Miss Hapgood tells how she was cured of Fallopian and Ovarian Inflammation—and escaped an awful operation by using **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered for four years with what the doctors called Salpingitis (inflammation of the fallopian tubes) and ovaritis, which are most distressing and painful ailments, affecting all the surrounding parts, undermining the constitution, and sapping the life forces. If you had seen me a year ago, before I began taking **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** and had noticed the sunken eyes, sallow complexion, and general emaciated condition, and compared that person with me as I am today, robust, hearty and well, you would not wonder that I feel thankful to you and your wonderful medicine, which restored me to new life and health in five months, and saved me from an awful operation."—MISS IRENE HAPGOOD, 1022 Sandwich St., Windsor, Ont.

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Strict Building Law.

New York now has the most stringent theater building law of any city in the world, Mayor McClellan having signed the McCall ordinance. The law requires that every theater built in the future must have a 14-foot court on both sides and in the rear and that no seat shall have more than six seats between it and an aisle on either side.

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One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It makes tight or new shoes easy. Cures swollen, hot, sweating, aching feet, ingrowing nails, corns and bunions. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE by mail. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N.Y.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, soften the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c. a bottle

Saxony has seven schools for training locksmiths and blacksmiths.

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—JOHN F. BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

Russia has almost three times the population of Japan.

A London medical journal says that slaves of alcohol and narcotics run great risks of being buried alive, especially in hot countries, where interment soon follows death.

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The Funny Side of Life.

HIS HOPE.

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With feelings very strong.
He says he's not a candidate
And hopes you'll say he's wrong.
—Washington Star.

ONE OF THE DOCTORS.

"What's the use of an autopsy, anyway?"

"Why, if the doctor don't know a feller's dead they hold an autopsy, an' that kills him."

AN INSINUATION.

Jimjones—"Smithers insinuated that I was a fool."

Samsmith—"So? What did he say?"

Jimjones—"He asked me where I bought the umbrella I was carrying."—Chicago News.

A PARTICULAR LADY.

Mrs. Nuritch—"I think I'll take this watch. You're sure it's made of refined gold?"

Jeweler—"Certainly."

Mrs. Nuritch—"Because I do detest anything that ain't refined."—Philadelphia Ledger.

A POPULAR DEFINITION.

"Father," said the little boy, "what is reciprocity?"

"Reciprocity, my son, is an arrangement by which you undertake to give up something that you don't value very highly in exchange for something that you do."—Washington Star.

IN THESE DAYS.

Suitor (proudly)—"I think, sir, that I can support your daughter in the same style to which she has been accustomed."

Father—"That won't do, young man. You must support her in the style to which she has been unaccustomed."

CORRECTED.

Benevolent Old Gentleman.—"How old are you, little girl?"

Ethel—"Don't you know it ithent proper for a gentleman to athk a lady her age?"

UNLUCKY.

Publisher—"Your book is fine up to the seventeenth chapter. After that it is mere drivel."

Author—"Sir, it is my misfortune, not my fault. Just as I was beginning the seventeenth chapter, I discovered, quite accidentally, what I was driving at."—Puck.

EASY EXPLANATION.

"How do you account for the fact," asked the doctor, "as shown by actual investigation, that thirty-two out of every hundred criminals in the country are left-handed?"

"That's easily accounted for," said the professor. "The other sixty-eight are right-handed."—Chicago Tribune.

HER BUSY DAY.

"Where's the child wonder?" asked the stage manager. "It's nearly time for her act, and I haven't seen anything of her."

"She'll probably be a little late today," replied the serio-comic lady. "I believe her daughter was to be married at high noon, and I s'pose she went to the train to see them off."—Chicago Record-Herald.

LIVELY HOME.

In the heart of the great pine forest we found the old man sitting by his cabin door.

"But it is so quiet here," we said; "it is a wonder you don't feel lonesome."

The old man dropped his corncob in his astonishment.

"Quiet, did you say? Why, boss, I hab a wife, a mule en a phonograph."—Chicago News.

REWARD OF TRUTHFULNESS.

Employer—"You are having a decided flirtation with the girl who has charge of our telephone wire?"

