

**An Ideal Woman's Medicine.**



So says Mrs. Josie Irwin, of 325 So. College St., Nashville, Tenn., of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Never in the history of medicine has the demand for one particular remedy for female diseases equalled that attained by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and never during the lifetime of this wonderful medicine has the demand for it been so great as it is today.

From the Atlantic to the Pacific, and throughout the length and breadth of this great continent come the glad tidings of woman's sufferings relieved by it, and thousands upon thousands of letters are pouring in from grateful women saying that it will and positively does cure the worst forms of female complaints.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all women who are puzzled about their health to write her at Lynn, Mass., for advice. Such correspondence is seen by women only, and no charge is made.

The Lass With a Glass of Hires Rootbeer, brightens her eyes, dispels the frown, and restores her health and buoyant spirits from her favorite beverage.

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To prove the healing and cleansing power of Paxtine Toilet Antiseptic we will mail a large trial package with book of instructions absolutely free. This is not a tiny sample, but a large package, enough to convince anyone of its value. Women all over the country are praising Paxtine for what it has done in the treatment of female ailments, such as itching, soreness, and discharge, as well as in cleaning the vaginal douche, for sore throat, nasal catarrh, as a mouth wash, and to remove tartar and whiten the teeth. Send today a postal card will do.

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In a town close to Atechison, a Reformer woman formerly lived. Nothing was Good Enough to suit her. The old residents say the Reformer, when she was young was quite a flirt.

A farmer came to town today looking for a hand. He found one, but he was drunk. Taking the hand into a restaurant, the farm filled him up with milk. Ever hear of that old-fashioned way of sobering a drunken man?

An Atechison woman who was such a good housekeeper that all the men pointed to her with delight, is now talking art at a boarding house table. Her husband formerly sleek and contented looking, is beginning to get the run-away look in his eyes.

Merely for information we would like to know how a raise of fifty cents per ton at the mine justifies a raise of two-fifty at this end of the line. A hundred per cent for handling coal is too much.

Disappointment is like a sieve. Through its course meshes the small ambitions and hopes and endeavors of a soul are sifted out relentlessly. But the things that are big enough not to fall through are not in the least affected by it. It is only a test not a finality.—Wellspring.

They tell of a young man in Atechison whose mother watches him very closely when young girls are concerned, and who is about to be gathered in by an old maid.

**GET WELL—STAY WELL.**

The thousands of people who are every day being made well by Doan's Kidney Pills and the free trial herewith offered makes further delay, "Kidney neglect."

They correct uric with brick dust sediment, high colored, pain in passing, dribbling, frequency, bed wetting. Doan's Kidney Pills remove kidney and gravel. Relieve heart palpitation, sleeplessness, headache, nervousness, dizziness.

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Cease to live in the atmosphere of your sin, by which I mean that you must see to it that your mind is occupied by thoughts as far removed as possible from those in which your temptation can take root. It is a great mistake to loiter around a sin to which one's nature is prone. Your moral strength will depend upon your spiritual tone.—R. J. Campbell.

A boys idea of an original person is one who doesn't say, "How fast you grow!" when he meets him.

An old fashioned person always carries a truce in one pocket to offer to people who cough, if they are friends or strangers.

The largest and formerly best patronized Indian burying ground is or was near Bear creek in eastern Oklahoma, near the defunct Iowa villages and sprouting village of Falls, western Lincoln. The Iowas, who kept wigwams there for thirty years buried all their dead, hundreds of them, on the surface, in the blackjack brush. White flags or rags fluttered on high poles erected at the graves of all the elderly dead and the clothes of the dead persons were hung on the brush around the rough dead boxes, which were more or less adorned with bundles of sticks. The sticks were testimonials of the departed Indian's extra good qualities while in the flesh each stick representing a very good act performed by the deceased to the one that put them on the box containing the bones. A visitor to the burying ground could quickly see the good had or indifferent history of the departed by the number of sticks resting upon their exposed coffins. The graves that were without sticks testimonials contained cowardly or bad Indians. A goodly number of bleaching horse skulls lay around the dead boxes, the favorite horses of the prominent Iowas being killed on the funeral day, so that the redskin host can trot on a spiritual pony, to the happy hunting ground.

The Bear creek Indian burying ground is no longer patronized and seldom visited by the eighty remaining Iowas. The former white flags are tattered, torn and rotten, and prowling hogs grunt and root among the redskins and the squaw's crumbling ground.

