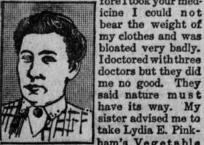
# HOW MRS. BROWN SUFFERED

During Change of Life-How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Her a Well Woman.

Iola, Kansas. - "During the Change of Life I was sick for two years. Be-fore I took your med-



ham's Vegetable Compound and I purchased a bottle. Before it was gone the bloating left me and I was not so sore. I continued taking it until I had taken twelve bottles. Now I am stronger than I have been for years and can do all my work, even the washing. Your medicine is worth its weight in gold. I cannot praise it enough. If more women would take your medicine there would be more healthy women. You may use this let-ter for the good of others."-Mrs. D. H. BROWH, 809 N. Walnut St., Iola, Kan.

Change of Life is one of the most critical periods of a woman's existence. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

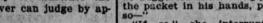
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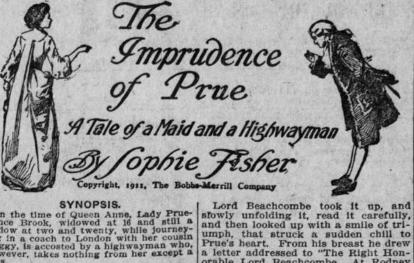


The Pompous Man-Why, sir, I'm a er-er-self-made man.

The Lean Chap-When are you going to call the strike off and complete the job.

Not Altogether a Case of Love. Here is a story to illustrate the point that one never can judge by ap-





In the time of Queen Anne, Lady Prue-ence Brook, widowed at 16 and still a ridow at two and twenty, while journey-og in a coach to London with her cousin 'eggy, is accosted by a highwayman who, owever, takes nothing from her except a is.

The two girls live with their grand-mother, Lady Drumloch, who, despite her educed circumstances, maintains a gay social position in the court circle.

Prue is small, gay, delightful, daring, xtravagant, and always in debt.

She is perpetually pursued by creditors and just now is in deep water for want of a few guineas with which to buy a new gowp by whose aid she hopes to win back the queen's favor, very recently lost by one of her mad pranks.

She decides to visit Aaron's a notorious money lender, and asks him to take care of her debts on the strength of her ap-proaching marriage to Sir Geoffrey Beau-desert.

Aaron informs her, however, that Beau-desert is himself head over heels in debt and while Prue is still in his office Sir Geoffrey arrives.

Prue at once secrets herself in a closet and to her astonishment overhears Bir Geoffrey ask for advances of money, also on the strength of their engagement.

Prue reads in a paper an account of the trial and sentence of Robin Freemantle, the highwayman who had kissed her on the moors, and that he is to be hanged at Tyburn the following Monday.

Suddenly she recalls that according to legal custom the debts of a widow "are buried in the coffin of her husband."

She conceives the whimsical idea of marrying Robin in order to escape her debts.

Accompanied by Peggy she visits New-gate prison and Robin, who is already in love with her, consents to the ceremony.

Afterward Prue asks to be alone with him for a few minutes and allows him to kiss her again and feels pity for his ap-proaching execution.

Lord Beaucombe also visits Robin and Robin tells him that he has proof that Beaucombe is not the legitimate hair to the title and threatens if he is not re-leased to see that proof of this fact gets to Beaucombe's enemies.

On Monday Peggy is suffering keenly because of her belief that Robin, now be-ginning to be a hero in her eyes, is about to be hanged she is astonished at seeing him enter the house and is told that he has been reprieved and set at liberty.

For his freedom Robin, whose real name in DeCliffe, agrees to make over to Lord Beaucombe a paper conveying his claim to the title and estate to him.

He has no sooner done this than Lord Beaucombe treacherously tries to capture him. Robin by cleverly disguising him-self in a borrowed coat and hat and using Lord Beaucombe's horse, escapes.