Truthful Clerk (with cold chill running up and down his spine, and with visions of instant dismissal)—"Y-e-e-s, sir; but please, sir——"

Employer—"Well, keep it up. She will give more attention to our calls if you do."—Tit-Bits.

ONE SINCERE MOURNER.

The lawyer was drawing up Enpeck's will.

"I hereby bequeath all my property to my wife," dictated Enpeck. "Got that down?"

"Yes," answered the attorney.

"On condition," continued Enpeck, "that she marries again within a year."

"But why that condition?" asked the man of law.

"Because," answered the meek and loving testator, "I want somebody to be sorry that I died. See?"—Chicago News.

FINANCE AND TRADE REVIEW

CONFIDENCE STRENGTHENED.

Belief Is General That a Change for the Better Will Soon Take Place.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says: Aside from the strike of garment workers developments of the past week have tended to strengthen confidence. The fiscal year is drawing to a close, with National customs receipts being no cause for uneasiness. The most important trade influence just now is the progress of the crops, and the past week has brought no setback. Railway earnings thus far for June are surprisingly satisfactory, an increase over last year of 47 per cent being reported. Few changes are noted in the situation at iron furnaces and steel mills. Nominally, the list of prices remain the same, although small concessions are reported on some orders that were not urgent, and the average of all products of the industry is a trifle lower because of the declines which were practically confined to pig iron. Taking the industry as a whole, reports are almost unanimous regarding the lack of new orders, but there is a wide diversity of opinion as to the future. Many authorities anticipate a revival in the fall; others believe that there will be no material change until spring while July 1 is made the turning point by the most sanguine. Bituminous coal and coke feel the stagnation keenly, but hard coal is moving freely. Western hide markets have ruled very dull. Footwear salesmen returning from Western trips report good sample business in spring shoes. In the primary market for cotton goods further reductions in prices have occurred, chiefly staple lines or printed calicoes. The raw wool market is very strong, despite small buying by the mills. Failures this week numbered 227 in the United States against 223 last year, and 32 in Canada compared with 19 a year ago.

Bradstreet's says: There has been some enlargement in demand at the West this week, but the betterment as yet is largely one of tone and is predicated upon the unquestionably better crop advices received from nearly all sections. The iron trade appears to be grounding upon the bottom as regards prices, and curtailment is becoming widespread.

MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

Wheat—No. 2 red	$ 99	1 00
Rye—No. 2	81	82
Corn—No. 2 yellow, ear	59	60
No. 2 yellow, shelled	56	57
Mixed ear	55	56
Oats—No. 2 white	46	47
No. 3 white	45	46
Flour—Winter patent	5 30	5 35
Straight winters	5 10	5 20
Hay—No. 1 timothy	14 50	15 00
Clover No. 1	12 50	13 00
Feed—No 1 white mid. ton	24 00	25 00
Brown middlings	23 00	23 50
Bran, bulk	22 00	23 00
Straw—Wheat	9 50	10 00
Oat	9 50	10 00

Dairy Products.

Butter—Elgin creamery	$ 20	21
Ohio creamery	17	18
Fancy country roll	13	14
Cheese—Ohio, new	8	9
New York, new	8	9

Poultry, Etc.

Hens—per lb	$ 14	15
Chickens—dressed	16	17
Turkeys, live	20	23
Eggs—Pa. and Ohio, fresh	18	19

Fruits and Vegetables.

Potatoes—Fancy white per bus	1 40	1 50
Cabbage—per bbl	2 25	2 50
Onions—per barrel	3 25	3 50
Apples—per barrel	3 00	3 50

BALTIMORE.

Flour—Winter Patent	$4 90	5 20
Wheat—No. 2 red	1 01	1 02
Corn—mixed	57	58
Eggs	17	18
Butter—Creamery	19	20

PHILADELPHIA.

Flour—Winter Patent	$5 15	5 35
Wheat—No. 2 red	1 01	1 02
Corn—No. 2 mixed	54	55
Oats—No. 2 white	48	49
Butter—Creamery, extra	17	18
Eggs—Pennsylvania firsts	17	18

NEW YORK.

