

WOMAN ESCAPES OPERATION

Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Elwood, Ind.—"Your remedies have cured me and I have only taken six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was sick three months and could not walk. I suffered all the time. The doctors said I could not get well without an operation, for I could hardly stand the pains in my sides, especially my right one, and down my right leg. I began to feel better when I had taken only one bottle of Compound, but kept on as I was afraid to stop too soon."—Mrs. E. M. MULLEN, 2728 N. B. St., Elwood, Ind.

Why will women take chances with an operation or drag out a sickly, half-hearted existence, missing three-fourths of the joy of living, when they can find health in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?

For thirty years it has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has cured thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion, and nervous prostration. If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be absolutely confidential, and the advice free.

GLENN'S Sulphur Soap

For the Skin
Clears the complexion, whitens the hands and is a time-tested remedy for skin diseases.

Sold by druggists. *Glenn's Hair and Whisker Ointment*, black or brown, 50c.

Bettie's Eye Salve

It's Use Will Quickly End Weak, Sore Eyes

THEN THE AGENT FLED.



Insurance Agent—I'd like to write a policy on your life. Mr. Brighton Early—Better not. I was born under a lucky star. If you'd insure me today it's ten to one I'd die tomorrow.

Qualified Player.

Marion's mother was ill, and the aunt who took her place at the head of the household piled the children with unaccustomed and sometimes disliked articles of diet. One day, after being compelled to eat onions, Marion refused to say grace. "Then you must sit at the table until you are ready to say it!" was the aunt's stern judgment. An hour or so later, when the brilliant sunshine and impatient calls of her comrades together comprised an irresistible appeal, Marion capitulated—thus: "Oh, Lord, make me thankful for having had to eat horrid old onions, if you can do it. But I know you can't!"

Forebodings.

Webster: I made his great speech in reply to mine. "Some day, I suppose," he mused, "it will develop upon Henry Cabot Lodge or Winthrop Crane to squelch Ben Tillman, and I'm not so blamed sure they can do it!"

In Seclusion.

"Is your mistress at home?" "Are you the manicure lady?" "No, indeed!" "Then she ain't at home, mum."

The Flavour of Post Toasties

Is so distinctly pleasing that it has won the liking of both young and old who never before cared much for cereal food of any kind. Served direct from the package—crisp and fresh, and—

"The Memory Lingers"

Postum Cereal Company, Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

SYMPATHY WASTED ON PREMIER PITCHER



Christy Mathewson.

If the scribes and fans only knew how little "Big Six" cared or thought of this "all-in" stuff, they would have their sympathy for Mathewson. On the way to a recent game a bug recognized Matty, and his attitude and expression seemed to convey sympathy for the great hurler, who, he thought, was on the backward trail. The bug pulled a bunch of clippings from his pocket and handed them to Mathewson without comment. The papers contained a lot of "good-bye" literature, headed: "Matty's career closing; he was a good old wagon, but he's all in now."

SMITH ON YOUNG CATCHERS

Would Have Law Enacted Permitting Hunting of Them in Season, Like Wild Game.

"Young catchers are great stuff," says Frank Smith, now with Cincinnati. "The more I see of them the more I wish that the laws permitted the hunting of them. In season, same as partridges or snipe. Over in Boston they assigned a kid catcher to backstop me. Pretty soon there was



Frank Smith.

a runner on first, and this boy signalled me for three successive pitch-outs. I sent three wild ones, the runner never moving, and then settled myself to get them over, when that kid signalled for a fourth pitchout. I walked over to him. 'Kid,' said I, 'you are signalling for a base on balls. Lost your nerve or lost your memory?' The boy had lost all track of the number of balls I had thrown to him."

UNIQUE RULES FOR WINNING

Manager Dahlen of Brooklyn Prepares Schedule of Fines to Stop Losing Streak of Superbas.

Manager Dahlen of the Brooklynns, is ready to do something desperate to stop the Superbas' losing streak, and accordingly has prepared this schedule of fines:

- Ordinary fumbles, 30 cents.
- Fumbles allowing a run to score, \$9.99.
- Muffs in the outfield, \$3.75.
- Striking out with man on first base, \$1.25.
- Striking out with man on second base, \$5.
- Striking out with man on third base, \$12.50.
- Striking out with three men on bases (to be arbitrated), \$20.
- Pitcher losing game to New York, \$41.11.
- Each player in losing game against New York (reduction made for substitutes unless they strike out), \$2.30.
- Pitcher losing any other game, \$1.50.
- Each player in any other game, 60 cents.

Failure to coach louder than a whisper, two days' pay.
Pitcher giving more than three bases on balls, \$10.
Ordinary tackheadedness, \$7.50.
Superlative tackheadedness, with or without stupid work on the bases, \$27.50.
For failure to bowl out umpire on close decisions on third strikes, subject to refund if pitcher is put out of the game, \$23.
For failure to show ginger and aggressiveness, per each inning, \$1.03.
For winning another game—much joy in Brooklyn.

N. B.—Treasurer Medicus will render each player a daily statement. Expert accountants may be engaged by each player at his own expense.

Jennings Blames Highlanders. Hughie Jennings says the New York Highlanders put the Tigers out of the running for this year's pennant.

