

## CHANGE OF LIFE WOMAN'S TRIAL

Proof That Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is of Great Help at This Period

Metropolis, Illinois.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it is all I claim to be and has benefited me wonderfully. I had been sick for eight months with a trouble which confined me to my bed and was only able to be up part of the time when I was advised by a friend, Mrs. Smith, to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills. I was so much benefited by the use of these medicines that I was able to be up and about in two weeks. I was at the Change of Life when I began taking the medicines and I passed over that time without any trouble. Now I am hale and hearty, do all my housework, washing, ironing, scrubbing, and cooking, all there is to do about a house, and can walk two or three miles without getting too tired. I know of several of my neighbors who have been helped by your medicines."—Mrs. EMMA CULVER, 705 E. 7th St., Metropolis, Illinois.

Depend upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Nervousness, irritability, heat flashes, headache and dizziness, are relieved by this splendid medicine.



**Put HANCOCK SULPHUR COMPOUND in your BATH**

For Eczema, Rheumatism, Gout or Hives

Expensive health resorts, sought by thousands, have grown around springs containing sulphur.

Hancock Sulphur Compound, utilizing the secret of the famous healing waters, makes it possible for you to enjoy Sulphur Baths in your own home, and at a nominal cost.

Sulphur, Nature's best blood purifier, is prepared to make its use most efficacious in Hancock Sulphur Compound.

Use it in the bath, as a lotion applied to affected parts, and take it internally.

60c and \$1.20 the bottle.

If your druggist can't supply it, send his name and address and the price in stamps and we will send you a bottle direct.

HANCOCK LIQUID SULPHUR COMPANY  
Baltimore, Md.

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for the prompt relief of Asthma and Hay Fever. Ask your druggist for it. 25 cents and one dollar. Write for FREE SAMPLE.

Northrop & Lyman Co., Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.

Couldn't Be Done.

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"Why are you so sure?"

"Why, we have more sense than to ask anyone to accomplish the impossible."

"Dead Shot" Dr. Peery's Vermifuge, is not a "lozenge" or a "syrup" but a real, old-fashioned dose of medicine, which cleans out Worms or Tapeworm with a single dose. Money back if not satisfied. Advertisement.

Advertisement for Bellans Indigestion Remedy, featuring an image of a bottle and text: "Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION... BELLANS Indigestion Remedy... 6 BELLANS Hot water Sure Relief... BELLANS 25c and 75c Packages, Everywhere."

Advertisement for Glenn's Sulphur Soap, featuring an image of a box and text: "Glenn's Sulphur Soap... Contains 33 1/2% Pure Sulphur... Sulphur is an effective remedy for skin troubles... For Toilet - Bath - Shampoo... Rohland's Stripte Cotton, 2c."

Advertisement for Your Hair, featuring an image of a woman and text: "Your Hair... need not be thin or streaked with gray... HAIR COLOR RESTORER will gently revive it and bring back all its original color and luxuriance... Street from HESSIG-ELLS, Chester, PENN."

## WILT RESISTANT TOMATO IS SEEN

Ailment Causes an Annual Loss of More Than 115,000 Tons in Few States.

### FUNGUS LIVES IN THE SOIL

Four Varieties Have Been Developed Which Will Produce Heavy Crops of Excellent Fruit on Soil Badly Infested.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The only successful means of controlling tomato wilt is through the development of resistant varieties, says the United States Department of Agriculture. Tomato wilt causes an annual loss of more than 115,000 tons of tomatoes in the Middle Atlantic, Gulf and lower Mississippi states. The wilt fungus lives in the soil and invades the tomato plant through its roots. Spraying the plant has no effect on the disease, and no important results have been obtained in the control of the trouble through soil treatment.

Varieties Developed.

Four varieties of tomatoes have been developed which will produce heavy crops of excellent fruit on land so badly infested by wilt that ordinary tomatoes cannot be grown upon it.



Excellent Wilt-Resistant Type of Tomatoes.

