

ESCAPED AN OPERATION

By Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Many Such Cases.

Cairo, Ill.—"Sometime ago I got so bad with female trouble that I thought I would have to be operated on. I had a bad displacement. My right side would pain me and I was so nervous I could not hold a glass of water. Many times I would have to stop my work and sit down or I would fall on the floor in a faint. I consulted several doctors and every one told me the same but I kept fighting to keep from having the operation. I had read so many times of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it helped my sister so I began taking it. I have never felt better than I have since then and I keep house and am able to do all my work. The Vegetable Compound is certainly one grand medicine."

—Mrs. J. R. MATTHEWS, 3311 Sycamore Street, Cairo, Ill.

Of course there are many serious cases that only a surgical operation will relieve. We freely acknowledge this, but the above letter, and many others like it, simply prove that many operations are recommended when medicine in many cases is all that is needed.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass.

"Can't Cut Off My Leg" Says Railroad Engineer

"I am a railroad engineer; about 2 years ago my leg was seriously injured in an accident out West. Upon my refusing to allow the doctor to operate on it, I was told it would be impossible to heal the wound. I have tried all kinds of salves and had many doctors in the past 2 years, but to no avail. Finally I resolved to use PETERSON'S OINTMENT on my leg. You cannot imagine my astonishment when I found it was doing what ever 100 things had failed to do. My leg is now completely cured."—Gus Hauff, 79 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y. Great for piles, eczema, old sores and all skin diseases. 25 cent. Mail order, filled. Peterson Ointment Co. Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.

Much Worse.
"Have you anything in particular against Gipping?"
"Well, he talks to his baby over the telephone."
"That's not so bad."
"You're right. There are worse things. There are people who talk to poodles over the telephone."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

\$100 Reward, \$500
Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. Therefore requires constitutional treatment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE destroys the foundation of the disease, gives the patient strength by improving the general health and assists nature in doing its work. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE fails to cure. Refund \$100.00 for any case of Catarrh that HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE fails to cure. Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

All the Same.
"Are you wearing your last year's clothes?"
"Yes; and probably my next year's clothes, too."

AFTER 6 YEARS--STILL WELL

Now Strong and Hearty Though Case Looked Hopeless

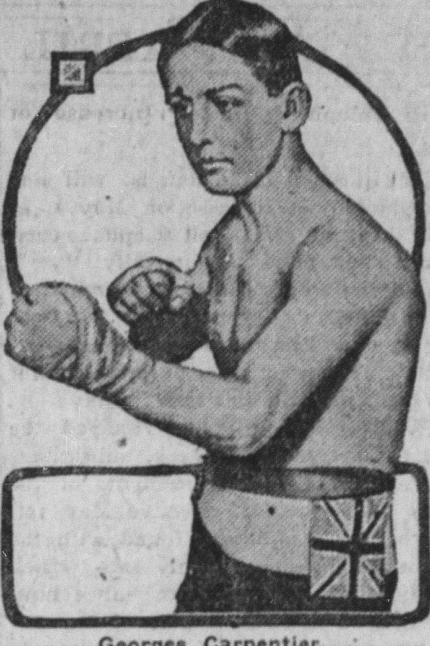
"Six years ago I was in awful condition," says E. K. Chase, 36 E. Cross St., Ypsilanti, Mich. "My family was told I couldn't live more than two months. I was in constant pain from the uric acid and was so bad with rheumatism my legs seemed all drawn up. My back never stopped hurting. The kidney secretions were held back until only a few drops came, and I bloated until I thought my skin would burst. My legs were twice their normal size. The water seemed to fill my chest and press against the heart. For three months I never moved out of the chair and I choked and gasped for breath like a dying man. All the doctoring failed, and my weight went from 135 to 125 pounds. Doan's Kidney Pills saved my life. Eleven boxes cured me of every complaint. I have been well six years and able to work as hard as any man."

GEORGES CARPENTIER'S BID FOR TITLE FIRST BY FOREIGNER IN RECENT YEARS

Should Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier meet in the ring during the coming year, as appears most probable, it will be the first time since March 22, 1898, that a foreign heavyweight has been a serious contender for the world's championship in this class. On that date Jim Jeffries knocked out Peter Jackson in three rounds, and while the famous Australian negro was but a shell of his former self, he still carried the European heavyweight honors. The victory gave Jeffries the right to the world's heavyweight title beyond dispute.

Jackson was the first Australian heavyweight champion. Later he added the title of English champion by knocking out Frank Slavin in London, and when he entered the ring against Jeffries he was the holder of European honors while Jeffries held undisputed title to the American championship. Jeffries' honors in turn passed to Jack Johnson, Jess Willard, and on July 4, 1919, to Jack Dempsey.

