

What Ails You?

Do you feel weak, tired, despondent, have frequent headaches, coated tongue, bitter or bad taste in morning, "heartburn," belching of gas, acid risings in throat after eating, stomach gnaw or burn, foul breath, gray speck, poor or variable appetite, nausea at times and kindred symptoms?

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NEW YORK DAY BY DAY.

Some of the Things Done Daily in the Metropolis.

Monkeys Run A Steamer.

The British tramp steamer Lowther Castle reached this port Wednesday from Yokohama. Chang, a riotous ape, was in chains, but he looked like a grim fighter. According to Captain Lightoller, Chang precipitated a mutiny among the monkeys in the heart of a severe storm in the Bay of Bengal. Ki Ki, Chang's mate, was missing for some days, and Chang supposed the Chinese had thrown him overboard as an offering to their gods to avert the violence of the storm. He burst open the monkey cage and let loose 50 of the wildest specimens. They tore madly from the hold to the bridge, where Donohue, the mate, stood in solitary contemplation. Donohue yelled "Murder!" and the steamer's crew rushed to his aid. For five minutes there was a pitched battle between the 30 Chinamen and the 50 monkeys. The monkeys were thrown overboard until only a few remained to tell the tale. Ki Ki was found a day later on the mast top solemnly contemplating the beauties of the universe.

Breath As Wife Learns To Cook.

Thrilled and excited, Marie Jennings, 12 years old, of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth Street and Jackson Avenue, ran into the hallway of Public School No. 10 at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street and Eagle Avenue, and between gasps demanded of Policeman O'Connell that she be allowed to see her mother immediately. She said that Mrs. Jennings was taking cooking lessons in one of the evening classes held in the school building, and that mother of the utmost importance demanded her return home.

Woman Lawyer Wins Case.

For the first time in the County Court in Brooklyn a woman lawyer appeared Tuesday as counsel for a defendant in a criminal action. She was Miss Ida Pimoff and the defendant was Harry Goldstein, charged with extortion. Mrs. Bertha Glass of Watkins and Plinkins Avenues, Brooklyn, alleged that on August 18 Goldstein told her a gang of horse thieves was to steal her horses or poison them. He offered her, she said, for \$150 to dissuade the men. Miss Pimoff was so disconcerted by the witness that she contradicted her direct testimony. In granting a motion to discharge Goldstein, Judge Aspinall said: "Goldstein, you are guilty, but the skill of your lawyer has saved you from a prison cell."

Dropped Box Of Torpedoes.

Irving Granet, a laborer working on Pier 11 East River, was blown into the air after dropping a case containing toy torpedoes on the pier. When Policeman William F. Driscoll found him, Granet said he was well enough to go back to work, but he was taken to a hospital. Barely an hour later his limbs began to swell from the shock of the explosion, and he was taken to his home, 719 East Third Street. He also had wounds under his chin and on his right breast. In the scramble among the crowd on the pier which followed the explosion, a Michael O'Donnell fell into the water, and was rescued by Policeman Driscoll, who pulled him out with a rope, aided by three peddlers.

Girl Kills Herself.

"If you are bound to kill yourself, do it. I don't care. Anyway, I will never marry you," said a man to a weeping girl, who stood with him at the foot of East Eighty-sixth Street. "I did love you and I will pay the penalty," she cried, and rushing to the river edge, which opens out on Hell Gate, she threw off a costly coat and hat, and leaped into the water.

The man ran away, and Capt. George L. Holden, on the barge Clarence Leland, lowered a small boat, but was unable to rescue the drowning girl.

The police have the jacket and hat, and are trying to solve the mystery.

A Moravian Love Feast.

Surrounded by all the paraphernalia of its annual love feast, the Old Moravian Church at New Dorp, Staten Island, held its forty-third anniversary Wednesday afternoon, with its twenty-fourth pastor, Rev. Dr. Grunert, in charge of the ceremonies. The church was donated by the late Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt. Hundreds of Moravians joined in the celebration. After a report of the year's work of the church was read, all present joined in the social part, with music and the breaking of the bread which is yearly made for this special occasion.

Steal Spoons: Miss \$40,000.

Burglars entered the summer home of Walter Keys, the bookmaker, at Hastings, on Saturday night and stole a dozen silver spoons, but missed \$40,000 cash which was in a tin box in the library. Keys won the money on Saturday's races. It is thought the robbers were after Keys' winnings, but were scared off before they had made a thorough search of the house.

Elevator Fell 11 Floors.

