have been their salvation.

"My sister was employed in an eastern city where she had to do calculating," writes an Okla. girl. "She suffered with headache until she was almost unfitted for duty."

"Her landlady persuaded her to quit coffee and use Postum and in a few days she was entirely free from headache." (Tea is just as injurious as coffee because it contains caffeine, the same drug found in coffee.) "She told her employer about it, and on trying it, he had the same experience."

"My father and I have both suffered much from nervous headache since I can remember, but we scoffed at the idea advanced by my sister, that coffee was the cause of our trouble."

"However, we finally quit coffee and began using Postum. Father has had but one headache now in four years, due to a severe cold, and I have lost my headaches and sour stomach, which I am now convinced came from coffee."

"A cup of good, hot Postum is satisfying to me when I do not care to eat a meal. Circumstances caused me to locate in a new country and I feared I would not be able to get my favorite drink, Postum, but I was relieved to find that a full supply is kept here with a heavy demand for it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pks. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest. Adv.

**LOSES HALF MILLION
ON BET AND IS HAPPY**



MRS. W. K. V ANDERBILT.

Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., is the happiest woman in New York. Why? She is about to lose a wager of \$500,000.

It isn't often that people turn giddy with glee when they lose half million dollar bets, but Mrs. Vanderbilt is an exception to the rule.

It happened this way. Two years ago Mrs. Vanderbilt began to cast about for some means of inducing her nephew, Hermann Oelrichs, Jr., then 19, not to touch liquor or tobacco until he should become of age. Finally she decided to appeal to the sporting instincts of the young man.

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"I'll bet \$500,000 you can't refrain from the use of liquor and tobacco until you become of age," she told him.

"I'll take that bet!" said young Oelrichs, before his aunt had time to withdraw it.

Now, one who has never been in touch with New York's 400 can hardly imagine how strongly temptations press upon his young members. At 19 a youth in New York society has all the opportunities that send him to swift moral and physical ruin. He has much money to spend, money which he can use to buy a ticket straight to perdition.

So young Oelrichs soon found that

VOTING—IN THE STONE AGE AND TODAY.



SINGS IN TELEPHONE PUTS BABY TO SLEEP

Stuebenville, Ohio—Putting babies to sleep by telephone is the latest innovation in social circles here.

This method of quieting fretting youngsters whose mothers leave them at home while they enjoy bridge was introduced by Mrs. Harry G. Zanier while attending an afternoon affair.

The nurse phoned Mrs. Zanier that the baby had been crying for an hour, and that she could not quiet the child.

Mrs. Zanier gave a few hurried instructions to the nurse. A moment later the guests were surprised to hear

Mrs. Zanier singing a soft lullaby into the transmitter.

The baby had been placed in a basket on a stand near the phone, the receiver to its ear, and it was lulled into dreamland by the soothing tones of the mother's voice. In five minutes she had resumed her place at the card table.

Might Give Her Away.
From the Baltimore American.
"All of the party were weighed but Mabel, and she would not go on the scales."

"Well, you know she is trying to get up a reputation for losing flesh, and I guess she was afraid the scales would give her a weight."

ROYALTY WELCOMES THE AMERICAN SETTLER

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS, THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT, WELCOMES AMERICANS TO CANADA.

It was a happy speech, that on that beautiful October day, the Duke of Connaught, Governor-General of Canada, made at Macleod, Alberta. It was an opportune speech, heartfelt and resonant with good fellowship. And, as it was specially intended for American ears, the audience, comprised largely of so many American settlers in Canada, the time and place could not have been better chosen.

It was in reply to an address of welcome tendered to him at the pretty city of Macleod, with the foothills of the Rockies as a setting, and the great wheat fields between, and in fact all around the place as the foreground, that His Highness, true to the best interests of the country and to those of the Americans who choose to make Canada their home, said in part:

"I am well aware that among those whom I am now addressing, there are a very great proportion who were not born under the British flag. Most of these will have realized by now that residence under that flag implies no disabilities. All we ask is that the laws of Canada should be obeyed.

"With this provision every one is free to come and go, to marry, to live and to die as seems best to him, and as it pleases Providence.

"We bring no pressure to bear on anyone to adopt the Canadian nationality, for we do not value citizenship which is obtained under compulsion.

"Our American cousins are welcome from over the border. Thrice we welcome our Canadian and British brothers, who return to the Union Jack, after living under the Stars and Stripes.

"History is repeating itself. For many years hundreds of young Britishers have sought fortune in the western States. Time has brought about a change, and the tide has set in the other direction, bringing across the frontier numbers of our neighbors to whom we are glad to return hospitalities.

"One of the chief dispensers of such hospitality in proportion to its population has, as we have said, changed its character from an important cattle town to a thriving wheat producing area.

