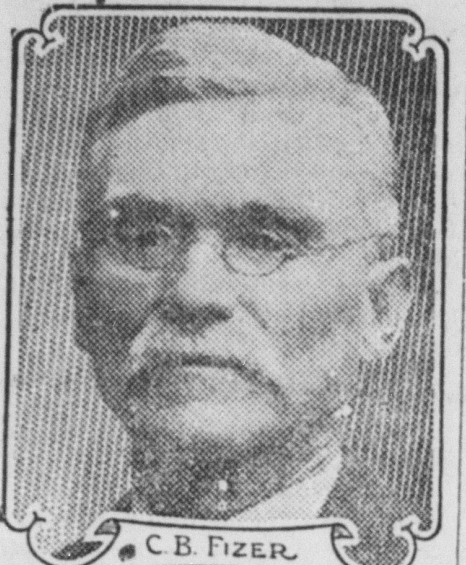


KIDNEY TROUBLE

Suffered Two Years—Relieved in Three Months.



C. B. FIZER.

M. R. C. B. FIZER, Mt. Sterling, Ky., writes:

"I have suffered with kidney and bladder trouble for ten years past. Last March I commenced using Peruna and continued for three months. I have not used it since, nor have I felt a pain. I believe that I am well and I therefore give my highest commendation to the curative powers of Peruna."

Peruna For Kidney Trouble.

Mrs. Geo. H. Simer, Grant, Ontario, Can., writes:

"I had not been well for about four years. I had kidney trouble, and, in fact, felt badly nearly all the time. This summer I got so very bad I thought I would try Peruna, so I wrote to you and began at once to take Peruna and Manalin. I took only two bottles of Peruna and one of Manalin, and now I feel better than I have for some time."

"I feel that Peruna and Manalin cured me and made a different woman of me altogether. I bless the day I picked up the little book and read of your Peruna. It is the business of the kidneys to remove from the blood all poisonous materials. They must be active all the time, else the system suffers. There are times when they need a little assistance. Peruna is exactly this sort of a remedy. It has saved many people from disaster by rendering the kidneys service at a time when they were not able to bear their own burdens."

A Sausage Story.

"What do you think that stupid Nora of mine did this morning?" said Mrs. Martin to her friend Mrs. Rose, as they met at market. "She threw away all our sausage for breakfast because they burst open in cooking, and she thought they were spoiled."

"I'm not laughing because you lost your breakfast," said Mrs. Rose. "But the world 'sausage' sends our family nearly into convulsions. When the Mayhams visited us a short time ago, I ordered some sausage for breakfast. I wanted it particularly nice, so I cautioned Nellie, who was just over from Ireland and had only been with me two weeks, to be sure and prick each sausage so they would not burst open. She looked a trifle dazed, and I explained, 'Just stick a fork in each one.' A beam of intelligence crossed her face and I felt sure she comprehended our simple breakfast would be all right."

"Imagine our feelings when Nellie, next morning, deposited in front of George a platter on which the sausages marched in battle array, each bearing aloft a kitchen fork! I said 'each,' but I am mistaken—one poor little sausage brought up the rear with a corker. Nellie, realizing from my face that something was wrong, explained apologetically, 'Indeed, mum, the forks give out, end I sez to myself, sez I, wan prick will do for the little wan.'"

A literally true tale, this.—Good Housekeeping.

There is scarcely a gem known to the lapidary which has not been found in America. There are several gems that are almost peculiar to this country and that should be better known for their intrinsic beauty. Among these are the golden beryl of Connecticut (it is a brilliant yellow, full of life and sparkle) and the curious chlorastrolites and thomsonites of Lake Superior, which are useful as a green and mottled background in designs.

About ten species of "vegetable sponges" are now cultivated in the warmer parts of Africa and Asia, especially in Algeria. The fruit is edible before maturity, but on ripening the pulp separates from the fibrous material, which then becomes an excellent substitute for real sponge for the toilet, bathroom and many other purposes. The Algerian sponges are in large demand in Paris.

Not So Now.

"The trouble with most people," said the lecturer, "is that they have never learned to say 'no.'"

