

# LANGUID



How are the children this spring? Complaining a good deal of headache, can't study as well as usual, easily fall asleep, and are tired all the time? And how is it with yourself? Is your strength slipping away? Do you tremble easily, are your nerves all unstrung, do you feel dull and sleepy, and have you lost all ambition?

## That's Spring Poisoning

Nearly every one needs a good spring medicine; a medicine that will remove impurities from the system, strengthen the digestion, and bring back the old force and vigor to the nerves. A perfect Sarsaparilla is just such a medicine; a Sarsaparilla that contains the choicest and most valuable ingredients; a Sarsaparilla accurately and carefully made, and one that experience has shown is perfect in every way.

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Thompson's Eye Water.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. THOS. ROBBINS, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

Don't forget to close doors behind you!

PENSIONS Get Your Pension Double Quick Write CAPT. O'FARRELL, Pension Agent, 442 New York Avenue, WASHINGTON, D. C.

## Examine the Package!

In view of the many misleading and unscrupulous imitations of "Baker's Chocolate" which have recently been put upon the market, we find it necessary to caution consumers against these attempts to deceive and to ask them to examine every package they purchase, and make sure that it has on the front a yellow label, with our name and place of manufacture.



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Ar. CLEVELAND, O.....9:55 P. M.  
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### WHY THIS SHOWER OF GARTERS

An Unusual Number of the Articles Lost and Sought.

Twice in the last week Chicago has been startled by advertisements for lost garters. This breaks all known records for one week. Now and then a vagrant "lost" ad. setting forth that a garter which was once the secret pride and boast of some fair one has slipped its moorings and fallen into profane hands and that a suitable reward will be given for its return. But two in one week seems to be excessive. There must be something the matter. It is not a question of locality, for the first garter thrust upon the public notice traveled south side streets and boulevards in its proper station in life and it was on the south side that it burst all bounds and started forth into the world alone, without its mate. The latest claimant for public attention in that line formerly resided on Tower place, away over on the north side. The latter one had something of a bulge on its predecessor, inasmuch as it boasted a gold buckle that the lady owner is particularly anxious to recover. For the garter per se she cares not one whit. But gold buckles do not grow on every bush, not even on Tower place, and therefore the lady is anxious that the honest person who picked up the gold buckle should waive all sentimental considerations and return it. Why are garters dropping right and left at this season of the year? Is it superinduced by a falling off in embonpoint on the part of the fair wearers of the ornaments or is a trust manufacturing the elastic and making it of such an inferior material that the very necessary articles are easily lost? These questions positively shriek for a solution. At the same time it might be remarked, honi soit qui mal y pense. This remark, in fact, should have been made at the outset, but it is never too late to say it. Why should garters have gold buckles? And why should this be open season for garters? Once more, honi soit qui mal y pense.—Chicago Chronicle.

### ADVICE FOR WOMEN.

Temper May Begin by "Standing Up for Rights."

An exchange has lately published an article on "The Girl with a Temper," which contains some excellent advice and will bear repetition. "When a daughter not only begins to show decided signs of temper, but is inclined to boast that I am not one of your dumbly-pampered girls, who cannot stand up for her rights," it is time to convince her of her folly, or she will reap lasting discomfort later. If the woman with an unrestrained temper is young and beautiful, much may be forgiven her. In her amiable moments she is so charming that the words uttered in her unreasoning anger are almost forgotten, and the chances are that she will plunge some man into life-long misery, because the habit of tempestuous fits, if not firmly checked in time, will strengthen with the years. If the woman with a temper be plain in person she will render life very dreadful for herself, but not necessarily so for many other people. Her relations and friends will learn in time to shut her out from their intimate counsels—to form a life for themselves toward whose outer circle she will recede by degrees, and in the end will stand alone. The woman with a temper is seldom well educated. She has not the concentration and calm of mind which lead to the acquisition of knowledge. She may possess a share of accomplishments, may be a little musical, a little artistic, may pass muster among the superficial, but the chances are against her possessing the restful knowledge that comes of thoroughness. Then beware of the girl who boasts of her 'spirit' if you would later avoid the companionship of that very undesirable personage—the 'woman with a temper.'"

### WELLINGTON IN INDIA.

The Importance of What He Achieved in That Country.

