

WHY MRS. PINKHAM

Is Able to Help Sick Women When Doctors Fail.

How gladly would men fly to woman's aid did they but understand a woman's feelings, trials, sensibilities, and peculiar organic disturbances.

Those things are known only to women, and the aid a man would give is not at his command.

To treat a case properly it is necessary to know all about it, and full information, many times, cannot be given by a woman to her family physician.



MRS. G. H. CHAPPELL.

She cannot bring herself to tell everything, and the physician is at a constant disadvantage. This is why, for the past twenty-five years, thousands of women have been confiding their troubles to Mrs. Pinkham, and whose advice has brought happiness and health to countless women in the United States.

Mrs. Chappell, of Grant Park, Ill., whose portrait we publish, advises all suffering women to seek Mrs. Pinkham's advice and use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as they cured her of inflammation of the ovaries and womb; she, therefore, speaks from knowledge, and her experience ought to give others confidence. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass., and her advice is absolutely free.

Ostrich Farming.

Early in the year, just as spring dawns, a pair will begin to build a nest, or rather to scrape one out of the ground. The male bird rests his breastbone on the ground and kicks the sand behind; when one side is sufficiently deep he turns, and a round hole about three feet in diameter and one foot deep is the result of his exertions; occasionally he intimates to the female that help is required, and they take turns.

The hen forthwith begins to lay an egg every day until twelve or fifteen are located side by side in this hole in the ground; they scatter a little sand over the eggs to protect them from the fierce rays of the California sun; this habit has doubtless led to the supposition printed in many ancient natural histories that the eggs of the ostrich are hatched by the sun, unaided by the birds. As soon as the full number of eggs are laid the couple share the labor of hatching; the male bird setting on the eggs from 4 o'clock in the afternoon until 9 o'clock the following morning; and it may be understood with what skill this is performed when it is understood that 250 pounds of ostrich is bearing down upon fourteen eggs; at 9 o'clock the hen takes his place. The male ostrich, however, with remarkable intelligence, relieves the female for an hour in the middle of the day while she goes in search of the necessary nourishment.

A pair will follow this regime with the greatest regularity for about forty days, when the eggs are hatched.—Colorado Springs Gazette.

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Great Britain eats her entire wheat crop in about thirteen weeks.

A. M. Priest, Druggist, Shelbyville, Ind., says: "Hall's Catarrh Cure gives the best satisfaction. Can get plenty of testimonials, as it cures every one who takes it." Druggists sell it, 75c.

No other sovereign in the world has as many physicians as the Czar.

A cord of wood weighs, on an average, two and a half tons.

Throw physic to the dogs—if you don't want the dogs; but if you want good digestion chew Beeman's Pepsin Gum.

To frown in a mirror will cast a serious reflection on any girl.

If you are continually bothered with headaches and are nervous send to Garfield Tea Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., for samples of Garfield's Headache Powders, a truly wonderful remedy for headaches and nervousness.

Canada Imported last year agricultural implements to the value of \$1,823,795.

W. L. DOUGLAS'S CURE FOR PILES WITH NO LUBE FALLS IN TIME. Sold by druggists.

BOSTON'S MATURE CUPID

DANIEL HAYES AND HIS AMULET LEAGUE OF LOVE.

Early Marriage Is What He Is Trying to Promote—He Has Already Established Circles of His League in Many Parts of the World—Boston Quite Enthusiastic.

Handbag Boston has a new cult. It is the Amulet League of Love, and of all the queer enterprises ever started it is averred that this latest ebullition of the higher life is the queerest.

The prophet of the new dispensation is Daniel Hayes. The purpose of the Amulet League of Love is to disseminate the doctrine of early marriage and pure love. Mr. Hayes has had an odd training for a man who, at the age of 50, thus takes up the work of Cupid. He has been a persistent, daring, adventurous and successful miner. He has roamed over the whole world. He was a forty-niner and washed the sands of California's golden slopes. He spent three years in Ecuador. He got in on the ground floor at Cripple Creek. When the Klondyke craze broke out Hayes journeyed to the Yukon. He spent a year there and acquired interests which he still holds. But think of it! From the Yukon a ice and snow, from the crags and gorges of Colorado, from the sun-parched clays of Arizona and New Mexico, to a Boston sociological cult!