"Evidently," said a sad-looking man who had succeeded in getting in on a pass, "you haven't been soliciting life insurance since these graft exposures were begun."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Adolescent insanity, defined in the Dictionary of Medicine as Hebephrenia, a form of insanity characterized by great mental depression, deterioration of moral qualities and of mental power, and self-centered, selfish delusions. It usually terminates in dementia.

In a recently invented acetylene blowpipe oxygen is used with acetylene, and very high temperatures are obtained, owing to the absence of inert nitrogen from the flame. It is claimed that with this blowpipe a rod of pure iron serves as a soldering stick, and the heat is so great that a little of the carbon in the flame unites with the iron, converting it into mild steel. Considerable use is predicted for the new blowpipe in making repairs at sea. It is believed that a ship's frame could be soldered with its aid.

COMMERCIAL

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

Business maintain wholesome progress and mercantile collections improve. The week's aggregate transactions show the effect of the holiday and seasonal quiet in certain lines, but a good gain is noted in comparison with the corresponding period of any previous year. Uncertainty regarding the crops caused unusual conservatism at the Northwest until this week when the outlook became sufficiently encouraging to restore confidence. In many jobbing lines there is no prospect of vigorous activity until Fall, but wholesale distribution is now heavy and retail business is only retarded at points where temporary weather conditions are adverse. Little idle machinery is reported at manufacturing plants, except in a few cases of labor disputes, and several substantial increases in wages became effective June 1. Railway earnings thus far recorded for May exceeded last year's by 11.1 per cent.

Aside from the strike of foundries and moulders the iron and steel industry is in splendid condition.

Footwear factories are supplied with orders that will maintain full activity for two or three months and supplementary contracts for Fall delivery continually arrive from salesmen or by mail.

Bradstreet's says:

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending May 31 are 2,526,739 bushels, against 4,334,373 last week, 1,309,223 this week last year, 1,937,208 in 1904 and 4,708,995 in 1903. Corn exports for the week are 614,915 bushels, against 818,007 last week, 457,914 a year ago, 327,166 in 1904 and 1,013,871 in 1903.

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore.—FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 13,289 barrels.

WHEAT—Weak; spot, contract, 88¢ @ 89¢; July, 82¢ asked; August, 80¢ asked; steamer No. 2 red, 80¢ @ 80½¢; receipts, 3,505 bushels.

CORN—Firm; spot, 55½¢ @ 55½¢; June 55½¢ asked; July 55¢ @ 55½¢; September, 54½¢ @ 55½¢; steamer mixed, 51¼¢ @ 51½¢; receipts, 17,627 bushels.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 white, 40¢ @ 40½¢; No. 3 white, 39½¢ @ 40¢; No. 2 mixed, 38½¢ @ 39¢.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 Western, 66¢ @ 66½¢ export; 70¢ @ 71 domestic; receipts, 3,003.

BUTTER—Firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 17¢ @ 18¢; fancy creamery, 21¢ @ 22¢ fancy ladie, 15¢ @ 16¢; store-packed 13¢ @ 14¢.

EGGS—Steady and unchanged; 16½¢.

CHEESE—Strong and unchanged; large, 10¼¢ @ 11¢; medium, 11¼¢; small, 11½¢.

SUGAR—Steady and unchanged; coarse granulated, 4.80; fine, 4.80.

New York.—RYE—Easy. No. 2 Western, 67½¢ f. o. b. New York.

WHEAT—Spot barely steady. No. 2 red, 94 nominal elevator; No. 2 red, 95 nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 90½ nominal f. o. b. afloat.

CORN—Spot firm. No. 2, 58½ nominal elevator and 58¼ nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 59 nominal; No. 2 white, 59½ nominal.

OATS—Spot steady. Mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 39½¢; natural white, 30 to 33 pounds, 40¢ @ 40½¢; clipped white, 38 to 40 pounds, 41¢ @ 42½¢.

BUTTER—Easy. Street price, extra creamery, 20¢ @ 20½¢; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 14¢ @ 20¢; renovated, common to extra, 12¢ @ 16½¢.

EGGS—Firm. State, Pennsylvania, and near-by, fancy, selected, white, 22¢; do., choice, 20¢ @ 21¢; do., mixed extra, 17½¢ @ 20¢; Western, firsts, 17¢; seconds, 16¢ @ 16½¢; Southern, 14¢ @ 16¢.

