LCOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK. CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POI-SONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR



Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels needs a gentle, thorough cleansing at

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhœa, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again,

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "Callfornia Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt .-- Adv.

Business.

The Deacon-It is said that the preacher who mixes business with his religion never succeeds.

The Dominie-Well, we'll go on passing the plate a little longer, anyway.

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN FOR INDIGESTION

EAT ONE TABLET! NO GASES, ACIDITY, DYSPEPSIA OR ANY STOMACH MISERY.

Undigested food! Lumps of pain; belching gas, acids and sourness. When your stomach is all upset, here is instant relief-No waiting!



The moment you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapepsin all the indigestion pain and dyspepsia distress stops.

fine at once. These pleasant, narmless tablets of Pape's Diapepsin never fall and cost very little at drug stores. Adv.

Your disordered stomach will feel

Amply Provided.

"I ask you have you anything laid by for a rainy day?" "I should say so. I'm in the umbrella business."

All children troubled with worms have an un-bealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a tile, there is more or less stomach disturbance, the property of the stomach of the property of the prove the digestion, and act as a General Strength-ening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispet the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 66c per bottle,

A Trouble.

"The kaiser has cost Germany a lot of money." "Yes, but are they going to resent this Bill?"

Acid Stomach, Heartburn and Nausea quickly disappear with the use of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills. Send for trial box to 372 Pearl St., New York. Adv.

Good Suggestion.

Invest your Liberty bond coupons in Thrift stamps and thus get the affable Mr. Compound Interest on the job for you night and day.-Thrift Magazine.

After a man succeeds in printing one kiss upon a girl's lips it's an easy matter to run off a large edition,

THE MAKING OF A FAMOUS MEDICINE

How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Is Prepared For Woman's Use.

A visit to the laboratory where this successful remedy is made impresses even the casual looker-on with the reliability, accuracy, skill and cleanliness which attends the making of this great

medicine for woman's ills.

Over 350,000 pounds of various herbs are used anually and all have to be gathered at the season of the year when their natural juices and medicinal sub-

stances are at their best.

The most successful solvents are used to extract the medicinal properties from

these herbs.

Every utensil and tank that comes in contact with the medicine is sterilized and as a final precaution in cleanliness the medicine is pasteurized and sealed in sterile bottles.

It is the wonderful combination of roots and herbs, together with the skill and care used in its preparation which has made this famous medicine.

which has made this famous medicine so successful in the treatment of

The letters from women who have been restored to health by the various of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable compound which we are continually publishing attest to its virtue.

You Never Can Tell

with Alice tonight," suggested Sum-

mer. And so they did. He helped set the table and ran out at the last min-

ute to get ice cream for the dessert.

And after the dishes were done he

and Summer sat side by side on the

couch while Gardner smoked his pipe

"Summer," he said, after a long in-

terval, "I've got a confession to make."

He reached over and drew the tele-

phone book toward him, opening it at

the "Lanes." She sat on one foot and

leaned close to him watching curiously

Summer, librarian.' Now," he went on.

Summer pulled the telephone book

him an accusing look out of the corner

"Silly," she giggled. "Don't you sup-

Adam, nor any Elsie Turner person.

"What?" Lawrence Gardner's pipe

But Summer would not look at him

"What in Sam Hill's keeping you so

finished there ten days ago. I'm buried

to my eyes in work here, so for heav-

en's sake marry the girl-and come

The telegram fluttered to the floor

and Summer started to rise, but Gard-

ner reached up and dragged her down

"Dad's a wise old boy." he said, with

And Summer snuggled a bit, as she

marmured, "You never can tell, Larry,

Music in Prisons.

of music teachers, the musical direc-

tor of a well-known prison said that

the band and orchestra maintained in

the institution with which he was con-

nected was as important a part of the

The mayor of an important middle-

to destroy anarchistic

Western city said not long ago: "Mu-

tendencies; to foster, preserve and op-

erate constructive citizenship. It is

unnecessary to defend the usefulness

of music as a practical agent in

life. It has been demonstrated as

such. We need the spirit of music

now, if ever, in a world of strife, con-

fusion and violence. As an influence

in the direction of affection and kind-

Fortune Tellers.

It is asserted that there is not one

case on record of a man who profited

by the wizardry of a fortune teller who

afterward rewarded the card reader

or crystal gazer, or whatever it was,

This fact shows that either patrons

of fortune tellers are an exceedingly

ungrateful lot, or that there isn't one

renson for being grateful. In other

Aerial Compasses.

these was that of neutralizing the ma;

pass to swing in a direction quite inde

truly excellent compass is now in use

Suffering Transmuted.