Nevertheless, in the few months that he has been distributing his leaflets and spreading his propaganda, league circles have been organized all over New England, in Hong Kong, China, and even Cuba and Porto Rico. Hayes foots the small expense of organizing a circle.

When visited at his business office in the Colonial building, the first question Mr. Hayes asked the caller was: "My dear young sir, are you married?"

At the embarrassed and faltering, "No," Mr. Hayes speedily shot out the poser:

"No? Why not?"

Things were getting decidedly interesting for the interviewer, but before he could fix up a response Mr. Hayes was launched in an ardent speech.

"Do you know, young man, that the sins of society and the misery of the world are to be justly laid at the door of men like you? Do you realize, and he raised his hand ominously, "that marriage is a divinely ordained institution, and that upon arriving at the age of maturity it is your duty as a man and your obligation as a Christian to embrace it at once? No, you palter with natural instinct and natural law. You defer the day from mercenary motives.

"If you find yourself attracted to a beautiful and fitting maid you deny the manhood that is in you; you stifle the best impulse of your nature; you determine that you will wait until you have made a name, a fortune. You waste the best years of your life and then you lose your love. You waste the best years of your life and wither the finest bloom of a woman's heart and then lose your love.

"Worse than that, you lose your capacity for loving and you fall. You fall into sin, young man, as every confirmed bachelor must fall!"

He paused for breath an instant and then resumed with renewed vigor as it were. "The crime of all crimes is one not written in the statute books. It is the crime against home! The crime against love! The crime against the spirit of romance which if rightly cultivated would redeem the world."

Although somewhat disconcerted the caller managed to utter a desire for details concerning the Amulet League. Instantly the reformer's eyes lighted. Turning to a pile of leaflets, he handed one forth. It began thus:

"Paragraph 1—Each circle of the Amulet League of Love is strictly limited to an even number not to exceed 50 members and shall in no case contain a greater number.

"Paragraph 2—Sexes must be represented in equal proportions. For instance, a circle consisting of 10 members must contain five gentlemen.

"Paragraph 3—The accompanying pledge must be signed by the organizer and the members individually.

"Engagement.

"I hereby enroll myself as a member of the Amulet League of Love and I pledge myself to co-operate with all associated members in a psychic union of will power as well as by word and deed for the furtherance of the objects of the league. These objects are:

"The promotion of true marriage.

"The preservation of the home.

"The correction of the divorce evil.

"The establishment of one high standard of both sexes.

"The purification of humanity by mutual idealism.

"The cultivation of true romance.

"The revival of the chivalric ideal of true womanhood.

"The mutual success of all members.

"The universal triumph of love."

Mr. Hayes sees a great future for his plan. The interest with which the young people in and around Boston and elsewhere are rushing to his standard inspires him with the belief that it will be but a short time before the scores of circles will be entirely self-supporting, will have official printing matter and their own choice libraries of the famous writings of romance and lyric poetry, and in short, will lead to the day when through America, Europe, Asia, Africa and the Isles of the sea, young people will be following the behests of foreordination and be marrying and nesting building the moment they reach maturity.

"Carnegie endows libraries," exclaimed the Amulet prophet dramatically; "Miss Gould aids colleges and the army and navy; Stanford, Rockefeller and the others have taken to

universities, but my humble ameliorating shall be devoted to spreading the gospel of early and pure love.

"I have lived according to my doctrines. I married at 19, reared a large and happy family and blessed the day that I married. The prevailing filippany with regard to the subject of marriage grieves me. The most beautiful suggestion in this world is the youthful love of an untainted man for a pure girl. Every sane person knows it. Yet to scoff and deride marriage is the fashion of the hour.

"Why in France, the state has come to propose a tax on bachelors! I do not believe in taxing or trying to force a man's love. But I do believe in striving to make it a fashion for young people to marry and marry for true love and not because of ambition or of position.

"When I see the scores of young women toiling in factories, wanting to marry, yet prevented from lack of social opportunities to make the acquaintance of manly young men; when I find a social custom that leads a young man to think he must have money and fame before he can marry, I say—out upon such a monstrous social edict! These little circles I am seeking to establish will bring the young people together and help to give love its chance, association with the noblest in literature and poetry its chance!"—New York Sun.

GREAT WEATHER SHARPS.