POULTRY—Alive steady; Western broilers, 25¢ @ 26¢; fowls, 13½¢; turkeys, 11¢ @ 12¢; dressed easy; Western broilers, 22¢ @ 25¢; urkeys, 14¢; fowls, 11¢ @ 12½¢.

BEEF—Easy; family, 11.00 @ 15.00; mess, 8.50 @ 9.00; city extra India mess, 16.50 @ 17.00.

LARD—Easy; Western prime, 8.75 @ 8.80; nominal; refined easy; continent, 9.20.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 2 15-16 @ 2 31-32; centrifugal, 9¢ test, 3 15-32 @ 3 3½¢; molasses sugar, 2 11-12 @ 2 27-32; refined firm.

POTATOES—Irrregular; Bermuda per barrel, 3.50 @ 7.00; Southern, 2.00 @ 5.50; State and Western, per bag, 2.75 @ 3.00; Maine and Eastern, 2.50 @ 3.00; European, 2.50 @ 2.75.

Live Stock.

New York.—BEEVES—Steers slow and a shade lower; bulls steady; cows steady to firm. Common to prime steers, 4.15 @ 5.35; bulls, 3.00 @ 4.35; cows, 2.15 @ 4.25.

CALVES—Veals 25¢ higher; buttermilk nominal. Veals, 4.50 @ 7.00; choice, and extra, 7.12½ @ 7.25; dressed calves steady; city dressed veals, 7½¢ @ 10½¢; per pound; country dressed, 6½¢ @ 9½¢.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep steady; lambs 25¢ lower; yearlings 25¢ @ 40¢. Lower. Sheep, 3.50 @ 5.60; prime yearlings, 7.00; lambs, 7.75 @ 8.50.

HOGS—Market a trifle easier; heavy and medium hogs quoted at 6.80 @ 7.00; mixed Western, 6.30.

Chicago.—CATTLE—Market best steady; others dull. Common to prime steers, 4.00 @ 6.10; cows, 3.00 @ 4.50; heifers, 2.75 @ 5.10; bulls, 3.25 @ 4.25; calves, 2.75 @ 7.25.

HOGS—Market weak. Choice to prime heavy, 6.50 @ 6.55; medium to good heavy, 6.45 @ 6.50; butchers' weights, 6.47½ @ 6.55; good to choice heavy mixed, 6.45 @ 6.50; packing, 6.00 @ 6.47½.

SHEEP—Market steady. Sheep, 5.00 @ 6.25; yearlings, 5.90 @ 6.35; shorn lambs 5.25 @ 6.60.

IN THE FIELD OF LABOR.

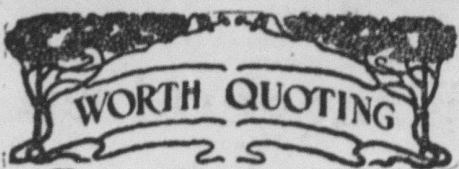
The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen has now over 80,000 members.

The chief labor unions of Germany collect over \$4,000,000 a year in dues.

International Typographical Union has obtained the eight-hour day in 445 cities.

Cleveland (O.) machinists will form a union of toolmakers, diemakers and die sinkers.

Carpenters of Memphis, Tenn., have been granted an increase of five cents an hour.



Baby thinks a good deal of his dad, but it takes mamma's kiss to cure a hurt finger, says the domestic philosopher of the Indianapolis Star.

Pennsylvania Railroad disallows are making President Cassatt believe that everybody but father worked the coal mines, observes the Baltimore Sun.

Says the New York Press: "It is a good deal better to think poetry than to write it, and better to write it than to print it." Still there's very little harm in printing it if nobody reads it.

Spanish financiers have brought out an ambitious new plan to build a railway in Africa joining a port on the Mediterranean near the Straits of Gibraltar with some port far down the coast, thus affording a new route of transportation in Africa, and, as they hope, affording a quicker route from Spain to the west coast of South America.

Too many architects in San Francisco. Too many of all-so-called genteel professions everywhere. Why do not men get back to the soil, where they are sure of a living, anyway, remarks the Massachusetts Ploughman. Farming is the most ancient pursuit, for Adam was, according to Tennyson, the first grand old gardener who smiled at the claims of long descent.