## CHAPTER XXI-(Continued.)

She checked herself quickly, though not quite unobserved. Beachcombe, of course, did not suspect anything so preposterous as that Prue could be in-terested in the highwayman, beyond the fact that he had mide her the heroine of a successful escapade, but her change of countenance, slight as it was, and her gesture, though in-stantly diverted to a readjustment of the rose at her breast, did not escape his keen eye. "You recognize the superscription?" he suggested insinuatingly. "You saw the packet in his hands, perhaps? If-

"If so," she interrupted quickly, "you have little chance of recovering it, since 'tis said he was drowned last night." stow upon him. Oh! you need not thank me" (he had no intention of do-ing so): "I am always glad to oblige an old friend. And pray do not hurry away; I hear the voice of my gossip, Barbara Sweeting, and presently the rest of London will flock round me to repeat what every one is saying about me, and find out something new to tell in their turn. You, who have given me so much information, can help me to entertain them." "If I could only believe that true," "If I could only believe that true," he exclaimed florcely, "But no; he es-caped; there can be no doubt of that; in fact, I have reason to know—" "To know that he is safe," she cried in a thrilling accent of unmistakable joy. "Oh, heaven"—then suddenly she remembered that this man was his enemy and desired his death. She stopped short and then went on hur-riedly, conscious that she had betrayed herself—"is it possible that this—this CHAPTER XXII. self-"is it possible that this-this creant is still alive and at libthis IN A CHAIRMAN'S LIVERY. miscreant is stind the dubiously, but al-erty?" He looked at her dubiously, but al-though a growing suspicion that she was acting a part disturbed him, it did not yet enlighten him with any ray of the truth. "I am as sure of it, as I am that he pursued you at the ball, under cover of my domino-and, for his pun-ishment, fell in love with you," he said holdly. Lady Barbara rustled into the room in the most expansive of hoops and the loftlest of heads of lace and feathers, the height, literally, of the mode. "Prue, you sly minx, I have come to give you the scolding you deserve," she began, and half mirthful, half re-proachful, was about to embrace her when her glance fell upon Lord Beach-combe. She started back and turned her eyes from one to the other with ex-aggerated disapproval, behind which lurked the excitement of the keen hunter on a promising trail. Beachcombe's dark face flushed with an embarrassment that he vainly at-tempted to conceal under the elaborate politeness of his greeting, but Prue, all innocent smiles, and thoroughly en-joying a situation which put her in-quisitor to confusion, flew into her dear friend's arms. "How are you, dearest Bab?" she cried. "I am simply perishing for a long, long talk with you. Oh! I have so much to tell you-" Lady Barbara rustled into the roo he pursued you at the ball, under prover of my domino-and, for his pun-ishment, feil in love with you," he characterization of the provent o

part in finding of the jewel-and the thief." "La!" cried Barbara, smiling enig-matically. "How unfortunate that the necklace has been returned and the thief arrested without your assistince!

ther arrested without your assist-ance!"
"Arrested!" her auditors exclaimed together, but in very different tones. Lord Beachcombe's vibrated with grat-ified hatred, Prue's trembled with dis-may. The color dropped from her cheek, and but for Peggie's prompti-tude, her agitation would have be-trayed her beyond concealment. She, however, had been hovering on the threshold trying to attract her cousin's attention, and now ran forward with great vivacity, and by a torrent of eager questions, drew attention to her-self and gave Prue time to recover from her perturbation, though not be-fore it had been observed with malic-ious inference by Lord Beachcombe. "Why, truly, I scarcely expected to bring news to the fountain-head," Barbara ran on. "Yet 'tis a fact, my poor Prue, that your romance has a very commonplace finale. 'Tis no dash-ing exploit of a bold highwayman, after all, no hairbreadth escape from a robber's den, but merely the out-come of an intrigue between a cham-bermaid and a scrivener's clerk; and a fit of vulgar jealousy has pricked the bubble of your romance, my love!" Greatly to the astonishment of both her vsitors, Prue's face, instead of falling in dismay, became irradiated with the loveliest expression of joy. Her eyes, softly luminous, swan in a rapturous mist and dimples played in the damask that suddenly drove the pallor from her cheek. Such a trans-formation could hardly fall to aston-ish even those most accustomed to the swift variations of this creature of caprice. "Tell us quickly, dear Barbara," she "Arrested!" her auditors exclaimed

a letter addressed to "The Right Hon-orable Lord Beachcombe. At Rodney House, Saint James' Park, London," and placing the two papers side by side, contemplated them with vindic-tive satisfaction. "There can be no further doubt," he said. See for yourself, Viscountess, the writing is identical." She looked, and had some difficulty in maintaining her indifference. Fur-

She looked, and had some difficulty in maintaining her indifference. Fur-lous at herself for having given Beachcombe an opportunity to confirm his suspicions, she had just enough self-command left to see that it was a case of qui s'excuse s'accuse, and that any attempt at explanation would only plunge her into an inextricable tangle of falsehood. So she merely remarked, in as casual a tone as she could as-sume, "La me! how curious!" and stretched out her hand for her own document.

