ABE MARTIN On Banditin'

Beggin' a Bite From a Friendly Rancher.

Ther's been a marked change come over th' business o' banditry in this country. Th' tryin' hardships o' banditin' in th' fer West, even as late as th' eighties, are unknown t'day. In th' sparsely settled frontier states th' life of a robber wuz anything but pleasant. It wuz really hazardous. Folks that ventured int' th' west in quest o' land an' gold soon learned t' shoot, an' shoot straight. Sheriffs, stage coach drivers, an' even territorial governors, wuz dead shots an' if a bandit didn' kill his victim right off th' bat, it wuz a hundred-t'-one shot he'd bite th' dust himself. Th' ole blue-flannel shirt bandit had no laundry marks, or dental work, t' identify him so his body could be sent home t' his wife. He wuz protected by no organization, an' either worked alone or with a handful o' trusted pals. He had no friends t' bail him out even if ther'd been judges t' fix his bail. Ther wuz no general bandit fund t' pay attorneys. T'day our bandits live much th' same as other well-t'-do folks. They have ther victrolys an' powerful cars, warm snug apartments an' lovin' wives an' children; they mix freely in politics an' often swing elections, they have ther friends at court (both police an' criminal) they own greenhouses an' have varied business interests, an' are often protected instead o' bein' hunted. Th' ole western cutthroat who startled the nation had little or no home life—we'll say no home life. He lived in th' saddle. He wuz bothered with a horse an' lived in caves an' canyons. He often had t' beg a bite from some friendly rancher, an' then he had t' eat standin' up with his back t' th' wall. As we said, he had no home life, never got t' read what th' papers said about him. He couldn' read about who he'd killed an' robbed. No wife an' babies welcomed him at th' cave after a long, hard ride, an' he never got a chance t' vote, or take part in civic affairs. He didn' dare t' take his boots an' pistol belt off few weeks at a time. He couldn' go t' th' the-ater an' mix with his peers, an' had little or no diversion 'ccpt playin seven up, or shootin' at some tenderfoot's toes. Even after a big haul he had no place t' spend his money. Th' James boys, Billy, th' Kid, an' th' Dalton brothers couldn' pull a job an' dart up a thickly congested street an' be safe in bed in twenty minutes like bandits kin t'day. They had t' beat it through a runnin' pistol fire fer block after block, as ever' citizen had a trusty gun. O' course they had no tell-tale license plates, or tires t' bust, but they often had t' ride with both arms shot off. Only comparatively recently a bandit had t' fool around in th' dark an' hunt a blacksmith shop t' git th' very tools he needed, an' often th' bank or store safe wuz in plain view o' the sidewalk. Then after all this inconvenience, he had t' lift a handcar on th' track single handed an' fourteen miles an' hour wuz th' best he could make. Early banditin' wuz a losing game. Nobuddy ever got rich at it, or prominent politically. Only last fall one o' th' cleverest o' th' old time Wells-Fargo bandits passed through here wearin' a rubber collar. He wua reduced t' lecturin', an' appeared at Melodeon Hall fer $8.

Gee! Try These!

Harvard, Neb., Jan. 3.—The cross word puzzle was officially recognized this week as a means of motivation of school work in the local schools. Latin students were assigned cross-word puzzles in Latin as an aid in class work.

New Editor in Charge.

Harvard, Neb., Jan. 3.—G. F. Harris, formerly connected with the Hastings (Neb.) Democrat, took charge of the management of the Courier, weekly, with this week's issue.

60 Per Cent of Nebraska U Medical Students Work Outside for Cash

By J. T. ARMSTRONG.

Omaha afords many kinds of jobs for young men seeking an education who work to make their schooling possible.

Dr. Irving S Cutter, dean of the University of Nebraska college of medicine, estimates that 66 per cent of his medical students work and earn an average of $330.11 each school year.

Dr. Cutter's figures show that this average is greater than that earned by students of seven other universities, to which some time ago he sent questionnaires.

At the University of Iowa only 39 per cent of the students earn money during the school year, their average earning being $222.24.

Sixty-one per cent of the students at Indiana university earn an average of $312.85. At the University of Maryland only 25 per cent of the students earn money, the average being $275.15. Michigan students earn $297.87, 46 per cent of them working. Figures show that University of Virginia students earn an average of $275.75, with 35 per cent of them working and 67 per cent of the students of Syracuse university earn $189.36.

Large City Favored

These figures are an argument in favor of fairly large cities as locations for colleges, Dr. Cutter belives. His investagations show that 40 per cent of all the students at the mentioned schools earn one-third of their total expenses.

