UIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

lifornia Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

very mother realizes, after giving children "California Syrup of" that this is their ideal laxative, use they love its pleasant taste it thoroughly cleanses the tender e stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

hen cross, irritable, feverish, or ith is bad, stomach sour, look at tongue, mother! If coated, give a spoonful of this harmless "fruit ative," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and gested food passes out of the bowand you have a well, playful child in. When its little system is full old, throat sore, has stomach-ache, rrhoea, indigestion, colic—remem, a good "inside cleaning" should ays be the first treatment given.

illions of mothers keep "California up of Figs" handy; they know a spoonful today saves a sick child orrow. Ask at the store for a 50t bottle of "California Syrup of s," which has directions for babies, ildren of all ages and grown-ups ted on the bottle. Adv.

f the 38,167,336 gainfully occupied sons in the United States, 8,075,- or 21.1 per cent, are women.

r. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the orig- little liver pills put up 40 years ago. y regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

Exactly.

"The majority of epitaphs begin: 're lies . . .'"

"Well, most of them do."

ome folks think that castor oil should ow a dose of Vermifuge. Not so with Peery's "Dead Shot." A single dose only eradicates Worms or Tapeworm, tones up the digestion as well. Adv.

Might Get His.

"Guess Flubdub won't apply for ntry board next summer."

"Why not?"

"He was too prominent in the egg yeott to take chances on getting into clutches of a farmer on the latter's ive heath."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

m Conscientiously Recommend This Kidney Medicine

believe and know that Dr. Kilmer's amp-Root is a good medicine. Seven- years ago I introduced it in this tion and to my knowledge it has not led to prove valuable in a single case. any reports have come to me from peo- who claimed that Swamp-Root had lved them, and personally I am convinced at there is not a better kidney prepara- on the market and I can recommend it conscientiously.

Very truly yours,
FRED A. KNOWLTON, Druggist,
The Rexall Store,
238 South Main Street.
Nov. 11, 1916. Cambridge Springs, Pa.

ove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., ghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bot- It will convince anyone. You will o receive a booklet of valuable infor- tion, telling about the kidneys and blad- When writing, be sure and mention paper. Regular fifty-cent and one- llar size bottles for sale at all drug res.—Adv.

All Rich.

"I understand Mr. Ganerby has a eat many wealthy patients."

"Yes, indeed. Why he thinks nothing of ordering ten or fifteen to Palm each in the course of a single day."

WHAT IS LAX-FOS

AX-FOS is an Improved Cascara (a laxative) Pleasant to take

LAX-FOS the Cascara is improved by addition of certain harmless chemals which increase the efficiency of the cascara, making it better than ordinary cascara. LAX-FOS is pleasant to take d does not gripe nor disturb stomach. dapted to children as well as adults. st try one bottle for constipation. 50c.

Have You a Child

8 TO 7 YEARS OF AGE?

Then you should have both of the llowing

"Royalroad To Reading"
35 Cents Postpaid.

A new and simple device with comlete instructions for teaching reading beginners by the most efficient methd. Precedes primers and readers or may be used together with them.

"Royalroad To Writing"
35 Cents Postpaid.

The direct method of teaching writ- beginners. Teaches a child to rite words and sentences the very irst day without any preliminary study f the alphabet and without any previous school instruction whatever. Don't each A. B. C's first. Do you? It is ong, tedious and roundabout.

Calvert School, Chase St., Baltimore, Md.

STOCK LICK IT—STOCK LIKE IT

For Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs. Contains Copperas for Worms, Sulphur for the Blood, Saltpeter for the Kidneys, Nux Vomica, a Tonic, and Pure Dairy Salt. Used by Veterinarians 12 years. No Dosing. Drop Brick in feed-box. Ask your dealer for Blackman's or write

BLACKMAN STOCK REMEDY COMPANY
CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff.
For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair.
50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

"ROUGH on RATS" Ends Rats, Mice, Rugs. Die outdoors 15c and 25c.