Unhappiness is the hunger to get

happiness is the hunger to give. True

happiness must ever have the tinge

of sorrow outlived, the sense of pain

softened by the mellowing years, the

drous mystery of time transmutes our

suffering into love and sympathy with

others.-William George Jordan.

by so much as even a small cash tip.

liness it has a place."

In a paper read before a convention

happen most any day, now."

his cheek against bers; "will you mar-

with flushing checks.

beside him.

sic operates

rily.

in contented silence.

By IMES MacDONALD

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Syndicate.) The roving eye of youth is ever eag- as his finger slid down the column of er for adventure. Romance lurks just names. Finally he pointed out the around the next corner and the man name of a firm-"Lane, Summers & or girl of dreams is ever a potential Griggs, Importers," "You see," he expossibility, for in the eyes of youth no plained, "the day I called you up I dream, no matter how improbable it had occasion to call up these people. may seem, is entirely impossible, "You The name just above theirs is "-and never can tell' is the slogan of youth he pointed out her own-" 'Lane, Miss

"you never can tell." "You never can tell," thought Sum- "that name of yours interested me so mer Lane as she tripped lightly along that I got curious to hear your volce, toward her job at the library. "Some- and when I had heard your voice I thing might happen today-you never was determined to see you. Of course can tell." And she hummed a snatch I didn't know any such person as Elsle of song as she started on her regular Turner in Chicago, but I soon realized routine. But her lunch hour came and that by some strange coincidence you nothing had happened. At five o'clock did-because you're always ringing her she started home and nothing had hap- into the conversation and making it unpened. She entered her little apart- comfortable for me. 1 Just-didn't ment and found Alice Martin, a pretty want to go on any longer under false schoolteacher with whom she lived, al- colors, so to speak, so I had to tell ready there-and still nothing had hap- you." pened-and then the telephone rang and indifferently Summer leaned to out of his hand and hugged it up to ward it from where she sat on the her breast, at the same time rolling couch

"Is this Miss Lane, Miss Summer of her dancing eye. Then she hunch-Lane?" asked a man's strange but very ed up her shoulders and laughed mer-

nice voice. "Yes," said Summer, "this is Summer Lane," and her eyes opened very pose I knew you didn't know me from

"I am Lawrence Gardner, from Chi- either? Why, I never even heard of cago, an old friend of Elsie Turner's her myself!" who was a school friend of yours, I believe. She told me to be sure to fell out of his mouth and he sat up look you up while I was in town and eagerly. "You were pretending, too?" so I am doing it."

Summer swallowed three distinct but and only nodded with downcast eyes. very rapid separate times before she So Gardner drew from his pocket the could reply. "And now that you've telegram he had received from his 'phoned-are you coming up to see father that morning and she read it

me?" she invited. "I'd love to," he said genially, "but what about the theater or somewhere tonight. Is there any particular show you'd like to see? They're all new to

me, you know." "I've been wanting to go to "The Eyes of Youth," said Summer breath-

lessly. "'The Eyes of Youth' It is then," he laughed, "and if I call about 7:30 will that be all right?"

"Splendid-and I'll be ready," sang Summer joyously, "and I'm just so gind you called, Mr. Gardner, you don't know how glad. It was terribly nice ry me, Summer?" of Elsie to send you."

It happened to be Alice's night for doing the dishes, and when she came dear. Something like that's liable to into their bedroom after her task was done she gasped in astonishment.

"My goodness, Summer! You're all dressed up like a queen. I never saw you look so ravishing and-so-so reckless, you bright-eyed thing! Who is this Gardner person, anyway?"

But Summer only laughed gayly and twirled about on her toes. Just then the bell rang and she danced toward prison life as any of the industries the electric button to let the ringer in which contributed to make the prison and then skipped to the door to admit self-supporting. Lawrence Gardner.

For a long moment adventure clasped the hand of romance, and each looked deep into the eyes of the other. Romance so shyly and radiantly lovely-and adventure so well groomed and stalwart, with smiling, quizzical eyes and genial, friendly manner.

And a few moments later they descended the stairs and were whirled away in a taxi, and when they had returned after the show he left her at the door regretfully.

"It has been a perfectly wonderful evening," said Summer, "and it was very dear of Elsie to tell you about me.

"Shall I see you again tomorrow?" he asked eagerly.

"You-you never can tell," she answered demurely and vanished within. A short time later she related to Alice the events of the evening. "And he is so attentive and thoughtful and jolly in a quiet sort of way! I just words, can a fortune teller really tell had a be-au-tiful time," she chattered. Alice eyed Summer suspiciously, "Summer Lane, are you going to fall love with that Gardner person?" she demanded sternly.