Farming has reached the stage where large profits are hardly possible without heavy investments in working animals and machinery. Given a farm workable by machinery, the next important point is the man who works it. An energetic class of farmers on farms adapted to thorough-going methods can hardly fail to become prosperous.

The Earl of Wemyss, who is eighty-eight years old, solemnly informed the House of Lords that Great Britain had no army and only sixty up-to-date cannon. On the same day, laughingly adds Town Topics, the official news of the surrender of Turkey was announced, and seriously impaired the effect of the eloquent speech of the noble lord, who was requested to take a seat on bench No. 23.

The horse refuses to go, and his value has advanced. On January 1, 1907, there were 14,364,000 horses in this country. On the first day of 1906 there were 18,718,000. In nine years there has been an increase of 30 per cent. The gain in the number of mules has been great, but not so large. In 1897 there were 2,215,000. This year, notwithstanding the heavy purchases made by the British government during the Boer war, there are 2,400,000.

Says Samuel Merwin in "Success Magazine": The President's "muck-rake" speech, in spite of its frank and outspoken plea for honest, merciless exposure of rascals high and rascals low, was at once seized on by the rascals and their newspapers as gleefully as if it were a defense of second-story work and porch climbing. Already the rebaters and bribers and adulterers and respectable grafters are beginning to walk abroad with the old smile, and to say, "After all, this is a pretty good country and a pretty good world."

There can be no dissent that pictures suggestive of crime and vice displayed broadcast where they meet the eyes of children—meet them, whether they will or not, are thrust before them—can not but have demoralizing influence, remarks the Indianapolis News. There is no parent of whatever condition that would not shield his girl or boy from such things. We have had in recent times awful examples of the young led astray. How much they have been helped down by the display of bad pictures may be easily felt in any reckoning.

It seems especially incredible to the editor of the Success, that a strong, sturdy, self-made man, who has had to fight his way up from poverty, and who feels the backache in every dollar he has earned, should let his savings slip through his fingers in the most foolish investments, with scarcely any investigation, often sending his money thousands of miles away to people he has never seen and about whom he knows practically nothing, except through an advertisement which has attracted his attention, or through the wiles of some smooth, unprincipled promoter.

There was a touch of humor in the bloodless duel between M. Millevoye, the French editor, and Comte de Noailles. After the shots were fired the editor hustled away, perhaps to get out a special edition. The Comte Mathieu de Noailles scurried across the field with an ugly looking knife in his hand, uglier than the pistol, and hacked away at a wooden fence at the end of the ground. "I have it!" he shouted, after a minute, the "it" being M. Millevoye's bullet, which the count put in his pocket. He has evidence that something was fired in his direction. Of course, it is bad form to hit.

SEVEN YEARS AGO.

A Rochester Chemist Found a Singularly Effective Medicine.

William A. Franklin, of the Franklin & Palmer Chemical Co., Rochester, N. Y., writes:

"Seven years ago I was suffering very much through the failure of the kidneys to eliminate the uric acid from my system. My back was very lame and ached if I over-exerted myself in the least degree. At times I was weighed down with a feeling of languor and depression and suffered continually from annoying irregularities of the kidney secretions. I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and began using them. I found prompt relief from the aching and lameness in my back, and by the time I had taken three boxes I was cured of all irregularities."

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

BEFORE THE TRAIN LEFT.

(From the Toledo Blade.)

The lady of the good intentions sat in the union depot awaiting the departure of the train for Elmore, scheduled to leave at 5:01 P. M. She was sitting beside her sister and two children, and, of nervous temperament, was observed to be restlessly moving about in her chair.

"Norwalk division east," yelled the station-master as he strode across the big marble floor.

"Good-bye, good-bye," smiled the lady of good intentions to her sister, as she grasped the two children and stepped toward the gate. There was one loving embrace and a kiss.

"Don't forget to wind the clock to-night," she admonished.

"All right," rejoined her sister.

"Norwalk division east," came in stentorian tones from the man in the blue suit with big brass buttons on his coat.

"Say, Mary, remember the cat. Feed her," again the traveler said.

"All right, sister, I won't forget."