Three men and a girl had a thrilling descent in an elevator car and a lucky building, at Court and Joralemon Streets, Brooklyn. The car had just started down from the eleventh floor when something went wrong and the operator lost control of it. The car could not be stopped, and it descended swiftly to the ground floor. The girl rebounded from the air cushions, and the passenger and operator were thrown to the floor of the car.

Chorus Girls May Sew.

Chorus girls at the Hippodrome are to become seamstresses on the side if they wish to add to their earnings in that way. The management feels so ingeniously positive that they will that an extra large room in the costume department has been set aside for their particular benefit. Three hundred girls are enrolled in the Hippodrome in the production of a Society Circus. As they are not on the stage more than half the time, each of them can, if she chooses, get pay for sewing on costumes.

COMMERCIAL COLUMN.

Weekly Review of Trade and Latest Market Reports.

New York.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "No unfavorable developments have appeared except the damage by storm at the South, which was almost entirely local in effect. Autumn trade is now in full swing, especially activity being reported in dry goods, millinery and footwear. Manufacturing plants are engaged far in advance in all the leading industries, the metal departments making the most striking exhibits, and the activity of transporters is shown by railway earnings in September—3.2 per cent. larger than last year's figures. Crop returns are up to expectations, aside from some loss in cotton, which caused a violent rise in prices.

"Scarcely of most forms of steel and pressure vessels, and delivery tend to harden quotations, while the rise in pig iron has continued until the inflated position of a few years ago seems about to be attained. Practically all the pig-iron furnaces are now in blast and work will soon be started on many new plants of the open-hearth variety. Any decrease in demand for structural steel for buildings on account of the approach of winter is more than offset by the urgent needs of car works, which are falling behind with deliveries. High prices continue to prevail for minor metals.

"Commercial failures this week in the United States are 183, against 188 last week, 200 the preceding week and 195 the corresponding week last year."

Wholesale Markets.

Baltimore.—FLOUR—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 1,422 barrels; exports, 55,473 barrels.

WHEAT—Easy; spot, contract, 74 1/2 @ 74 3/4; spot No. 2 red Western 71 1/2 @ 72; October, 74 1/2 @ 74 3/4; November, 75 @ 75 1/2; December, 75 1/2 @ 76 1/4; steamer No. 2, red, 69 @ 69 1/2.

CORN—Easy; spot, 54 1/2 @ 54 1/4; October, 52 1/2 @ 53; January, 47 1/2 @ 47 3/4; steamers mixed, 52 1/2 @ 53; receipts, 38,185 bushels; exports, 128,571 bushels; Southern white corn, 55 @ 56 1/2.

Southern yellow corn, 52 @ 52 1/2.

OATS—Quiet; No. 2 white, 39 @ 39 1/2; No. 3 white, 38 @ 38 1/2; No. 2 mixed, 37 1/2 @ 37 3/4; receipts, 23,846 bushels.

RYE—Firm; No. 2 Western export, 64 @ 65; No. 2 Western domestic, 70 @ 71; receipts, 5,022 bushels.

BUTTER—Firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 20 @ 21; fancy creamery, 25 @ 26; fancy lard, 18 @ 20; store-packed, 16 1/2 @ 18.

EGGS—Firm; 24.

CHEESE—Quiet and unchanged; large, 13 1/2; medium, 13 1/4; small, 14.

New York.—WHEAT—Receipts, 49,900 bushels; sales, 325,000 futures and 24,000 spot. Spot easy. No. 2, red, 78 1/2; elevator, No. 2, red, 73 1/2 f. o. b. aboat. No. 1 Northern Duluth, 86 1/2 f. o. b. aboat. No. 2 hard winter, 83 1/2 f. o. b. aboat.

CORN—Receipts, 62,350 bushels; exports, 3,164 bushels; sales, 20,000 futures. Spot barely steady; No. 2, red, 54 1/2; white, 53 @ 53 1/2; No. 2 aboat; No. 2 yellow, 57; No. 2 white, 57 1/2.

OATS—Receipts, 126,500 bushels. Spot steady; mixed oats, 26 @ 32 pounds, 37 1/2; natural white, 30 @ 33 pounds, 38 1/2 @ 40; clipped white, 38 @ 40 pounds, 39 1/2 @ 44.

BUTTER—Strong. Receipts, 7,700; street prices, extra creamery, 26 @ 28 1/2; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 19 @ 21 1/2; do., half seconds to extra, 21 @ 26; State dairy, common to extra, 18 @ 24 1/2; renovated, common to extra, 16 @ 22; Western factory, imitation creamery, firsts, 20.

EGGS—Steady; receipts, 10,917; prices unchanged.

POULTRY—Alive, easy; spring chickens, 13; fowls, 14; turkeys, 14. Dressed, firm; Western chickens, 11 @ 14; spring turkeys, 16 @ 22; fowls, 12 @ 15.