It is desirable, particularitly during the first year of medical work, that outside work not interfere greatly with studies, however, Dr. Cutter said. At the Nebraska college of medicine students are not discouraged by the necessity for working, however,, and find jobs as musicians, waiters, tending furnaces and yards, working in school laboratories, in down town stores, in tutoring preparatory students for college work and in many other lines.

Creighton Students Work.

The same is true about Creighton, where B. A. Kennedy, registrar, named a dozen widely-varying occupationes through which students make at least a part of thir expenses. Among these jobs is one of daily inspecting of 200 electric sign boards; supervising the operation of a circuit of gum machines and taking calls in an undertaking parlor.

Like Dr. Cutter, Kennedy is convincing that the student of moderate should choose the college located in a city rather than in a small town, if he would augment his finances with a job.

York County Teachers' Salaries Aggregate $130,000

York, Jan. 3.—According to the educational directory of York county, recently issued, York county teachers, exclusive of teachers in private and denominational schools, draw $130,000 a year in salaries. One rural teacher receives $60 a month, two $65 a month and the rest of the 86 teachers employed receive salaries varying from $70 to $110. Village teachers are receiving from $450 to $2,600 a year.

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By DR. LEWIS BAKER

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Dr. Lewis Baker

P. J. H. asks: "I weigh 197 pounds and would like to reduce. Can you recommend a good tablet or pill?"

Answer. "I know of nothing better for the purpose than Arbolene tablets, which seem to give almost universal satisfaction to those who take them as per directions with each package.

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O. M. A. asks: "Have been a victim of constipation for a long time and now as a result am broken out with ugly pimples and often a dreadful itching of my body. What should I use?"

Answer: Try taking Sulpherb tablets regularly for a few weeks. I am confident they will aid in restoring a healthier condition.

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K. T. T. asks: "My sleep is disturbed a half dozen times each night owing to bladder pressure. Have to arise and the flow is scanty with some discomfort following."

Answer: Quick relief from such a condition usually follows when Balmwort tablets are taken as per directions. They act beneficially on sluggish kidneys and irritated bladder.

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M. A. B. asks: "Please advise a remedy to dispel a rheumatic ailment that nearly drives me wild with pain."

Answer: For pain relief take 5-grain Su-thol tablets. Also use Cardiol tablets to aid elimination and assist nature in neutralizing the toxins in the tissues which give rise to rheumatic affections.

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B. W. M. asks: "I think I need a building up medicine. Am very nervous, weak and poorly all the time. Hands are cold and moist and have aches and pain of a fleeting character."

Answer: Procure Cadomene tablets and take regularly as a tonic to improve the quality of blood and thus aid in restoring stability to the nervous system.

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W. B. Y. asks: "What is a person to do who is afflicted with dandruff, itching scalp and sore spots due to scratching the scalp?"

Answer: Procure plain yellow Minyol and use as per directions.

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W. H. asks: "Have catarrh of nose and upper throat. Mucus drops in throat and almost chokes me. What will help this condition?"

Answer: The regular use of Vilane powder as a nasal douche and gargle. Also use Mentho-Laxene salve in nostrils daily.

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A. Y. E. asks: "I am bothered with chronic indigestion and constipation, headache and biliousness and want your advice."

Answer: As a pleasant thorough laxative take Cascа-Royal Pills. To relieve indigestion and tone up the stomach take Triopeptine tablets for a few weeks.

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G. W. B. asks: "I am not a consumptive, but have a stubborn cough which nothing does any good. Cough night and day."

Answer: Procure the essence Mentho-Laxene. Use regularly as per directions. It is truly wonderful in relieving any cough due to mild inflammation, colds, etc.

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T. T. M. asks: "Tell me how to improve my appetite and gain a few pounds. Am very thin, somewhat nervous and tire easily."

Answer: A tonic medicine, like Hypo-Nuclane tablets, will generally restore the appetite and aid the system toward an increased plumpness. Add milk to the daily diet and exercise daily until deep breathing ensues.

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Miss H. G. asks: "At this season I suffer constantly with neuralgia and headache so severe that I cannot work. What will aid me?"

Answer: Have your teeth examined and cared for. A good tonic may be needed. To get quick relief from pain take 5-grain Su-thol tablets as per directions.

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A. T. O. asks: "Can you advise a reliable efficient laxative and liver tonic?"

Answer: I suggest Cascа-Royal Pills as superior to anything for the gentle laxative action.

