

Women of Middle Age

Many distressing ailments experienced by them are Alleviated by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Here is Proof by Women who Know.



Lowell, Mass.—"For the last three years I have been troubled with the Change of Life and the bad feelings common at that time. I was in a very nervous condition, with headaches and pain a good deal of the time so I was unfit to do my work. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did, and it has helped me in every way. I am not nearly so nervous, no headache or pain. I must say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best remedy any sick woman can take."—Mrs. MARGARET QUINN, Rear 259 Worthen St., Lowell, Mass.

She Tells Her Friends to Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Remedies.

North Haven, Conn.—"When I was 45 I had the Change of Life which is a trouble all women have. At first it didn't bother me but after a while I got bearing down pains. I called in doctors who told me to try different things but they did not cure my pains. One day my husband came home and said, 'Why don't you try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash?' Well, I got them and took about 10 bottles of Vegetable Compound and could feel myself regaining my health. I also used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and it has done me a great deal of good. Any one coming to my house who suffers from female troubles or Change of Life, I tell them to take the Pinkham remedies. There are about 20 of us here who think the world of them."—Mrs. FLORENCE ISBELL, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.

You are invited to Write for Free Advice.

No other medicine has been so successful in relieving woman's suffering as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Women may receive free and helpful advice by writing the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. Such letters are received and answered by women only and held in strict confidence.

Favored by Circumstances.

"Wonderful time that aviator made!" "Yes," replied Mr. Chuggins. "But think of the advantage she had. Not a traffic policeman on the entire route."

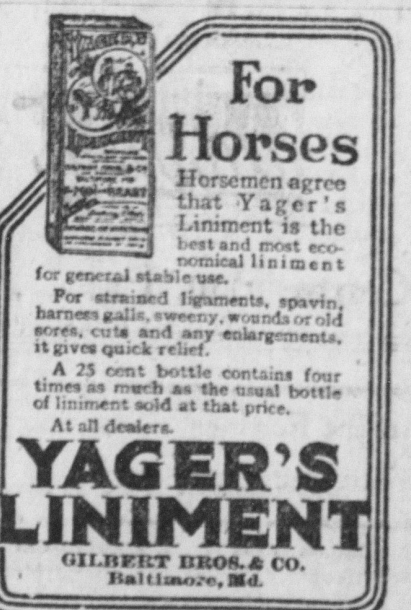
Contrary Methods.

"How are you going to learn to drive your motor car?" "I am going to employ a coach."



Mr. Wier—"Do you know what's good for rats?" Mrs. Sloan—"Why, poison, of course." Mr. Wier—"No, that would kill them—there."

Do you know what's good for a cough, throat and lung troubles, that will allay inflammation and insure a good night's sleep with free and easy expectoration in the morning? The answer always the same year after year, is **Boschee's German Syrup**. Soothing and healing to bronchial and throat irritation. 25c. and 75c. sizes all Druggists and Dealers everywhere. Your grandfather used it 51 years ago. Try it yourself and see how it stops a hacking cough like magic.



"ROUGH ON RATS" Kills Rats, Mice, Bugs, etc. outdoors. Use and see.

W. N. U., BALTIMORE, NO. 3-1917.

The New Method

(By L. W. BOWER, M. D.) Backache of any kind is often caused by kidney disorder, which means that the kidneys are not working properly. Poisonous matter and uric acid accumulate within the body in great abundance over-working the sick kidneys, hence the congestion of blood causes backache in the same manner as a similar congestion in the head causes headache. You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish, irritable, have spots appearing before the eyes, bags under the lids, and lack ambition to do things. The latest and most effective means of overcoming this trouble, is to eat sparingly of meat, drink plenty water between meals and take a single Anuric tablet before each meal for a while. Simply ask your favorite druggist for Anuric. If you have lumbago, rheumatism, joint, dropsy, begin immediately with this novel treatment.

FALLING HAIR MEANS DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

Save Your Hair! Get a 25 Cent Bottle of Danderine Right Now—Also Stops Itching Scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf. There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its luster, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, luster and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance; an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp. Adv.

