

EDITORS' IDEAS.

A Preventive of Family Jars.

With great tact Florence Hull Winterburn, in the January Woman's Home Companion, handles the subject of family quarrels under the caption, "A house divided against itself."

The Impediment in the Way.

Whatever may be Mr. Wolcott's future relations to the McKinley administration, his efforts to withdraw himself from its support to the attitude of opposition will be attended with difficulties not fully understood by the average observer.

President Working for Bankers.

President McKinley recommends that the government legal tender notes (greenbacks) be retired and the bankers be allowed to issue their bank notes in their place.

Cotton and Silver.

Cotton manufacturing in Mexico is flourishing, but in New England the wages of 40,000 operatives have been cut 10 per cent because of poor business.

In Mexico the conditions of success are made possible because of the free coinage of silver and the premium on gold, which serves as a barrier against imports from gold countries.

In discussing this question the Mexican Financier says: "Mexico's importations of cotton cloth from England during the past ten months have declined 7,862,600 yards, or 19 per cent, contrasted with imports for the same time last year, and imports from the United States have decreased 1,531,135 yards, or 25 per cent."

New mills are going up in Mexico, and those now in operation are reported to be making from 40 to 60 per cent profit on their product.

Another important factor in the causing of poor business for the New England mills is the retaliation of Canada for the Dingley bill. As proof of this statement, the following monthly record of exports of cotton goods to Canada since the enactment of the Dingley law, in comparison with the same months last year, is significant:

Table with 2 columns: Month and Exports of cotton cloth to Canada (yards). Rows include July, August, September, and October.

TRY GRAIN-O! TRY GRAIN-O!

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it with milk and enjoy it as well as the adult. All who try GRAIN-O will be convinced that it is the most healthful and most economical food drink that can be used. It is the price of coffee, but it is not coffee. It is the price of coffee, but it is not coffee. It is the price of coffee, but it is not coffee.

churches and colleges to relieve him of some of his riches.—Galveston Independent.

The goldbugs may make all the fun they can of Attorney General Smythe because he parts his hair in the middle and spells Smith with a "y," but they can't dispel the fact that he is carrying out his campaign promises to the letter—namely, sending goldbug defrauders to the pen as fast as the supreme court will permit.—Paphion Times.

When it costs \$25,000 to get elected to congress, \$100,000 to get elected to the senate, \$1,000,000 to get elected to the presidency, if the poor but well informed and progressive workman cannot see that his opportunities in this country are equal to the rich man's, it must be because he is "prejudiced against the rich."—Knox County Recorder.

A PLAGUE OF THE NIGHT

Itching Piles and Other Rectal Troubles Easily Cured by a New and Safe Method.

A Remarkable Number of Cures Made by the Pyramid Pile Cure.

About one person in every four suffers from some form of rectal disease. The most common and annoying is itching piles, indicated by warmth, slight moisture, intense, uncontrollable itching in the parts affected.

The usual treatment has been some simple ointment or salve, which sometimes give temporary relief, but nothing like a permanent cure can be expected from such superficial treatment.

The only permanent cure for itching piles yet discovered is the Pyramid Pile Cure, not only for itching piles, but for every other form of piles, blind, bleeding or protruding. The first application gives instant relief, and the continued use for a short time causes a permanent removal of the tumors or the small parasites which cause the intense itching and discomfort of itching piles.

Many physicians for a long time supposed that the remarkable relief afforded by the Pyramid Pile Cure was because it was supposed to contain cocaine, opium or similar drugs, but such is not the case. A recent careful analysis of the remedy showed it to be absolutely free from any cocaine, opium, or in fact any poisonous, injurious drugs whatever.

For this reason the Pyramid Pile Cure is probably the only pile cure extensively recommended by physicians, because it is so safe, so prompt in the relief afforded, and so far as known the only positive cure for piles except a surgical operation.

In one year the Pyramid Pile Cure has become the best known, the safest and most extensively sold of any pile cure before the public.

Nearly all druggists now sell it at 50 cents and \$1 per package.

Address the Pyramid Co., Marshall, Mich., for book on cause and cure of piles, and also hundreds of testimonials from all parts of the United States.

If suffering from any form of piles ask your druggist for a package of Pyramid Pile Cure and try it tonight.

Selected Pleasantries.

Not What She Expected.—Young De Merritt—Miss Winnie, there is a little question I have long been wanting to ask you, but every time the words have risen to my lips there has been some interruption. Do you—

Miss Winnie—Do not hesitate, Mr. De Merritt—George—

Young De Merritt—I was going to ask you, do you think a pug dog has brains.—Harper's Bazar.

An Unfortunate Mistake.—Roving Rags—After all, it pays to be perlitte, pardner.

Joseph Jaggs—Not always. The other day I was actin' deaf and dumb, and when a man gave a dollar I says, "Thank ye, sir," and he had me arrested.—N. Y. Herald.

And He Dyed, Too.—Mrs. Jones—The newspaper tells of a man who lost his wife, and in less than two months his hair was as white as snow.

Mr. Jones—That's nothing so very wonderful. Why? I knew of a gray-headed man who lost his wife, and in less time than that his hair was as black as jet.—Pharmaceutical Era.

His Expectations.—Old Creases—You want to marry my daughter, eh? Well, what are your prospects, young man?