NOTE: For many years Dr. Lewis Baker, Medical Director, The Blackburn Products Co., 312 College Bldg., Dayton, Ohio, has been recommending trustworthy medicines to millions of people through the medium of the newspapers, and doubtless has helped in relieving the ailments and minor infirmities of the public more than any single individual in the world's history; and by an inexpensive method. The medicines mentioned by him are pure and free from habit-forming drugs. They represent the combined wisdom and experience of physician and chemist. Progressive druggists can supply them. By reading his answers to others you should find a case similar to your own.

A copy of Dr. Baker's great guide book, "Health and Beauty," will be mailed to any one sending ten cents (coin).

Thousands have written him expressions similar to the following:

LETTERS TO DR. BAKER

PITTSBURGH, PA.: Edward C. Kroll, 105 So. 26th St., writes: "I had been troubled with stomach and bowel distress for about 14 months. Had a physician at least once a week prescribing medicine for my trouble. A friend suggested I get a box of Sulpherb tablets. After using three boxes I can say my troubles have disappeared. I have had no trouble for over three months. Many of my friends are now using them, etc."

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PETERSBURG, VA.: W. B. Harrison, Secretary and Treasurer of The Virginia Printing and Manufacturing Co., Bank and Market Streets, writes: "I have been using Cascа-Royal Pills for about 20 years. I take one pill every night and have the desired results. Am 82 years old, at my office every day. My good health I attribute largely to these pills and will not be without them, and have no unpleasant effect from constant use, etc."

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BARBERTON, OHIO: Mrs. Lauretta Mitchell, 426 W. State Street, writes: "I am 49 years old and for the last two years I have been in poor health, but at this writing, after taking Cadomene tablets for two weeks, I am feeling fine. If any one is suffering from nervousness and in a completely run-down condition, as I was, I can certainly recommend Cadomene tablets very highly."

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NEW BEDFORD, MASS.: Mr. Ass Caldecott, 26 Peckham St., writes: "I feel it a privilege to write to you about essence Mentho-Laxene. I left this country in 1913, joined the British army and served th e years in the Royal Engineers in Mesopotamia and Egypt. Coming back from these hot climates to England, I commenced coughing, day and night. I arrived in New Bedford in bad health and tried several doctors, but got no relief. I could not sleep. I then read your advice in Boston paper about Mentho-Laxene. I got a bottle, and it was the best thing I ever did. I took four doses full strength and rested better that night than I had for months. After taking the second bottle and using the Mentho-Laxene Salve, I felt like a new man. I used to have colds all winter. Last winter I did not have one, just by taking a few doses a week, and there are dozens of my friends using it now, and they all say the same—'it is the best on the market, etc.'"

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ROCHESTER, N. Y.: Sarah L. Warrant, 355 Rosewood Terrace, writes: "Having had bladder trouble which at times caused me extreme pain. I was advised by a local druggist to purchase a box of Balmwort tablets, which I did, and after taking as per directions I have been relieved of all the symptoms. I noticed relief the third day after starting. I am fifty years of age and a dressmaker, etc."

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CHICAGO, ILLINOIS: Mrs. Marie Andersen, 3640 West 22nd St., writes: "I highly recommend the Hypo-Nuclane tablets. I had been in poor condition for five years. Could eat or sleep very little and always tired, with headaches and backaches. Weighed 97 pounds in April, and in 4 months of taking Hypo-Nuclane I now weigh 121½ pounds. My face and neck are filling out and the deep lines under my eyes have disappeared. I feel and look like a new being and can now do my own work, etc."

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WOODLAWN, PA.: A. T. Haney, 446 Shefield Ave., writes: "I am 74. Have worked near 40 years in the Iron Works. For the past 14 years I have been unable to work steady because of kidney and bladder irregularities. It so reduced me in flesh and strength that I could only do the lightest kind of work. I doctored with many with little relief and was almost ready to give up. Was induced to try Balmwort tablets. At the time I was compelled to get up four or five times during the night. Before I had used one box I was so much better that I slept well all night. There is nothing I have taken in all the 14 years that has done me as much good as Balmwort tablets, etc."

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LOUISVILLE, KY.: Edman Waggoner, 313 E. College St., writes: "My stomach bothered me for four years. Would get gnawing pain, and vomit up hot water-brash. Could not eat anything without being in such awful misery. I went to four different doctors, but didn't get any better. One said my teeth caused it. Finally I had all my teeth drawn. A year after I had my new teeth my stomach distress was worse than ever. Then a friend told me of Triopeptine tablets. I got a box, and then read about Sulpherb tablets. By the time I had taken a box of each my stomach was much better. Now I have taken six boxes of each, can eat anything at any time and never have any stomach trouble. I am sure thankful, etc."