Could It Be Pleasant? Reed—I hear your brother spent the autumn in his airplane. Greene—Yes, he did. "Well, I hope he had a pleasant fall."—Yonkers Statesman.

London has 78,500 miles of telephone and telegraph wires.

Dallas, Tex., has 149 buildings devoted to the automobile industry!

LOSS OF POWER and vital force follow loss of flesh, or emaciation. Those come from impoverished blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery enriches the blood, stops the waste of strength and tissue, and builds up healthy flesh.



Thin, pale, puny and scrofulous children are made plump, rosy and robust by the "Discovery." They like it too. In recovering from "Grippe," or in convalescence from pneumonia, fever, or other wasting diseases, it speedily and surely invigorates and builds up the whole system. As an appetizing, restorative tonic, it sets at work all the processes of digestion and nutrition, rouses every organ into natural action, and brings back health and strength. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. Easy to take as candy.

STAND BY PRESIDENT!

Wilson Entitled to Support of Both Parties, Is Plea.

Difficulties Confronting Administration So Great as to Call for Temporary Abandonment of Partisanship.

It seems to the Washington Herald that the members of congress can put their time to better use than debating informally the question as to whether the Democrats or the Republicans shall elect the speaker of the next house of representatives.

President Wilson's great successes as chief magistrate give him a claim on the support of the members of congress without regard to party, and since both Speaker Clark and Leader Mann are supporting the president's peace program, it would seem to be a case of "Hobson's choice" between the two.

The president has on his shoulders greater responsibilities than have rested on any head of the government since the days of Abraham Lincoln. He is seeking to end the European war; he is seeking to keep this country out of hostilities in Europe and in Mexico; he is aiming to so manage affairs that there shall be no disturbance to the business equilibrium in the United States; he is holding in check the most pronounced pro-secting sentiment, and at the same time seeking to avoid the pitfalls dug for him by the pro-German sympathizers close to his own administration; he is facing the prospect of peace and European competition coming more quickly than a readjustment of tariff schedules can be made, and above all he is just now realizing that there is a huge deficit in the treasury which must be met either by a bond issue or by the imposition of more taxes.

President Wilson has shown a great capacity for constructive statesmanship. The burden mainly has been his, and he has carried it across many a narrow bridge, spanning many a yawning abyss. He needs the support of congress now if he is to succeed, and if the country is to avoid disaster. He needs a united party. He needs the support of the bankers of the country, who unfortunately are regarded with suspicion. He needs the support of the press, which is one great industry confronted with loss in consequence of war prices, but which is taking generally a broad and patriotic view. Congress should lead the way.

Let the country stand by the president, as he has stood by the country. The outlook is serious enough to cause the temporary interment of narrow partisanship.

C. O. P. Has Internal Troubles.

Although the organization of the next house is a year away—unless an extra session should be called—indications are that Representative James R. Mann, the Republican floor leader for the last six years, will be eliminated as a candidate for speaker if the Republicans control the house.

There is still a smattering of Republican insurgency in the lower body. Observers of house affairs say there are about a half-dozen members of that body who must be coaxed to vote for Mr. Mann, and the chances are against landing all of them, even in the face of party necessity.

Despite the facility of Republicans for "getting together," the prospect increases that there will be a compromise candidate for the speakership.

Speaker Clark has no opposition within his own party, and is not worrying. If the Democrats organize the house, he will be the next speaker. Mr. Mann has opposition, mostly under the surface at present, but the next house will be so close the Republican candidate cannot afford to lose even one vote.

Use for Salmon Roe.

During all the years of the salmon industry there have been millions of tons of salmon roe thrown away. American packers could find no use for the roe, and like other "waste" product it was dumped into the rivers to be carried out to sea. Now a newly arrived Russian immigrant who was familiar with the processing of sturgeon roe in his own land has proved that the salmon roe may be made most delicious. According to epicures who have tried the new product it far surpasses Russian caviar, and next year it is expected the former "waste" product will become one of the most important packs at the salmon fisheries. There are few things under the sun that the brain and the hand of man cannot put to some valuable use.

They'll All Lose.