APPENDICITIS

ou have been threatened or have GALLSTONES, INDIGESTION, GAS or pains in the right side, write for valuable Book of information **FREE** W. O. PARKER, DEPT. W-6, 219 S. DEARBORN ST., CHICAGO

THE BASIS OF CANADA'S RICHES

A Theme Discussed by the Wall Street Journal.

In speaking of Canada a short time ago the Wall Street Journal made the statement that "The basis of Canada's riches is the fertility of the soil, and no freak of warfare can injure that while her grain will increase in demand as the population of the world grows. As an investment field Canada is worthy of consideration." These words are well worthy of attention, especially coming from such a source as this eminent financial journal. With a land area exceeding that of the United States and with tillable areas coming under cultivation, the wealth of Canada's future can scarcely be estimated, while the wealth today is such as to bring her most prominently before the world.

During the past year thousands of farmers in Western Canada sold their crops for more than the total cost of their land. Lands at from $15 to $30 an acre produced crops worth $40 to $75 an acre. Stock raising and dairying were equally profitable.

The year 1915 saw most wonderful crops and magnificent yields over the entire country, and many farmers wiped out indebtednesses that had hung over them long before they came to the country, and the year 1916 put them in a condition of absolute independence. A report to hand verified by a high official might seem marvelous, were the particulars not well known, and where are not other cases that would seem almost as phenomenal. This is a southern Alberta story: A farmer wished to rent an adjoining farm on which a loan company held a mortgage. The applicant said he wanted the first ten bushels of wheat, after which he would divide, giving the loan company one-third. After threshing he paid into the bank at Calgary $16 per acre for every acre cultivated, to the credit of the loan company, as their share or their third of the crop. Sixteen dollars per acre rent. His two-thirds was $32 and in addition the first ten bushels of wheat. Land on this same security can be purchased for from $16 to $30 per acre. Wonderful yields are reported from all parts of this district. Recently 4,640 acres of a ranch were sold to an Illinois farmer; 300 acres of wheat in 1916 produced a yield that averaged 42½ bushels of wheat per acre. George Richard, formerly of Providence, R. I., on a southern Alberta farm got 2,052 bushels of wheat from a 50-acre field, or over 40 bushels per acre, and from a 50-acre field of oats got a return of 76 bushels per acre and still had some sheaves left over for feeding.

A report just issued by the Alberta government gives the yield of wheat in the showing of 1916 as 28 bushels per acre; 45 bushels of oats and 30 bushels of barley.

Travelers through Alberta's wheat belt have had revealed to them scenes of agricultural productiveness unapproached in any other part of the world.

Alberta farms, selected with even moderate discretion, have raised men to independence and affluence with records of wonderful development unsurpassed amongst the phenomenal industrial success of which Canada well may boast.

Many almost incredible yields have been reported by reliable authorities, wheat exceeding 70 bushels per acre and oats 145 bushels.

Numerous records show that the cost of farms has been more than repaid by this year's crop. In one instance, land purchased for $3,200 produced wheat which was sold for a little over $10,000.

During the year 1917 there will be an immense amount of labor required to take care of the crop in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

One of the problems which Western Canada has to face every year is the securing of an adequate supply of labor to handle the harvesting and threshing of its big crops. This problem, indeed, is always present in any country that has a big agricultural production; in the case of Western Canada it is enhanced by the comparative sparsity of population and the long distance from industrial districts, which can be expected to offer a surplus of labor.

In Western Canada the present difficulties are increased by the war. A very large number of Western Canada's small population have enlisted for service with the Canadian forces in Europe, and at the present time there is generally speaking no surplus of labor for the ordinary channels of industry, to say nothing of the abnormal demands of harvest time. The situation, however, has to some extent been met by the action of the Canadian militia department, who have released all such men who are still in training in the western military camps and who desire to engage in harvest work for a period of generally one month.

The actual number of men engaged in 1916 in harvest work was between forty and fifty thousand. Wages were higher than usual, running from $2.50 to $4.00 a day with board, and from $35 to $60 a month.—Advertisement.

For restaurant use cups and saucers that can be stacked for safe carrying have been designed.

To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System

Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents.

Miss Dora Palkin, who is only twenty-one years of age, practices law in Washington, D. C.