Carpentier by his two defeats of Bombardier Wells and his latest victory over Joe Beckett holds the title of European champion. Should he face Dempsey during the next few months the French pugilist, who began his ring career as a featherweight, will be the first foreign heavyweight in several decades to enter the arena against an American with anything like a fair chance of winning the world's heavyweight championship.

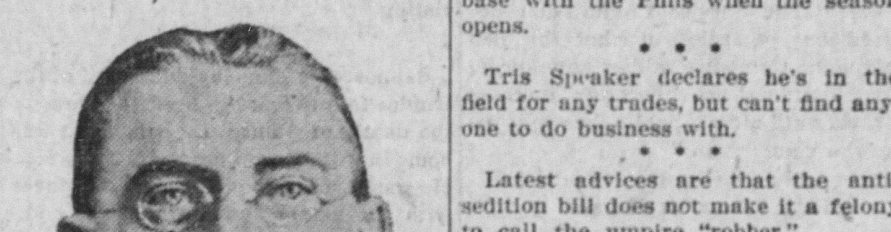


Georges Carpentier.

FAMOUS COACHES ARE NAMED

Lawson Robertson, Jack Moakley and Captain Moloney, Are to Prepare Olympic Athletes.

Famous athletic coaches mentioned as possibilities to guide the preparation of the United States athletes for the Olympic games at Antwerp next year are: Lawson Robertson, University of Pennsylvania track coach;



Coach Jack Moakley.

Jack Moakley, who holds a similar position at Cornell, and Captain Moloney of California, who coached the American athletes that competed in the interallied games at Paris last June.

STRONG TEAM FOR SYRACUSE.

Coach Tom Keene to Organize Four-Mile Squad to Compete for Penn Relay Races.

Coach Tom Keene of Syracuse university, whose cross-country squad won the eastern intercollegiate race, will organize a four-mile team for the Penn relay races May 1 next. John Simmons, who finished first in the junior and intercollegiate runs, has been elected captain of the 1920 harriers.

STUDENTS TO TOIL ON FIELD

Would Solve Labor Problem by Working Two Hours Each Week on Proposed Athletic Grounds.

More than 500 Washington and Lee students have signed pledges to work two hours each week, between April 1 and June 1, on the enlargement of the Wilson athletic field. The students will solve the labor problem and save thousands of dollars for the university.

HALIFAX WANTS 1924 GAMES

Permanent Olympic Committee Receives Request From Canadian City—Other Bidders.

The permanent Olympic committee has received a request that the Olympic games in 1924 be held at Halifax, Canada. The question will be voted at the games to be held at Antwerp next summer, and several countries are expected to be strong contenders.

JAPANESE TRIP ONLY RUMOR

University of Chicago Baseball Players Not Invited, Says Assistant Coach Page.

Pat Page, assistant to Coach Stagg, has denied the report of a contemplated invasion of the orient by the University of Chicago baseball team next summer. Page said the Maroons have not been invited by the Japanese universities.

HAL CHASE ABOUT TO QUIT BASEBALL GAME

Anxious to Become Established in Some Other Business.

Star First Baseman Realizes Near Approach of Inevitable End of Long and Sensational Career—Broke in With the Yankees.

"Peerless Hal" Chase has probably played his last game of baseball. Recognizing the near approach of the inevitable end of a long and sensational career, he is planning to retire from the national pastime before the opening of another season and may announce his voluntary passing at any time now.

There is no question of failure to negotiate a satisfactory contract with the Giants involved in Chase's determination to quit the diamond. He simply realizes that he is rapidly nearing the end of his baseball rope and is anxious to become established in some other



Hal Chase.

profession while he is still a comparatively young man. He has several promising propositions under consideration.

Chase, barring one brief adventure with the outlaw California State league in 1908, and his Federal league escapade in 1914-15, has been in the major leagues since 1905, when he broke in with the New York Yankees.

From the start he has been one of the stormy petrels of baseball. He was early conceded to be the greatest first baseman of all time and one of the most effective hit-and-run batters that the game has ever produced. Yet no other player in the history of the game has been more severely censured, more bitterly maligned than this slim still boyish, and thoroughly likeable Californian.

NOTES OF SPORTDOM

Princeton University has added polo to its sports.

England boasts 4,000 professional association football players.

Frank Troeh won the interstate target challenge cup at Kansas City.

Worcester will again oppose Philadelphia for the national rowing championships.

The Denver Rocky Mountain Ski club has purchased a ten-acre site on a mountain side on which to build a slide.