"What it has lost from the picturesque point of view, it has gained in the material side, and I wish, in conclusion, to express the hope that the prosperity which has evinced itself here for the past ten years, may continue unabated in the future."

There is no reason why at a hundred places on this educative, instructive and interesting trip of His Royal Highness he might not have expressed himself in the same terms, and on each occasion, addressed large gatherings of Americans who are now settled on the prairies of Western Canada.—Advertisement.

Stretching It Some.

The men were boasting about their rich kin. Said one: "My father has a big farm in Connecticut. It is so big that when he goes to the barn on Monday morning to milk the cows he kisses us all goodbye, and he doesn't get back till the following Saturday."

"Why does it take him so long?" the other asked.

"Because the barn is so far away from the house."

"Well, that may be a pretty big farm, but compared to my father's farm in Pennsylvania your father's farm ain't no bigger than a city lot!"

"Why, how big is your father's farm?"

"Well, it's so big that my father sends young married couples out to the barn to milk the cows, and the milk is brought back by their grandchildren."

Calumet Ends "Bad Luck."

Remember when you were a youngster, what a trial baking day was? If Mother was lucky, everything went finely—but if she had "bad luck" her cakes and her pies and her bread were failures. Her success in baking seemed to depend almost altogether on "luck."

Nowadays there's no such thing as "baking luck." At least, not in the kitchen of the up-to-date cooks. Simply because Calumet Baking Powder has smashed that old-time idea. It has made baking sure of success. It has made inexperienced cooks able to bake perfectly, and day after day it is saving hundreds of dollars' worth of time and materials by doing away with costly failures.

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His Suspicions Aroused.

Lecturer—All statistics prove that the blonde woman is more difficult to get along with than the brunette.

Astonished Man in the Audience (starting up)—Are you certain of the fact?

Lecturer—It is a fact. Astonished Man—Then I believe my wife's black hair is dyed.

After Dinner Joke.

In the great Pecos valley apple country of New Mexico the latest arrival is always asked:

"What is worse than biting into an apple and finding a worm?"
He is stumped. They tell him, "Finding half a worm."

More Exact.

"I'm afraid Jukes is a regular rounder."
"Oh, no, Jukes is a very irregular rounder."

A PENALTY OF AGE

The tendency of advancing years to restrict activity and exercise is responsible for the constipated condition of most elderly people. The wear of years impairs the action of the bowels and the digestive organs are more sensitive to the demands upon them and rebel more quickly. Cathartics and purgatives are violent and drastic in their action and should not be used to correct constipation. A mild, yet positively effective remedy, and one that is recommended by physicians as well as by thousands who have used it, is the compound of simple laxative herbs with pepsin prescribed by Dr. W. B. Caldwell over thirty years ago and now sold by druggists everywhere under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Dr. Caldwell wants everyone troubled with constipation to try Syrup Pepsin and will send a trial bottle, free of charge, to all who write for it. Address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 203 West St., Monticello, Ill. Adv.

WISE FATHER.



Allis—What did papa say when you asked him for my hand?

Alfred—He said he guessed I'd find it in the pocket he carried his money in.

JUDGE CURED, HEART TROUBLE.

I took about 6 boxes of Dodds Kidney Pills for heart trouble from which I had suffered for 5 years. I had dizzy spells, my eyes puffed, my breath was short and I had chills and backache. I took the pills about a year ago and have had no return of the palpitations. Am now 63 years old, able to do lots of manual labor, am well and hearty and weigh about 200 pounds. I feel very grateful that I found Dodds Kidney Pills and I may publish this letter if you wish. I am serving my third term as Probate Judge of Gray Co. Yours truly, PHILIP MILLER, Cimarron, Kan.

Judge Miller.

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Not Needed.

While a traveling man was waiting for an opportunity to show his samples to a merchant in a little backwoods town in Missouri, a customer came in and bought a couple of night-shirts. Afterwards a long, lank, lumberman, with his trousers stuffed in his boots, said to the merchant:

"What was them 'ere that feller bot?"

"Night shirt. Can I sell you one or two?"

"Naup, I reckon not," said the Missourian; "I don't set around much o' nights."—Lippincott's.

Parched.

"He says she made his life a Sahara."
"Maybe that's why he has such a terrible thirst."

Sympathetic Affliction.

"Don't you think Jack ought to feed that cold? He is a little hoarse."
"He is—with hay fever."

To Women

Do Not Delay

If you are convinced that your sickness is because of some derangement or disease distinctly feminine, you ought at once bring to your aid

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Reverse Proceeding.
"Did you find Mabel in, after all, when you called?"
"Yes; that's how I found her out."

Extremes.
"Ought these two articles to go under the same heading?"
"No; they are not on the same footing."

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CANADA'S OFFERING TO THE SETTLER

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