The occasional use of Roman Eye Balsam at night upon retiring will prevent and relieve tired eyes, watery eyes, and eye strain. Adv.

One lighted gas jet consumes as much oxygen as five adult persons.

Running a Race
A Sermon for Young People

By REV. JAMES M. GRAY, D. D.
Dean of Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT—Know ye not that they which run in a race run all, but one receiveth the prize? So run, that ye may obtain. And every man which striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things. Now they do it to obtain a corruptible crown; but we an incorruptible.—I Cor. 9:24-25.

I have chosen these words because they touch a subject in which most young people are interested in these days—athletics.

Paul was a Roman citizen, but he traveled a good deal in Greece in the course of his missionary work; and it is with this country we chiefly associate the idea of out-door sports. Corinth was a great commercial city of Greece, where they thought and talked about their running races as much as we think and talk about our baseball and football games.

Knowing this, Paul uses an illustration that would attract their attention and impress them with the great Christian truth he wishes to teach. That truth is the future reward those Christians obtain who faithfully serve the Lord Jesus Christ in this life.

The figure is that of a running race. In a real race anyone may not run just because he wishes to do so. He must have certain qualifications and be properly entered in the race.

And it is so in the Christian race of which Paul writes. One must be a Christian before he can enter that race, and all people are not Christians.

But who is a Christian? Some think they are Christians because they are not heathens, or because they live in a Christian land, or because their parents were Christians, or because they try to live a moral life, or because they attend church or Sunday school.

But this is not right. Paul teaches in another place (II Cor. 5:17), that a Christian is a new creature, or a new creation altogether; and this agrees with what Jesus Christ said: "Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God" (John 3:3).

And how may one be born again? The gospel of John, 1:12, 13 answers that question when, speaking of Jesus Christ, it says: "As many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name, which were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God."

We see that to be born again is to receive Jesus Christ as our Savior. And to receive him as our Savior is to believe on him, to put our trust in him to be saved, and pledge ourselves by his grace to follow him as our Lord.

Have you done that as yet? If not, why not do so as you listen to this message? Why not say in your heart, "I do now receive Jesus Christ as my Savior, and henceforth I will confess him as my Lord." This is to believe on him, and to be born again and to become a new creature.

II.

But if you have done this, what then? We come back to our text for answer. Paul says, "Know ye not that they which run in a race run all, but one receiveth the prize?" In other words, all Christians are running in this race, but all will not win the prize. That does not mean that all real Christians are not saved or that all such will not go to heaven.

But it means that it is one thing to be saved and go to heaven and another thing to get the prize Paul talks about. Just what that prize is he touches on a little later, but here he simply says, "So run, that ye may obtain."

Is not that what we want to do? Do we not want to run successfully? Do we not want to obtain all that God has so lovingly promised us in his Son?

How may we do it? Here is a hint. "And every man which striveth for the mastery," says Paul, "is temperate in all things." You know how it is if you want to be a good all-round athlete. You must take good care of yourself. You must eat the right kind of food, and sleep well, and exercise regularly and practice hard, and all that kind of thing. You cannot afford to be careless in anything if you would win the prize. And so it is in the Christian race. To be "temperate in all things" means that as Christians we must keep a watch upon ourselves.

We must guard our eyes, and ears, and tongue, and hands, and feet and all our thoughts from sin. We must seek every day to do the will of God in all things. And that means that we must read his Holy Word and ask him to help us understand it by his Holy Spirit, so that we may know his will and love to do it, just as Jesus did.

And this is worth while, for Paul says: "They do it to obtain a corruptible crown; but we an incorruptible." The winner in the Grecian game felt it reward enough if he had a crown of laurel placed on his head in the presence of the applauding throng. Such a crown would soon wither away, however, but not so the crown which God gives to the victorious soul. That is an incorruptible crown, there is no decay in it and it lasts forever.

What is the nature of that crown? It is hard to express it in human language. Paul was once caught up into Paradise, he tells us, "and heard unspeakable words which it is not possible for man to utter." And this illustrates why we cannot understand much that we accept by faith of "the things God hath prepared for them that love him." They are impossible to utter.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By E. O. SELLERS, Acting Director of the Sunday School Course in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
(Copyright, 1917, Western Newspaper Union.)