When the war is finally over, it is fairly certain to show all nations losers, recalling again the remark made at the beginning of hostilities that no one won the San Francisco earthquake.—Acheson Globe.

Winter Bicycle.

A Montreal (Can.) man wanted to use his bicycle in winter. He removed the front wheel and attached a small sled to the forks. Thus he had a bicycle-sled, which enabled him to ride around at ease, says the popular Science Monthly.

Free to Act.

What we like about the short-skirted girl is that when she stands with reluctant feet where the brook and river meet she can jump over as well as wade in.—Galveston News.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot at long; No. 2 hard, \$2.11; No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$2.15; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, \$2.26 1/4 f o b New York.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, \$1.12 c i f New York.

Oats—Standard, 65@65 1/2 c. Butter—Creamery, higher than extras, 40 1/2 @ 41 c; creamery extras (92 score), 40 c; firsts, 36 1/2 @ 37 1/2 c; seconds, 35 @ 36 c.

Eggs—Fresh gathered, extra firsts, 48 @ 49 c; firsts, 46 @ 47 c; refrigerator special marks, fancy, 37 c; seconds to poorer, 34 1/2 @ 35 1/2 c; nearby henney whites, fine to fancy, 53 1/2 @ 55 c; nearby henney browns, 51 @ 53 c.

Cheese—State, held, specials, 24 @ 24 1/2 c; do, average fancy, 23 1/2 @ 24 c.

Live Poultry—Chickens, 19 1/2 c; fowls, 18 1/2 @ 19 1/2 c; turkeys, 16 @ 25 c. Dressed, chickens, 17 @ 26 c; fowls, 15 1/2 @ 22 c; turkeys, 20 @ 22 1/2 c.

PHILADELPHIA.—Wheat—No. 2 red spot, \$1.90 @ 1.93; No. 2 Southern red, spot, \$1.88 @ 1.91; do, do, steamer, No. 2 red, \$1.86 @ 1.89; do, do, No. 3, \$1.86 @ 1.89; rejected A, \$1.82 @ 1.85; rejected B, \$1.78 @ 1.81.

Corn—Carlots, for local trade, as to location, No. 2 yellow, \$1.10 1/2 @ 1.11 1/2 c; No. 3 yellow, \$1.09 1/2 @ 1.10 1/2 c; No. 4 yellow, \$1.07 1/2 @ 1.08 1/2 c; No. 5 yellow, \$1.05 1/2 @ 1.07 1/2 c; Southern, \$1.04 1/2 @ 1.07 1/2 c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 64 @ 64 1/2 c; standard white, 63 @ 63 1/2 c; No. 3 white, 62 @ 62 1/2 c; No. 4 white, 60 @ 61 c; sample oats, 57 1/2 @ 58 1/2 c.

Butter—Western, solid-packed creamery, fancy specials, 42 c; do, do, extras, 40 @ 41 c; extra firsts, 39 @ 39 1/2 c; firsts, 37 @ 38 c; do, do, seconds, 35 @ 36 c; nearby prints, fancy, 43 c; do, do, average extras, 41 @ 42 c; do, do, firsts, 38 @ 39 c; do, do, seconds, 35 @ 37 c; jobbing sales of fancy prints, 46 @ 49 c.

Eggs—Nearby extras, 51 c; nearby firsts, per standard case, \$14.70; nearby current receipts, \$14.40; Western extras, 51 c per dozen; do, do, extra firsts, \$14.70 per case; do, do, firsts, \$14.40; refrigerator extras, \$11.10; do, do, firsts, \$10.80; do, do, seconds, \$10.20; fancy selected, candied, jobbing at 57 @ 62 a dozen.

Cheese—New York, full cream, fancy, held, 25 1/2 @ 25 3/4 c; specials, higher; fair to good, held, 24 1/2 @ 24 3/4 c; do, do, part skims, 13 @ 21 c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 19 @ 21 c; roosters, 15 @ 16 c; spring chickens, according to quality, 19 @ 21 c; white leg-horns, according to quality, 18 @ 20 c; ducks, as to size, and quality, 18 @ 21 c; turkeys, 24 @ 28 c; geese, 18 @ 21 c; pigeons, old, per pair, 28 @ 30 c; do, do, young, per pair, 20 @ 25 c.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—No. 2 red Western, \$2.02; No. 2 red spot, \$1.97; January No. 2 red, \$1.97; February No. 2 red, \$1.97.