If you achieve any kind of success in this world you must work for it. If you can't work yourself, work somebody else.

**He Feels Good.**

Gaddo, Ky., July 20.—I believe I could climb a mountain without drawing a long breath is the way William Ball of this place describes how he is feeling.

As Mr. Ball has been on the sick list for a long time, this declaration from him comes as quite a surprise.

When asked to explain how he had become so strong in such a short time, he says:

"I did have Kidney Trouble very bad, in fact I had to get up four or five times every night to urinate. I had shortness of breath which distressed me terribly. I was badly used up, and was really on no account for anything.

"I used three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and that's what has made me well. I can sleep all night without having to get up. I feel splendid and as I said before, I believe I could climb a mountain without drawing a long breath. Dodd's Kidney Pills did it all."

"Labor to keep alive in your heart that little spark of celestial fire—conscience.—Washington.

What has become of the old-fashioned spectacle of a sleeping baby with its face covered with flies?

All God's providences are but his touches of the strings of the great instrument of the world.—Charnock.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is to be feared to the point of death.

Doan's Kidney Pills, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contain no mercury, and are taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and removing all impurities from the system. By taking Doan's Kidney Pills you get the greatest relief. It is a sure remedy, and is sold by all druggists, and under the name of Doan's Kidney Pills, price 50c per bottle.

**Leaf-Cutting Bees.**

The leaf-cutting bees are near relatives of the honey and bumblebees, which they closely resemble. They derive their name from the habit you have observed, of cutting out bits of leaves for their cells. The circular pieces are for the ends of the cells, and the oblong pieces for the sides. These cells are usually in burrows cut into wood, for some of the leaf-cutting bees, like the carpenter bees, have the talent of cutting holes into wood.—St. Nicholas.

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**UNKNOWN LAND.**

Parts of Old Roman Empire Which No Modern Traveler Has Seen.

Few people appreciate the fact that today, at the dawn of the twentieth century, there are still parts of the old Roman Empire where no traveler of modern times has been; that there are ancient towns which no tourist has seen, temples and towers that no lover of classic architecture has delighted in, inscriptions in ancient Greek that no savant has as yet deciphered—whole regions, in fact, full of antiquities for which no Baedeker has been written, and which are not shown up on the latest maps. There are regions within our temperate zone where no modern European foot has trod, so far as we are able to tell—regions where the civilization of Greece and Rome once flourished, and where the monuments of classic art, and of an unfamiliar art that supplanted the classic, waste their beauties upon the ignorant sight of half-civilized nomads.

To realize the truth of this, one needs only to cross the ranges of mountains that run parallel to the eastern coast of the Mediterranean, and avoiding all caravan routes, journey independently about the barren country that lies between these mountains and the Euphrates. Here is territory which, though not wholly unexplored, is full of most wonderful surprises. Here are cities and towns long deserted, not so great or so imposing, perhaps, as Palmyra, but far better preserved than the city of Zenobia, and giving a much truer picture of the life of the ancient inhabitants than one can draw from those famous ruins. These towns are not buried, like the great cities of the Mesopotamian plains, nor have their sites been built upon in modern times, as those of the classic cities of Greece have been; they stand out against the sky upon high ridges or lie sheltered in sequestered valleys, presenting to the view of the traveler as he approaches them very much the same aspect that they did in the fourth century of our era, when inhabited by prosperous, cultivated and happy people, or when deserted by those inhabitants some thirteen hundred years ago.—Century.

**THESE SNAKES PLAYED TUNES.**

The Old Plainsman Heard Them Rattle Off Popular Airs.

"Yes, sir," said the old plainsman, as he stood before a den of rattlers at the Lincoln Park zoo. "I don't allow there's a more interesting reptile again than this here same breed. There is those as places the intellect of the rattlesnake on a low order, an' I don't know as they have as good a workin' brain as a Gila monster or a tarantula, but I do know this: Their appreciation of the art of music is profound an' stirrin'." They takes to it like one of those here Wagner fellows does to a Theodore Thomas concert. An' they're smart to learn, lemme tell you!

"Up in Routt County, Colorado, where I come from, there is most rattlesnakes an' sagelush an' a few people huntin'." I remember a party of hunters passin' that way last fall, in the evening they set about the camp singin' an' there was some mandolin along. Three or four times the party was scared out by snakes that crept into camp to hear the music, though they should a-know better'n to be, for there's no harm in a rattler when there's music goin'.

