



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 beset 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 red 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 GUILA GANNON, 320 Jones St., Detroit, Mich., Secretary Amateur Art Association. —\$5000 for original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

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.

Reason Enough. Father—"You know how necessary it is that I should get you married and off my hands. Why did you refuse that handsome young widower?" Miss Mairchance—"Because he wasn't my relative to whom I can send his children."

Consumption is a rare disease in Japan. Even in winter coughs are of rare occurrence, and this despite the fact that the real Japanese do not heat their rooms with anything more than an hibachi—a tiny charcoal stove.

Government Pays Low Wages. The British Government continues to be denounced by the workers' union for the low wages paid at Government work shops, shipyards, arsenals and gun factories, but all denunciations and resolutions seem to have no effect.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Swiss Law Little Observed. The killing of birds is forbidden in the Swiss Canton of Tessin, and last year the rural police confiscated over 20,000 traps and nets. Nevertheless, the birds are offered for sale in the markets with impunity.

Fishermen Bleed Shad. "Speaking of Shad," said the clubman, "the Susquehanna fishermen have a practice that they believe makes the fish more palatable. Each shad, as soon as it is taken out of the water, is bled by bending one of the sharp gills and forcing it into the opening it covers. In this way a quantity of blood is taken from the fish as it dies. This, these men believe, helps to make the meat whiter and does away with much of the 'fishy' flavor that spoils it for the epicure."

TOLD IN CALIFORNIA. Helping the kidneys is helping the whole body, for it is the kidneys that remove the poisons and waste from the body. Learning this simple lesson has made many sick men and women well.

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Judge Fetter will be mailed to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sold by all dealers. Price 50 cents per box.

FARM & GARDEN

Five Rules For Spraying. I have observed that few who are in the habit of spraying are particular to soak thoroughly the larger branches and trunks of the trees. In short let me give the following five rules for spraying:

1. Use material known to be best. 2. Keep the pump and nozzles in perfect order. 3. Spray thoroughly or not at all. 4. Know why you spray, and do it in season. 5. Do not condemn spraying unless you have done your best and failed.—Country Gentleman.

New Use of Powdered Alum. Finely powdered alum, as much as will lay on the point of a pen knife, blown into the eye of a horse, cow, sheep or hog will remove any foreign substance as chaff or grain or sand, etc. No case is hopeless, even where a layer of membrane has grown over it. A complete cure is only a question of time.

Good Care of Harnesses. Now is the time to oil and repair the harness before the busy season begins, says American Cultivator. Take the harness to pieces and wash thoroughly with warm water and soap.

To Prevent Black Rot. As a preventive of black rot in vineyards next season the North Carolina Experiment Station recommends that all dead leaves and rotten grapes be raked up and removed, and rotten grapes clinging to the vines and trellises picked off.

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Hollyhocks. In old times the hollyhock was the most formal of all flowers, says Woman's Home Companion. For a century after its introduction there was no change in its form or the dull tints of its colorings.

Farm Notes. Don't crowd your hens into too small quarters this winter, for that invites roup.

Clover as a Poultry Food. Clover is not only more suitable as summer food for poultry, owing to its bulky nature, compared with corn, but it is also more nutritious, as it contains a greater quantity of the substances required for the production of eggs.

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Those who have the most happiness think the least about it. But in thinking about and in doing their duty happiness comes because the heart and mind are occupied with earnest thought that touches at a thousand points, the beautiful and sublime realities of the universe.—Thackeray.

The soul of man does violence to itself when it is overpowered by pleasure or by pain, when it plays a part and does or says anything insincerely and untruly, when it allows any act of its own and any movement to be without an aim, and does anything thoughtlessly and without considering what it is, it being right that even the smallest thing be done with reference to an end.—Marcus Aurelius.

To be famous depends upon some fortuitous, to be rich depends upon birth or luck, to be intellectually eminent may depend on the appointment of Providence; but to be a man, in the sense of substance, depends solely on one's own noble ambition and determination to live in contact with God's open atmosphere of truth and right from which all true manliness is inspired and fed.—T. S. King.

Unfailing courtesy, kindness, tenderness and consideration for others are some of the greatest ornaments to the character of the child of God. The world can understand these things, if it cannot understand doctrine. There is no religion in rudeness, roughness, bluntness and incivility. The perfection of practical religion consists in attending to the little duties of holiness as well as to the great.—J. C. Ryle.

I may be your prayer is like a ship which, when it gets on a very long voyage, does not come home laden so soon; but when it does come home it has a richer freight. Mere coasts will bring you coals, or such like ordinary things, but they that go afar to Tarshish return with gold and ivory.

Would that it were possible for the heart and mind to enter into all the life that grows and teems upon the earth—to feel with it, hope with it, sorrow with it—and thereby to become a grander, nobler being!

Volunteers. A story which is told of a small boy who declared that he would be neither soldier nor sailor lest he should be killed or drowned, but would be a volunteer like his father, is rather severe on the citizen soldier.

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A Dress Goods Counter Episode. She was a tailor-made young lady of 20 years, who sat at the silk counter with a bit of black taffeta in her dainty fingers.

Knows It All. "Bligins is very opinionated. He thinks that nobody can teach him anything."

PEARLS OF THOUGHT.