They are selections from the Greater Baltimore, Stone and Mervelle des Marches (Marvel of the Market), three of the best commercial varieties grown. They possess, in addition to wilt resistance, all the good qualities of their parent varieties. Extensive field tests have shown them to be well adapted to all parts of the United States in which tomato wilt is present. The work done in connection with the development of these varieties is described in a new department bulletin, No. 1015, Development of Wilt-Resistant Tomatoes, by F. J. Pritchard, physiologist, which may be obtained upon application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington.

Very few commercial varieties of tomatoes possess appreciable resistance to wilt. The Duke of York and the Buckeye State, apparently one variety under two names, are highly resistant, but they produce poorer fruit than the varieties developed by the department.

Livingston's Globe is somewhat resistant, but its fruit, although of good size and shape, is objectionable to canners and also to dealers in some other markets because of its purple color. Moreover, it is very susceptible to nailhead rot, a destructive disease prevalent in the South.

Obtain Resistant Varieties.

Superior wilt-resistant varieties may be obtained by selection from varieties that normally produce a heavy crop of excellent fruit, and vary considerably in the degree of wilt resistance possessed by their individual plants. Even if such varieties are susceptible to wilt, if they produce occasional resistant plants, they afford good material for selection, but the selections have to be carefully tested on uniformly wilt-infested soil for a period of several years in order to obtain the best strains or varieties—a process requiring more time, skill and expense than the average grower can give it. Most varieties transmit approximately the same degree of wilt resistance to all their plants and consequently offer little opportunity for improvement by selection. Tomato plants selected for wilt resistance usually transmit to their immediate offspring as much resistance as can be developed from them by subsequent selection. In a few instances increased resistance has been obtained in the second selection, but not in later selections.

### FIRST TREATMENT OF HIDES

First Spread It Out With Hair Side Down and Then Cover Evenly With Layer of Salt.

If the hide from any animal is to be held a few days before selling, the first treatments are essential, according to the animal husbandry department at Iowa State college. In handling, first salt it by spreading it out hair side down and covering it evenly with a heavy layer of salt. Fold the head and legs in until the hide forms a strip one and one-half to two feet wide. Start at the head and roll tightly and then tie securely with a strong string.

## MORTGAGES INCREASE WITH VALUE OF FARM

Gain During Last Decade Appears Almost Startling.

Growth Has Been Most Marked in Sections Which Have Made Greatest Progress—No Cause for Alarm, Says Bulletin.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

While the increase in farm mortgage indebtedness during the last decade appears almost startling, the increase is not in itself a cause for alarm, declares the United States Department of Agriculture in Department Bulletin 1047, Farm Mortgage Loans by Banks, Insurance Companies, and Other Agencies, a new publication prepared by V. N. Valgren and Elmer E. Engelbert and now ready for distribution. The increase, say the writers, is rather a logical result of increased market value of farms. The rise in these values, in turn, reflects better farm incomes during the decade than prevailed during the preceding years, these incomes being to a considerable extent invested in added permanent improvements in the form of buildings, fences, silos, and drainage and irrigation systems. According to preliminary reports for the census of 1920, mortgage indebtedness on farms operated by full owners amounted to \$4,012,711,213, as against \$1,720,172,851 in 1910. The information available concerning the amount and sources of farm mortgage loans in the United States is fragmentary, the bulletin points out.

A very large percentage of farm mortgages is the result of land transfers, the mortgage, like tenancy, forming a rung in the agricultural ladder to farm ownership. The size of the mortgage naturally tends to bear a direct relationship to the purchase price of the farm. To the extent that farm mortgages are the result of investments in productive permanent improvements and equipment by existing farm owners, they evidence progress and not regression. In general, the increase in farm mortgages during each decade since data were first gathered by the census has been most marked in sections which have made the greatest progress during that period. Even where improvements are paid for out of savings instead of with the proceeds of loans, the increased value and price of a farm is quite certain to result in a larger mortgage in case the farm is transferred to a new owner.