LESSON FOR JANUARY 28

REVERENCE OF JESUS FOR HIS FOLLOWERS' HOUSE.

LESSON TEXT—John 2:13-22.
GOLDEN TEXT—My house shall be called a house of prayer.—Matt. 21:13.

Skipping the details of genealogy, birth and boyhood, John plunges into the work and ministry of our Lord. Our previous lessons have taken up the matter of his eternal Godhead, the word made flesh, the witness of John, Jesus and John the Baptist, his first disciples and the wedding at Canaan. Some of these events have been skipped over without much consideration, yet the teacher should review them briefly. The wedding at Canaan probably occurred in March, A. D. 27, and the events of this lesson in April of the Passover week of that year, both events occurring early in the first year of the ministry of our Lord. Jesus went to the wedding for he had many things to teach by means of it. The story is familiar, and yet God is performing the same miracle every year except by somewhat slower process. John lays strong emphasis upon the "signs" which Jesus performed as evidence of his office. This miracle is an allegory. It also throws light upon Jesus' relation to the home.

I. Jesus Applies the Word of God (vv. 12-17). As the "Son of the Law" Jesus observed all of its requirements and therefore went to the Passover (Deut. 16:16; Luke 2:41). We would suggest the reading of Edersheim's "Life of Christ" at this point, especially his description of the feast. Jesus found much of interest, and also saw that which filled his spirit with indignation as he entered the temple (v. 14). Great numbers of oxen and sheep and doves were required for the sacrifices. Every family must bring for sacrifice a lamb, the sacrifices being lain in the inner court near the great altar. Those living nearer the city could bring their own sacrifices, but those who came from far distant points found it more convenient to purchase their sacrifices nearer the temple. Thus a business had grown up within the courts, which gave rise to an immense amount of covetousness and selfishness. The yearly tax due from every Jew could not be received except in the native coin; hence the money changers within the courts. The result was that the temple had become a "den of thieves" (Mark 11:17). This had undermined the power of religion, and turned men away from the truth. This place, made to be a house of prayer (Jer. 7:11; Isa. 56:7) had become a vanity fair; a show, and the very object of the temple was sacrificed to the greed of gain. The defense often made in our day, of buying and selling in the house of God that it has to do with the cause of worship will not bear scrutiny in the light of this passage. Into these surroundings this young reformer enters, and places his finger upon the heart of the matter when he quotes the scripture. The reason of his action was what the scripture said about the house of God. Present day followers of Jesus can learn a lesson from these words.

II. Jesus Fulfills the Word of God (vv. 18-22). Jesus spake as one having authority, and these merchants knew they were in the wrong. He embodied in himself, as prophet, the moral sentiment of the nation, and exerted his authority. It looked like high-handed usurpation unless Jesus were a prophet sent from God; therefore the demand for his credentials (v. 18). Jesus gave a sign, a sign which they did not understand at the time (v. 19; Matt. 12:38-40; 16:1-4). The resurrection of Jesus is God's seal to all of the claims of Jesus. He also speaks of his body as a symbol and type of what is to take place in their national temple, an event which occurred some forty years later, though they at the time did not understand it. Jesus foresaw that these leaders would destroy his body on the cross, and that for the same reason they were at the present time opposing him in what he had done. The Jews, thinking only of their temple, in whose courts they were standing, referred to the time spent in the erection of the building (v. 20), and thought that their argument was invincible, but they did not know what was to take place. Not even the disciples of Jesus understood his words at the time, but after his resurrection they remembered them and their fulfillment. The death and resurrection of Jesus was in accordance with the word of God. His whole life, birth and works can be traced in the Old Testament in type and prohecy. The present day disciples who doubt the scriptures and the words which Jesus said have become fools (Rom. 1:22). The miracles (signs) of Jesus at this time led many to believe on him, but Jesus saw the superficial character of their faith, and did not believe in them (vv. 23-35 R. V.). He did not commit or trust (v. 24); literally, did not believe them. When men believe in Jesus with true and saving faith, they will commit themselves to him. Then and only then does he commit himself to them. Note also that the "body of Jesus" was the temple of God (ch. 1:14 R. V. Marg.). These two signs express the opposite sides of our Christian life.

