



Miss Rose Hennessy, well known as a poetess and elocutionist, of Lexington, Ky., tells how she was cured of uterine inflammation and ovaritis by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I have been so blessedly helped through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I feel it but just to acknowledge it, hoping that it may help some other woman suffering as I did. For years I enjoyed the best of health and thought that I would always do so. I attended parties and receptions thickly clad, and would be suddenly chilled, but I did not think of the results. I caught a bad cold eighteen months ago while menstruating, and this caused inflammation of the womb and congested ovaries. I suffered excruciating pains and kept getting worse. My attention was called to your Vegetable Compound and the wonderful cures it had performed, and I made up my mind to try it for two months and see what it would do for me. Within one month I felt much better, and at the close of the second I was entirely well.

I have advised a number of my lady friends to use it, and all express themselves as well satisfied with the results as I was."—Miss Rose Nona Hennessy, 116 S. Broadway, Lexington, Ky.

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"You cannot realize how pleased I was, and after taking the medicine for only three months, I found that I was completely cured of my trouble, and have been well and hearty ever since, and no more fear the monthly period, as it now passes without pain to me. Yours very truly, Miss Pearl Adams, 327 North Sumner St., Nashville, Tenn."

When a medicine has been successful in restoring to health more than a million women, you cannot well say without trying it, "I do not believe it will help me." If you are ill, do not hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and write Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for special advice. Her advice is free and helpful. Write to-day. Delay may be fatal.

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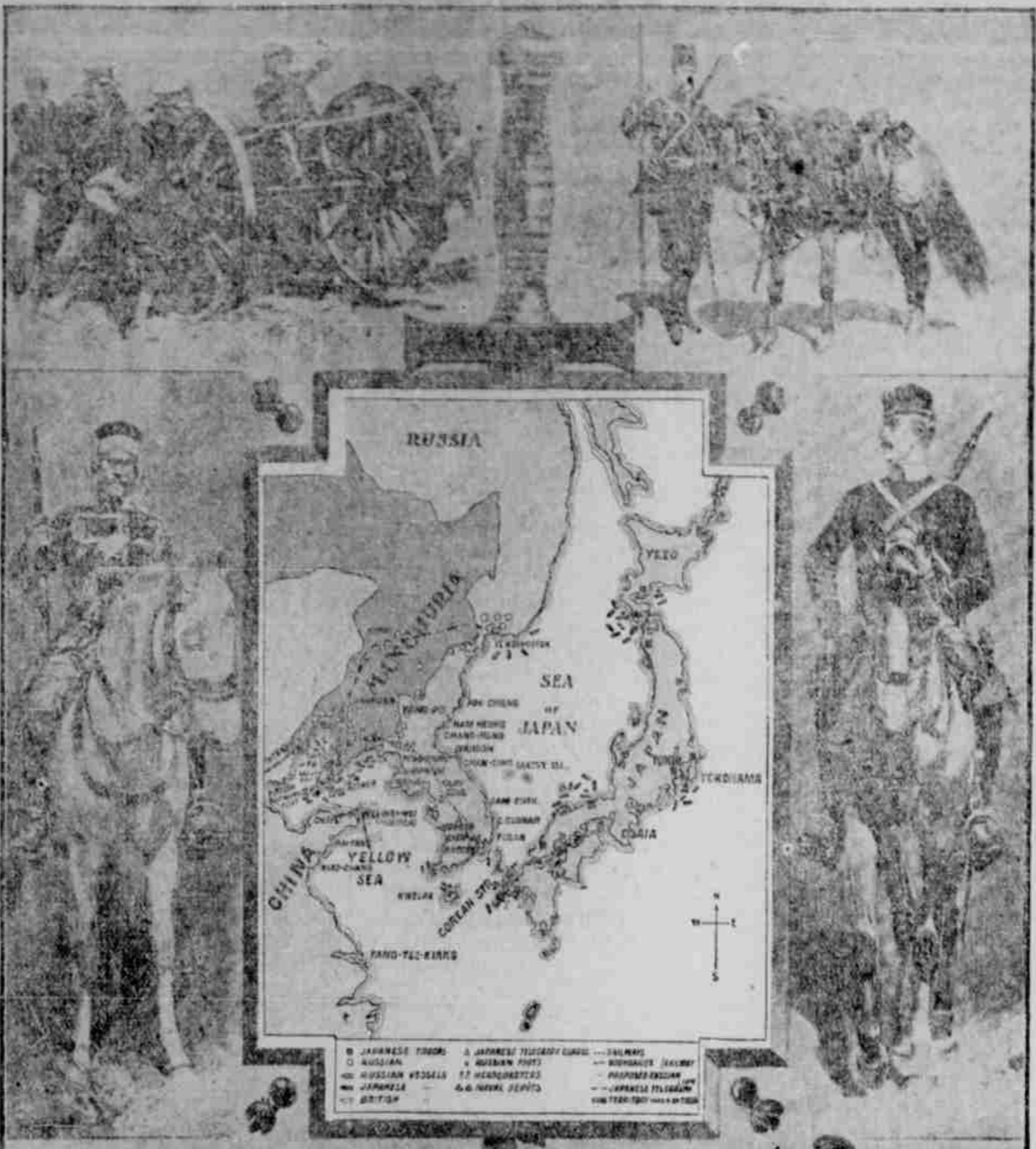
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THE WAR CLOUD IN THE FAR EAST: THREATENED RUSSO-JAPANESE HOSTILITIES



