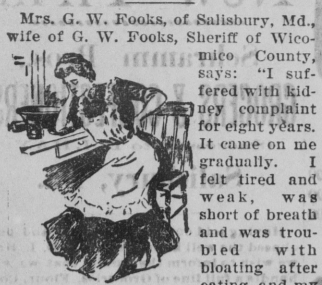


ANOTHER LIFE SAVED



Mrs. G. W. Fooks, of Salisbury, Md., wife of G. W. Fooks, Sheriff of Wicomico County, says: "I suffered with kidney complaint for eight years. It came on me gradually. I felt tired and weak, was short of breath and was troubled with bloating after eating, and my limbs were badly swollen. One doctor told me it would finally turn to Bright's disease. I was laid up at one time for three weeks. I had not taken Doan's Kidney Pills more than three days when the distressing aching across my back disappeared, and I was soon entirely cured."

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BOW WOW TALK.
What are the bow wows talking off? Not one of us can say!
But I suppose all bow wows know— They all speak that same way!
—M. J. H., in Little Folks.

A QUESTION OF THOUGHT.
"But you can't make a machine that will think."
"No," replied the inventor, "and I wouldn't if I could—if I thought it would think as some people do."—Chicago Record-Herald.

TOO MUCH WORK NOWADAYS.
Mrs. Olden—"There was a time, Thomas, when you used to chuck me under the chin sometimes. But you don't do it now."
Mr. Olden—"Yes, my love, but you didn't have so many chins then."—London Tit-Bits.

NOT APPREHENSIVE.
"In a little while," said the man who is always agitated, "the railroads will be running the country."
"Well," said the easy-going citizen, "if the country were run as well as some of the railroads are, I wouldn't complain."—Washington Star.

SELF PROTECTION.
Higgins—"What do you mean by introducing me to that fellow? He got \$10 from me and I can't get it back."
Wixen—"Yes, I supposed likely. Fact is, that's why I introduced him to you. I might have been out \$10 myself, don't you see?"—Boston Transcript.

RARE CONSIDERATION.
"She is one of the most considerate girls I ever knew."
"What makes you think so?"
"Why, she wore one of those awfully big hats to the ball game, and when I asked her to take it off, she got right up and went home."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT.
Mrs. Figgins—"Mrs. Newtrick is always talking about her trip abroad, but I don't see that it improved her any."
Mrs. Biggs—"She thinks it did. She learned to say Paree for Paris, and addoo for good-by."—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.



GENERAL SATISFACTION.
Striped Simpson—"Hope yer don't mind de upper bert," Bill."
Wandering William—"Naw, youse kin keep de lower, pard, long as youse don't spore."—Boston Post.

ETIQUETTE OF THE BACKWOODS
"Bill."
"What is it, Sue?"
"I'm goin' to tell you one thing—an' that is this: Ef you've got air razor or gun on you, an' go outtin' in a slashin' folk at the social, I won't go to the hangin' with you next Friday."—Atlanta Constitution.

GOOD TITLE.
Poet—"The editor didn't pay the least attention to my last verses. Now, I have written a comic poem entitled 'The Alarm Clock.'"
Friend—"Do you think he will take any notice of it?"
Poet—"Oh, yes; it'll make him open his eyes."—Chicago News.

ONE OF THIN GLASS.
Teacher—"You never heard of an English king wearing a monocle, did you?"
Pupil—"There is one instance. I refer to Richard III."
Teacher—"Yes, Richard with three I's."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

ACCOUNTED FOR.
Horton—"The minister says we should try to appear as well as we can week days on the Sabbath."
Norton—"No? That accounts for Sam Jennings wearing his Sunday clothes every day in the week! I supposed it was because he was in love with some girl."—Boston Transcript.

LOOKS IMPOSSIBLE.
Calvert, Jr.—"I notice the United States Government has made a very serious mistake."
Balty Moore—"What's that?"
Calvert, Jr.—"They've launched a cruiser named Milwaukee."
Balty Moore—"Well where's the mistake in that?"
Calvert, Jr.—"Well, can you conceive of anything named Milwaukee existing on water?"—Baltimore American.