"And say, Marie, lock all the doors. Burglars might get into the house," almost stunned the crowd that was listening to the dialogue with amusement.

"Norwalk division east," expostulated the station-master, who knew the woman wanted to board the train. "Only one minute, lady."

"Heavens, I forgot my bundles!" she finally groaned, and rushing into the depot, quickly secured it.

"Train, train!" the woman tearfully supplicated, as the big locomotive was slowly steaming out. "Conductor!" she cried.

But the Norwalk division east had gone.

"CHURCH SIDE" OF A HAT.

A milliner who works in a large city says that one day a woman came into the store very much excited and wanted the trimmings on her hat changed. She said that it had been trimmed on the wrong side.

"But," said the saleswoman, "the trimming is on the left side. That is where it ought to be."

"It doesn't make any difference whether it ought to be in front or back, or right or left, it's got to be on the church side."

"Church side?" gasped the astonished girl.

"Yes, church side. I sit right next the wall in church, and I'm not going to have all that trimming next the wall. I want it on the other side, so the whole congregation can see it."

The trimming was promptly placed on the "church side" of the hat.

Advice received from Commander Hosley report the drydock Dewey to be making excellent progress.

A bureau has been established in New York, whose purpose is to save Italian immigrants from padrones.

BUILDING FOOD To Bring the Babies Around.

When a little human machine (or a large one) goes wrong, nothing is so important as the selection of food to bring it around again.

"My little baby boy fifteen months old had pneumonia, then came brain fever, and no sooner had he got over these than he began to cut teeth and, being so weak, he was frequently thrown into convulsions," says a Colorado mother.

"I decided a change might help, so took him to Kansas City for a visit. When we got there he was so very weak when he would cry he would sink away and seemed like he would die."

"When I reached my sister's home she said immediately that we must feed him Grape-Nuts and, although I had never used the food, we got some and for a few days gave him just the juice of Grape-Nuts and milk. He got stronger so quickly we were soon feeding him the Grape-Nuts itself and in a wonderfully short time he fattened right up and became strong and well."

"That showed me something worth knowing and, when later on my girl came, I raised her on Grape-Nuts, and she is a strong, healthy baby and has been. You will see from the little photograph I send you what a strong, chubby youngster the boy is now, but he didn't look anything like that before we found this nourishing food. Grape-Nuts nourished him back to strength when he was so weak he couldn't keep any other food on his stomach." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

All children can be built to a more sturdy and healthy condition upon Grape-Nuts and cream. The food contains the elements nature demands, from which to make the soft gray filling in the nerve centres and brain. A well fed brain and strong, sturdy nerves absolutely insure a healthy body.

Look in pkgs. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

WHAT FATHER DOES.

Mothers may talk, work, struggle, to make their sons models by which to shape a new heaven and a new earth. But the boy's world is in the man who is in his father, and the boy believes that, whatever may be right on Sundays or at prayer time, the things that are really good, that really count in life, are what father does. Moreover, it is what father does which defines the means with which the boy shall work, the sphere wherein his efforts shall be shaped. In a word, what father does is the beginning as it is the end of the boy's achievements.

STOPS BELCHING.

Cures Bad Breath—Positive and Instant Cure Free—No Drugs—Cures by Absorption.

A sweet breath is priceless. Mull's Anti-Belch Wafers will cure bad breath and had taste instantly. Belching and bad taste indicate offensive breath, which is due to stomach trouble.

Mull's Anti-Belch Wafers purify the stomach and stop belching, by absorbing foul gases that arise from undigested food, and by supplying the digestive organs with natural solvents for food.

They relieve sea or car sickness and nausea of any kind.

The quickly cure headache, correct the ill effect of excessive eating or drinking. They will destroy a tobacco, whisky or opium habit instantly.

They stop fermentation in the stomach, acute indigestion, cramps, colic, gas in the stomach and intestines, distended abdomen, heartburn, bad complexion, dizzy spells or any other affliction arising from a diseased stomach.

We know Mull's Anti-Belch Wafers will do this, and we want you to know it. This offer may not appear again.

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Send this coupon with your name and address and your druggist's name and the name of the store or city, and we will supply you a sample free if you have never used Mull's Anti-Belch Wafers, and will also send you a certificate good for 25c toward the purchase of more Belch Wafers. You will find them invaluable for stomach trouble: cures by absorption. Address: MULL'S GRAPE TOBACCO CO., 328 3d Ave., Rock Island, Ill.