With brilliant eyes and flushing cheeks Summer reached up to turn out the light, then turned and groped to netism of the engine (and in particular her bed, and as she pulled the covers the magneto) and of preventing the up to her chin she chuckied a little in effect of centrifugal for e, which the darkness there. "You never can caused the card or dial inside the comtell, Alice, old dear-you never can tell."

A week passed-two weeks-and each day Lawrence Gardner either made it a point to see Summer Lane or to telephone her-usually he saw her. Three weeks passed-and a month -and still he lingered in New York! Until one morning at his hotel he received a night letter from his father that made him grin just a bit, but as usual that afternoon he happened to chastening of loss that in the wonmeet Summer at the library and strolled home with her.

"Let's have a nice little home party

Members of Family Differed Considerably Concerning Its Proper Arrangement, Says Harriet Beecher Stowe.

The fact is, that there is no little nook of domestic life which gives snug harbor to so much self-will and selfrighteousness as the family hearth; and this is particularly the case with wood fires, because, from the miscellaneous nature of the material, and the sprightly activity of the combination, there is a constant occasion for tending and alteration and so a vast field for individual opinion.

First came an enormous back log, rolled in with the strength of two men, on the top of which was piled another smaller log; and then a forestick, of a size which would entitle it to be called a log in our times, went contempt on all that had gone before. to make the front foundation of the fire. The rearing of the ample pile thereupon was a matter of no small architectural skill, and all the ruling members of our family circle had tellect, we should ask him what books their own opinions about its erection, he read.-Emerson.

ALL HAD IDEAS ABOUT FIRE | and these they maintained with the zeal and pertinacity which become earnest people. My grandfather, with establishment; but when he had arranged his sticks in the most methodical order, my grandmother would be sure to rush out with a thump here and a twitch there, and divers incoherent exclamations tending to imply that men never knew how to build a fire. Frequently her intense zeal for immedinte effect would end in a general rout and roll of the sticks in all directions, with puffs of smoke down the chimney, requiring the setting open of the outside door; and then Aunt Lois would come in, and, with a face severe with determination, tear down the whole structure and rebuild from the foundation with exactest precision. but with an air that east volumes of -Harriet Beecher Stowe.

If we encountered a man of rare in



Below will be found the answer to pished by the American Red Cross.

The largest American Red Cross ages of one and three. hospital farm in England is at Salisbury, Southampton, where a considerable part of the 186-acre estate is under cultivation.

One thousand wounded and convalescent American soldiers played hosts to King George, Queen Mary and Princoss Mary at a big military hospital in Dartford, just outside London, recentican Red Cross activities at the hospital. A good time was had by all. Santa Claus, Christmas and the Red

American hospitals in France. In gian adults. every ward of every hospital he will workers waiting to help him fill soldier socks.

Belgium goes about to hospitals con- are to everything American." stantly supplying little extra comlong in New York? You ought to have purpose.

The American Red Cross at Verona, the question which has been so in- Italy, is helping an existing orphansistently asked in the caption above. age to meet the urgent problem of car-It is a great pleasure to know from ing for motherless young children. It time to time just what is being accom- has agreed to support ten bables under a year old, and 20 between the

Americans in the American Red Cross ambulance service received 65 decorations for work performed in one month. This number includes seven silver medals, four bronze, and 54 war

Fifteen thousand men a day were erved on an average by each of the 16 American Red Cross canteens on the ly. The royal visitors inspected Amer- Italian front. Sixteen of these caneens are portable.

Le Havre.-To provide Belgian children with shoes-and they wear Cross roll call come but once a year, them out quite as fast as American The roll call takes place during the youngsters—the American Red Cross week of December 16. Speak up- has started shoemaking activities at and dig down-when your name is Limoges. Thousands of Beigian children in Red Cross colonies in France One of Christopher J. Kringle's first will be equipped. The factories will stops on Christmas eve will be the give employment to a number of Bel-

Le Harve.-A Belgian colonel, just find a Christmas tree and Red Cross from the front, speaking of a canteen for which the American Red Cross provided quarters on very short notice, The Belgian commission of the said: "One live demonstration like this American Red Cross has established a is better than a year of talk." He fund known as the "Queen's Purse" also stated in a report: "It is wonderfor war victims. Queen Elizabeth of ful to see how responsive the Belgians

The department of civil affairs of forts to patients. She has spent large the American Red Cross undertook to sums of her own for this purpose, and establish or maintain 14 institutions in in addition the American Red Cross the war zone of Italy, which provided provides a purse of \$5,000 for this food, clothing and care for 3,477 chil-

