



FARM TOPICS

Every year over 100,000 persons die of consumption in this country alone. Cherry Pectoral would not have cured all these. Taken in time, it would have cured many.

A Mr. D. P. Jolly, of Avoca, N. Y., wrote us, a few weeks ago, that his mother had regular old-fashioned consumption for years, and was given up to die.

Three sizes of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral: 25 cents, 50 cents, and \$1.00. Buy the most economical size for your case.

If, for any reason, your druggist cannot or does not give you Ayer's Cherry Pectoral when you call for it, send us one dollar for the large size and we will deliver it to you, all charges paid.

No Shattered Ideals. "So she has come home to her mother, has she? Don't you know, it's the saddest thing on earth to think of a trusting, fond woman awakening to find her ideals have been shattered, that she loves him no longer, that her idol has feet of clay."

Best For the Bowels. No matter what ails you, headachings or a cancer, you will never get well until your bowels are put right.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured. With local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease, Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies.

Mr. Egotist—Oh, how I love to gaze into the liquid depths of your deep blue eyes, Miss Smartie!

Libby's Food Products at the Paris Exposition. The Grand Prix d'Honneur and two gold medals have been awarded by the International Jury of Awards at the Paris Exposition.

HIS NOAH'S ARK.

I've sailed the tub when the billows rude Were breaking my bulwarks o'er, And wobbly, ill, with my seams unglued, Was wrecked ere I reached the shore.

My paint is gone and my roof is loose; My birds and my beasts have fled, Save a purple cat and a brindle goose, A bear with a vanished head.

All covered with dust in the closet dim I wait for a well-known touch, And think of the days when I played with him.

These days that I love so much, I harken them speak of his automobile, (And marvelous things they tell); But, Oh, he's deaf to the faint appeal From the ark that served him well!

She—"Do you believe in signs?" He—"Most assuredly. That's the way I make my living. I'm a sign painter."

Edythe—"Don't you think that character in a young man is everything?" Ethel—"Oh, yes; if he has nothing else!"—Puck.

Ruth Willington—"It does men good to be jilted." The Rejected One—"I hardly think so. Most of them get over it and marry some one."—Life.

Borrow—"Say, old man, lend me a fiver, will you?" Markley—"Sorry, but I'm not making any permanent investments just now."—Philadelphia Press.

Of course it is pleasant to know There is plenty of room at the top, But those who remain down below Don't have such a long way to drop.

Small Boy (to fish market)—"Have you any dry fish?" Fisherman—"Yes, sonnie." Small Boy—"Well, give them a drink, then."—Marion Life.

He—"Well, didn't you bring your never-hungry cat?" She—"Yes, he was a woman." She—"Of course not. It might be his fate to marry some horrid man."—Boston Transcript.

"That man says his merry-go-round is one of the finest in this country." "Yes; I heard him bragging that his petrun move in the best circles."—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

The man who looks for trouble Has never been denied. He always gets what's wanted— Yet he isn't satisfied.

"I think that I'll be married on my birthday," said Miss Tommye. "What?" exclaimed Miss Frocks, holding up her hands in consternation. "And lose one entire set of presents!"—Detroit Free Press.

Lieutenant A—"Say, comrade, what have you done with all the little mementoes of your bachelor days?" Lieutenant B—"Consigned them to the flames. I only kept the locks of hair, and used them for restuffing my old sofa."—Dorfbarber.

"Now, if I were only an ostrich," began the mean man at the breakfast table, as he picked up one of his wife's biscuits, "then"— "Yes," interrupted the patient better half, "then I might get a few feathers for that old hat I've got for three winters."—Chicago News.

Old Foggy Proprietor—"Why did you treat that shabbily dressed woman so coolly?" Sharp Clerk—"You noticed I sold to her, didn't you?" "Yes." "And the article didn't really suit her." "I noticed that." "She bought it because she thought she couldn't afford to."—New York Weekly.

"I despise a practical joker," said the woman in a pink bonnet. "That is the only kind of joking that pays," responded the woman in a sailor hat. She was the wife of a professional humorist, and was therefore qualified to speak with authority on the subject.

Harriet—"When I said, 'Speaking about her ends, what made you stop me?' Carrie—"Because I was afraid you would offend Mrs. Menniwed. She has lost no less than three husbands, and she is very sensitive on the subject, therefore. She is afraid that people will think they were lost through her carelessness."—Boston Transcript.

Remnant Day. Some years ago a firm on Fourteenth street, New York, inaugurated Remnant Day, and now throughout the entire United States department stores have adopted the idea, and Friday is generally known as remnant day. It would be difficult to estimate the cost of making a day, so to speak; however, some idea may be had from the fact that it costs one large New York concern alone \$85,000 per annum for keeping Remnant Day alone before the people. It took ten years of persistent advertising and merchandising to feature Friday as Remnant Day.