Give Full Address and Write Plainly.

All druggists, 50c. per box, or by mail upon receipt of price. Stamps accepted.

THE CHANCE OF A LIFETIME.

The Mississippi River was on a rampage and the sanctum of the Bingham Bazaar was drifting aimlessly on its troubled waters. Ye editor of the Bazaar gazed thoughtfully across the miles of flooded landscape.

"Say, pop," remarked the devil, with a grin, "now'd be a fine time to run that editorial of yours on 'Whither are we drifting?'"

Washing Feathers.

Make large bags of thin cotton and empty the feathers into them. Dissolve half a bar of Ivory Soap in a tub of moderately warm water and put a bag of feathers in. Soak for half an hour; then work well with the hands and rinse through two warm waters. Lay on airing table to dry.—ELEANOR B. PARKER.

It is thirty years since Rydyk's Hambletonian died.

Old bachelors all were Newton, Descartes, Spinoza, Michael Angelo, Kant, Voltaire, Gibbon, Beethoven, Sir Francis Drake, Watts, Cooper, Hume, Washington Irving, Whittier and Walt Whitman.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

unless applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. The Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CATARRH & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Trade of the United States with Spain and Portugal amounted in the fiscal year 1905 to over thirty-four million dollars, against less than twenty millions in 1895, a decade earlier.

FITZ'S VITUS' DANES' NERVOUS DISEASES

permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer, \$2 trial bottle and treatise free. Dr. H. R. KLINE, L.D., 381 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

Great quantities of textile machinery are being exported.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

The Russian Czar is fully a head shorter than the Czarina.

Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion; never fails. Sold by Druggists. Mail orders promptly filled by Dr. E. Detchon, Crawfordsville, Ind. \$1.

Germany has 29,200 physicians, averaging one to every 1700 inhabitants.

FACE ALL BROKEN OUT.

Troubled Almost a Year—Complexion Now Perfect and Skin Soft, White and Velvety.

"I had been troubled with a breaking out on my face and arms for almost a year and had the services of several physicians, but they didn't seem to do any good. Some time ago one of my friends recommended Cuticura to use. I secured some, and after using it several months I was completely cured. I can highly recommend Cuticura Soap as being the very best complexion soap made. It creates a perfect complexion, leaving the skin soft, white, and velvety. I now use Cuticura Soap all the time and recommend its use to my friends. Maud Loggins, R. F. D. No. 1, Sylvia, Tenn., Aug. 1, 1905."

Folly and failure roost on the same perch.—Chicago News.

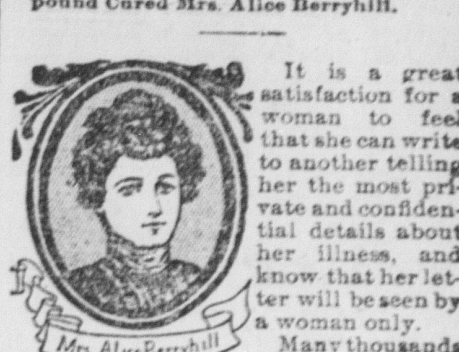
Dr. Biggers' Huckleberry Cordial Cures All Stomach Troubles, Teething Children, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, etc. At Druggists 25c and 50c per bottle.

Some whaling ship may yet blunder upon the North Pole by accident.

IN STRICT CONFIDENCE.

Women Obtain Mrs. Pinkham's Advice and Help.

She Has Guided Thousands to Health.—How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Mrs. Alice Berryhill.



It is a great satisfaction for a woman to feel that she can write to another telling her the most private and confidential details about her illness, and know that her letter will be seen by a woman only.

Many thousands of cases of female diseases come before Mrs. Pinkham every year, some personally, others by mail. Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham and for twenty-five years under her direction and since her decease she has been advising sick women free of charge.

Mrs. Alice Berryhill never violates the confidence of women, and every testimonial letter published is done so with the written consent or request of the writer in order that other sick women may be benefited as she has been.

Mrs. Alice Berryhill, of 213 Boyce Street, Chattanooga, Tenn., writes: