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Mrs. S. W. Marine, of Colorado Springs, began to fear the Worst - Doan's Kidney Pills Saved Her.



I suffered for three years with severe back ache. The doctors told me my kidneys were affected and prescribed medicines for me, but I found that it was only a waste of time and money to take them, and began to fear that I would never get well.

A friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. Within a week after I began using them I was so much better that I decided to keep up the treatment, and when I had used a little over two boxes I was entirely well. I have now enjoyed the best of health for more than four months, and words can but poorly express my gratitude.

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Straight, strong, sure, is the best household remedy for

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Ancient time-keeping has received new light from two remarkable explorations on the site of the old Ionic port of Miletus. These stones are the remains of calendars, of which one is shown to date from 109 A. D.

Fishermen Relieved.

A Knox county, Me., fisherman found a man pulling his lobster traps. The man was invited to go ashore and settle the matter of a marquis of queensberry, but preferred to take his chances with the law, and was brought to Rockland.

China's Medical School.

The Dowager Empress of China has given a sum of money for the establishment of an institution for teaching medicine, the management to be confided to the missionaries.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Deepest Sounding Ever Made.

The deepest sounding ever made by any vessel was the United States ship Nero while on the Honolulu-Manila cable survey.

THE KEYSTONE STATE

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

There are ten cases of diphtheria in Denver, Lancaster county, and the schools have been closed.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Mettler Youells, of Easton, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding. All of their nine children were present.

Charles Strauss, aged 17 years, of Lower Saucon Township, has started on a tour of the world. He was never before outside the boundaries of his native township.

W. J. P. Williams, one of the most prominent contractors in the Wilkes-Barre region, and a brother of the late Congressman Morgan B. Williams, was killed at the Henry Colliery by a prop falling upon him as he was directing the work of placing it.

Being overcome by sulphur fumes while his train was going slowly through the Mahanoy tunnel, Engineer Wyld fell from the locomotive.

Near Pottsville two footpads held up Henry Hess and demanded his pocketbook. When he resisted one of them fired several shots at him, a bullet wounding him in the face.

Jacob Prinko was hanged in the county jailyard at Greensburg for the murder of W. J. Keisley, of East Charleroi, on November 17, 1903. Prinko boarded a train at Monessen in a drunken condition, and refusing to pay his fare, was ejected by the conductor at Charleroi.

A. U. Leshar, of Berwick, has disposed of a mastodon tooth to the National Museum at Washington. The tooth is seven inches long, five inches wide and three inches thick.

Attorney General Carson has given an opinion to Superintendent of Public Printing A. N. Pomeroy to the effect that he cannot postpone letting the three-year contract for public printing beyond the day fixed by law.

Officials of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company have petitioned the Chester county courts for an injunction to restrain the Philadelphia, Coatesville and Lancaster trolley road from crossing the railway tracks on Main street, near First avenue, in Coatesville, where the trolley people now have their tracks and are preparing to complete their roadbed.

Joseph McKel, who is serving a nine-month sentence in prison in Ebensburg for false pretense, is believed to know something about the Portage murder and robbery on July 30, when Charles Hayes was killed and \$2800 stolen from a paymaster. An information charging him with the crime was made some days ago. Constable W. J. Griffith is the prosecutor. McKel is said to resemble the description of one member of the gang which committed the crime. Further arrests are expected.

An echo of a famous church fight in Mascus Hook was heard in court at Media when Rev. Richard M. Doherty appeared as prosecutor in a suit for assault and battery against Isaac Peacock, 21 years old. Rev. Mr. Doherty charged Peacock with insulting him and striking him when he remonstrated. Peacock's defense was that he did not strike, but only pushed the rector away. He alleged that Rev. Mr. Doherty called him harsh names. The jury acquitted Peacock and placed the costs on Mr. Doherty.

Thieves stripped many grape arbors in Beaver Meadow, carrying away the fruit in a wagon.

Michael Ricardi, a baker of Pittston, was arrested on the charge of using counterfeit union labels on his bread and was held under \$500 bail for trial.

A Scranton grand jury for the second time approved of the plan to build a \$130,000 addition to the Lackawanna County Court House. The work can now be commenced.

David Ways, of Dunbar, predicted his death two weeks before it happened and requested that his body be interred in the old family cemetery at Mt. Vernon, near Mt. Pleasant. He died of typhoid fever.