ONE FLASH OF FORM

Brilliant Achievements Often Followed by Oblivion.

Case of Neal Ball, Who Performed Remarkable Feat of Triple Play Unassisted, Is Cited as One Instance.

There is a risk about doing the sensational in baseball.

Though it is the proper aim of every player in the game to do the unusual and remarkable, enough deadly instances could be furnished of notable achievement followed by oblivion to make the diamond workmen strive to keep out of the limelight all the time. A case is furnished in Neal Ball, who was idolized, but he did not last. It is only a couple of years ago since Ball was the principal figure in a remarkable celebration on the Cleveland grounds.

He had performed the remarkable feat of making a triple play unassisted. The town turned out to do him honor. A medal was presented to the shortstop on a day set apart as "Neal Ball day."

In the world's series of 1906 the White Sox won because at timely stages Third Baseman Roche, playing as a substitute for Taubehill, let loose two triples. Chicago batted Roche as one of the great men of baseball, but a year later found him playing third base on the New Orleans team in the Southern league.

Bill Harris of Boston had the honor of pitching twenty-four innings, the longest contest in the history of baseball, in the memorable game in which Jack Coombs beat Boston in 1906. Hill looked like another phenom to take the place of Dipeen, whom he somewhat resembled in appearance and movements. But the twenty-four-inning game was the last important piece of work to the credit of Harris, and he shot back to the minors the next year.

Babe Adams climbed the very summit of baseball fame when he took three games from Detroit in 1909 and won the world's championship for the Pirates. But Babe was far from being a notable performer next season.

Covaleskie was another man who had a great fall. The big Pole, who had been signed by the Phillies in 1907, only pitched a game or two and was sent back to Lancaster to get a little more experience. He came to the Phillies at the end of the year while New York was making its terrific battle for the National league pennant. The large number of games the Phillies had to play the Giants in the closing days of the season put them in a position to decide whether or not the pennant should go to New York. After Corridon and McQuillan had mysteriously failed to show their usual effectiveness against New York, Covaleskie was tried on a chance. He pitched amazing ball and beat the Giants three times in a series, thereby putting them out of the race.

ODDITY IN BASEBALL SHIFTS

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Del took Galner's place for the Tigers. Other men in the big leagues playing first that started elsewhere are George Stovall of the Naps, Frank Chance of the Cubs, Fred Tenney of the Boston Rustlers, and Jake Daubert of the Brooklynns. Chance and Tenney were catchers. Stovall and Daubert pitchers.

Pitchers Keep Ball Low. It is a noticeable fact that the most successful pitchers these days are those who seldom pitch a high ball, and yet there was a time when the high ball had the batters guessing. Today, however, the pitcher with the high ones does not last long. The batsmen have mastered this delivery and the pitchers have been forced to change their style of pitching entirely. There are decidedly few players these days who hit the low balls and very few who cannot hit a high one. Most of the long hits made during a season are on balls that are pitched above the waist. Not only is it easier to follow the course of a ball which is pitched on about a level with the waist line, but the swing in most instances is more natural.

WEAK, ILL AND MISERABLE.

How many people suffer from back ache, headache, and dizziness without realizing the cause? These symptoms of kidney trouble are too serious to neglect.

Mrs. F. L. Stewart, Eagle St., Princeton, Ky., says: "There was a constant, dull ache across the small of my back and I could not stoop without suffering severely. Kidney secretions were inactive and the doctors told me I had gravel but their medicine did not help me and death seemed very near. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and improved from the first. In six weeks I was entirely well."

"When Your Back Is Lame, Remember the Name—DOAN'S."

For sale by druggists and general storekeepers everywhere. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

SURE.



She—Religion is a wonderful thing. He—Yes; but some people only look on it in the light of fire insurance.

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One Cure for Sarcasm. Bunsen always was sarcastic. One evening last week when he got home his wife had a new hat to show him. It was some hat. Anybody could have seen that it was the final phrase in female headgear. But Bunsen started to make remarks. He said it looked as if it had been trimmed by a cross-eyed milliner on an empty stomach. An he made a lot of other disparaging remarks. Mrs. Bunsen was almost in tears. Bunsen had to go into the other room to have a quiet laugh at her expense. The next day he had forgotten all about the hat. The day after that he was reminded of it. Mrs. Bunsen handed him a bill for returning that hat—\$18.34. It came to.

Bunsen paid it without a murmur and said the revised edition of the hat was just exactly right. He is not criticizing hats any more.

Order of Independents. Larry O'Neil had no love of discipline save as he administered it. When he decided to "line the parade," he breathed defiance with every order issued by the military leader.

"Here, you! Look out for yer feet!" muttered the man next him. "Keep astep, can't you?" "Get along wid yer sheeps" said Larry, turning on him. "I've a shtep of me own, an' I'll take it or lave the parade to get on widout me."—Youth's Companion

He Knew Jim. Jim had made an unsuccessful attempt to conquer the world and came back to the Tennessee town dirty, worn out and hungry.

"Uncle John," he said melodramatically, "I came home to die."

"No, dod gart you," said unsympathetic Uncle John, "you came home to eat."—Success Magazine.

No Doubt About It. "Do you consider yourself good enough for my daughter?" "I am if, as you say, she is like you."

Words are sometimes the result of thought, but too often they are not.

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