FREED—Firm; spring bran, 20.85. Oat shipment.

LARD—Firm; Western prime, 9.15 @ 9.25; refined firm; continent, 9.55.

COTTONSEED OIL—Firm; prime crude f. o. b. mills, 31; do., yellow, 42.

Live Stock.

New York.—BEEVES—Medium and common show but not lower; bulls steady; cow, dull and weak; steers, 3.90 @ 5.90; cows, 2.50 @ 3.90; heifers, 1.10 @ 3.20; heifers, 3.30 @ 3.75.

CALVES—Veals steady to 5.00 @ 9.00; culls, 4.00 @ 4.50; Western calves and grassers lower; Westerns, 3.25 @ 4.50; grassers, 3.00; dressed calves slow; city-dressed veals, 8 @ 13 1/2, per pound; country-dressed, 7 @ 12.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,200; market firm; State and Pennsylvania hogs, 6.95 @ 7.10.

Chicago.—CATTLE—Common to prime, 3.75 @ 7.00; common to 5.50; heifers, 2.60 @ 5.35; bulls, 2.40 @ 4.50; calves, 3.00 @ 8.00; stockers and feeders, 2.25 @ 4.40.

HOGS—Choice to prime heavy, 6.70 @ 6.85; medium to good heavy, 6.35 @ 6.65; butchers' weights, 6.70 @ 6.85; good to choice, 5.50 @ 6.50; medium mixed packing, 6.35 @ 6.50; pigs, 5.50 @ 6.60.

SHEEP—Sheep, 5.00 @ 5.25; yearlings, 5.65 @ 6.00; lambs, 5.50 @ 7.35.

WORTH REMEMBERING

Kissing a woman's lips is a gross insult in Finland.

The Ashantis of Africa are perhaps the most cruel and demoniacal of the races that people the earth. Their drums are decorated with human skulls and bones.

Most of the larger towns in Chekiang, China, are establishing chambers of commerce; these are semi-official bodies, being under the supervision of the local bureau of agriculture, trade, industry and mines.

The Australian mound bird builds the biggest nest in the world. It sometimes makes mounds 150 feet in circumference in which it buries its eggs five feet deep.

A large Portuguese wheat crop is reported, and foreign wheat, which was imported in large quantities last year, will not likely find a market in Portugal this year.

Cambridge, Mass., provides for privileges of study and travel one year in seven for the public school teachers. A teacher draws a part salary and has regular position on return.

THINGS WORTH KNOWING

In Russia an extensive domestic industry consists of the manufacture of wooden spoons, of which as many as 20,000,000 are made annually. They are nearly all of birch wood.

A camel begins work at four years old, and frequently continues in use for over half a century. It will carry 1000 pounds on its back, while few horses can carry more than 250 pounds.

Near Bowling Station, on the Lankashire and Dumbartonshire Railway, is the unique spectacle of the highways of the world—road, river, canal and railway—side by side, and well within an ordinary stone's throw of each other.

Among the most picturesque figures in the kaleidoscopic streets of Constantinople are the Arab chieftains from Turkey's more southern possessions. Their loose, white robes are brightened by gay scarfs, jeweled scabbards and lances, and by ornamental headresses, heavy with ornaments of precious metals.

Late statistics show that a Spaniard lives less than two-thirds as long as a Norwegian. The average duration of life is: in Norway, fifty years; England, forty-five; Belgium, forty-four; Switzerland, forty-four; France, forty-three; Austria, thirty-nine; Germany, thirty-nine; Bavaria, thirty, and Italy, thirty-two.

J. Marshall Brooks, a Californian recently arrested in Mexico, just over the border, bribed his jailer to allow him to escape with three \$100 Confederate bills. When the jailer afterwards came over to San Diego to cash one of the bills it was his turn to get into trouble, and now he is in a Mexican jail himself.

In Holland potatoes are not received in the parcel post, Denmark will not receive almanacs, and Egypt will not permit sausages to be posted. Germany refuses anything of American origin, and has some ailments directed against Japan; while aiguns, maps, wax matches, rosaries, relics and jewelry are the miscellaneous lot barred by Spain.

Street car lines leading out of San Francisco demonstrated the effects of the recent earthquake in a peculiar way. Photographs of the line show the track apparently undisturbed except that in spots the rails are twisted or buckled longitudinally. It was as if each rail had been pushed together toward the middle from the end, with the result that the steel rails bent as if they had been mere wire in the hands of a man. The buckling on this line occurred in spots over a distance of three miles.