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**TAKE PERUNA FOR COUGHS AND COLDS** 

> If you used Pe- | to do great injury. After the expectors runa at the begin-tion has been properly removed the cough ning of every cold will stop itself. That is the only proper you would then ap- way to stop a cough. preciate the value of this great rem- irritable condition of the larynx or bronedy. Do not wait until the cold has expectoration. fastened itself upon you. Take it at the first symptom. This is the way to ward off the cold be added. so that it does you no harm.

the beginning of a S. B. HARTMAN, M. D. cold prevents a nbus, Ohio cough entirely.

Yes, I mean what I say. It prevents a cough. A cough is an effort to expel catarrhal discharges in the bronchial tubes. There would be no catarrhal discharges in the bronchial tubes if Pe- you will receive prompt answer. runa was taken at the beginning of a cold, therefore there would be no cough. Don't I want to stop it before it really begins. you catch the point?

stop it just as quickly as it ought to may not recover from during your whole be stopped. To stop a cough before all life. Yes, I do. You do your part. I of the expectoration has been removed is will do mine. No. 54.

Peruna used in

Its Natural Place. "Where is this site you're talking about for your suburban cottage?" "As yet, it is all in my eye."

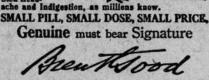
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Only Kind They Go To. "She wrote her name on a net egg.'

"That's a good way to catch some one with money."

Distinction.

Cora was fond of all-inclusive prayers, and one night she offered the following discriminating petition: "Lord, please bless mother and father and all of us, and give us everything good; and please bless our friends, and give them what is good for them!"-Harper's Magazine.



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CARTERS

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Occasionally a cough depends upon an

chial tubes, in which there is little or no

The problem of stopping such a cough

is a slightly different one. Even in those

cases Peruna ought to be taken, but some-

times it is necssary that local treatment

But in any case Peruna is needed. You

do not have to stop to write me. Get

Peruna at once and commence taking it.

You can get rid of that cough sooner I

Should you wish to consult me at any

time while you are taking Peruna you are

at perfect liberty to write me. Your let-ters will be held strictly confidential and

I want to stop that cough of yours.

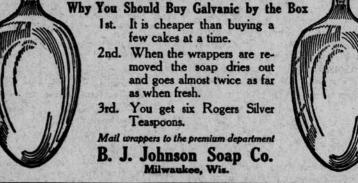
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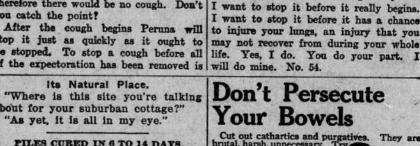
Pettit's Eye Salve Sore Eyes



THESE SPOONS must not be confused with the USUAL premium silverware. The spoons shown HERE are the same as you would buy at your jewelers. They are GENUINE Rogers ware, the beautiful and exclusive LaVigne or Grape pattern, finished in the fashionable French Gray. Each spoon is guaranteed extra heavy A 1 silver plate on, a WHITE metal base. With ordinary wear they will last a life time.

Here is the Offer One spoon given for 20 Galvanic Soap wrappers (front panel only) and one 2c stamp or SIX SPOONS for 100 Galvanic wrappers and five 2c stamps. Coupons from Johnson's Washing Powder count the same as wrappers.





CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

Purely vegetable. gently on the liv

"A young boy with golden curls, a regular cherub in appearance, was on the front porch playing with a little dog and putting him through a lot of s. The minister passed by and was struck by the appearance of the little chap and the celerity with which the dog obeyed all his commands.

"'Ah, little boy,' he said, 'you must love your dog. Are you good to

rol' answered the cherub.