"But that ain't the curious part of the tale which I'm unfoldin'." I was about that place some time after the campers broke up and was attracted by a low musical sound from behind the boulder. Knowin' somethin' of tunes, I was spriced to catch the chorus of one of the coon songs that had been popular with the campers. It was the one they sing down to the Chicago opera house. 'Ain't that a Shame? Panderin' over it, I crept up on top of the boulder an' looked over at some flat rocks on the other side. It was a slight fever to ferret. A chorus of ten rattlers had their tails in the air an' was poundin' out the song for all they was worth! I lay there fascinated, and, by ginger, before they got through they done 'The Holy City, an' 'Go 'Way Back and Sit Down' as well as I ever heard 'em done. Kill 'em? 'Twould been a crime to break up a musical family like that."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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**PE-RU-NA IS OF ESPECIAL BENEFIT TO WOMEN**

Says Dr. M. C. Gee, of San Francisco.

A CONSTANTLY increasing number of physicians prescribe Peru-na in their regular practice. It has proven its merits so thoroughly that even the doctors have overcome their prejudice against so-called patent medicines and recommend it to their patients.

"I Advise Women to Use Pe-ru-na," Says Dr. Gee.

Dr. M. C. Gee is one of the physicians who endorse Peru-na. In a letter written from 513 Jones street, San Francisco, Cal., he says:

"There is a general objection on the part of the practicing physician to advocate patent medicines, but when any one medicine cures hundreds of people, it demonstrates its own value and does not need the indorsement of the profession.

"Peruna has performed so many wonderful cures in San Francisco that I am convinced that it is a valuable remedy. I have frequently advised its use for women, as I find it insures regular and painless menstruation, cures leucorrhoea and ovarian troubles, and builds up the entire system. I also consider it one of the finest catarrh remedies I know of. I heartily indorse your medicine."—M. C. Gee, M. D.

Mrs. E. T. Gaddis, Marion, N. C., is one of Dr. Hartman's grateful patients. She consulted him by letter, followed his directions, and is now able to say the following:

"Before I commenced to take Peru-na I could not do any hard work without suffering great pain. I took Peru-na, and can say with pleasure that it has done more for me than any other medicine I have ever taken. Now I am as well as ever, I do all my own work and it never hurts me at all. I think Peru-na is a great medicine for womankind."—Mrs. E. T. Gaddis.

Women are especially liable to pelvic catarrh, female weakness as it is commonly called.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peru-na, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.



Peruna occupies a unique position in medical science. It is the only internal systemic catarrh remedy known to the medical profession to-day. Catarrh, as every one will admit, is the cause of one-half the diseases which afflict mankind. Catarrh and catarrhal diseases afflict one-half of the people of the United States.

The church can learn one lesson from the saloon—that of sociability. The sociability of the saloon is inspired by as mean a motive as ever moved a man, but nevertheless, it draws and holds the workmen.

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Ease, A powder to shake into your shoes. It cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating feet, and Ingrowing Nails. Allen's Foot-Ease makes new or tight shoes easy. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen E. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Little self denials, little honesties, little passing words of sympathy, little nameless acts of kindness, little silent victories over favorite temptations—these are the silent threads of gold which, when woven together, gleam out so brightly in the pattern of life that God approves.—Carra Farrar.

I have used Pico's Care for Consumption with good results. It is all right.—John W. Henry, Box 642, Fostoria, Ohio, Oct. 4, 1901.

The sins by which God's spirit is ordinarily grieved are the sins of small things, laxities in keeping the temper, slight neglect of duty, lightness, sharpness of dealing.—Horace Rusbelt.

Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain cures colic. Price 25c bottle.

The attorney of one of the St. Louis bootleggers alluded to bribery as a "conventional crime." All right. Now what is needed is some good, conventional punishment to fit it.

There are two good rules that ought to be written on every heart—never believe anything bad about anybody unless you positively know it to be true; never to tell even that, unless you feel it is absolutely necessary, and that God is listening while you tell it.—Dr. Henry Van Dyke.

