

### Cures Woman's Weakness.

We refer to that boon to weak, nervous, suffering women known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Dr. John E. Fyfe, one of the Editorial Staff of the *ECLECTIC MEDICAL REVIEW* says of Unicorn root (*Helenias Dioica*), which is one of the chief ingredients of the "Favorite Prescription":

"A remedy which invariably acts as a tonic and invigorator, it makes for normal activity of the entire reproductive system. It continues in Helenias we have a medicinal agent which more fully answers the above purposes than any other drug with which I am acquainted. In the treatment of diseases peculiar to women it is seldom that a case is seen which does not present some indication for this remedial agent." Dr. Fyfe further says: "The following are among the leading indications for Helenias (Unicorn root). Pain or aching in the back with leucorrhoea; atonic (weak) conditions of the reproductive organs of women; most depression and irritability, associated with chronic diseases of the reproductive organs of women; constant sensation of heat in the region of the kidneys; menorrhagia (flooding), due to a weakened condition of the reproductive system; amenorrhoea (suppression) or absent monthly periods, arising from or accompanying an abnormal condition of the digestive organs and general enfeeblement; habit of dragging sensations in the extreme lower part of the abdomen.

If more or less of the above symptoms are present, no invalid woman can do better than take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, one of the leading ingredients of which is Unicorn root, or Helenias, and the medicinal properties of which it most faithfully represents.

Of Golden Seal root, another prominent ingredient of the "Favorite Prescription," Prof. E. H. Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College, Chicago, says: "It is an important remedy in disorders of the womb. In all catarrhal conditions and general enfeeblement, it is useful."

Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati, says of Golden Seal root: "In relation to its general effects on the system, there is no medicine in use about which there is such general unanimity of opinion. It is universally regarded as the tonic useful in all debilitated states."

Prof. R. Bartholow, M. D., of Jefferson Medical College, says of Golden Seal: "Valuable in atonic hemorrhages, menorrhagia (flooding) and congestive dysmenorrhoea (painful menstruation)."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription faithfully represents all the above named ingredients and cures the diseases for which they are recommended.

### COMMERCIAL COLUMN.

#### Weekly Review of Trade and Latest Market Reports.

New York.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Seasonable merchandise goes into distribution slowly, which causes accumulation of spring and summer dry goods and millinery in the hands of dealers and retards collections, while making operations for fall and winter much more conservative. At some points the last week of May brought pronounced improvement in commercial activity, but the holiday retarded recovery and progress is slow. Manufacturing plants are producing at full capacity in most industries, orders covering output far into the future, and more New England cotton mill employees have received advanced wages, making the change effect about 85,000 hands. Another evidence of progress in cotton spinning was the increase in quarterly dividends at Fall River to 2.21 per cent, against 1.32 last year, and 2.14 per cent. in 1902, the most prosperous of recent years.

Increased difficulty in securing deliveries is noted in the cotton goods industry, most mills being sold so far ahead that buyers are apprehensive of the high level of prices from having the natural effect of producing conservatism.

Wheat—Prime Southern in good demand, with sales of cargoes on grade at 91c. for steamer No. 2 red and 83c. for rejected. Small lots brought from 75 to 90c. per bu. The market for Western opened steady. Spot, 96 1/2c.; No. 2 red Western, 98 1/2c.; June, 87 bid; July, 98; August, 97.

Corn—Southern steady, a cargo of yellow, brought 62c. per bu. Cob corn is fairly firm on prime grades of yellow, which we quote at \$3.25 per bri. for car lots on spot. Western opened firmer. Spot and June, 60 1/2c.; July, 61; September, 61 1/4.

Oats.—No. 2 mixed, in elevator, 48 1/2c.; car No. 3 white, light weight, in elevator, 50c.; car No. 2 white, in elevator, 51c.; No. 2 white, in elevator, 51c. We quote: White—No. 2, 52c.; No. 3, 50 1/2c.; 51 1/2c.; No. 4, 48 1/2c. Mixed—No. 2, 47 1/2c. @ 48c.; No. 3, 46 1/2c. @ 47c.; No. 4, 45 1/2c. @ 46c.