"'And I suppose he loves you,

Well, if he didn't mind me, knock his blooming block off,' was the unexpected retort of the child."

### Unpicked Grapes Go to the Poor.

A curious old law, which dates from 1779. has been used to sentence the owner of a vineyard at Capestang, costs for ploking her own grapes. She was picking the grapes which had been left on the vines in her vineyard after the fall gathering, when the policeman told her that she was committing an offense against the law, as all grapes deft on the vines after the harvest were the property of the poor. The court at Beziers confirmed the policeman's opinion, and the woman was

### Misunderstood.

ar that in the club Miss Oldgirl was considered a bone of con-

"Law, no, Mame; they don't think



101 do not scour; they do not gripe; they do not IUNYON'S weaken; but they do -PAW start all the seco PILLS of the liver and stomach in a way that soon puts these organs in a healthy condition and

orrects constipation. Munyon's Paw-Paw Pills are a tonic to the stomach, liver and They invigorate instead of weaken; arich the blood instead of impoverhing it; they enable the stomach to get all the nourishment from food that is put into Price 25 cents. All Druggists

"Not so much as you think, perhaps, wicked one," retorted Barbara, still re-proachfully, "but I own I am dying for the key to your mysterious adven-

in the new success, "and the avent, with a second of the second the bird's at the second t

necting him with this affair?" she re-torted, facing him defiantly. "For my part, I am now thoroughly convinced that it was a very vulgar matter and that I have been made a fool and a tool of by a pack of low wretches. Do not let any one who does not wish to offend me, ever mention my part in it again." "On the contrary—" Barbara was be-ginning, when Peggie, from the win-

ginning, when Peggie, from the win-dow, uttered a cry of admiration. "Is that your new chair at the door, Barbara?" she cried. "Sure, 'tis the

Barbara?" she cried. "Sure, 'tis the finest in town!" "Ah! I had for the moment forgotten —'twas but to display it I came here this afternoon—to show that and to scold Prue for a faithless friend." They all followed her to the window, and in the street below stood a most superb sedan chair, all carving and gilding, lined and curtained with crim-son, and borne by four strapping foot-

son, and borne by four strapping foot-ment in liveries to match. "Tis truly magnificent," cried Lord Beachcombe. "All the world admires Beachcombe. "All the world admires the taste of Lady Barbara Sweeting, but this time she has given us some-tihng to marvel at."



New York-Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bailey of New Orleans, who recently arrived in the Waldorf-Astoria, long have had a fancy to own a talking

parrot. Mr. Balley bought a bird yesterday. It talked well. Mrs. Balley today left "Barbara," as the bird was christened, in her room in the Waldorf.

The telephone attracted the bird's at-tention. She flopped around and knocked off the receiver and fumbled

The sin that is spared because it pays is the one that kills.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

There is nothing a man will do with so little encouragement as fishing.

Only One "BBOMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day, Cures Grip in Two Days. Zc.

The right way to brighten the world is to do a good deal of your shining at home.

Natural Result. "That girl rings true." "Of course. She is a fine belle."

If you want people to take it.

## No Nostalgia.

H. Atterbury Smith, who, with his open stairway plan promises to revolutionize the tenement house, said in new York:

"The open stairway tenement, with its abundance of sunshine and fresh air, will make a tenement apartment actually a home. The tenement dwell. er of the future needn't feel like Capt. Salt.

"'I've sailed the seas for 57 years,' Capt. Salt, a seasoned old 'shellback,' boasted.

"'Don't you ever get homesick, captain?' a lady asked.

"'Homesick? Me homesick?' said Capt. Salt. 'No-sir-ee! I ain't home enough for that.'"

The devil considers it safe to sleep Charge for the advice you hand out in the church where the preaching keeps nobody awake.

## Why Women Have Nerves

The "blues"—anxiety—sleeplessness—and warnings of pain and dis-tress are sent by the nerves like flying messengers throughout body and limbs. Such feelings may or may not be accompanied by backache or headache or bearing down. The local disorders and inflammation, if there is any, should be treated with Dr. Pierce's Lotion Tablets. Then the nervous system and the entire womanly make-up feels the tonic effect of

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