Sailors of the Gulf of Mexico of the Olden Times Were Experts.

"The greatest weather sharps in the world," said a citizen who takes an interest in meteorology, especially of the goose bone brand, "were the old-time sea captains in the Gulf and coast trade. Squall smelling was a necessary part of their business, for, as you probably know, the biggest dirty weather factory in the universe is the Caribbean sea. There are no such things as times and seasons down there, and what's coming next is a matter of pure chance. It may be a calm and it may be a rip-roaring hurricane, so the men who cruised in those waters before we had any signal service to help them out had to keep continually on the alert, and it's no wonder that some of them acquired a skill that seemed next door to supernatural. It became a sort of instinct—a second nature—with them, and they couldn't tell how they did it themselves. They would predict changes before they were even hinted at in the glass; they would anticipate the very caprice of the wind, and many a time they saved their ships and their skins by quick, sharp orders which for the moment appeared to be nothing short of preposterous. Of course it was all a matter of minute observation a good deal of which was no doubt unconscious. They had learned, by long experience to read meaning in the different forms of clouds and the way the cloud strata lay in the upper air; the water was an open book to them, and they would detect a hundred and one small atmospheric phenomena invisible to an ordinary observer. I was on the ship of one of these famous old weather prophets years ago on a voyage to Havana. We were just entering the harbor when the captain, who had been moody and distraught for several hours, suddenly called the mate and ordered him to get anchored as quickly as possible and make everything fast for a hurricane. The mate made a mild protest. 'The glass is pretty steady, sir,' he said. 'Never mind,' said the captain; 'it's a-coming, all the same!' The crew lost no time in carrying out the order, and while they were at work making things trim the barometer began falling like a man tumbling down an elevator shaft. He had barely time to get in shape for trouble when a typical tropical storm came swooping out of the east and played havoc with the unprepared shipping. Several good sized craft were knocked to pieces, but we escaped with no damage whatever. I tried to get the captain to tell me how he knew the gale was coming, but his answers were vague. That he 'felt it in his bones' was the nearest he came to a definite statement. This old tribe of prophets seems to have died out," added the meteorological enthusiast, "and the modern sea captain doesn't make any pretensions in that line. Storm smelling has become a lost art."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

News of Victoria's Death in India.

When the telegram arrived stating that the German emperor was hurrying off to Osborne to be at the deathbed of the queen the natives of India at once said that he was eager to put in a claim for the crown of England, as the son of the eldest child of the queen. This report spread far and wide, and no amount of argument would convince the natives otherwise. Their traditions almost invariably depict a fight for the crown on the death of a reigning monarch. When a rajah dies his heirs always squabble and intrigue over the succession. Even the intelligent Indian fancied that the emperor would try to seize Great Britain. When a telegram arrived stating that the Prince of Wales looked "worried and haggard" and that the emperor was "very grave," it was at once concluded that the quarrel had begun. Finally, when it was stated that a German squadron was going to Portsmouth for the funeral the natives looked unutterably wise and said: "Of course he will wait until the queen's body is in the earth, then he will secretly turn his guns on the British fleet." In such strange circles does the Asiatic mind revolve. Bombay Correspondent, Chicago Record-Herald.

A London bootblack displays this sign in sight of his patrons: "If you like my work, tell your friends; if you don't like it, tell me."

In one hundred years, while the population of the world has doubled, the population of the United States has increased fourteen fold. The wealth has increased fifty fold.

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Old King Cole had a wise old poll, And a wise old poll had he; He ate and he drank foods of highest rank— So he favored LION COFFEE. And he knew 'twas best, by a varied test— That millions of homes it pleased. LION COFFEE grand was the only brand That his appetite appeased.

If Old King Cole could have control Today of the public mind, No Coffee brand but the "LION" grand On the market we could find. And the LION heads whose value spreads Satisfaction through the land, Would be bringing grief from the Premium List Given with the LION brand!

In every package of LION COFFEE you will find a fully illustrated and descriptive list. No housekeeper, in fact, no woman, man, boy or girl will fail to find in the list some article which will contribute to their happiness, comfort and convenience, and which they may have by simply cutting out a certain number of Lion Heads from the wrappers of our one pound sealed packages (which is the only form in which this excellent coffee is sold). **WOOLSON SPOFF CO., TOLEDO, OHIO.**

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