

# TOO WEAK TO DO ANYTHING

### A Serious Feminine Illness Remedied By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Casco, Wis.—"After the birth of each of my children I had displacement and was so weak I couldn't do anything. I found a book about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I thought I would try it, and after taking it I soon felt better. That was fifteen years ago and I have felt well ever since except that I had a slight attack of the trouble some time ago and took some more of your Compound and was soon all right again. I always recommend your medicine and you may publish my testimonial for the benefit of other women."—Mrs. JULES BERO, JR., R. 1, Box 99, Casco, Wis.



Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and today holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ills in this country, and thousands of voluntary testimonials prove this fact. If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

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## YAGER'S LINIMENT RELIEVES PAIN

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The Case Stated. "Why is a married man like an umbrella?" "Because he is always shut up when he is in the house."

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There is nothing more uncertain than a sure thing. A postal card to Garfield Tea Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., asking for sample will repay you.—Adv.

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A charming woman is never aware of her charms.

## Why That Backache?

Why be miserable with a bad back? You can't be happy if every day brings lameness; sharp, shooting pains and a dull, nagging ache. Likely the cause is weak kidneys. You may have headaches and dizzy spells, too, with a weak, tired feeling. Don't delay! Try *Doan's Kidney Pills*. They have done wonders in thousands of such cases. Ask your neighbor!

## A Virginia Case

Alex. Umberger, constable, Spiller St., Wytheville, Va., says: "I had a steady, dull ache across the small of my back. Hard work and heavy lifting, no doubt, brought on kidney trouble. The kidney secretions were a highly colored and painful in passage. At times an ache in my back was so severe I could hardly straighten up. One box of Doan's Kidney Pills strengthened my back and regulated my kidneys."

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## PISCO'S

## COACH SHARPE REPLIES TO CRITICISM OF YALE ALUMNI AND UNDERGRADUATES



DR. AL SHARPE TAD JONES

Although most of the Yale alumni and undergraduates cordially support Dr. Al Sharpe in his policies as general athletic coach and director, a minority has made his life miserable since the Harvard and Princeton defeats by demands that he retire in favor of Tad Jones, who was head coach three years ago. Goaded by incessant criticism of his football coaching, Doctor Sharpe said:

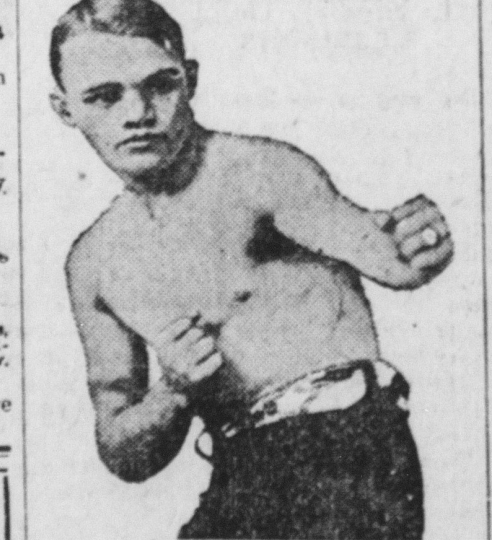
**Won't Insist on Contract.** "If Yale alumni and undergraduates really attribute the loss of the Harvard and Princeton games to my coaching and want to bring Tad Jones back as head coach I shall not demand that Yale carry out my three-year contract. If my work is unsatisfactory and there is a popular demand that I go I shall go. There have been

## FIRST BASEBALL PAY

Individuals and teams have won in spite of having the dope all their way. The time to collect is when you are ahead. The only system that can beat the races is to let 'em run for Sweeney. There are too many folks who attempt to play with blue chips before they can handle the red and white. The same man isn't right all the time, but at least he is reasonable. In taking a chance it is also well enough to select a soft spot to land on. Before playing any rival for a sucker take another look in the glass.

## KID WILLIAMS COMING BACK?

One-Time Bantamweight Champion Could Not Keep Away From Fistic Circle—Now a Manager. Kid Williams, one-time bantamweight champion, as was expected, could not remain away from the sport.