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RENOVA, PA.: Mrs. H. A. Peters, 1122 Erie Ave., writes: "I took the Arbolone tablets and must say they have done me a lot of good. I weighed 180 pounds. After taking a few days I did not have that stuffy feeling so I kept on and now I weigh 150 pounds. Thanks to you for the good they have done. I am telling my over-stout friends, because I know they have never done me any harm. Thanking you again, etc."

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Information: If your regular druggist does not supply the medicines mentioned by Dr. Baker, the following can do so: Sherman & McConnell Stores, Beaton Drug Co., Prasser-Fox Drug Co., Jerry's Drug Store, Green's Pharmacy and all good druggists everywhere.

STOP Getting Up Nights This New, Simple, Easy Way

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DO you have to get up several times each night? Do you have pains in the groin—sometimes called shooting pains? Is there frequently a dull ache at the base of your spine and in the small of your back? Do you often have pains in your legs, which many people attribute to rheumatism?

If you suffer from any of these ailments, in all probability you are a victim of prostate trouble, for science has demonstrated that these ailments which are usually attributed to kidney trouble are really often caused by the subnormal action of a small gland known as the Prostate.

The prostate gland is about the size of a large chestnut in its normal state and is located near the base of the spine. It is for this reason that prostate trouble exerts such a powerful depressing influence on the entire nervous system and other important organs.

Once the prostate gland is healthy and functioning properly, you should quickly be rid of the inconvenience of getting up nights, those strength and vitality sapping pains, and again experience the abounding vigor of perfect health.

Since it is said that approximately 50 per cent of all men past 40 years of age and many younger ones suffer from prostate gland trouble, it is fortunate indeed that a treatment has finally been perfected which frequently stops all pain in as short a time as 24 hours.

The pleasing thing about this scientific formula known as Walker's Prostate Specific, is that in getting rid of prostate troubles you are almost certain to add many years of happy productive vigor to your life.

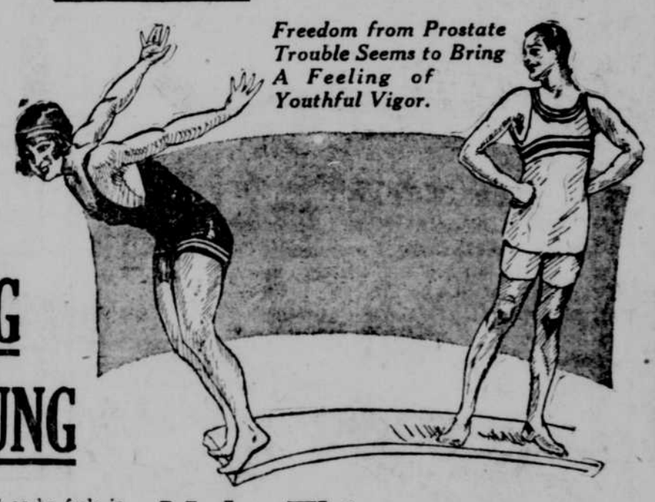
Dangers of Prostate Trouble

There are many dangers connected with prostate trouble, but the three most outstanding ones are as follows: 1—Delay in treatment may necessitate a surgical operation for the removal of the gland; 2—Stricture, necessitating the use of a cathetar; and 3—Complete nervous or physical breakdown resulting in prostration.

The unfortunate thing about becoming a victim of prostate trouble is that the average person thinks he is suffering from some kidney ailment. Obviously, it is useless to take some treatment designed for something else, when the prostate gland is at fault. Thus, delay in using the proper treatment eventually may necessitate an operation to remove the prostate gland. Such an operation, in addition to being dangerous and painful, may remove all chance of a man ever regaining normal vigor, vitality, energy and health. Operation should be resorted to only as a last chance to save life.

Stricture, or congestion, which may result from chronic prostate troubles, may become so advanced that eventually it necessitates the use of a cathetar to drain the bladder. It is reliably stated that the average life of a cathetar user is only five years.

The vital influence of an internal secretion said to be manufactured by the prostate gland on all the endocrine glands and vital organs of the body may well be imagined since acute or chronic prostate troubles frequently result in a complete physical and mental breakdown. The result is that the victim may become a tax on his relatives, friends or charity.



Freedom from Prostate Trouble Seems to Bring A Feeling of Youthful Vigor.