Cheese—Steady. Jobbing prices, new, 14 1/2c. @ 14 3/4c. Eggs—Prices 1/2c. higher and the market rules firm on choice, fresh eggs, under moderate receipts and steady demand. We quote, per dozen, loss off: Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 17c.; Eastern Shore, Maryland and Virginia, 17c.; Western firsts, 17c.; West Virginia, 16 1/2c.; Southern (North Carolina), 15 1/2c. @ 16c.; guinea eggs, 7 3/4c.

### NEW YORK DAY BY DAY.

#### Some of the Things Done Daily in the Metropolis.

John Bell, accused of having killed Dr. Charles Wilmot Townsend at New Brighton, Staten Island, on January 26, was found guilty of murder in the first degree Thursday afternoon after the jury had been out two hours and fifty-five minutes. Judge Abbott at once sentenced the man to death and set the time of execution for the first Monday in July. Bell took the verdict and sentence coolly, but his stepmother fainted in the court and his other relatives were much affected. The last day of the trial was dramatic. Bell was the only one placed on the stand by the defense. He simply tried to establish an alibi by his own testimony. Nearly every one who attended the four-day trial wondered why his counsel had not tried to show that Bell was insane. After the District Attorney had finished his summing up Bell jumped to his feet and made an appeal to the jury in his own behalf.

"You have no Harry K. Thaw here," cried the prisoner. "I am plain John Bell, without the money to bring to this court the persons who can prove an alibi for me. In the Thalia Theatre I picked up a woman's glove, and I asked two girls in front of me to remove their hats. If they were here they could testify for me."

"I tell you it's one thing when a silver-tongued orator stands before you and concocts a story, and another thing when a plain man on trial for his life tells the truth that comes from his heart. Everything I said was the truth. Look at my face. Do I look like a murderer?"

Bell held up a large sheet of paper and varied his facial expression in a half dozen ways.

"Do you see anything criminal in any of my features?" he asked. "Would you send me to the electric chair on mere suspicion? Huh! I don't believe it. You twelve men have observed every move I have made in this courtroom. Have my actions been those of a murderer? If I had my way I should take this sheet of white paper and draw three lines through it. One column I should head 'Comedy,' another 'Guilt,' and the third 'Innocence,' and then I should have you men make notes of these proceedings. I believe the first column would be filled. These proceedings have been similar to rehearsals on the vaudeville stage. You have seen that I have never turned white; that was because of my innocence."

It was at this point Bell began to talk on wireless telegraphy. After the verdict Bell asked to be permitted to shake hands with the jurors, but he was led away.

Many fancy fowls were converted into roast chicken in a fire started by their pecking at matches on the sawdust-covered floor of their shelter, in the rear of 772 Fifty-first Street, Brooklyn, the home of John Mulaney. An assistant of Mulaney visited the henney on Wednesday, stumbled and spilled a box of matches. He groped about in the sawdust until he believed he had picked up all the matches, but he left a few. At dawn the fowl discovered what they believed to be some new kind of hen food. They picked at the matches, started a fire and roasted.

A verdict for Mrs. Klemme. The trial of the Klemme divorce suit, in which Frank K. Klemme of Philadelphia accused his wife Hannah of misconduct with Constant A. Andrews, president of the United States Savings Bank, ended with a verdict in favor of Mrs. Klemme. The jury, reduced to 10 by consent of counsel, agreed that all the allegations of Klemme regarding his wife's relations with the bank president were false.

### A WONDERFUL GAIN.

#### A Utah Pioneer Tells a Remarkable Story.

J. W. Browning, 1011 22d St., Ogden, Utah, a pioneer who crossed the Plains in 1848, says: "Five years ago the doctors said I had diabetes. My kidneys were all out of order, I had to rise often at night, looked sallow, felt dull and listless and I lost 40 pounds. My back ached and I had spells of rheumatism and dizziness. Doan's Kidney Pills relieve me of these troubles and have kept me well for a year past. Though 75 years old, I am in good health."

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There is One Other! An excellent story is repeated of the Kaiser, whose power of being enthusiastically interested in every function he attends was once commented upon by a foreigner, who inquired of one of the younger princes how it was that his father was able to display such unbounded enthusiasm about such everyday occurrences as births, marriages and deaths. "Ah!" was the answer, "that is part of father's wonderful character, for whenever he attends a christening he thinks he is the baby; whenever he honors a wedding with his presence he imagines that he is the bride and whenever he attends a funeral somehow or other he invariably manages to get hold of the idea that he is the corpse."—From Town and Country.