MADE BY AN ARTIST IN FURS



of them who ever had the slightest This rich and graceful cape-coatee, women. While the shorter garments much-admired, two-in-one garments ious long coats, like flat scarfs and that are characteristic of this season's muffs, are always good style. styles. Its designer chose Hudson seal Many difficulties had to be overcome in the production of a satisfactory and followed two converging paths to compass for aerial work. Chief among its success, combining the free, easy lines of a cape with something of the snugness of a coat. His ingenuity was rewarded in a wrap more graceful than either of its inspirations. It is much more cozy than a cape or scarf, easily made equal to a coat for compendent of north when the airplane fort. But on mild days or in the warmwas banking on a turn. However, a er climates it is worn open at the front and hanging about the shoulders, as

casually as either a cape or scarf. When the wearer of this pretty garment adjusts it as a protection against the cold, the ingenuity of the furrier who made it reveals itself. The narrow scarf, attached to the neck, and passing through straps of fur at the watst line, is slipped from under these straps and wrapped about the throat, and the front of the wrap fastened up to meet it, thereupon it is a warm coatee. The muff is melon-shaped. with slashed frills at the ends and every woman knows that it may actually keep the hands warm, or merely serve his grave smile, insisted that he was as a luxurious and elegant accessory the only reasonable fire-builder in the of dress. Both the wrap and muff

are distinctly up-to-date. Hudson seal is a favorite with designers, but these artists in furs have distinguished themselves in other pelts. Squirrel, dyed and natural, broadtall, ringtail, mole and kolinsky are dividing honors with seal in coats, coatees, capes and in those combination wraps that have so captivated well dressed

Bath Bags vs. Bar Soap.

Bath bags, refreshing and lathery, Use same as a wash cloth.

with its muff to match, is one of those are having a great vogue the luxur-

Ribbon Workbag.

Julia Bottomby

A good workbag for a Christmas gift can be made from two yards of Dresden ribbon six and one-half inches wide and one embroidery hoop. Cut two rounds of cardboard, the size of the hoop for the bottoms of the "donble-decker" bag, pad with sheet cotton and cover with the ribbon. Divide the remaining ribbon in halves and seam up both pieces. Then sew one to a cardboard round and fasten at the top of the outside rim of the embroidery hoop. Make the top part of the bag in the same way, save that the cardboard bottom is to be sewed to the inside of the embroidery ring, which has been covered by the silk ribbon.

Dressup Frocks. A charming and simple dinner gown

may be made of black malines lace and black net over a foundation of white English embroidery. A frock of dark green charmense, if correctly made, with long, tight sleeves and a narrow, draped skirt, need have no trimming. A pale pink batiste frock should be trimmed with real filet lace and girdled with blue tinsel cloth, glinting with gold and silver threads.

Good business in bordered veils of one kind or another is being done at can be made to take the place of the retail, and the demand is reflected in bars of soap and will be found to the wholesale trade in the duplicate ormake a big saving in the amount of ders received for them. Veils of this pure soap used. Scrape a bar of pure type for holiday giving are very well castile soap into a powder, and one- thought of. Especially good are fine half pound of orris root, one-half mesh vells heavily dotted with chenille, pound of almond meal and one and these dots often forming the border. one-half pounds of oatmeal. Make Veils of this type are worn either tight cheesecloth bags four inches square at the neck or hanging loose. Borders and put a heaping tablespoonful of the of velvet and fur also are seen, these mixture in each-less if you wish, being drawn close about the neck in a collar effect.

PROPER CARE OF PASSENGER CARS

Motorists Acquiesce to Suggestions of Defense Council to Learn Their Autos.

WILL KEEP THEM EFFICIENT

Owners Realize Help They Can Render Government by Lightening Load on Garage and Repair Shops-Work Not Difficult.

That passenger car owners have adopted the suggestions recently made by the war economy board of the national council of defense to familiarize themselves with the proper care of their cars, so that they can not only render "first aid" to their cars without depending on mechanics or service men, but keep them 100 per cent mechanically efficient, is the opinion of H. P. Branstetter of a large automobile concern, who adds: "No doubt the increased use to which owners are putting their cars, coupled with a realization of the help they can render the government by lightening the load on garage and repair shops, and desire to economize as much as possible, are the reasons.

"Once owners know the first principles of automobile construction and the proper care of the important mechanical units and parts, they will find that it is not hard nor difficult, and, what is more, they usually develop a pride in being able to keep their cars in first-class condition.

Learn Lubrication.