Kid Williams.

very long. Do not misconstrue us as saying that the Kid will attempt a comeback, for it is doubtful whether the great little Monumental City battler will ever don the gloves again. Williams, however, will return to the spot in which he achieved much glory, as a manager, as he has taken Little Jeff under his managerial wing.

## AMERICAN SPORTS IN CHINA

Football and Baseball Successfully Introduced at Tsing Hai College, Located at Peking. American football and baseball have been successfully introduced at Tsing Hai college, Peking, China, according to Ming S. Lowe, registrar of the college.

After his arrival in China he obtained the services of an American coach and physical director, D. K. Brace, a Red college graduate, to coach the various teams then organized. In a tentative way, in baseball, American football, soccer, tennis, track and swimming. American football and Yankee baseball are among the most popular sports at Tsing Hai college. A golf course is soon to be laid out near the college.

## BELGIUM SKETCHES

### Reminiscences of a Belgian Baby

By Katharine Eggleston Roberts.

Whee-ee-ee! Zing! Bang! There I was right in the middle of it. I thought the whole world was like that and I'm free to confess the first impression was anything but favorable. Those Zepplins and their bombs were awfully annoying; they made me nervous. Furthermore, a cellar is no place in which to be born. It gives one such a wrong idea of home. Of course, I know now it was the best place for safety, but then I didn't have my present viewpoint. That was about five years ago. Yes, my entrance was quite dramatic. You see, I came just at the wrong time. They were expecting the roof to fall in at any minute and the atmosphere was rather strained. It wasn't at all the sort of welcome a new member of a family expects.

But, after all, I hadn't much reason to complain. As soon as the Germans took our town they stopped destroying houses, because they wanted to keep the city in good condition to live in after they had won the war. (I suppose they are sorry now.) Even at that they weren't pleasant people to have around. I was asleep when they first came to our house. I'd heard a banging outside, but didn't think anything of it and went on sleeping. All of a sudden some one picked me up and he was anything but gentle. I didn't like it and I didn't like him, and I said so in very plain and forceful language. My lungs and vocal cords were simply worn out afterward. I surely was relieved when my sister took me away from him—and I guess he was, too.

But that was just the beginning. When I saw another man in one of those rat-colored costumes pull the mattress off my crib and take out its wool stuffing I was mad clear through. And then I looked around and saw they were doing the same thing to my mother's bed. They took most of the blankets, too. But what could we do? My father wasn't there, because he had gone somewhere else to fight and I was the only man in the house. I had tried kicking that German when he first picked me up and I realized he was too big for me to handle. We hoped that one raid would be the end of it, but it wasn't. Well, to



The Way the Germans Destroyed Homes.

make a long story short, they came another time and took all the pretty shiny copper and our doorknobs. They removed our big bronze chandeliers and even the little hinges from the piano. We tried to hide some things, but they found all except a few doorknobs and a couple of candlesticks. Then they came again and took the linen. Finally they made a search for potatoes. After that, they visited us once a week and seized whatever they could miss before. Honestly, I concluded, they were going to take the whole house and were moving it on the installment plan. But they left the house itself and whatever they didn't want in it.

My mother was awfully sad because we didn't hear from father. Of course we didn't have much to live on either. The Germans wouldn't let anyone have more than a little bit of bread a week and everything else was just as scarce. I was always hungry and said so till I noticed mother was giving me part of her share. I didn't make so much fuss after that. As to clothes—well, as I grew, I had to have new ones and we couldn't buy them because we didn't have money and materials were terribly high-priced. The rest of the family had worn out all the things they had in the beginning. My sister dyed some blankets we had hidden whenever the Germans called and we made coats and other clothes of them. Then at night we put them over us to keep warm. Believe me there were some queer costumes here during the war.