We are necessarily in an evil world, but the loving kindness and gentleness of Christ are also intensely hard set against all that is evil.

He hates the sin, but loves the sinner.

His kingdom is righteousness as well as peace. Jesus was plain and truth telling.

Zeal adds greatly to the power of a man. The zeal of Jesus burned up all other aims and ambitions.

Temperance Notes

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

VOICE OF BUSINESS.

The Manufacturer's Journal of Baltimore is one of the leading industrial publications of the country. This is what it says of the drink traffic:

"We are absolutely, teetotally, and in every way possible, opposed to the whisky industry, not only because of its immoral influence, but from the economic standpoint. It is a curse to the country of such gigantic proportions that the sooner it is blotted out, the better it will be for mankind. The billions of dollars that are annually spent in this country constitute one of the most fearful curses ever brought upon the land, and every dollar thus expended is an economic waste and a drain upon the physical, mental, moral and financial stamina of the country. Moreover, the alliance of the saloon interests with the politics of the country is another curse, and to this influence is due much of the rottenness in American politics. . . . Whisky and the saloon business are an unspeakable curse, without one single, solitary redeeming quality."

GERMAN ARMY OFFICER'S VIEW.

"We should not discuss moderation with a man," writes Doctor Matthael, a staff physician in the German army, and in these words he voices the general opinion of German anti-alcoholists. "The thing has long since been settled by science. The use of narcotic poisons is simply indecent and criminal. One should always decline to take part in any festival occasion where drink is used. One who makes of a well, a slightly alcohol-sick person—i. e., moderate drinker—should be punished for it socially until we can get leave to punish legally. Wills of men made in an alcoholized or slightly alcoholized state should be contested. Drunkards are made by hospital prescriptions of alcohol. The law should hold such hospitals legally liable. It must be considered incompatible with the honor of a city or government to allow the activities of poison factories, such as breweries and distilleries."

OFFICIAL'S ATTITUDE.

Mr. Newcomb Carlton, president of the Western Union Telegraph company, in an address at a dry banquet given to some of his men in Indianapolis, said:

"I want to advise you against partaking of intoxicating drinks. The business world is looking for the reliable, sober worker, who has higher things in mind than spending his money for drink. We are coming to a time in American history when the drinking man will be unable to obtain employment and I believe that within two years a measure providing for national prohibition will be passed by congress."

OSTRACIZED.

There is a brewer living in one of the best neighborhoods in an Ohio city, says the American Issue. This brewer has a wife and children and they are bright and well-behaved. But this family has no neighbors. It has no neighborhood callers. It is let alone. It is as if the house were quarantined. The wife and children are all right, but they belong to the brewer. The brewer is all right, too, except for his business. There is the stumbling block. The family is ostracized socially because of the beer business. Will the brewer say he is willing to change his business? He should at least do it for his family's sake.

YOUR TAX COLLECTOR.

Some folks like to say that Mr. Booze Business is a sort of indirect tax collector for Uncle Sam & Co. He is, and he makes money at it, too. For every $1,000 in "indirect" taxes which he turns into the treasury of the national firm, he also collects another $5,250, which he keeps for his trouble, probably as a commission or reward for his services. You know the kind of people who charge 86 per cent of the gross amount of their collections for a commission. Do you want that kind of a collector in your employ?

Again, the "collector" gets more than five times as much as your firm, for whom you imagine he is working. Is he working for you, or working you?

ANTI-ALCOHOL PLEDGES.

Bishop Carroll (Catholic) of Montana wrote thus during the Montana dry campaign: "By taking the pledge the individual prohibits the use of intoxicating liquors by himself; by passing a prohibition law the community bars the use of intoxicating drinks to itself. The community has as much right to take the pledge as the individual." And, let us add, so has the state and the nation.

MOVING TO KANSAS.

The president of the Topeka Commercial club reports as a result of an investigation made by him that at least 2,000 families who have moved to Topeka from other states in the last ten years, including many of the city's best and most useful citizens, were influenced to make the change mainly because Kansas is a prohibition state and Topeka a dry city.