A Perplexed American. Air mattresses blown up as bicycle tires are blown up are a feature upon one line of Atlantic steamships. Un-used to such bedding an American, upon discovering the make-up of his berth the first night out, called the steward. "Take this blamed hot-water bag out of my bed," bade the American. "Beg pardon, sir," said the English steward. "That's a hair mattress." "For a minute the American un-used to cockney English as he was to air mattresses, wasn't sure which of them had lost his senses—himself or the steward.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH. Grain, Flour and Feed. WHEAT—No. 2 red, 67 70. Rye—No. 2, 60 61. CORN—No. 2 yellow, ear, 48 49 1/2.

FLOUR—Winter patent, 4 00 4 10. Fancy straight winters, 3 70 3 80. HAY—No. 1 timothy, 15 50 16 00.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 21 1/2 22. Ohio creamery, 21 1/2 22. Fancy country roll, 15 16.

EGGS—Ohio, new, 11 1/2 12. New York, new, 12 12 1/2. HENS—per lb., 10 1/2 10 3/4.

BALTIMORE. FLOUR—No. 2 red, 3 90 4 10. WHEAT—No. 2 red, 72 1/2 73 1/2. CORN—Mixed, 27 1/2 28 1/2.

PHILADELPHIA. FLOUR—No. 2 red, 3 80 3 90. WHEAT—No. 2 red, 72 1/2 73 1/2. CORN—No. 2 mixed, 27 1/2 28 1/2.

NEW YORK. FLOUR—Patents, 4 15 4 45. WHEAT—No. 2 red, 77 1/2 78 1/2. CORN—No. 2, 30 31 1/2.

LIVE STOCK. Central Stock Yards, East Liberty, Pa. CATTLE. Prime heavy, 1500 to 1600 lbs., 5 60 5 85.

Sheep. Extra, med. weight wethers, 4 10 4 15. Good to choice, 3 90 4 20. Medium, 3 50 3 80.

LAMBS. Lamb, extra spring, 5 35 5 50. Lamb, good to choice, spring, 4 25 4 35.

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THE TURN OF LIFE.

The Most Important Period in a Woman's Existence.—Mrs. Johnson Tells How She Was Helped Over the Trying Time.



Owing to modern methods of living, not one woman in a thousand appreciates this perfectly natural change without experiencing a train of very annoying, and sometimes painful symptoms.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have been sick for a long time. I was taken sick with flooding. All my trouble seemed to be in the womb. I ache all the time at the lower part of the womb. The doctor says the womb is covered with ulcers. I suffer with a pain on the left side of my back over the kidney.

"I have been taking your remedies, and think they have helped me a great deal. I had been in bed for ten weeks when I began taking your Vegetable Compound, but after using it for a short time I was able to be up around the house. The aching in the lower part of womb has left me. The most that troubles me now is the flowing. That is not so bad, but still there is a little every day. I am not discouraged yet, and shall continue with your medicine, for I believe it will cure me."

"I send you this letter to publish for the benefit of others. I was sick for about nine years so that I could not do my work. For three months I could not sit up long enough to have my bed made. I had five different doctors, and all said there was no help for me. My trouble was change of life. I suffered with ulceration of the womb, pain in sides, kidney and stomach trouble, back-ache, headache, and dizziness. I am well and strong, and feel like a new person. My recovery is a perfect surprise to everybody that knew me. I owe all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I would not do without your medicine for anything. There is no need of women suffering so much if they would take your remedies, for they are a sure cure."

When one stops to think about the good Mrs. Johnson derived from Mrs. Pinkham's advice and medicine, it seems almost beyond belief; yet it is all true as stated in her three letters published above at her own request.

As a matter of positive fact Mrs. Pinkham has on file thousands of letters from women who have been safely carried through that danger period "Change of Life." Mrs. Johnson's cure is not an unusual one for Mrs. Pinkham's medicine to accomplish.

\$5000 REWARD.—We have deposited with the National City Bank of Lynn, \$5000, which will be paid to any person who can find the above testimonial letters are not genuine, or were published before obtaining the writer's special permission.

FREY'S VERMIFUGE. It is the same good, old-fashioned medicine that has saved the lives of little children for the past 70 years.

Ocean Records Advance Slowly. Nearly 50 years ago you could cross to America in 12 days; 30 years ago the passage was made in eight days, and now the fastest boats accomplish the trip in a little under six days.

LIBBY'S MINCE MEAT. In our mammoth kitchen we employ a chef who is an expert in making mince pies.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Suffer, cure sure for all throat and lung troubles. People praise it. Doctors prescribe it. Quick—sure results. Refuse substitutes. Get Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

WANTED A REPRESENTATIVE. In this county for house work even-ings. No. 100 PINE ST. BOSTON, MASS. Must have good references, and be over 18 yrs. Will pay \$1.00 per week, guaranteed. No advance or money wanted. R. M. BRYAN, Palmer, N. Y.

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DROPSY NEW DISCOVERY. Give quick relief and cure with some. Book of testimonials and 10 days' treatment free. No. 2, 243 N. 2nd St., Philadelphia, Pa.

THOMPSON'S EYE WATER. If afflicted with sore eyes use Thompson's Eye Water.