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An Epitaph of Pope's

The following epitaph, written by Pope, was highly commended by Johnson. It was written to keep alive the memory of Elizabeth Corbett, who sleeps now in St. Margaret's, Westminster:

Here rests a woman, good without pretense.
Blest with plain reason and with sober sense;
No conquest she but o'er herself desired;
No arts essayed, but not to be admired.
Passion and pride were to her soul unknown.
Convinced that virtue only is our own;
So unaffected, so composed a mind,
So firm, yet soft; so strong, yet so refined.
Heaven, as its purest gold, by tortures tried;
The saint sustained it, but the woman

Disillusion.

The American contractor stood at the base of the great pyramid and looked at the venerable monument in disgust.

"It's a big pile, all right," he said; "and it may do well enough for Egypt, but if a man in the United States should turn out a job of stone work like that the papers would roast him from Hoboken to Hegewisch."

Turning away disappointed, he consoled himself by taking a ride on a camel, which animal he found fully up to all the descriptions he had read of it.

A Matrimonial Necessity.

"Mary couldn't take that outing trip without her husband."

"Why not?"

"All her waists button down the back."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

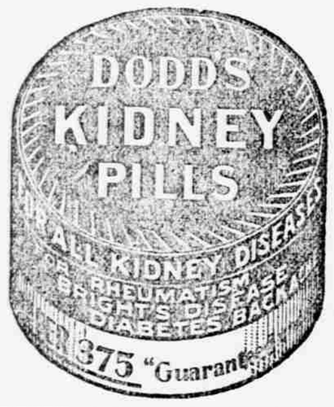
Hides, Pelts and Wool.—To get full value, ship to the old reliable N. W. Hide and Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Miracle Lettuce.

"Yes," said a florist, "I can work miracles in my business. For instance, I can grow you lettuce while you wait—sweet, crisp lettuce that you may eat for your dinner with the broiled spring chicken.

"I do it in this way. I take a handful of lettuce seeds that have been soaked overnight in alcohol, and I plant them in a box containing three inches of loam and quicklime. I water this soil, and in ten minutes the seeds burst. In twenty minutes two tiny leaves push through the earth. The leaves grow and multiply. In an hour they are as big as half dollars. Then you may pluck and eat them. They are delicious—a fairy salad.

"Sometimes, when I give a dinner party, I have one of these little prepared lettuce beds in the center of the table. The guests see the lettuce grow, and when the time comes for the salad course, there is their salad blooming before them, all ready for them to pluck."—Chicago Inter Ocean.



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COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

CHICAGO.

In the largely increased volume of payments through the banks, decline in commercial defaults and shipments of breadstuffs double those of last year bringing the highest prices this season are found encouraging testimony to well-sustained activity in buiness. Less presure is also evident in money and the autumn demand for necessaries and factory outputs reflects steady consumption, which would not be so were the purchasing power generally curtailed. Weather conditions favor the leading distributive lines and movements of commodities compare favorably with a year ago, forwarding to the interior being especially heavy. New contracts in iron and steel show best in structural shapes, wire, pipe and merchant iron, but there is no falling off in furnace deliveries and rail mills have bookings running into next July.

Mercantile collections in the West make a satisfactory showing and credits are regarded healthy, notwithstanding the tightness of money. Agriculturists continue prompt in their marketings for cash and the unusually profitable returns add rapidly to country bank deposits. Retail trade here and at interior centers is seen to be of seasonable proportions. Buying remains large in wholesale branches of dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, furniture and food products.

Bank clearings, $269,577,109, exceed those of corresponding week in 1906 by 18.7 per cent.

Failures reported in the Chicago district number 18, against 24 last week and 26 a year ago. Those with liabilities over $5,000 were 5 in number, against 9 last year.—Duns Trade Review.

NEW YORK.

Trade, crop and industrial reports are rather more irregular. Interest as to distributive trade has now largely passed from the wholesale and jobbing branches to retail trade, the development and proportions of which will be closely scrutinized from now on. So far the reports as to this line are conflicting, being best in parts of the Northwest, Southwest and South, and relatively slackest at the East, which needs sharp, cold weather for best activities. Jobbing business is fair as a whole, it being noted that house trade is very quiet, while filling-in orders vary with sections reporting. The money stringency is an additional feature which attracts attention, affecting as it does the item of collections on past transactions. As to this item of collections, too, it may be said that holding of crops has been a subject of complaint from several points.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending Oct. 17 number 194, against 192 last week, 170 in the like week of 1906, 178 in 1905, 227 in 1904 and 216 in 1903. Canadian failures for the week number 36, as against 24 last week and 18 in this week a year ago.—Bradstreet's Commercial Report.

THE MARKETS

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime $4.00 o $7.35; hogs, prime heavy, $4.00 to $6.60; sheep, fair to choice, $3.00 to $5.75; wheat, No. 2, $1.01 to $1.04; corn, No. 2, 61c to 62c; oats, statndard, 51c to 52c; rye, No. 2, 86c to 88c; hay, timothy, $12.00 to $20.00; prairie, $9.00 to $15.00; butter, choice creamery, 27c to 28c; eggs, fresh, 19c to 24c; potatoes, per bushel, 55c to 65c.

Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, $3.00 to $7.10; hogs, good to choice heavy, $5.00 to $6.80; sheep, common to prime, $3.00 to $4.75; wheat, No. 2, $1.03 to $1.04; corn, No. 2 white, 63c to 64c; oats, No. 2 white, 51c to 52c.

St. Louis—Cattle, $4.50 to $7.15; hogs, $4.00 to $6.65; sheep, $3.00 to $5.50; wheat, No. 2, $1.05 to $1.06; corn, No. 2, 63c to 64c; oats, No. 2, 50c to 51c; rye, No. 2, 82c to 83c.

Cincinnati—Cattle, $4.00 to $5.75; hogs, $4.00 to $6.75; sheep, $3.00 to $5.25; wheat, No. 2, $1.01 to $1.03; corn, No. 2 mixed, 68c to 69c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 53c to 54c; rye, No. 2, 91c to 93c.

Detroit—Cattle, $4.00 to $5.30; hogs, $4.00 to $6.50; sheep, $2.50 to $4.75; wheat, No. 2, $1.03 to $1.04; corn, No. 3 yellow, 67c to 68c; oats, No. 3 white, 55c to 56c; rye, No. 2, 89c to 90c.

Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 northern, $1.11 to $1.13; corn, No. 3, 62c to 63c; oats, standard, 52c to 55c; rye, No. 1, 87c to 88c; barley, standard, $1.10 to $1.11; pork, mess, $15.50.

Buffalo—Cattle, choice shipping steers, $4.00 to $6.60; hogs, fair to choice, $4.00 to $7.00; sheep, common to good mixed, $4.00 to $5.25; lambs, fair to choice, $5.00 to $7.75.

New York—Cattle, $4.00 to $6.60; hogs, $4.00 to $7.00; sheep, $3.00 to $5.50; wheat, No. 2 red, $1.09 to $1.11; corn, No. 2, 71c to 72c; oats, natural white, 58c to 62c; butter, creamery, 25c to 28c; eggs, western, 19c to 24c.

Toledo—Wheat, No. 2 mixed, $1.00 to $1.02; corn, No. 2 mixed, 63c to 64c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 53c to 54c; rye, No. 2, 89c to 90c; clover seed, prime, $10.70.

In the Sporting World.

Sir Thomas Lipton expressed great disappointment at not being able to make terms to race for the America Cup.

Keene's Colin won a $9,000 stake at Brighton.

George Bennett announced he would quit the turf forever.

The Yale football eleven started off with a smart victory over Wesleyan.

Bobby Walthour, the American cyclist, was seriously hurt in a race in Berlin.

Line bucking won the game for the University of Pennsylvania which its team played with Villa Nova.

Philadelphia and Detroit American League teams played a remarkable seventeen-inning game to a drawn score.

Hight of Honesty.

A number of small North Side girls had opened a lemonade stand at the edge of the curb. The drink was in a large glass pitcher with sliced lemons floating appetizingly at the top. One small girl, with a red crayon, had lettered the word "artificial" and leaned it against the pitcher.

"What's that for?" inquired a passerby.

"Pure food law," said the girls in chorus.

"But why should you label it? Are not the water, the lemons, and the sugar pure?"

"Yes."

"Well, what's artificial about it?"

"The ice."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

BACK GAVE OUT.

A Typical Case of Kidney Trouble and a Typical Cure.

Mrs. Chloe Page, of 510 S Pitt street, Alexandria, Va., says: "My back hurt me terribly; I had sharp shooting pains, changing to a dull, dragging ache. I could not stand for any length of time and my back hurt me when I sat down. My feet and ankles were badly swollen every evening and my stomach was out of order. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of these troubles in 1902, and for five years I have had no return."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Canaries to Rent.

"Canaries have served an odd purpose this season," said a dealer in birds. "They have been used as one of the features in house and church decorations. At weddings, commencements, and social affairs of all kinds where lavish decorations were in order, cages of canaries have been hung here and there among the flowers and foliage. Most of these birds were rented for the occasion. In the spring and early summer the demand for canaries as part of a decorative scheme was so great that I kept more than a dozen extra birds on hand for renting purposes."

The Trouble.

Jones—I understand there is trouble between Mrs. Poet and her husband.

Smith—Yes. He couldn't sell his poems, and she couldn't eat them, so she left him.

GIRLHOOD TO WOMANHOOD

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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The responsibility for a daughter's future largely rests with the mother.

The right influence and the information which is of vital interest to the daughter imparted at the proper time has not only saved the life but insured the success of many a beautiful girl.

When a girl's thoughts become sluggish, with headache, dizziness or a disposition to sleep, pains in back or lower limbs, eyes dim, desire for solitude; when she is a mystery to herself and friends, her mother should come to her aid, and remember that **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** made from native roots and herbs, will at this time prepare the system for the coming change, and start this trying period in a young girl's life without pain or irregularities. It has been thus depended upon for two generations.