William Fisher, an inmate, escaped from the county insane asylum and was injured on the Pennsylvania Railroad near Rohrersstown. He was thrown from a freight car on which he was riding and both his legs were cut off.

Thomas Williams and Joseph Featherstone, members of the Miners' Examining Board, were convicted in court at Wilkes-Barre of issuing miners' certificates in a saloon building, which is contrary to law. Mine Workers instituted the prosecution, and similar action is to follow against other examiners.

Paul Myers jumped from a rapidly moving trolley car near the home of his father, at Strasburg. His skull was fractured and he died in an hour. He was 25 years old, and lived in Beaver Valley.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Trade expands steadily as confidence increases with the harvesting of the crops, and mercantile collections are less tardily met. Lower temperature stimulates the demand for Fall and Winter wearing apparel, and there is more disposition to prepare for the future rather than to confine operations within the limit of immediate requirements. This improvement is extending to all departments of manufacture, and in the aggregate there is less idle machinery than at any recent date.

Settlements of labor disputes have helped in the development of this favorable condition. Railway earnings for September were 57 per cent larger than a year ago.

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week aggregate 864,373 bushels against 935,834 last week. Corn exports for the week aggregate 657,390 bushels, against 429,158 last week.

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore.—FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 8,665 bushels; exports, 4,230 bushels.

WHEAT—Weak; spot contract, \$1.09 1/2@1.09 3/4; spot No. 2 red Western, \$1.11 1/4@1.11 3/4; September, 1.09 1/4@1.09 3/4; October, 1.10 1/4@1.10 3/4; December, 1.13 3/4@1.14; May, 1.15 1/4; steamer, No. 2 red, 1.01 1/4@1.01 3/4; receipts, 16,027 bushels; Southern, by sample, 80@1.07; Southern, on grade, 92@1.10.

CORN—Weak; year, 51 1/2 asked; receipts, 5,304 bushels; Southern white corn, 56@59; Southern yellow corn, 60@62.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 35@35 1/2; No. 2 mixed, 34 1/2 bid; receipts, 11,911 bushels.

RYE—Easier (uptown); No. 2 Western, 84.

BUTTER—Firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 17@18; fancy creamery, 20@21; fancy lard, 14@15; store packed, 10@12.

EGGS—Firm and unchanged; 22.

CHEESE—Steady and unchanged; large, 9 1/2@10; medium, 9 1/4@9 3/4; small, 9 1/4@9 3/4.

NEW YORK.—BUTTER—Firm; receipts, 4,815. Street price, extra creamery, 19 1/2@19 3/4. Official prices, unchanged.

CHEESE—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 2,570. Weekly exports, 1,918.

EGGS—Firm and unchanged, receipts, 7,295.

POULTRY—Alive and dressed, quiet and unchanged.

FLOUR—Receipts, 10,886 barrels; exports, 6,076 barrels; sales, 3,500 packages; market slow, with mills disposed to make concessions.

MINNESOTA patent, 6.00@6.50; Minnesota bakers', 4.65@5.00; winter patents, 5.25@5.50; winter straights, 5.10@5.40; winter extras, 3.45@4.10; winter, low grades, 3.25@3.50.

RYE FLOUR—Firm; sales, 1,200 barrels. Fair to good, 4.40@4.60; choice to fancy, 4.65@4.85.

HOPS—Firm; State, common to choice, 1904, 29@36; 1903, 27@34 olds, 10; Pacific coast, 1904, 27@32; 1903, 26@32; olds, 10@15.

FEED—Irregular. Spring bran, 20.75; middlings, 22.75; city, 22.00@27.00.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 67 1/2; good to choice, 85.

WOOL—Firm; domestic fleece, 32@35.

LARD—Easy. Western steamed, 7.45; September closed, 7.45; nominal; refined, easy; continent, 7.65; South America, 8.25; compound, 57 1/2@64.

COTSEED OIL—Firm; prime crude, nominal; do., yellow, 29 1/4@29 3/4.

RICE—Steady; domestic, fair to extra, 2 1/4@5 1/4; Japan, nominal.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 37@37.

POTATOES—Firm; Long Island, 1.50@1.75; Jersey and Southern, 1.30@1.60; Jersey sweets, 2.00@2.25.