JAPAN. Field Artillery. Cavalryman. Infantry Skirmishing.

Map of the Probable Scene of Operations and Types of the Soldier of the Rival Nations.

RUSSIA. Cossack of the Line. Dragon. Field Artillery.

A dispatch to the London Daily Mail from Seoul says that M. Pavloff, the Russian minister at Seoul, has notified the Korean government that Korean troops have crossed the Chinese boundary repeatedly and committed excesses against the inhabitants. Russian customs officials on the extreme northeastern border report similar occurrences and assert that the Koreans are burning villages and killing people. Minister Pavloff warned the authorities that such proceedings will necessitate severe measures.

Riots have broken out at Chuyng Chyngdo, in the province of Piynggan, Korea.

Bennett, Burleigh, in dispatches from Tokyo, says: "Negotiations probably will proceed for four days more. You may discount continental assurances of Russia's complete acceptance of Japan's terms. Such reports are manufactured. They cannot retard action when the hour has arrived."

"A vast amount of material, including much of that needed for transport purposes, is packed and awaiting shipment in the arsenals. The Japanese show much ingenuity and smartness in that militant department. Indeed, that class of material is being requisitioned early, and much of it is on board ship."

"The cables are full of pacific news, but remember what I have previously said, Russia is not ready for war, and cannot be for several months to come. Therefore the protraction of the negotiations is convenient to her. It would also be an empty diplomatic triumph to secure an open door unless it is enforced, when to-day the whole administration of Manchuria and its enormous property is already in Russia's hands. She is master there unless she is made to withdraw her troops and administrators."

"At the dinner given by the leading Japanese bankers, the chairman, in the course of his speech, said that if it occurred it would be much more a serious affair than the war with China. Japan, he said, could meet the east. Japan's volume of trade was now fourfold greater than it was then. She need not borrow money abroad, but would be able to arrange without doing so for a two or three years' struggle. Already corporations and private persons are offering funds for the war chest. In Tokyo, with the prospects for a great war in view, the demonstrations are quiet. There is no cheering, but crowds of weeping women, the movement of the ships, and the active preparations of the troops make impressive scenes."

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Wealthy English Brewer.

Rupert Guinness, who was recently married in England, will some day be one of the richest men in the British empire. As the eldest son of Lord Iveagh, he is the direct heir to one of the largest fortunes that has ever been amassed in the brewing trade. The Guinness company was recently floated at a capital of \$25,000,000, and Lord Iveagh retained a big share in the concern.

Pretty Nearly Perfect.

Senator Matthew Stanley Quay Critted into the lobby of the Arlington in Washington in a speck and upon new suit of clothes and a Southern member of congress congratulated him upon his appearance. "Good fit—oh!" said Quay, much pleased. "Fit! Sets better'n a bull, senator!" was the reply.

An Old Saw in a New Setting.

The average girl doesn't understand why new wine should not be put into old bottles, but she does know definitely why new girls should not be put into old gowns.

HUMOR OF THE DAY

Texas Would Take No Chances.

Representative Bob Henry of Texas as tells the following story: "Word came one day to a man who lives down in my part of Texas that his mother-in-law had died in St. Louis. The first telegram was followed by another one which read: 'Shall we bury or cremate her?' 'The Texas man wired back: 'Both; take no chances.'—Washington Post.

After the Eviction.

"In one respect at least," said Eve, "you have been an exceptional husband." "How's that?" queried Adam. "You have never once pronounced my biscuits inferior to the ones your mother used to manufacture," she replied.

Between the Acts.

"You don't look like an inebriate," "I'm not." "And yet you say when you went to get a drink many people were moved?" "Yes, they had to stand up while I came down through the orchestra aisle!"

"A Pair of Old Slippers."

By local application, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear, there is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed, it causes the drum to vibrate and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result. As the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be restored forever; also cases of ear are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by this Great Curative. Write to H. C. CHESNEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Great Luck for a Suburbanite.

Suburban—Of all the marvelous things! Did you hear about the servant girl Backlotz took out from the city with her yesterday? Citizen—No, she's going to stay, is she? Suburban—I should say so. He induced her to buy the place for only a few hundred dollars less than he paid for it.—Philadelphia Press.