The splendor of Wellington's services in European warfare has to a considerable extent obscured the importance of what he achieved in India, in the field and in council; yet this gave proof of his best qualities, and was characteristic in the highest degree, says the Fortnightly Review. He became the most prominent and distinguished soldier in our army in India at a grave crisis, when our empire was endangered in no doubtful sense; his conduct mainly contributed to the success of our arms. His first essays in the field were not fortunate; he made a night attack in the campaign against Tippee without reconnoitering, which naturally failed; he was rather under a cloud at the siege of Seringapatam. But his administrative power and his faculty of command were seen in his direction of the Nizam's army; and he was rightly appointed to the head of affairs at Mysore after the conquest of that kingdom and the death of Tippee, though his brother conferred the appointment upon him. His military genius, however, was most conspicuous and exhibited itself with peculiar clearness in his great and decisive victory of Assaye.

### Ellen Terry's Colored Waiter.

Miss Ellen Terry, writing to one of the London papers on her Christmas experience, relates the following: "We played The Merchant of Venice one Christmas day in America, and I gave 'a pass' to a nice, kind, old colored waiter, who attended me at my hotel. After the play I asked him what had struck him most and would live longest in his memory—the pound of flesh? 'No.' The running away of Jessica? 'No.' The Jew? 'No.' What then? 'Oh! It certainly pleased me mightily to see all those lovely ladies and gentlemen a-bowling 'emselves down before the colored gentleman! He was the Prince of Morocco.'"—Boston Transcript.

### Barren Field for Stories.

Senator Depew says that the senate of the United States is the last place in the world to get new stories. He went to Washington with the belief that an hour or two in the cloak-rooms would supply him with a fund of fresh and pithy anecdotes, but the senate has proven a barren field.

### THE HEALTH OF YOUNG WOMEN

Two of Them Helped by Mrs. Pinkham—Read their Letters.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I am sixteen years old and am troubled with my monthly sickness. It is very irregular, occurring only once in two or three months, and also very painful. I also suffer with cramps and once in a while pain strikes me in the heart and I have drowsy headaches. If there is anything you can do for me, I will gladly follow your advice."

—MISS MARY GOMES, Aptos, Cal., July 31, 1898.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—After receiving your letter I began the use of your remedies, taking both Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier. I am now regular every month and suffer no pain. Your medicine is the best that any suffering girl can take."—MISS MARY GOMES, Aptos, Cal., July 6, 1899.

### Nervous and Dizzy

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I wish to express my thanks to you for the great benefit I have received from the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I suffered constantly from terrible headache, had chills, was nervous and dizzy. I had tried different kinds of medicine but they all failed entirely. After taking three bottles of Vegetable Compound and three of Blood Purifier I am all right. I cannot thank you enough for what your remedies have done for me."—MISS MATILDA JENSEN, Box 18, Ogdenburg, Wis., June 10, 1899.

### Wholly Home-Made.

A man went into a store in Fairfield, Me., the other day and remarked that everything, excepting boots, that he had on, viz., stockings, shirts, underclothes, outside clothes, and cap were spun, woven and made by his mother.

Don't spend your salary on fine clothes.

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One cup of butter weighs one-half pound.

### CARTER MEDICINE CO. WINS.

Obtains Injunction in Case Involving Simulation of Labels.

Brent Good, president of the Carter Medicine Company, yesterday received a telegram from his lawyers in Chicago, Messrs. Lowden, Estabrook & Davis, informing him that a final injunction, with costs, had been granted against the Chicago Label and Box Company. This company makes a specialty of manufacturing labels, boxes, etc., for druggists. The Carter Company has been following them through the courts for two years on the complaint that the label company was making simulations of the labels of Carter's Little Liver Pills. They have now obtained a final injunction with costs, and the costs are very large, as the case has been submitted to a Master in Chancery for a final accounting.

The Carter Medicine Company has been the first and only one to prosecute printers or engravers who have prepared such labels and wrappers. It marks a new departure in infringement cases, and their victory is one of great importance to the whole "proprietary trade," and also of interest to retail druggists.—New York Press, May 2, 1900.

Two cups of granulated sugar weigh one pound.

### FERTILE COLORADO.

The Denver & Rio Grande railroad has just published a second edition of "THE FERTILE LANDS OF COLORADO," which gives a concise description of the vast area of agricultural, horticultural and grazing lands located on its line in the state of Colorado and the Territory of New Mexico, and full information as to the stock interests, the sugar beet industry and farming by irrigation. It is a truthful representation of the numerous and wonderful products of the soil in that portion of the country and is of especial interest to all who are interested in agriculture or kindred pursuits.

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