Hundreds of letters from young girls and their mothers, expressing gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for them, are constantly being received.

Miss Ellen M. Olson, of 417 N. East St., Kewanee, Ill. writes:—

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I have had the best doctors in our town for my sickness and they all thought that an operation was necessary. I had headache, sideache, and my feet were so sore I could hardly stand. I took two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound when my periods were established and now I am perfectly well. Mama says she won't be without your medicine in the house. I have told one girl what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me and she is taking it now."

Miss Clara E. Darmstadter, of 453 Breckenridge St., Buffalo, N.Y., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"For about a year, except during the past few months, I suffered with severe pains every month, with backaches and headaches. I had the blues so bad that I was in despair. It is a pleasure to tell you that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured me. The change in my appearance is wonderful and I desire that this good may come to every sufferer. Any one desiring to know further details may write to me and I shall be glad to give them."

If you know of any young girl who is sick and needs motherly advice, ask her to address Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., and tell her every detail of her symptoms, and to keep nothing back. She will receive advice absolutely free, from a source that has no rival in the experience of woman's ills, and it will, if followed, put her on the right road to a strong, healthy and happy womanhood.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made from native roots and herbs cures where others fail.

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Of all lunacy, 24 per cent is from hereditary causes.

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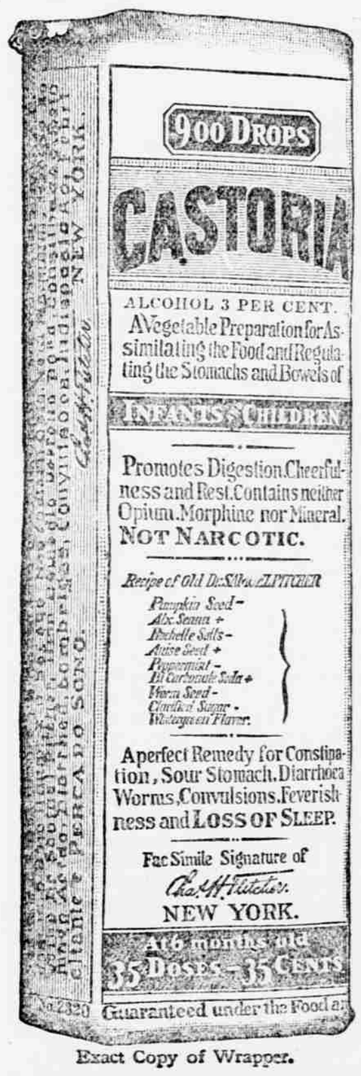
Physicians Recommend Castoria

CASTORIA has met with pronounced favor on the part of physicians, pharmaceutical societies and medical authorities. It is used by physicians with results most gratifying. The extended use of Castoria is unquestionably the result of three facts: *First*—The indisputable evidence that it is harmless: *Second*—That it not only allays stomach pains and quiets the nerves, but assimilates the food: *Third*—It is an agreeable and perfect substitute for Castor Oil. It is absolutely safe. It does not contain any Opium, Morphine, or other narcotic and does not stupefy. It is unlike Soothing Syrups, Bateman's Drops, Godfrey's Cordial, etc. This is a good deal for a Medical Journal to say. Our duty, however, is to expose danger and record the means of advancing health. The day for poisoning innocent children through greed or ignorance ought to end. To our knowledge, Castoria is a remedy which produces composure and health, by regulating the system—not by stupefying it—and our readers are entitled to the information.—*Hall's Journal of Health.*



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Letters from Prominent Physicians addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

Dr. B. Halstead Scott, of Chicago, Ills., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria often for infants during my practice, and find it very satisfactory."

Dr. William Belmont, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "Your Castoria stands first in its class. In my thirty years of practice I can say I never have found anything that so filled the place."

Dr. J. H. Taft, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria and found it an excellent remedy in my household and private practice for many years. The formula is excellent."

Dr. R. J. Hamlen, of Detroit, Mich., says: "I prescribe your Castoria extensively, as I have never found anything to equal it for children's troubles. I am aware that there are imitations in the field, but I always see that my patients get Fletcher's."

Dr. Wm. J McCrann, of Omaha, Neb., says: "As the father of thirteen children I certainly know something about your great medicine, and aside from my own family experience I have in my years of practice found Castoria a popular and efficient remedy in almost every home."

Dr. J. R. Clausen, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "The name that your Castoria has made for itself in the tens of thousands of homes blessed by the presence of children, scarcely needs to be supplemented by the endorsement of the medical profession, but I, for one, most heartily endorse it and believe it an excellent remedy."

Dr. R. M. Ward, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Physicians generally do not prescribe proprietary preparations, but in the case of Castoria my experience, like that of many other physicians, has taught me to make an exception. I prescribe your Castoria in my practice because I have found it to be a thoroughly reliable remedy for children's complaints. Any physician who has raised a family, as I have, will join me in heartiest recommendation of Castoria."

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