LIQUOR ON TOP.

The liquor power will remain on top so long as liquor remains on tap.

PRODUCTIVITY OF LABOR.

In Russia the Association of Manufacturers of the Moscow industrial district has instituted a general inquiry into prohibition's effect upon labor, and secured a mass of testimony showing that the greater productivity of labor in some lines is nearly 9 per cent.

NO ARGUMENT.

"There never was nor never can be any argument against prohibition," says Miss Rankin, congressman-elect from Montana. "The prohibitionists are 1000 per cent right."

TO LIVE LONG!

A recipe given by a famous physician for long life was: "Keep the kidneys in good order! Try to eliminate thru the skin and intestines the poisons that otherwise clog the kidneys. Avoid eating meat as much as possible; avoid too much salt, alcohol, tea. Try a milk and vegetable diet. Drink plenty of water, and exercise so you sweat—the skin helps to eliminate the toxic poisons and uric acid."

For those past middle life, for those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation, as backache, scalding "water," or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, "rusty" joints, stiffness, get Anuric at the drug store. This is a wonderful eliminator of uric acid and was discovered by Dr. Pierce of Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. If your druggist does not keep it send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce for trial package and you will find that it is many times more potent than lithia and that it dissolves uric acid as hot water does sugar.

All Records Shattered.

The coal and coke output of the United States broke all records in 1916. The total coke production, according to estimates prepared by C. E. Lesher of the United States geological survey, department of the interior, was 54,300,000 tons, an increase over 1915 of 12,700,000 tons, or 30 per cent, and over 1913 of 8,000,000 tons.

Coal production records were smashed by an output of 597,500,000 tons, compared with 570,000,000 tons, the previous high record established in 1913. The quantity of bituminous coal mined was 509,000,000 tons, an increase compared with 1915 of 66,500,000 tons, or 15 per cent, according to estimates by C. E. Lesher of the United States geological survey, department of the interior. The quantity of Pennsylvania anthracite was about 88,312,000 net tons, a decrease of 600,000 tons.

Constipation can be cured without drugs. Nature's own remedy—selected herbs—is Garfield Tea.—Adv.

Proving His Mettle.

"The trouble with you, Gadspur, is that you are too easily discouraged," remarked his friend, Glithers.

"I don't think so," answered Gadspur. "For instance, yesterday I wanted to borrow the small sum of ten dollars."

"Yes?"

"I delivered a neat little speech to exactly twelve people before I got the money. That strikes me as extraordinary perseverance."

GIRLS! GIRLS! TRY IT, BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR

Make It Thick, Glossy, Wavy, Luxuriant and Remove Dandruff—Real Surprise for You.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it, surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and just try it. Adv.

Idle Curiosity.

"A hotel lobby may be half full of millionaires and no one gives them a second look."

"That's true. This is a prosperous country."

"But let a man enter with a queer piece of baggage in his hands and hundreds of necks are stretched to the limit."

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 Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Gain in Loss.

He that loses anything and gets wisdom by it, is a gainer by the loss.—L'Estrange.

Constipation, indigestion, sick-headache and bilious conditions are overcome by a course of Garfield Tea. Drink on retiring.—Adv.

An acre of good fishing ground will produce more food in a week than an acre of land in a year.

NOTHING STANDS AS HIGH, as a remedy for every womanly ailment, as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It's the *only* medicine for women certain in its effects.

"Favorite Prescription" is an invigorating, restorative tonic, a soothing and strengthening nervine, and a complete cure for all the functional derangements, painful disorders, and chronic weaknesses peculiar to the sex.

For young girls just entering womanhood; for women at the critical time; nursing mothers; and every woman who is "run-down," tired or overworked—it is a special, safe, and certain help.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take as candy.

How to preserve health and beauty is told in Doctor Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. It is *free*. Send Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., four dimes, or stamps, to cover wrapping and mailing.

Arduous Work.

The heart soon becomes tired of much gayety. Pleasure-seeking is a very laborious occupation.

FOR PIMPLY FACES

Cuticura is Best—Samples Free by Mail to Anyone Anywhere.