The climate would cure me, I found. I was not taken. But what the climate could not do, Peruna could and did do. Seven weeks' trial convinced me that I had the right medicine, and I was then a well man.

Peruna cures catarrh of the kidneys, bladder and kidney trouble through the use of Peruna, and it has a host of friends in this city.

Peruna strikes at the very center of the difficulty, by radiating the catarrh from the kidneys. Catarrh is the cause of kidney difficulty. Remove the cause and you remove the effect.

Thousands of Testimonials. Thousands of testimonials from people who have had kidney disease which had gone beyond the control of the physician.

Children and Candy. Physician Blames Sweets For Young Folks' Deterioration. In the course of a lecture delivered in London recently, Professor Ogston said that after many years of medical experience among children he was convinced there were many in whom the tendency to sugar gluttony had become so strong that their infatuation for it resembled the craving of a drunkard for liquor.

King Gay. "One of the tiny islands of the Hawaiian group is owned outright by an American named Gay," said Mr. E. T. Corwell of San Francisco.

Fine Manuscript Bible. The most beautiful volume in the Congressional Library at Washington is a Bible which was transcribed on parchment by a monk in the sixteenth century.

B.B.B. BOTANIC BLOOD BALM. The Great Tested Remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Sciatica, Rheumatism, Catarrh, Ulcers, Eczema, Sores, Eruptions, Weakness, Nervousness, and all BLOOD AND SKIN DISEASES.

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Thompson's Eye Water. It is used with a glass eye, or with a natural eye, for all eye troubles.

CATARRH IS THE CAUSE OF MOST KIDNEY DISEASES.



SAMUEL R. SPRECHER. Samuel R. Sprecher, Junior, Beadle, Court Angelina, 3122, L. O. E. F., 205 New High St., Los Angeles, Cal., writes: "I came here a few years ago suffering with catarrh of the kidneys, in search of health. I thought the climate would cure me, I found. I was not taken. But what the climate could not do, Peruna could and did do. Seven weeks' trial convinced me that I had the right medicine, and I was then a well man.

Catarrh of the Kidneys a Common Disease—Kidney Trouble Often Fails to Be Regarded as Catarrh by Physicians. Catarrh of the kidneys is very common indeed. It is a pity this fact is not better known to the physicians as well as to the people.

England's Little War. England is constantly at war with some portion of the world. The Tibetan scouled mission is a warlike expedition, quickly following the close of the little war against the "Mad Mullah."

During some recent explorations at Pompeii an ancient kitchen was unearthed. Ask Your Dealer For Allen's Foot-Ease. A powder, it rests the feet, cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Sore, Itch, and Aching Feet, and Involving Nails.

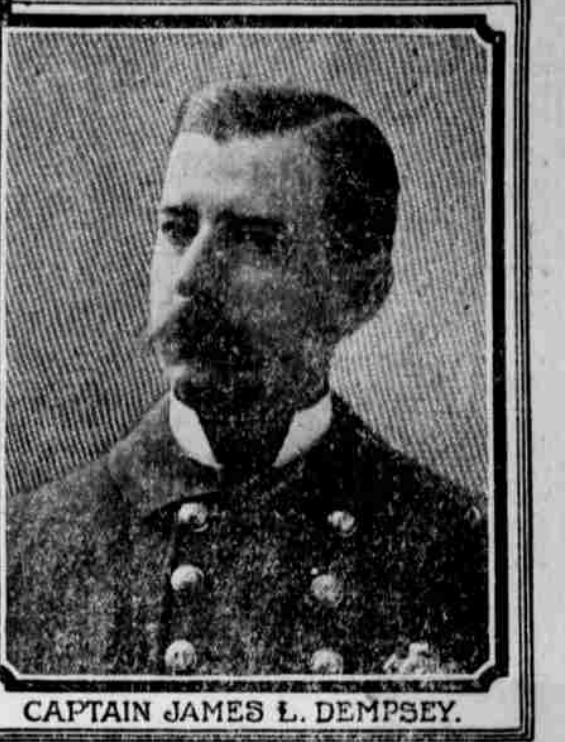
Bertha and Elsie Kinney, two young girls, have started to walk from Lamar, Mo., to South Carolina, where their father has bought a farm. They expect to get food from the farmers along the road.

A sheep eats seven hundredweight of grass in a year, a cow 60 hundred-weight.

It is said that when the tomb of Childeric, a king of the first Frankish dynasty in the fifth century, was opened in the seventeenth century, hundreds of golden bees were found in it.

Captain James L. Dempsey, Captain 2nd Precinct Troy Police Force, writes from 108 Ferry St., Troy, N. Y., as follows: "From my personal experience with Peruna I am satisfied it is a very fine remedy for catarrh in all affections, whether of the head, lungs, stomach or pelvic organs. It cures colds quickly, and a few doses taken after undue exposure prevents illness."

Office A. C. Swanson writes from 607 Harrison St., Council Bluffs, Ia., as follows: "As my duties compelled me to be out in all kinds of weather I contracted a severe cold from time to time, which settled in the kidneys, causing severe pains and trouble in the pelvic organs. 'I am now like a new man, am in splendid health and give all praise to Peruna.'—A. C. Swanson.



CAPTAIN JAMES L. DEMPSEY.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of the Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

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