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A MILLION GRANDMAS all over America point to CASCARETS Candy Cathartic as the most perfect family medicine ever discovered. Good, kindly, tender-hearted old soul—grandma tries to help others by telling of the good things she has learned through experience, and so the sale of CASCARETS is nearly a MILLION BOXES a MONTH. The wisdom of years of experience with her own health, and grandpa's and her children's, and her children's children's has taught grandma that in CASCARETS Candy Cathartic has been discovered THE ONLY PERFECT FAMILY MEDICINE for all bowel troubles, children's diseases, diseases of the stomach and liver, sick headaches, biliousness and bad blood. Best for the Bowels. All druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C.C.C. Guaranteed to cure or your money back. Sample and booklet free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York, 1904.

We are all ashamed not to be ashamed of things that should not shame anybody.

The prudent girl never wears hair combs when she has got to say good night at the garden gate.

Death from shyness is the punishment for murder in some parts of China. The culprit is kept awake by beating the soles of his feet, and this treatment continues until he dies. At the end of nine or ten days the victim breathes his last.

In Russia suicide is a popular method of shifting the responsibility. It is better to stay to the end of the game and go home with the umpire.

**GOOD THINGS TO EAT**

Veal Ham Potted Turkey  
Dressed Beef Ox Tongue, &c.

Quickly made ready to serve.

Are U. S. Government Inspected.

Keep in the house for emergencies—for suppers or sandwiches—for any time when you want something good and want it quick.

Handsome illustrated booklet, "Good Things to Eat" sent free. Send five stamps for large Atlas of the World, in colors.

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Keeps the throat open, soothes the inflamed membrane, and breaks up the mucus. Sold by druggists.

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What you think will not make good blood unless you eat right.

Some of the plumbers are hardly paying expenses, but it tickles them mightily to think of next winter.

If the time ever comes when a life sentence will mean "for life," perhaps society's thirst for human gore will yield to treatment.

Dr. S. C. Carr of Columbus, Ohio, calls the germ theory of disease a "scientific superstition."

**LIQUID KOAL**

Is now used throughout the United States in the treatment of hog cholera, swine plague, eryth disease, pink eye, foot and mouth disease, scurvy, mange, Texas itch, scabs and all germ diseases of domestic animals.

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\$100.00

St. Paul, Neb., April 9, '02.

National Medical Co., York, Neb.

Gentlemen: This is to certify that I have used Liquid Koal for eryth disease in my hogs and believe it to be a cure for this disease. From the experience I have made, but believe it ought to be used when the animal is first taken with the disease. And for a live killer it can't be beat by anything I know of. Yours respectfully,

W. L. LITTLE.

Seward, Neb., Dec. 8, 1902.

Liquid Koal, manufactured and sold by National Medical Co., York, Neb., is a necessity to any farmer in raising stock. Several instances of its efficiency have come under my personal notice. JOHN HARVEY, Ex-Mayor, Seward, Neb., Dec. 8, 1902.

I consider Liquid Koal one of the best articles for all around purposes on the market. For mites and lice in the chicken houses and for lice on calves and horses it is the best and cheapest thing I have ever found. Liquid Koal ought to be on every farm. CHAS. BERGASHAGER, Cedarvale, Neb., Dec. 8, 1902.

I can say that your L. K. is the best insect destroyer that I ever used. It will not injure the eggs when used on setting hens. I find it the best all around stock medicine that I ever had on the place. I advise every farmer to keep a supply on hand. G. B. GROFF.

Hartington, Neb., Dec. 10, 1902.

National Medical Co., York, Neb.

Dear Sir: I am a user of Liquid Koal and am well pleased with it. I would not try to do without it. I find it useful in a great many ways. I have had no sick hogs since I commenced using it a year ago. In my opinion it is the best and cheapest hog cholera preventive on the market today. You can use this as you wish. Anyone wishing to know more about this please write me. Seward, Neb., Nov. 29, 1901.

To Whom It May Concern, I have bought too much of Liquid Koal from the National Medical Co., and think it the best germ destroyer, appetizer and disinfectant that I have ever used. I have had occasion to use it on two different horses this summer for very severe wounds, and found it the best and cheapest remedy I ever tried; would not be without it on my place. W. B. FRANCIS, Delmont, S. D.

I have used your L. K., and think it is a good preventive and disinfectant. I used it as a styptic for all kinds of stock and chickens. I had two cows that were sick and would not eat and I used L. K. and it helped them. I also used it as a hog cholera preventive, and think it is all right. G. H. PATRICK.

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