An easy, speedy way to remove pimples and blackheads. Smear the affected surfaces with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water, bathing some minutes. Repeat night and morning. No better toilet preparations exist.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

To Make Dirty Water Clean.

When we started for our trip to Mt. Kilimanjaro I had told Jeremiah, one of our African boys, to fix six barrels with water and have it clean. But when I opened the first barrel, it was covered with soapsuds. I asked the boy what was wrong with the water. He said: "Very clean water, master. I put soap in every barrel to make it clean." So we drank soapsuds all the way.—Peter MacQueen in World Outlook.

Indigestion produces disagreeable and sometimes alarming symptoms. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills stimulate the digestive processes to function naturally. Adv.

A bad boy seldom inherits his badness from his father. The old man usually hangs on to all he has.

If you have a cheap stomach and can not eat what you want without suffering the tortures of dyspepsia, if you have headaches and feel mean all over, if your liver and bowels are on a strike it is up to you to get those organs in proper condition to receive and assimilate food by at once using

Green's August Flower

Which for 51 years has been a favorite household remedy in many thousands of homes for all stomach disorders, acid eructation, nervous indigestion, constipation and billiousness. 25c and 75c sizes at all Druggists and Dealers.

Rheumacide

GETS AT THE JOINTS FROM THE INSIDE

Have you RHEUMATISM Lumbago or Gout?

Take RHEUMACIDE to remove the cause and drive the poison from the system.
"RHEUMACIDE ON THE INSIDE PUTS RHEUMATISM ON THE OUTSIDE"
At All Druggists
Jas. Baily & Son, Wholesale Distributors
Baltimore, Md.

Buy Wyoming Oil Stock!

We have 640 acres, Big Muddy Field. Two Sands—one 1100 feet deep, one 3000 feet. Wells in first sands 200 barrels daily; in second 500 to 1000 barrels daily; one mile from railroad; Co. capital $250,000. Shares $1.00. Selling 30 cents share. We commence drilling shortly. "Opportunity is knocking at your door. Will you grasp it? It won't come back. This will place you on easy street. Write for literature. Denver Oil Co., Continental Bldg., Denver, Colo.

TREES—FRUIT

Save the middleman's profit by dealing direct with the grower. Solve the high cost of living by planting fruit in the waste places—like your father and grandfather did. $4.45 buys our "Complete Collection" of 5 to 7 foot trees and No. 1 plants, which provides the home with an abundance of ripe fruit from June to January.
Send postal for catalogue.
GEO. A. SWEET NURSERY CO.
54 MAPLE ST., (Estab'd 1889) DANSVILLE, N. Y.

Thousands In Silver "What present price of silver means to Rochester Octopus Mines." Leasers produce $25,000. Lease expired leaving owners thousands in ore. Write Samuel O'Connell, Lovelock, Nev.

PATENTS Watson E. Coleman, Patent Lawyer, Washington, D. C. Advice and books free. Rates reasonable. Highest references. Best services.

IF YOU ARE Auto owners, write me. Send me your address today. Joseph Kasl, Box 134, Michigan City, Ind.

W. N. U., BALTIMORE, NO. 4--1917.

Canadian Farmers Profit From Wheat

The war's devastation of European crops has caused an unusual demand for grain from the American Continent. The people of the world must be fed and wheat near $2 a bushel offers great profits to the farmer. Canada's invitation is therefore especially attractive. She wants settlers to make money and happy, prosperous homes for themselves by helping her raise immense wheat crops.

You can get a Homestead of 160 acres FREE and other lands at remarkably low prices. During many years Canadian wheat fields have averaged 20 bushels to the acre many yields as high as 45 bushels to the acre. Wonderful crops also of **Oats, Barley and Flax.**

Mixed farming as profitable an industry as grain raising. The excellent grasses full of nutrition are the only food required for beef or dairy purposes. Good schools, churches, markets convenient, climate excellent.

Military service is not compulsory in Canada, but there is an extra demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for the war. The Government is urging farmers to put extra acreage into grain. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

J. P. JAFFRAY,
Cor. Walnut & Broad Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.
Canadian Government Agent