Young Knurwe—I hope to come into a fortune some day.

"Whose fortune?"

"Yours."—Birmingham Leader.

Not so Bad.—"What are you storming about, Josiah?" inquired Mrs. Chugwater.

"Nothing!" roared Mr. Chugwater, throwing his hat on the lounge.

"Nothing, only I've made a fool of myself again! That's all! I got a three-cent piece in change somewhere this morning, and find I passed it on a street-car conductor a little while ago for a dime and cheated myself out of seven—out of—er—no," he continued, moderating his tone. "I guess it's—hum—it's all right, Samantha."—Chicago Tribune.

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How Our Debts Increase.

We are even now paying our bonded debt at the rate of \$4 for \$1 (its value) received by the government. First, the 30 cent greenback rose to par with gold, then by the partial dematerialization of silver the gold itself was doubled in exchange value. The complete establishment of the gold standard in Europe and America will double it again in 25 years or less, and then we will be paying our war debt at the rate of \$8 for every \$1 loaned to the government.

What is true of our national debt is true of all other debts of equally long standing, while those of more recent contracting have risen and their burden increased in just proportion as the money unit (the dollar) has appreciated, which has been at the rate of about 4 per cent a year for the last 24 years.—Bimetalist.

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Red Clover in the South.

Farmers' Bulletin 18: Until recently it has been thought that red clover could not be grown in the Southern states, but our experience has been that on suitable soils and with proper management it will grow fully as well here as in any of the Northern states, and that, while it does not last as long here, its yield is heavier, and on account of its more rapid growth, the quality of hay is better. In North Carolina it has succeeded well and has maintained a full stand longer than in most other sections; while on the sandy white soil of the Florida station it has done but little. At the Louisiana station it has made a vigorous growth, affording two large cuttings during the first season, but it soon succumbs to the encroachments of native grasses. At the Mississippi station on rich creek bottom and on black prairie soils it has given excellent results, making 2 tons of hay per acre in May, another ton in June, and in favorable seasons another ton in September, though the last cutting has been unreliable on account of summer drouths. Where such yields can be made it is one of the best crops which can be grown, but there are many localities in the South where it has not been found profitable. It requires a soil which is rich and in fairly good condition to secure a "catch" of the seed, and on many soils where it makes a promising start and yields two or three cuttings it soon becomes overrun with the native grasses and is choked out. Ordinarily it will not pay to grow it more than two years on the same ground, as by the end of that time it will have done its best work in fertilizing the soil, and the land will give better returns if the last crop of clover is plowed under and the field planted to some other crop. As the plants produce seed abundantly here and are not infested with the insects which have recently done so much damage to the crop in the Northern states, there seems to be no reason why the seed crop should not become of considerable importance.

Red clover is a universally recognized standard in estimating the values of all other crops, when grown either for hay or as a green manure, and we have made special efforts to test it on as great a variety of soils as possible, and do not hesitate to recommend it for all rich soils which are in good mechanical condition; but it is useless to sow it on barren fields, or on rough and poorly prepared lands of any kind. It seems best suited for growth on alluvial and black prairie soils, and has never been satisfactory on sandy or white lime lands. August sowings have given the best satisfaction, as the plants from such sowings are sufficiently strong to keep down any growth of wild grasses and weeds the next spring, and will give a heavy cutting of hay in May. If sown in February, the more common time, the first cutting will be principally of volunteer grasses, but the clover will give two good cuttings later. Sowing with oats in February is often successful, but the clover is often injured by cutting the oats, thus removing the shade just at the beginning of the hot weather. Sow 1 bushel of the seed to each 5 acres.

A Mistake.

Farmers frequently make the mistake of buying land adjoining and loading themselves with a debt which burdens them all the best years of their lives, says Drainage Journal. When the purchase was made they had a few hundred dollars at command to make the first payment, and from the day of the purchase the deferred payments draw interest, and like an eating moth, night and day it draws upon the life and energy of those who burden themselves in this way. If they had taken the money with which they made the first payment and applied it in the underdrainage of the land which they owned, the result would have been far more gratifying. By tile draining the crop product could have been increased from 50 to 100 per cent, which would have added much each year to their income, so that in a few years they might have had the money in hand to buy the land desired, and at the same time been free from the burdens of debt, and in every way better off.

Deficient Fertility.—In a state of nature fertility is naturally maintained. Plants that grow upon the soil die and decay upon it. Thus, those elements of fertility which have been withdrawn from the soil by plants in their growth are returned to it by their death. In the process of agriculture, by removing crops, we take away a quantity of these elements, year by year. If this is continued, and nothing is returned to the soil, in the course of time it becomes impoverished. The supply of plant food is exhausted, and not enough is changed to an available form, year by year, to produce a crop, and that is "run out" in this way may contain large quantities of some elements of fertility, being deficient in a few. By supplying the latter we may still keep up the fertility of the soil for many years.—Selected.

Wheat in Bulgaria.—The high price of wheat in Bulgaria has induced the district of agriculture to suggest the sowing of wheat and corn flour. In a committee appointed to assist in relieving the distress of the poor recommends the use of a mixture of two-quarters wheat and one-quarter corn flour; also of half-and-half. This will, they claim, furnish cheap bread.

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