Flour—Patents	$5 00	5 50
Wheat—No. 2 red	1 06	1 07
Corn—No. 2	57	58
Oats—No. 2 White	44	44
Butter—Creamery	17	18
Eggs	18	20

LIVE STOCK.

Union Stock Yards, Pittsburg.

Cattle.

Prime heavy, 1450 to 1600 lbs	$6 10	6 35
Prime, 1300 to 1400 lbs	5 90	6 10
Medium, 1200 to 1300 lbs	5 65	5 90
Fat heifers	4 00	4 85
Butcher, 900 to 1000 lbs	4 50	5 00
Common to fair	3 00	3 70
Oxen, common to fat	2 00	4 00
Common to good fat bulls and cows	2 50	3 50
Milch cows, each	25 00	55 00

Hogs.

Prime heavy hogs	$ 5 50	5 55
Prime medium weights	5 50	5 55
Best heavy yorkers and medium	5 50	5 55
Good pigs and light yorkers	5 15	5 15
Pigs, common to good	4 70	4 85
Roughs	4 00	4 40
Stags	3 00	3 25

Sheep.

Extra, medium wethers	$ 4 60	4 80
Good to choice	4 00	4 40
Medium	4 25	4 00
Common to fair	2 50	3 50
Spring Lambs	4 00	6 50

Calves.

Veal, extra	4 25	5 75
Veal, good to choice	3 50	4 00
Veal, common heavy	3 00	3 50

The New York Courts have at last decided that a street car conductor may not kick a passenger in the stomach.

Guiseppi Sonna, an Italian laborer, was crushed to death under a fall of rock on the Wabash railroad at Steubenville.

Sidney, the 8-year-old son of Peter Zimmerman, of near Gnadenhutten, was instantly killed by a passenger train.

Joseph Darvin, an Italian, was electrocuted by coming in contact with a live wire in a mine near Steubenville, O.

The proposition to bond the town of Ravenna, for a sewerage system in a sum not exceeding $40,000 was carried at the polls.

WHY HOT WEATHER MAKES WOMEN NERVOUS.

A Well Known Canadian Lady Sends Letter of Endorsement to Pe-ru-na.

Miss Mary Burns, 28 Spring Garden Road, Halifax, N. S., writes: "Having used Peruna for indigestion and stomach trouble and to buld up a broken down system with the very best results, I am pleased to state my experience with this excellent medicine. I had been troubled with stomach trouble and poor digestion for some years, and although I tried many remedies and dieting, nothing seemed to restore my health until I used Peruna. In three months I had entirely recovered my health and strength."—Mary Burns.

Suggestions by Dr. Hartman---How to Combat the Nervous Depression Incident to Warm Weather.

Nervousness is very common among women. This condition is due to anaemic nerve centers. The nerve centers are the reservoir for nerve vitality. These centers become bloodless for the want of proper nutrition.

This condition is especially noticeable during the warm season. Every summer an army of invalids are produced as a direct result of weak nervous systems.

This could easily be overcome by the use of Peruna. Peruna strikes at the root of the trouble by correcting the digestion. Perfect digestion furnishes increased nutrition for the nerve centers. Perfectly digested food gives these reservoirs of life a vitality which creates strong, steady nerves, and in this manner fortifies and nourishes life.

Miss Blanche Grey, a prominent young society woman of Memphis, Tenn., in a recent letter from 174 Alabama street, writes: "To a society woman whose nervous force is ofte taxed to the utmost from lack of rest and irregular meals, ***I know of nothing which is of so much benefit as Peruna.*** I took it a few months ago when I felt my strength giving way, and ***it soon made itself manifest in giving me new strength and health."—Miss Blanche Grey.***

Pe-ru-na Contains No Narcotics.

One reason why Peruna has found permanent use in so many homes is that it contains no narcotic of any kind. Peruna is perfectly harmless. It can be used any length of time without acquiring a drug habit. Peruna does not produce temporary results. It is permanent in its effect.

It has no bad effect upon the system, and gradually eliminates catarrh by removing the cause of catarrh. There are a multitude of homes where Peruna has been used off and on for twenty years. Such a thing could not be possible if Peruna contained any drugs of a narcotic nature.