FINANCE AND TRADE REVIEW

ACTIVITY IN INDUSTRIALS.

Unusual Demand for Pig Iron, Steel Products, Coke and Building Materials.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says: All measures of trade indicated the customary loss due to holiday interruption, but subsequently much of the deficit was regained, numerous evidences of increasing confidence being seen in the disposition to place orders for distant shipment. Increased consumption and in other leading branches of manufacture there is a steadily diminishing percentage of idle machinery. Woolen mills are busy, despite the fact that it is between seasons, and the raw wool market is very strong. Foreign commerce at New York for the last week shows a decrease of \$562,905 in exports compared with last year's figures while imports increased \$4,304,891. Receipts of coffee were a prominent factor in this gain. Railway earnings in October exceeded last year's by 3.8 per cent. Developments in the leading manufacturing industry are about equal to the most sanguine expectations. Demand is broadening in a wholesome manner, large contracts calling for a heavy tonnage of plates, wire, pipe and sheets. Orders for structural shapes were heavier than at any previous time this year, and sales of bars were made at \$2 above the list prices. Footwear manufacturers report a satisfactory volume of supplementary orders from Eastern jobbers for delivery early next year. Quotations are fully maintained, and in some instances small advances have occurred. An upward tendency is still noted in leather.

Buyer of cotton goods still operate cautiously, although sellers are more determined to secure full prices. They claim that there is no prospect of cheaper raw material, and present costs of production warrant the quotations demanded. Failures this week numbered 213 in the United States against 283 last year, and 17 in Canada compared with 27 a year ago.

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AGE OF THE MICROBE.

One Found in Human Brain, Which Causes Us to Fall in Love.

This is truly the age of the microbe. Hardly have we been informed by Prof. Metznikoff that we grow old and feeble because of a mischievous bacillus which develops in our intestines and whose only joy in living is derived from poisoning our blood and depriving us of eternal youth which would otherwise be ours when another scientist, Dr. Cotton, with the aid of a powerful microscope, discovers another microbe, this time in our brain, which causes us to fall in love. The doctor, who is evidently a very prosaic character, states that this microbe produces a kind of insanity. It makes us laugh or cry, inspires tenderness or jealousy and makes us commit acts which we would otherwise never dream of. He announces that he hopes to find a serum which will make us immune.

The highest railroad bridge in the world is in Peru.

Blank Coffee Wins Everything. St. Louis, Nov. 14.—World's Fair gives C. F. Blanke Tea and Coffee Co. highest award, grand prize and gold medal on coffee. Also five additional highest awards on Grant Cabin Tea, Quaker Ceylon Tea, China Tea, Shidzokaken Japan and Formosa Tea, making greatest number grand prizes ever awarded one firm.

There are 44,000 hotels in the United States. I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has as many equal for coughs and colds. —JOHN F. BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1903.

The only country in Europe without any railway is Montenegro.

French is Popular. According to the report of the National Union of Teachers, French is the most popular language among students. In other subjects bookkeeping comes first in favor, followed by shorthand, arithmetic and typewriting.

There is more Cataract in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Cataract to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Cataract Cure, manufactured by E. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

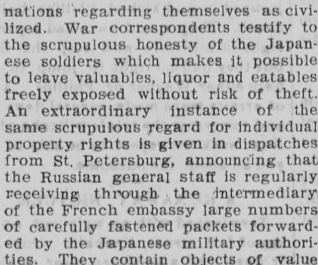
Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Speaker to Retire. Mr. Gully, who has entered his seventieth year, will probably retire from the Speakership of the House of Commons before another birthday comes around as a viscount and with a pension of £2000 per annum.

Could Learn From Japs. In many respects the behavior of the Japanese sets an example to other nations regarding themselves as civilized. War correspondents testify to the scrupulous honesty of the Japanese soldiers which makes it possible to leave valuables, liquor and eatables freely exposed without risk of theft.