Copies of the bulletin may be had free upon application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

### IMPROPER PLACE FOR TOOLS

There Is Great Danger of Injury if Rake or Hoe Is Left Lying on Ground in Garden.

What may happen if a hoe or rake is left lying on the ground is shown in this picture. A rake with sharp teeth often bites through good shoe leather.

When the carpenter is through working he carefully cleans his tools and puts them away in a box because he wants them to be in good condition.



A Rake With Sharp Teeth Often Bites Through Good Shoe Leather.

for work the next day. A hoe or spade left overnight in the garden is sure to be rusted and in poor condition for use.

Garden tools not in use should be placed upright against the fence or house. At night they should be placed indoors.

### SILAGE NOT EXPENSIVE FEED

It Is Cheap When Compared With Other Roughages Which Are Higher Than Grain.

Although many farmers believe that silage is an expensive feed, especially when the work in producing it is considered, it is a cheap feed, as compared to other roughages which are higher than grains this season. When corn was high many farmers used silage because they could save corn.

### ROTATION URGED IN GARDENS

Farmer Should Avoid Planting Same Crop on Same Land for Two or More Seasons.

Remember that it is just as necessary to rotate for garden crops as for field crops; therefore, in the management of the garden keep this fact in mind and avoid planting the same crop on the same land two or more seasons.

Advertisement for Castoria, featuring an image of the product box and text: "Net Contents 15 Fluid Ounces... 900 DROPS... CASTORIA... ALCOHOL—3 PER CENT... A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food by Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of INFANTS & CHILDREN... Thereby Promoting Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC... Recipe of Old Dr. SAMUEL PITCHER... A Helpful Remedy for Constipation and Diarrhoea, and Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP resulting therefrom in Infancy... Facsimile Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher... THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK... At 6 months old 35 Doses—40 CENTS... Exact Copy of Wrapper... THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY."

## Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA

Special Care of Baby.

That Baby should have a bed of its own all are agreed. Yet it is more reasonable for an infant to sleep with grown-ups than to use a man's medicine in an attempt to regulate the delicate organism of that same infant. Either practice is to be shunned. Neither would be tolerated by specialists in children's diseases.

Your Physician will tell you that Baby's medicine must be prepared with even greater care than Baby's food.

A Baby's stomach when in good health is too often disarranged by improper food. Could you for a moment, then, think of giving to your ailing child anything but a medicine especially prepared for Infants and Children? Don't be deceived.

Make a mental note of this:—It is important, Mothers, that you should remember that to function well, the digestive organs of your Baby must receive special care. No Baby is so abnormal that the desired results may be had from the use of medicines primarily prepared for grown-ups.

MOTHERS SHOULD READ THE BOOKLET THAT IS AROUND EVERY BOTTLE OF FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

## O-So-Easy to Use PUTNAM FADELESS DYES 10c per Package WHY PAY MORE FOR ANY DYE?

Advertisement for Cuticura Soap, featuring an image of the product box and text: "Cuticura Soap Imparts The Velvet Touch... Soap 25c, Ointment 25c and 50c, Talcum 25c... Agents—Men and women for exclusive sales agency for widely adv. proposition. Restricted territory. Exceptional money-making opportunity. Profitable Co., 1117 Candier Bldg., New York."

Advertisement for Salesmen, Distributors, Agents Wanted, featuring text: "Every city to establish headquarters for True Fruit Savers, selling to home, personally thru agents, premium workers, the trade thru salesmen. \$5,000-\$10,000 a year opportunity. Selling kits, gold, silver premiums, signs, displays for trade furnished. \$50 to \$1,000 capital builds permanent, repeat-order business. HAAS & HAAS, INC., ROCHESTER, NEW YORK."

Advertisement for A Copy of the League of Nations, 25c, featuring text: "EDWARD WALSH... 669 Devon Street... W. N. U. BALTIMORE, NO. 21-1922."

### "DIVORCE RING" THE LATEST

Fad Recently Adopted by Those Freed From the Marital Tie by Court Proceedings.