Walter Cox, the Grand Circuit pilot, has seventy-two horses in training at his new home, Laurel Hall, near Indianapolis.

Jack Kearns, manager of Dempsey, also is one of those immaculately attired youngsters who did not get any army camp chuck.

The plea for \$150,000 in subscriptions to send the Olympic team to Antwerp indicates that the running game is not slowing up.

New-York city light harness enthusiasts want a half-mile track built in Van Cortlandt park, to replace the Harlem speedway now being used by autos.

Sixty eighteen-hole golf courses will be constructed in the United States during 1920, according to Herbert W. Fowler, British architect. It is estimated these links will cost \$9,000,000.

While the talk of a return bout between Jack Dempsey and Jess Willard is not taken very seriously in boxing circles, still it would be following precedent if the pair did meet again.

Former service men are to have prior rights of entry to Wyoming government land under the homestead act. Another advantage is that they would not have Jack Dempsey for a neighbor.

"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP" IS CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels.



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California."—Adv.

Wild Dogs Devour Sheep.

Depredations by packs of wild dogs are causing Australian sheep owners heavy damage, according to official reports received at Washington. A delegation of stockmen recently submitted to the minister of public lands of New South Wales statistics showing a loss of 50,000 sheep in that province alone in the course of a few months. The delegation requested government aid in the erection of a "dogproof" fence to isolate a district comprising almost 40,000 square miles.

LESS MEAT IF BACK AND KIDNEYS HURT

Take a Glass of Salts to Flush Kidneys if Bladder Bothers You.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders. Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.—Adv.

Getting "Worther and Worther." "Is life worth living?" "I think that question has been answered for good and all. The cost has been more than doubled and we all hang on."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

OPEN NOSTRILS! END COLD OR CATARRH

How to Get Relief When Head and Nose Are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty. Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache, no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.—Adv.

Rude. She—Her car ran into a motorbus. Nothing very serious, only the enamel scraped off. He—Her face or the machine?

Important to Mothers Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Peck* In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

His Way. "Did the doctor you went to fix up that swelling all right?" "Sure, he put it in the bill."

When you have decided that the Worms or Tapeworm must be exterminated, get "Dead Shot"—Dr. Peery's Vermifuge One dose will expel them.—Adv.

Electric fog sirens have been invented that can be heard for fourteen miles.

48,000 Drug Stores Sell It.

Five million people use it to KILL COLDS

BELCHING Caused by Acid-Stomach

Let EATONIC, the wonderful modern stomach remedy, give you quick relief from disgusting belching, food-repeating, indigestion, bloated, gassy stomach, dyspepsia, heartburn and other stomach miseries. They are all caused by Acid-Stomach from which about nine people out of ten suffer in one way or another. One writes as follows: "Before I used EATONIC, I could not eat a bite without belching it right up, sour and bitter. I have not had a bit of trouble since the first tablet." Millions are victims of Acid-Stomach without knowing it. They are weak and ailing, have poor digestion, bodies improperly nourished although they may eat heartily. Grave disorders are likely to follow if an acid-stomach is neglected. Cirrhosis of the liver, intestinal congestion, gastritis, catarrh of the stomach—these are only a few of the many ailments often caused by Acid-Stomach. A sufferer from Catarrh of the Stomach of 11 years' standing writes: "I had catarrh of the stomach for 11 years and I never found anything to do me any good—just temporary relief—until I used EATONIC. It is a wonderful remedy and I do not want to be without it." If you are not feeling quite right—lack energy and enthusiasm and don't know just where to locate the trouble—try EATONIC and see how much better you will feel in every way. At all drug stores—a big box for 50c and your money back if you are not satisfied.

EATONIC FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

SLOW DEATH

Aches, pains, nervousness, difficulty in urinating, often mean serious disorders. The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles—

GOLD MEDAL HARLEM OIL CAPSULES

Bring quick relief and often ward off deadly diseases. Known as the national remedy of Holland for more than 200 years. All druggists, in three sizes. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

YAGER'S LINIMENT RELIEVES PAIN

Wise in His Generation. Irrate Parent—What you need, young man, is a sound thrashing. Johnny—Well, pa, my Sunday school teacher says that the Lord will supply our needs, and I don't mind waiting—Boston Transcript.

Hands that grasp too much hold but little.

Sure Relief

Why He Wanted Strong Ones. "Gimme three cigars," ordered O'Rourke, shoving a quarter across the counter. "Strong ones or mild?" "Gimme the strong ones. The weak-wans is always bustin' in me pocket."—The American Legion Weekly.

British East Africa is in the market for American-made well-drilling machinery.