Corn—January, \$1.09; spot mixed corn, \$1.09.

Oats—Standard white, 63 @ 63 1/2 c; No. 3 white, 62 @ 62 1/2 c.

Rye—No. 2 Western, export, \$1.53 @ 1.54; No. 3 do, do, \$1.50 @ 1.51; No. 4 do, do, \$1.49 @ 1.50; bag lots, as to quality and condition, \$1 @ 1.15.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$17.50; No. 2 do, \$16.50; No. 3 do, \$13.50 @ 14; light clover mixed, \$16 @ 16.50; No. 1 do, do, \$15.50 @ 16; No. 2 do, do, \$12 @ 14.50; No. 1 do, \$14 @ 14.50; No. 2 do, \$13 @ 13.50; No. 3 do, \$8 @ 9.

Straw—No. 1 straight rye, \$14; No. 2 do, do, \$13 @ 13.50; No. 1 tangled do, \$10.50 @ 11; No. 2 do, do, \$9.50 @ 10; No. 1 wheat, \$9 @ 9.50; No. 2 do, \$8 @ 8.50; No. 1 oat, \$9.50; No. 2 do, \$8.50 @ 9.

Butter—Creamery, fancy, 41 @ 41 1/2 c; do, choice, 39 @ 40; do, good, 38; do, prints, 41 @ 43; do, blocks, 40 @ 42; Maryland and Pennsylvania rolls, 30; Ohio rolls, 29; West Virginia rolls, 29; storepacked, 28; Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania dairy prints, 30.

Eggs—Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 48 @ 49 c; Western firsts, 48 @ 49; West Virginia firsts, 47 @ 48; Southern firsts, 46 @ 47. Cold storage eggs are quoted at 36 @ 37 c.

Live Poultry—Chickens—Old hens, 4 lbs and over, 21 c; do, small to medium, 19 @ 20; old roosters, 12; springers, smooth, fat, 21; do, rough and poor, 19 @ 20; white leghorns, 20. Ducks—Young Pekings, 3 1/2 lbs and over, 19 @ 20 c; do, puddle, do, 19; do, muscovy, do, 19; do, smaller, 18. Geese—Nearby, 19 @ 20 c; Western and Southern, 18 @ 19; Kent Island, 20 @ 21. Turkeys—Hens, 26 @ 27 c; young gobblers, 25 @ 26; old toms, 24 @ 25; poor and crooked breast, 20 @ 21.

Dressed Hogs—Choice lightweights, 12 1/2 @ 13 c; do, medium, do, 11 1/2 @ 12 c; do, heavy, do, 10 1/2 @ 11.

Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, MO.—Hogs—Bulk, \$10 @ 10.45; heavy, \$10.35 @ 10.50; packers and butchers', \$10.20 @ 10.45; light, \$9.70 @ 10.20; pigs, \$8.25 @ 9.50.

Sheep—Lambs, \$12.75 @ 13.25; yearlings, \$11 @ 12; wethers, \$8.75 @ 10; ewes, \$8 @ 9.25.

Cattle—Prime fed steers, \$10.50 @ 11.50; dressed beef steers, \$8.50 @ 10.50; Southern steers, \$6.50 @ 9; cows, \$5.25 @ 9; heifers, \$6 @ 10.50; stockers and feeders, \$6.25 @ 8.50; bulls, \$5.50 @ 7.50; calves, \$6.50 @ 11.50.

CHICAGO.—Hogs—Bulk, \$9.95 @ 10.45; light, \$9.50 @ 10.30; mixed, \$9.25 @ 10.55; heavy, \$10 @ 10.55; rough, \$10 @ 10.15; pigs, \$7.60 @ 9.35.

Sheep—Wethers, \$9.25 @ 10.50; ewes, \$6.75 @ 10; lambs, \$11.40 @ 13.70.

THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND DON'T KNOW IT

Weak and unhealthy kidneys cause so much sickness and suffering and when through neglect or other causes, kidney trouble is permitted to continue, serious results may be expected.

Your other organs may need attention—but your kidneys should have attention first because their work is most important.

If you feel that your kidneys are the cause of your sickness or run down condition commence taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, because if it proves to be the remedy you need and your kidneys begin to improve they will help all the other organs to health.

Prevalency of Kidney Disease.

Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are among the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patients, who usually content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease constantly undermines the system.

SPECIAL NOTE—You may obtain a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root by enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. This gives you the opportunity to prove the remarkable merit of this medicine. They will also send you a book of valuable information, containing many of the thousands of grateful letters received from men and women who say they found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed in kidney, liver and bladder troubles. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that our readers are advised to send for a sample size bottle. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing be sure and mention this paper.

DEAD-HEAD WAS OF SOME USE

He Always Paid Many Times Over for Favor Received From Railroads.

Dead-head! They called him a "dead-head," the writer, whom the general passenger agent used to be privileged to invite to go over his line and tell his story. And as courtesy begets courtesy, so in the days gone by, before free transportation was made an offense before the law, brilliant writers, literary men and women, enjoying the privilege and esteeming it as such, put some of the best brains in what they wrote. They were not writing for pay. Some couldn't be hired. They were guests of the railways, honored and entertained as such and their souls were in their stories. Had it been for filthy lucre it would have been the job of an unknown. They made it the inspiration of an artist. The stories they wrote, money could not buy. The best and most inspiring descriptions of our great natural wonders—Yosemite, Yellowstone, the Grand Canyon, Niagara falls, the White mountains and the Rockies, were written by the so-called "dead-heads" of the past. The stories they wrote are a part of our history. They were little classics. Nothing has equaled them since and nothing will rival them in the future. So much must be said for the dead-head of days gone by.—Leslie's.

Waste of Energy.

Clarence announced his coming by a series of howls. "Oh, my finger, my finger!" he said. "Poor little finger," mother cooed. "How did you hurt it?" "With the hammer." "When?" "A long time ago," Clarence sobbed. "But I didn't hear you cry." "I didn't cry then; I thought you were out," said Clarence.

Truthful Excuse.

"The sheriff caught his young assistant writing love letters in business hours today." "What did the young fellow say when he was taxed with doing so?" "Said he was not shirking his duty as they were all writs of attachment."

A Concession.

"After looking at the postal stamps of other countries I have come to the conclusion that you can't beat ours." "Maybe not, but all the same, it gets lots of tickings."

Governor Capper of Kansas says women excel men in their interest in politics.

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A Trial Will Convince Anyone.

Thousands of people have testified that the mild and immediate effect of Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, is soon realized and that it stands the highest for its remarkable results in the most distressing cases.

Symptoms of Kidney Trouble.

Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you suffer from annoying bladder troubles, frequently passing water night and day, smarting or irritation in passing, brick-dust or sediment, headache, backache, lame back, dizziness, poor digestion, sleeplessness, nervousness, heart disturbance due to bad kidney trouble, skin eruptions from bad blood, neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago, bloating, irritability, worn-out feeling, lack of ambition, may be loss of flesh or sallow complexion, kidney trouble in its worst form may be stealing upon you.

Swamp-Root is Pleasant to Take.

If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at all drug stores.

Don't Be Envious. Crush all envy out of your heart. The envious person is in pain upon all occasions which ought to give him pleasure. The relish of his life is past, and the objects which administer the highest satisfaction to those who are exempt from this passion give the quickest pang to persons who are subject to it. All the perfections of their fellow creatures are odious. Don't be envious.

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Wrong Place.

"I see where some scientist is going to the Canary islands to study the psychology of the ape." "Well, this is the first time I ever knew the ape was a singing bird."

Good health depends upon good digestion.

Safeguard your digestion and you safeguard your health. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills provide the safeguard. A medicine as well as a purgative. Adv.

The atmosphere of the home in which the wife puts on more airs than the husband can afford is never what it should be.

Russian women predominate among foreign-born students of their sex in Paris.

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