PEANUTS—Quiet; fancy hand picked, 66@64; other domestic, 36@62.

LIVE STOCK.

NEW YORK.—BEEVES—Dressed beef steady at 6 1/2@9 1/4 per pound.

CALVES—Market quiet and very little trading. Common to prime veals, 5.00@8.50 per 100 pounds; city dressed veals steady at 9@13c per pound.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep steady; common and medium lambs slow and unchanged; choice lambs in good demand and firm. Sheep, 3.00@4.50 per 100 pounds; lambs, 5.25@6.65; 1 car of very choice do., 6.85; dressed mutton in fair demand at 5.00@8.50; dressed lambs, 8@11c.

CHICAGO.—CATTLE—Good to prime steers, 5.60@6.10; poor to medium, 4.00@5.25; stockers and feeders, 2.25@3.85; cows, 1.40@4.85; heifers, 2.50@4.75; canners, 1.40@2.10; bulls, 2.00@4.20; calves, 3.00@6.50; Texas-fed steers, 4.00@5.50; Western steers, 3.00@4.25.

HOGS—Mixed and butchers, 5.50@5.05; good to choice heavy, 5.75@6.00; rough heavy, 5.25@5.45; light, 5.50@6.10; bulk of sales, 5.60@5.80.

SHEEP—Lambs steady. Good to choice wethers, 3.65@4.25; fair to choice, 3.25@3.60; native lambs, 4.25@6.15.

WORLD OF LABOR.

NEW YORK CITY has 664 unions, with a total membership of over 250,000.

There are more than 600,000 persons engaged as clerks and copyists in the United States.

German industries employ the greatest percentage of women in proportion to the total population.

It is estimated that the total wages lost in the recent beef strike reached the enormous total of \$3,375,000.

The United States has 26 1/2 miles of railroad for each 10,000 persons. Britain has 5 1/3 miles per 10,000 inhabitants.

There are now 120 distinct trade organizations represented in the American Federation of Labor. There are also several national unions not connected with the American Federation.



Mrs. Hughson, of Chicago, whose letter follows, is another woman in high position who owes her health to the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered, for several years with general weakness and bearing-down pains, caused by womb trouble. My appetite was fitful, and I would lie awake for hours, and could not sleep, until I seemed more weary in the morning than when I retired. After reading one of your advertisements I decided to try the merits of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am so glad I did. No one can describe the good it did me. I took three bottles faithfully, and besides building up my general health, it drove all disease and poison out of my body, and made me feel as spry and active as a young girl. Mrs. Pinkham's medicines are certainly all they are claimed to be."

Mrs. M. E. HUGHSON, 347 East Ohio St., Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Pinkham Tells How Ordinary Tasks Produce Displacements. Apparently trifling incidents in woman's daily life frequently produce displacements of the womb. A slip on the stairs, lifting during menstruation, standing at a counter, running a sewing machine, or attending to the most ordinary tasks may result in displacement, and a train of serious evils is started.

The first indication of such trouble should be the signal for quick action. Don't let the condition become chronic through neglect or a mistaken idea that you can overcome it by exercise or leaving it alone.

More than a million women have regained health by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If the slightest trouble appears which you do not understand write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for her advice, and a few timely words from her will show you the right thing to do. This advice costs you nothing, but it may mean life or happiness or both.

Mrs. Leah Stowell, 177 Wellington St., Kingston, Ont., writes:

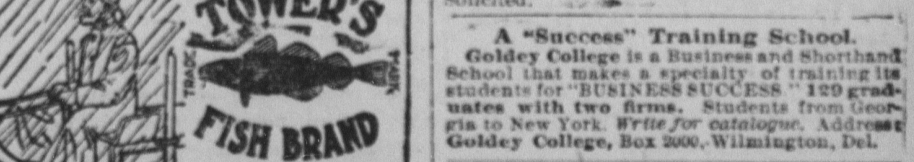
"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—You are indeed a godsend to women, and if they all knew what you could do for them, there would be no need of their dragging out miserable lives in agony. I suffered for years with bearing-down pains, womb trouble, nervousness, and excruciating headache, but a few bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made life look new and promising to me. I am light and happy, and I do not know what sickness is, and I now enjoy the best of health."

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