An extraordinary instance of the same scrupulous regard for individual property rights is given in dispatches from St. Petersburg, announcing that the Russian general staff is regularly receiving through the intermediary of carefully fastened packets forwarded by the Japanese military authorities. They contain objects of value of all kinds, such as jewels, cigar cases, purses, watches, gold crosses and sums of money, sometimes even single round pieces, found by the Japanese on the bodies of Russian officers and soldiers buried by them after battles.

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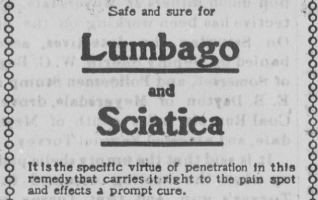
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Miss Gannon, Sec'y Detroit Amateur Art Association, tells young women what to do to avoid pain and suffering caused by female troubles.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I can conscientiously recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to those of my sisters suffering with female weakness and the troubles which so often befall women. I suffered for months with general weakness, and felt so weary that I had hard work to keep up. I had shooting pains, and was utterly miserable. In my distress I was advised to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it was a real letter day to me when I took the first dose, for at that time my restoration began. In six weeks I was a changed woman, perfectly well in every respect. I felt so elated and happy that I want all women who suffer to get well as I did."—MISS GULLA GANNON, 359 Jones St., Detroit, Mich., Secretary Amateur Art Association.

It is clearly shown in this young lady's letter that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will certainly cure the sufferings of women; and when one considers that Miss Gannon's letter is only one of the countless hundreds which we are continually publishing in the newspapers of this country, the great virtue of Mrs. Pinkham's medicine must be admitted by all; and for the absolute cure of all kinds of female ills no substitute can possibly take its place. Women should bear this important fact in mind when they go into a drug store, and be sure not to accept anything that is claimed to be "just as good" as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for no other medicine for female ills has made so many actual cures.

How Another Sufferer Was Cured.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I cannot praise your wonderful remedies enough, for they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. For the last eight years and more I suffered with female troubles, was very weak, could not do my housework, also had nervous prostration. Some days I would remain unconscious for a whole day and night. My neighbors thought I could never recover, but, thanks to your medicine, I now feel like a different woman. I feel very grateful to you and will recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all. It has now been four years since I had the last spell of nervous prostration. I only weighed ninety-eight pounds at that time; now I weigh one hundred and twenty-three. Thanking you many times for the benefit I received from your medicine, I remain, Yours truly, Mrs. J. H. FARMER, 2809 Elliott Ave., St. Louis, Mo."

Remember Mrs. Pinkham's advice is free and all sick women are foolish if they do not ask for it. She speaks from the widest experience, and has helped multitudes of women.

\$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

To Prevent Disasters.

New Zealand, which has people's railways, thinks it has them now arranged so that they won't kill people. The state railways have made an interesting change in the signaling system, which it is thought, will make collisions impossible.

For a long time the block system has been used, but the "tablet" system has now been introduced. No engine-driver is allowed to leave a station without a tablet in his possession, and the element of safety rests on the fact that the machines are so made that it is impossible for two tablets to be out at the same time.

If a driver leaves Auckland for Newmarket with a tablet, that tablet has to be deposited in the machine at Newmarket before another tablet is issued allowing a return train to leave for Auckland, and the electrical connection between the two stations makes it impossible to extract a tablet from the Auckland machine until the tablet has been put into the machine at Newmarket.

It is claimed that two trains cannot be on the same section at once, so that the danger of collisions is entirely done away with.

Butcher Girls.

Surely the development of American womanhood is not furthered by the employment of girls in the capacity of butchers. In one of the large private markets of New York all the meats are sold by petticoated butchers. These, however, do not use the knife, cleaver and saw as yet, but that is what they are coming to. The transition from angel to butcher is not to be made too quickly. Men reduce carcasses to chops, steaks, roasts, etc., for the girls to sell. A tremendous saving is effected. The girls never give overweight and accept no tips.—New York Press.

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