From time immemorial woman has worn on the third finger of her left hand a plain band of gold as a symbol of her honored position of wifehood. And when death takes from her the partner of her life she signifies her loss and grief by wearing appropriate garb.

But in what a different manner today the widow of the present, that is, the one who by the sanction of the courts, has resigned her job as wife, makes known to all the world her renewed state of single blessedness. For the grass widow of today has just adopted the latest of fads, the "divorce ring." This jeweled symbol of the severance of the marital tie takes the place of the former gold band. It is made of gold or platinum on which is mounted a broken Cupid's bow at the end of which is set a jewel to represent a divorce. Should the wearer once more embark on the matrimonial seas and again come to wreck then another jewel is added to indicate the second divorce, and so on.

Our Political Sandows.

From an exchange—"Both are adepts at welding the steam roller over the heads of the people."—Boston Transcript.

### MADE FOR EMPEROR'S TABLE

Massive Silver Set Ordered by Napoleon I Put on Exhibition at New York.

The massive silver set of 919 pieces ordered by Napoleon I, during the hundred days, delivered after his abdication to Louis XVIII, and used by the French royal family at Tuilleries palace from 1815 to 1830, has been placed on exhibition in New York. Two bullet holes in the soup tureen bear evidence of the revolutions it has passed through. Each article bears the Bourbon coat of arms, the fleur de lis surmounted with the crown and is stamped with the official government mark, the mark of the chief craftsman and of the guild. Napoleon I ordered this set of silver from Biennais on his return to France from his first exile on the island of Elba. It was made during the hundred days of Napoleon's second reign, but before it could be delivered Napoleon was forced to abdicate and was again exiled this time to end his days on St. Helena. Louis XVIII, his successor, paid Biennais for the silver and had the Bourbon coat of arms placed on it. The set of silver passed finally to the heirs of the duc de Chambord and through them has come to North America.

### MADE HIS MEANING CLEAR

Old Darcy's Description of Wife's Failing Aptly Spelled Out Word He Didn't Understand.

Moses Diggs, an old Alabama darcy, had been arrested for having more than one wife, the last woman being the complainant. He happened to be well known locally and considered an orderly character.

"How many wives have you had?" demanded the examining judge.

"Six, yo' honah," was the reply.

"Why couldn't you get on with them?"

"Well, suh, de fust two sp'illed de white folks' clo's when dey washed 'em; de thu'd wor'n't no cook; de fo'th was ject nacherally lazy; an' de fifth—I'll tell you, Jedge, de fifth, she—" "Incompatibility?"

"No, yo' honah," said the negro, slowly, "it wor'n't nothin' like dat. Yo' jest couldn't git on with her unless yo' was somewhars else."—Harper's Magazine.

Suckers, Swindlers, Detectives.

The funny part of it is that a mere sucker can locate a swindler when the most skilled detectives are baffled.—Eric Times.

Adding Her.

Wilson—"Does your wife drive your car?" Trimm—"Only when I'm at the wheel."—Answers.

Advertisement for Grape-Nuts, featuring an image of a child and text: "When Hungry Little Muscles Say, 'Please Help Me'... DID you ever stop to think who it really is that's talking, when childish voices raise a clamor, 'Mother, I'm hungry?'... It's really muscles and bones and nerves and cells worn in the stress and strain of play—that are calling for rebuilding material... What kind of an answer? The right thing, or just anything? It makes a big difference... Grape-Nuts, so deliciously crisp and appetizing to taste, and so quick and convenient to serve, is a splendid food for rebuilding young bodies. All the wonderful nutriment put in wheat and barley by Nature, including the vital mineral elements, is there—and Grape-Nuts digests easily, quickly and completely. Served with cream or milk, Grape-Nuts is exceptionally nourishing... 'That's splendid!' says appetite. 'That's just the need!' say the hungry muscles, nerves and bones... Ready to serve right from the package—always crisp and fresh. A favorite dish with all the family. Sold by grocers... Grape-Nuts—the Body Builder 'There's a Reason'... Made by Postum Cereal Company, Inc., Battle Creek, Mich."