"One of the first things the owner should learn is how to keep his car properly lubricated. Through the adoption of oil lubrication in place of the grease-cup system, keeping the car properly oiled is no longer the time consuming bugaboo it used to be.

"How to apply the brakes without skidding or burning the tires or brake bands is another very important point to learn. Proper inflation of tires and quick attention to breaks in the tire trend should be watched for and remedied immediately.

"The adjustment of the carburetor take a ten-minute lesson at any car- as it may secure; to act as a medium buretor service station he will find for distribution of information among that it not only makes it easier to do this work himself instead of stopping at a garage, but it will keep his motor tain business practices, and to give to running smoother and more silently, reliable operators the business advanand at the same time reduce carbon deposits and increase gasoline mileage.

Save Strain on Mechanism.

"Owners should make a point of learning how to drive and handle their cars on all kinds of roads without excessive wear on the transmission and springs and unnecessary strain on the frame and axles. These first principles may sound a little difficult, but they really are simple and practical and become second nature in a very short time.

The average overhauling or the repair job which consumes the repair directly traceable to an owner's neglect to take the proper care of his car before they have developed, necessitating constant watchfulness and tightening up, which was formerly done once a month, but is now recognized by the alert owner of today as part of his daily duties while driving his car."

Convenience for Auto.

A new convenience for automobile tourists is a folding gasoline cooking stove that can be carried in a car and be supplied with fuel from its

RURAL MOTORTRUCK ROUTS Bureau of Markets of Department

Agriculture Offers Co-operation to Operators.

The bureau of markets of the Uni ed States department of agricultur has announced its rendiness to enter into co-operative agreement with operators of rural motortruck routes who desire to work more closely with the government in developing, stabilising and standardizing this business. Operators who agree to work according to most approved practices, and to conform to the general requirements of the bureau of markets are to be given en the advantage of receipt of advice and information developed through the bureau investigations.

Large metal signs for display on trucks will be furnished to operators meeting the requirements. These signs will read, "The Owner of This Truck Is Co-operating with the Bureau of Markets, United States Department of Agriculture." The operator also will be privileged to use this sentence on his stationery and in advertising.

Requests for application blanks, to be used in obtaining the signs, should



Loading a Calf Into Motor Express for Market.

be made to the Chief of the Bureau of Markets, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Through its co-operation with motortruck operators the bureau of markets hopes to make it easy to place in propis another item. If the owner will er hands such advice and information operators; to stabilize the rural motor business by requiring adherence to certage of working cooperatively with the bureau of markets.

ALL HAND SIGNALS UNIFORM

Whatever Traffic Regulations May Bo. Principal Thing Is to Be Fair to Other Fellow.

In driving through the country it is a little puzzling to know how to act sometimes, for the traffic ordinances very in different towns. Might 10 not be well to consider that certain principles should be uniform? For example, the hand signals. The hand man's time and the driver's money, is held out on either side of the car should indicate that a turn is to be made to that side, or that the car from the first day he owns it. Squeaks is to be stopped. A rotary motion of should be stopped in the beginning the hand would indicate a turn to the opposite side. In turning corners to the right, keep as close to the curb as possible, while in turning to the left go out around the center of the street intersection. Do not draw up to the curb except with the curb to the right side of the car.

> But whatever the regulations may be, the principal thing is to be fair to the other follow and always give him his half, says Dakota Farmer. If all of us kept this in mind and acted accordingly, there would be no road pigs and fewer accidents.

FRENCH ARMY AUTOTRUCKS CARRYING MOTION-PICTURE OUTFIT FOR SOLDIERS



MOVING-PICTURE APPARATUS ON WHEELS IN FRANCE.

French official photograph taken in the region of Meurthe and Moselle showing autotruck laden with moving-picture apparatus for the purpose of amusing the soldiers and giving them a short respite from the hardships and trials of battle. This group of autotrucks is a part of the cinematographic section of the French army.

LUBRICANT ON SPRING SEAT

Those Used on Some Cars Should Receive Periodic Attention-They Should Be Oiled.

Movable spring seats which are used in some cars should receive periodic attention. They should be oiled, or if a grease cup is provided, as is usually the case, it should be turned up every few days. In springs of the cantilever type it is necessary to give the fulcrum joint periodic attention.

Dirt Makes Trouble. Car owners will save themselves

much worry and trouble nowadays if they will give special attention to see that dirty gasoline does not get in the needle valve, in the carburetor jets, or ensoline lines.

Boston's Garage the First

The first public garage of reco where motorcars could be stored, paired or rented was opened in ton, Mass., early in the spring of -Chevrolet Review.