A course which is designed to fit teachers to conduct children's gardens is presented in the summer school of the New York University. There are several gardens laid out for the use of pupils in and around New York City, but the authorities are at a loss to find men or women trained to conduct them. The phenomenal growth and success of this work in Philadelphia has led to an extension of school gardening in many cities.

HYDROPHOBIA FROM SCRATCH.

Easy Mode of Contamination Which is Often Overlooked.

It is an erroneous notion that hydrophobia appears only in consequence of biting, or more rarely in consequence of licking surface wounds. There is also a third and easy mode of contamination—by scratching. Dr. Remington, of the Institute of Bacteriology, Constantinople, has just published several observations that establish the existence of such an origin of the hydrophobic infection. This origin is easily explained. A certain number of animals (the dog and the cat in particular) have, in the normal state, a habit of licking their paws. It has been proved that the saliva of rabid animals is virulent several days before the appearance of the first symptoms of hydrophobia. When the disease is declared, a new factor intervenes. The saliva that, especially if it be chained up or confined in a close place, soils its paws or its claws. On the other hand, the scratch lays bare numerous nervous fibres upon which the poison is very easily sown. Every person scratched by an animal rabid or suspected of being so should be inoculated by the Pastour method with as little delay as possible.

No Censorship.

The Hobart (Okla.) News-Republican last week received a letter signed by all the physicians of the city insisting that the paper should not mention their names in connection with surgical operations, burns, accidents, or anything of the sort, unless authorized in writing. The News-Republican expresses itself as declining to accept the censorship established by the doctors or any one else, but does announce that it will hereafter omit the prefix "Dr." when referring to the Hobart pill rollers in its personal columns, and will show 'em along with the common herd if they are soaverse to free advertising as their letter would imply.—Western Publisher.

Wealth in Stolen Ties.

J. C. Botaneau, the Southern Pacific detective, has been te hustling for the company for several weeks and has located some 5000 Southern Pacific ties on ranches and at mines, some of them forty miles from the Southern Pacific right of way. He also found many Santa Fe ties west of Deming, where they had been carried by floods. An untreated tie costs the Southern Pacific on its New Mexico division when put off the car one dollar, and a treated tie costs a dollar and a quarter.—Albuquerque (N. M.) Citizen.

TERRIBLE SCALP HUMOR.

Head Covered With Humors Sores, With Loss of Hair—Another Spent Cure by Cuticura Remedies.

"All my life I had been troubled more or less with humor in my scalp, but about a year ago it became worse, and my scalp was covered with little sores, which itched so it nearly made me crazy, my hair also began to get gray and fall out. I tried all kinds of hair restorers with no effect, and I was nearly discouraged, but one day I was reading in a paper what the Cuticura remedies had done for scalp diseases, and decided to make a trial. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent Pills. I used them according to directions, and soon noticed a difference; the itching sores on my scalp began to heal, the itching stopped, and my hair began to grow thick. I have used only the one cake of Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura Ointment and one bottle of Cuticura Pills. I have no humor on my scalp and my hair is soft and silky. Miss Marie C. Atkins, Box 32, East Orleans, Mass., Mar. 10, 1903."

Had The Name Wrong.

The family in the flat above the Smiths in the sound-proof (?) apartment-house walked so very much like elephants that Mrs. Smith instantly christened them the Lightfoot family, without the least knowing their name.

Mr. Smith is an absorbed gentleman, so interested in his business that he listens to things at home in sort of a dream, and particularly he takes what his wife says as a matter of course, without question.

"The other day," he met the man from the flat above in the elevator.

"Mr. Smith, I believe," said the man from the flat above, genially.

"I am not waiting for an introduction, because we have many mutual friends. I live right above you in this house, and I think we should be acquainted at least," your name is to Mr. Smith, cordially. "I am very happy to meet you!"

"Not Lightfoot, Brown," corrected that individual, smilingly.

"Mr. Smith's brows were knitted.

"My wife told me your name was Lightfoot, I wonder why?" he asked.

"Queerest thing, she is usually so exact," and then he caught the glare of wounded dignity on his companion's face, and luckily he had reached his own landing, and so he bowed himself out quickly and went in to reproach his innocent better-half for getting him in trouble.

A Daily Thought.

Our love is wrought in our enthusiasm as electricity is wrought in the air, exalting its power by a subtle presence.—George Elliot.

INTERESTING CONTEST.

Heavy Cost of Unpaid Postage.

One of the most curious contests ever before the public was conducted by many thousand persons under the offer of the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., of Battle Creek, Mich., for prizes of 31 boxes of gold and 200 greenbacks to those making the most words out of the letters Y-I-O-Grape-Nuts.