BE YOUNGER FEEL YOUNG LOOK YOUNG

The old saying that a man is as old as he feels is certainly a true one. A man with prostatic disorders who feels old is literally old—perhaps before his time, but nevertheless he is physically an old man.

Youth, after all, is simply a reflection of your health and the state of your mind. I have seen and known many men of 60, 70 and even 75 years of age who are actually younger, more vigorous and more successful than other men of 40 or younger. These happy, physically alert specimens of mankind are the fortunate possessors of prostate glands that function properly.

In a measure it may be said that the functioning of your prostate gland governs your age. By removing your prostate troubles I sincerely believe that you can feel a new physical and mental power indicative of an age ten years or perhaps even twenty years under your present condition. In other words, to feel younger is to be younger. And I firmly believe that within a few hours after you start taking Walker's Prostate Specific you will experience an amazing increase in vitality and aliveness, in addition to being rid of your painful symptoms.

Quick Results

Walker's Prostate Specific, the scientific compound comes in convenient tablet form and is practically tasteless. You simply take one after each meal. The results are often surprising in their rapidity, many users frequently reporting that all pains and symptoms seem to vanish like magic, in as short a time as 24 hours.

As your prostate gland is toned up, reconditioned, and resumes normal functioning, you should be conscious of a startling transformation. A new feeling of energy, vigor and vitality coursing through your veins. A sense of great aliveness and enthusiasm taking the place of that tired, dead, worn out, good-for-nothing feeling.

Over 150,000 Men Know What This Simple, Secret, Home Treatment Will Do—*Read What They Say*

HELPS 84 YEAR OLD CIVIL WAR VETERAN

I have taken Walker's Prostate Specific and the first three days it did me a power of good. I am in my 84th year, an old veteran of the Civil War. I had intended to go to Illinois but had given it up as I was not well enough to go, but since I began to take your tablets I will be able to make the trip. I will continue to take the treatment and expect to come back a well man if the rest of the treatment does me as much good as the first three days.

M. AULTZ, Pennsylvania.

FEELS 20 YEARS YOUNGER

I am 60 years old and will say your Prostate Specific has done me a world of good. Pains are all gone from my legs, arms and back, and I feel 20 years younger; sleep good, eat—Oh, boy—how I do eat. You can refer anyone to me that you see fit and I will be glad to tell them my experience with your remedy.

A. M. STEADMAN, Michigan.

RELIEVES CASE OF 40 YEARS STANDING

I have been troubled with this disease for over forty years and I find that your treatment has helped me and I will recommend it to anybody to try it for I can truthfully say that it has relieved all my pains and troubles. You are at liberty to use this as a testimonial if you like, and if you want to, could send me some circulars which I will distribute for you as I go through the country. Thanking you for past favors, I am

L. HYDE, North Dakota.

SUFFERED WITH HIS BACK FOR 45 YEARS

I will say that your Prostate Specific is a wonderful remedy. I am 64 years old and I have suffered with my back for 45 years. Have tried doctors and all kinds of remedies but never found anything that gave me any relief until I tried your remedy and didn't take a month's treatment of it, but it sure did me a world of good.

J. S. PHELPS, Alabama.

70-YEAR-OLD MAN GETS A WORLD OF GOOD FROM TREATMENT

I got a world of good from your cure so far, but I am 70 years old, and in the old folks home, Knights of Pythias. There are several others that have the same trouble and they know the good that I have got from your cure and are going to send for it. Took medicine for about 10 months and the last time the doctor examined me he said he would have to operate on me—before taking the Prostate Specific.

R. H. GRIMES, Illinois.

75-YEAR-OLD MAN PRAISES THE TREATMENT

I can't praise Walker's Prostate Specific enough for what it has done for me. I am 75 years old and am strong now. Before taking the Prostate Specific I was so weak in my back that I could hardly walk, and had to get up about six times a night, and now I can work and walk anywhere I want to. I have recommended Walker's Prostate Specific to all my friends that suffer from prostate trouble for it has cured me.

E. T. COOLEY, Mississippi.

Make This Amazing Test *Free*

I want every person suffering from the necessity of frequent nightly arisings, pain in the groin, aches at the base of the spine or in the back, burning sensation of organs, etc., to try Walker's Prostate Specific at my expense. I want you to prove, entirely at my risk, that you can feel years younger, be more alive, successful, animated and enthusiastic than you have been for years, in addition to being rid of your pains and troubles.

For this reason I am making an introductory offer to send a complete $1.00 treatment of Walker's Prostate Specific absolutely free of charge and without obligation to every reader of this paper who writes me.

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