Driven To It.

"I've come to see a printer," said the little man. "Any printer in particular?" asked the foreman. "Oh, anyone will do. I would prefer a small one, but I've got to make some sort of a show at night or leave home, since the paper called my wife's tea-party a 'swill affair.'"

This is Awful.

"I beg your pardon," said the fat passenger, who had just slipped a stranger on the back, "but that suit you have on is a dead ringer for one worn by a friend of mine." "Ah, I see," rejoined the stranger. "Sort of clothes-ringer, as it were."

His Advice.

"Frankly, madam," said the honest salesman, "I wouldn't advise you to take that gown." "Why not?" asked the woman. "It doesn't match your complexion," he explained. "Oh, well," she replied carelessly, "I can change the complexion."

Faithless Faith.

Miggles—"Why do you think Fentley has no faith in his new alibi?" Wiggles—"He took out three accident insurance policies last week."

As Usual.

Micky—Say, Swipsy, what do yer expect to have in yer stocking Christmas mornin'?" Swipsy (mournfully)—Holes!

Information Wanted.

Mary—Do you think the ice is hard enough to skate on, Willie?

Style Necessary.

Mrs. Nuriel—Our daughter is to be married to-morrow and we want a couple of officers to guard the present.

Chief of Detectives—Yes, madam.

I'll send two of my best plain-clothes men— Mrs. Nuriel—That would never do. We want them to wear the handsomest uniforms they've got. This is to be a swell wedding.

A Wrong Simile.

"Ah," he protested, "my love for you is the greatest thing in the world. It is larger than the world. It is wider than the sea. Let me pour it into your ears." "Sir!" ejaculated the fair maid. "Do you mean to insinuate anything about the size or shape of my ears?"

A Childish Comment.

"Why don't you get married, Aunt Janet?" asked the little one. "I don't wish to, child," replied the elderly spinster. "The little one looked at her reprovingly. "Mamma says it's wrong to lie," she remarked at last.

ALL DONE OUT.

Veteran Joshua Heller of 706 S. Walnut Street, Urbana, Ill., says: "In the fall of 1899 after taking Doan's Kidney Pills I told the readers of this paper that they had relieved me of kidney trouble, disposed of a lame back with pain across my loins and beneath the shoulder blades. During the interval which has elapsed I have had occasion to resort to Doan's Kidney Pills when I noticed warnings of an attack. On each and every occasion the results obtained were just as satisfactory as when the pills were first brought to my notice. I just as emphatically endorse the preparation to-day as I did over two years ago."

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

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Use Red Cross Ball Blue and keep them white as snow. All grocers. 5c a package.

The man who licks dust life never regards himself as the least bit selfish.

London's Campaign Against Rats.

London's campaign against the dock rats has progressed satisfactorily. According to the official reports of the rat killers, over 5,000 of the rodents have been killed every month of the past year. Since the bubonic plague scare round the authorities to action, not less than 250,000 rats have been killed. The gain has been great, not only from the health point of view, but in the saving of property. The destructive capacity of the London wharf rat is very large, individually and collectively.

Medicinal Bones and Horns.

A writer in the Pharmaceutical Journal remarks that considerable traffic is carried on in the present time in the bones of the tahr, the native name for the wild goat, Capra lemnia, which frequents the steep tree covered slopes of the Himalayan range, and which horns are exported to India, being employed as an imaginary never failing remedy for rheumatism. Again, the antlers of the Altai wapiti, of the deer tribe, are exported, it is said, to China, realizing a very high price where they are much esteemed for medicinal purposes, while the horns of the Sumatran rhinoceros are imported by, and valued in, the same country as a supposed means of countering disease.

Worry

A Sure Starter for Ill Health.

Useless worrying (a form of nervousness) is indirectly the result (through the nerves) of improper feeding. A furniture man of Memphis says: "About a year ago I was afflicted with nervous spells, would worry so over trivial things. I went to consult one of the best physicians in Memphis and he asked among many questions if I drank coffee. 'His advice was: 'Go to some provision store and get a box of Postum, drink it in place of coffee and as you are confined to your desk to a great extent try and get out in the open air as much as possible.' I followed his instructions regarding the Postum. 'At that time my weight was 112 and I was taking all kinds of drugs and medicines to brace me up, but all failed; to-day I weigh 165 and all of my old troubles are gone, and all the credit is due to having followed this wise physician's advice and cut off the coffee and using Postum in its place. I now consider my health perfect. I am willing to go before a notary public and testify that it was all due to my having used Postum in place of coffee.' Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. There's a reason for quitting the drug-drink coffee, and there's a reason for drinking Postum. Trial 10 days proves them all. Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, 'The Road to Wellville.'"