At this season of the year we are peculiarly liable to inflammations of the stomach and bowels. It is the part of wisdom to learn how to cut them short and in the easiest and quickest manner. Peruna does this by its peculiar power over all forms of catarrhal troubles.

Resents High Taxes.

Because he believes that some of his property in Omaha, Neb., has been unjustly taxed George A. Joslyn, the millionaire President of the Western Newspaper Union, has boarded up the windows of the mansion he recently built there at a cost of several hundred thousand dollars, turned his cows into the grounds which landscape artists from New York were sought to beautify and gone with his family to Saratoga, N. Y., to reside permanently.

Narrow Streets in Japan.

Most of the Japanese cities are very old and their streets are too narrow for street railways. To rebuild the streets for the use of the street railways is not an easy matter.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY make oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886. A. W. GLEASON, *Notary Public.*

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American Shoes in Denmark.

The American-made shoe is popular in Denmark. Two of the foremost shoe stores in Copenhagen use the American shoe for a "leader" in their splendid show window exhibits.

Doctors' Ailments.

Some statistics just published in Austria throw an interesting light on the ailments from which doctors suffer. One fact is instructive. The medical profession contributes only 7 per cent to the mortality from tuberculosis, which speaks volumes for the efficacy of intelligent precaution. On the other hand, for some reason not very apparent, 40 per cent of doctors die from diseases of the heart or of the nervous system, while also 40 per cent of Austrian victims of the morphia habit are medical men. The average age of Austrian doctors is 60.

A REASON FOR SICKNESS.

Healthy kidneys take from the blood every twenty-four hours 500 grains of impure, poisonous matter—more than enough to cause death. Weakened kidneys leaves this waste in the blood, and you are soon sick. To get well, cure the kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills, the great kidney specific.

Mrs. J. H. Bowles, of 118 Core street, Durham, N. C., says: "I was sick and bedfast for over nine months, and the doctor who attended me said unless I submitted to an operation for gravel I would never be well. I would not consent to that and so continued to suffer. My back was so weak I could not stand or walk, and it ached constantly. The first day after I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I felt relief, and in a short time I was up and around the same as ever, free from backache."

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Mrs. Bowles will be mailed to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sold by all dealers, price fifty cents per box.

BUSINESS CONTRACTION.

Southern States and Pacific Slope Have Not Suffered.

A comparison of the business and clearings of the various sections of the country in May shows declines in clearing-house transactions in all sections except the South and the Pacific Coast, where there were increases. In the Middle States the decrease of clearings was 13 per cent.; in the Middle West 5 per cent.; in the other West 5 per cent., and in New England six-tenths of 1 per cent. In the South on the other hand, clearings increased in May, 1904, to $473,000,000, against $457,000,000 in May, 1903, an increase of 3 per cent. On the Pacific Coast the increase was from $205,000,000 to $211,000,000, or 2 per cent. For the whole country there was a contraction of business to the extent of 9.9 per cent. The figures prove a business reaction. Still, it is possible to exaggerate their significance, since a large part of the shrinkage was in speculative transactions, not in legitimate business. Railroad earnings shown a decline of only 1½ per cent.

In the South the abundance of money produced by good prices for cotton has caused, it is stated, an increased demand for land and an advance of 25 per cent in some sections. For many years land has been a "drug on the market" in the South, but the situation is greatly improved. Much surplus money has gone into the erection of buildings.

At Top of Ladder.

A woman whose acquaintance with the methods and opportunities of work in a modern newspaper office is of the slightest was talking to a friend about her son's start in life. The young man had just left college, and had secured a position as reporter on one of the important New York dailies in the humble capacity which is the usual lot of the "cub" journalist—that of police court reporter. His mother was enthusiastic over his good fortune.

"Do you know," she exclaimed, "they've given him such a splendid position. He's the crime editor at Jefferson Market Police Court!"—Harper's Weekly.

The census of the inhabitants of the Phillipine Islands, taken under the authority of the United States, shows the population to be 7,635,426. Of this number 647,740 are classified as wild and uncivilized, though with some knowledge of the domestic arts.

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