The contest was started in February, 1905, and it was arranged to hold the prizes awarded on Apr. 20, 1906.

When the public announcement appeared many persons began to form the words from these letters, sometimes the whole family being occupied evenings, a combination of amusement and education.

After a while the lists began to come in to the Postum Office, and before long the volume grew until it required wagons to carry the mail. Many of the contestants were thoughtless enough to send their lists with insufficient postage and for a period it cost the Company from twenty-five to fifty-eight and sixty dollars a day to pay the unpaid postage.

Young ladies, generally those who had graduated from the high school, were employed to examine these lists and count the correct words. Webster's Dictionary was the standard, and each list was very carefully corrected, except those which fell below \$900, for it soon became clear that nothing below that could win. Some of the lists required the work of a young lady for a solid week on each individual list. The work was done very carefully and accurately, but the Company had no idea, at the time the offer was made, that the people would respond so generally, and they were compelled to fill every available space in the offices with these young lady examiners, and notwithstanding they worked steadily, it was impossible to complete the examination until Sept. 29, over six months after the prizes should have been awarded.

This delay caused a great many inquiries and naturally created some dissatisfaction. It has been thought best to make this report in practically all of the newspapers in the United States and many of the magazines in order to make clear to the people the conditions of the contest.

Many lists contained enormous numbers of words which, under the rules, had to be eliminated. "Peggers" would count, "Peggers" would not. Some lists contained over 50,000 words, the great majority of which were cut out. The largest lists were checked over two and in some cases three times to insure accuracy.

The \$100.00 gold prize was won by L. D. Reese, 1227-15th St., Denver, Colo., with 9941 correct words. The highest \$10.00 gold prize went to S. K. Fraser, Luicola, Pa., with 9921 correct words.

A complete list of the 331 winners with their home addresses will be sent to any contestant enquiring on a postal card.

Be sure and give name and address clearly.

This contest has cost the Co. many thousand dollars, and probably has not been a profitable advertisement, nevertheless, perhaps some who had never before tried Grape-Nuts food have been interested in the contest, and from trial of the food have been shown its wonderful rebuilding powers.

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WHO SHE WAS

SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF LYDIA E. PINKHAM

And a True Story of How the Vegetable Compound Had Its Birth and How the "Panic of '73" Caused it to be Offered for Public Sale in Drug Stores.

This remarkable woman, whose maiden name was Estes, was born in Lynn, Mass., February 9th, 1819, coming from a good old Quaker family. For some years she taught school, and became known as a woman of an alert

restore the family fortune. They argued that the medicine which was so good for their woman friends and neighbors was equally good for the women of the whole world.



The Pinkhams had no money, and little credit. Their first laboratory was the kitchen, where roots and herbs were steeped on the stove, gradually filling a gross of bottles. Then came the question of selling it, for always before they had given it away freely. They hired a job printer to run off some pamphlets setting forth the merits of the medicine, now called Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and these were distributed by the Pinkham sons in Boston, New York, and Brooklyn.

The wonderful curative properties of the medicine were, to a great extent, self-advertising, for whoever used it recommended it to others, and the demand gradually increased.

In 1877, by combined efforts the family had saved enough money to purchase a newspaper advertising and from that time the growth and success of the enterprise were assured, until today Lydia E. Pinkham and her Vegetable Compound have become household words everywhere, and many tons of roots and herbs are used annually in its manufacture.

Lydia E. Pinkham herself did not live to see the great success of this work. She passed to her reward years ago, but not till she had provided means for continuing her work as effectively as she could have done it herself.

During her long and eventful experience she was ever methodical in her work and she was always careful to preserve a record of every case that came to her attention. The case of every sick woman who applied to her for advice—and there were thousands—received careful study, and the details, including symptoms, treatment and results were recorded for future reference, and to-day these records, together with hundreds of thousands made since, are available to sick women the world over, and represent a vast collaboration of information regarding the treatment of woman's ills, which for authenticity and accuracy can hardly be equaled in any library in the world.

With Lydia E. Pinkham worked her daughter-in-law, the present Mrs. Pinkham. She was carefully instructed in all her hard-won knowledge, and for years she assisted her in her vast correspondence.

To her hands naturally fell the direction of the work when its originator passed away. For nearly twenty years she has continued it, and nothing in the work shows when the first Lydia E. Pinkham dropped her pen, and the present Mrs. Pinkham, now the mother of a large family, took it up. With woman assistants, some as capable as herself, the present Mrs. Pinkham continues the great work, and probably from the office of no other person have so many women been advised how to regain health. Sick women, this advice is "Yours for Health" freely given if you only write to ask for it.

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