HOME WEEK IN BOSTON. Sons and Daughters of New England Capital to Visit Scenes of Youth. The greatest event for Boston and for all New England this season will be the home-coming week in Boston. This will occur at the end of July, and will attract thousands of persons from every part of the country to the city and the section of the country where their ancestors lived and where their affections are centered.

The citizens of Boston have made liberal preparations for a grand celebration of the history and achievements of Boston and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. There will be a week of midsummer reunions of families and of public festivities. The time selected is from July 28 to August 3.

The home-coming week in Kentucky attracted half a million visitors to Louisville and the home-coming for Georgia was likewise gratefully accepted. There is no doubt of the attraction to Boston of a far greater number of sons and daughters who cherish the traditions and who venerate the history of the famous city which is the leader in the literature, art and the civilization of America.

Woman Lexicographer. Mrs. George H. Gorham, a well-known Washington woman, has just accomplished a herculean and unique task, which is the compilation of a French-English dictionary. The work consists of two volumes and contains tens of thousands of words and phrases freely translated from one language into the other, and so arranged as to guide safely the student of both languages. Persons who have critically examined the work declare that it affords the means for those desiring to learn either French or English to master those tongues sufficiently to converse, and also to enjoy the literature of both. Mrs. Gorham devoted many years of hard work to the task, and it is believed that she is the only woman who has ever compiled a dictionary. She is now residing in Brooklyn.

The Halt At The Gate. St. Peter frowned and shook his head. "My record's all right, ain't it?" the candidate anxiously asked. "It would look pretty good," the saint replied. "If it wasn't for the 'E. S. H.' that is written in red ink across it."

"E. S. H.?" repeated the candidate. "What does that mean?" "End seat hog," the saint gravely told him.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### MOTHERHOOD

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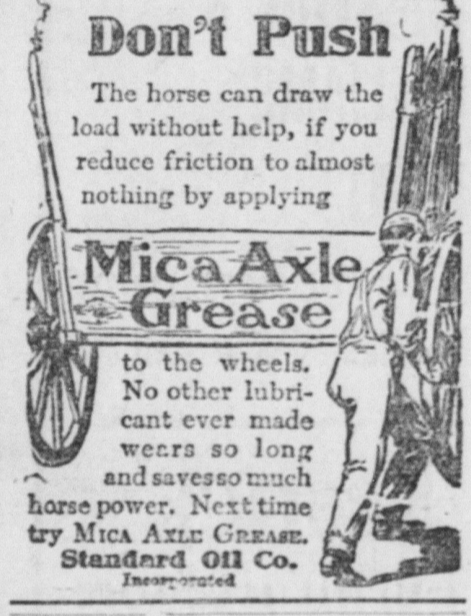
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The Same Act. An old negro was recently brought before a justice in Mobile. It seemed that Uncle Mose had fallen foul of a bulldog while in the act of entering the henhouse of the dog's owner.

"Look here, Uncle Mose," the justice said, informally. "didn't I give you 10 days last month for this same thing? Same henhouse you were trying to get into. What have you got to say for yourself?"

Uncle Mose scratched his head. "Mars Willyum, yo' sent me ter de chain gang for tryin' ter steal some chickens, didn't ye?" "Yes, that was the charge."

"Am don't de law say yo' can't be charged twice wid de same 'fence'?" "That no man shall be twice placed in jeopardy for the identical act, yes."

"Den, sah, yo' des hab ter let me go, sah. Ah war after de same chickens, sah?"

Chicago.—Cattle—Market steady; medium to good steers, \$4.50 @ 6.50; heifers, \$3.15 @ 5.50; cows, \$3.40 @ 5.25; bulls, \$3.50 @ 4.75; calves, \$3.00 @ 5.75; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 @ 5.25.

Chicago.—Market weak to 5c. lower. Choice heavy shipping, \$6.40 @ 6.45; light butchers', \$6.45 @ 6.55; light mixed, \$5.40 @ 6.45.

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