As soon as I learned to talk, I began getting into trouble. One day I saw that German officer who had yanked me out of bed when I was just new. I thought maybe he hadn't understood my former remarks and so I made a few more. He reached for me and I ran. At first he started to chase me, but it jostled his dignity too much, and I was safe. I got into one scrape after another and, sometimes when I was hungry, I couldn't run fast enough. Those men certainly knew how to use their swigger-sticks. I guess they must have practiced at home.

## What Women Say

Danville, Va.—"From my earliest childhood Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets and 'Golden Medical Discovery' have been used by my people. My mother depended upon these remedies whenever her children seemed listless or sluggish, and I am sure they saved her many a doctor bill.

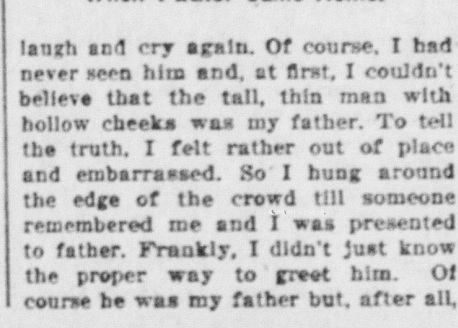
"When I was developing into womanhood I took the 'Favorite Prescription,' and I have used the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets' whenever I have felt the need of a tonic, and when constipated or distressed with sluggish liver.

"I consider Dr. Pierce's medicines the very best remedies on the market."—Mrs. J. H. Kime, 760 Patton St. Fredericksburg, Va.—"At one time I became all run-down, weak and nervous, suffered with nausea. My mother advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it soon stopped all nausea and built me up, and I felt well during the remainder of the time. I also had a very fine, strong, healthy baby.

"We have also used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets' in the family. They are very excellent remedies."—Mrs. W. T. Layton, 959 National Boulevard.

## Indigestion, Pain In Heart

Danville, Va.—"I used to suffer with dreadful spells of indigestion so that my heart would pain me, I would blot up so with gas. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets relieved me at once and eventually cured me of this suffering. At the same time I was bothered a great deal with woman's trouble, for which I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and was entirely restored to perfect health and relieved of all pains."—Mrs. Alice Ferrell, 703 Green St.



When Father Came Home.

laugh and cry again. Of course, I had never seen him and, at first, I couldn't believe that the tall, thin man with hollow cheeks was my father. To tell the truth, I felt rather out of place and embarrassed. So I hung around the edge of the crowd till someone remembered me and I was presented to father. Frankly, I didn't just know the proper way to greet him. Of course he was my father but, after all,

we were practically strangers. The season was very queer. I think he felt it too, for he looked at me curiously. We got through the meeting somehow. Since then we've become better acquainted. You know, I don't see how we got along without him.

How are things now? Well, we have more to eat and we haven't the Germans around all the time. I surely was glad when they stopped their weekly visits. But, of course, you've noticed we haven't any doorknobs. Everything that was taken has to be replenished. I heard the family talking when I was supposed to be asleep. They said something about bills that had been run during the war. Father said he was glad his credit had been good, but he didn't know whether it would be five years from now. I don't know exactly what he meant. Mother told him that the clothes we'd made from the blankets were so worn that they wouldn't do for either clothes or blankets this winter. But my sister had been downtown pricing things and it seems you can't buy wool clothes now for less than a fortune. Father said he didn't see how they were going to get enough new machinery in place of that the Germans took from his factory to make the necessary fortune. Mother and my sister can't go out at the same time any more, because of the coat question. Father's things are none too good. And just look at these trousers I'm wearing! Aren't they a sight! They're too tight, too. If I don't get a new pair pretty soon, I'll just be desperate.

Take it from me, I'm never going to be born again during a war; I'll wait till it's all over and settled. All I could do was take up room and food and clothing. And, anyhow, it's no fit introduction to life. Why, at first, when we began to get more to eat, I was actually food-shy. I'm not fat enough yet, but, if I have to wear those clothes much longer, I guess it's a good thing. Then, as I said before, it has knocked my disposition all to smash and now I'll have to take a running jump to make good.

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