

Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. РІЙКНАМ : — I felt very discouraged two years ago, I had suf-fered so long with kidney troubles and other complications, and had taken so much medicine without relief that I began to thigh there was no hope for me. Life looked so good to me, but what is life without health? I wanted to be well.



MRS. LOUISE M. GIBSON.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegc-table Compound cured me and made me well, and that is why I gladly write you this, and gladly thank you; six bottles was all I took, together with your Pills My headache and with your Pills. My headache and backache and kidney trouble went, never to return ; the burning sensation I had left altogether; my general health was so improved I felt as young and light and happy as at twenty." --MRS. LOUISE GIBSON, 4813 Langley Ave., Chicago, Ill.-\$5000 forfeit if above

If you feel that there is anything at all unusual or puzzling about your case, or if you wish confidential advice of the most experienced, write to Mrs. Finkham, Lynn, Mass., and you will be advised free of charge. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured and is curing thousands of cases of female trouble.



Paris supplies, free of cost, sulfurous paths to all persons engaged in handling ead. PUTNAM FADELESS DYES do not spot, streak or give your goods an unevenly dyed appear-ance. Sold by all druggists. Five Presidents of the United States have been of Scotch-Irish descent.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for nny case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Che-ney for the last 15 years, and believe him per-fectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obliga-tion mode by their form: tion made by their firm. WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo

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WALDING, KINNAN&MARVIN, Wholesale Drug-gists, Toledo, Ohio. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, act-Ing directly upon the blood and mucous sur-faces of the system. Price, 75c, per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

There were 150,000 children at school in India sixty years ago. There are 4,000,000

Best For the Bowels.

No matter what ails you, headache to a can-er, you will never get well until your bowels cor, you will never get well until your bowels are put right. CASCARETS help nature, cure you without a gripe or pain, produce easy natural movements, cost you just 10 cents to start getting your health back. CASCARETS Candy Cathartic, the genuine, put up in metal boxes, every tablet has C. C. C. stamped on it. Beware of imitations.

Any man may make a name for himselt, but a woman may make several, if she marries often enough.

Brooklyn, N.Y., Feb.20.—The activity at the laboratory of the Garfield Tea Co. is further evidence of the popularity of their prepara-tions; over Three Million Families used Garfield Remedies last year! This vast public approval speaks well for the remedies. They are: Garfield Tea, Garfield Headache Powlers, Garfield-Tea Syrup, Garfield Relief Plas-ers, Garfield Belladonna Plasters, Garfield Digestive Tablets and Garfield Cold Cure.

Because wealth doesn't always bring hap piness is no reason why we should culti vate poverty.

FITS permanently cured. No fits or nervous-ness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great NerveRestorer. \$2 trial bottle and treatise free Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa. Does a standing army ever occupy the

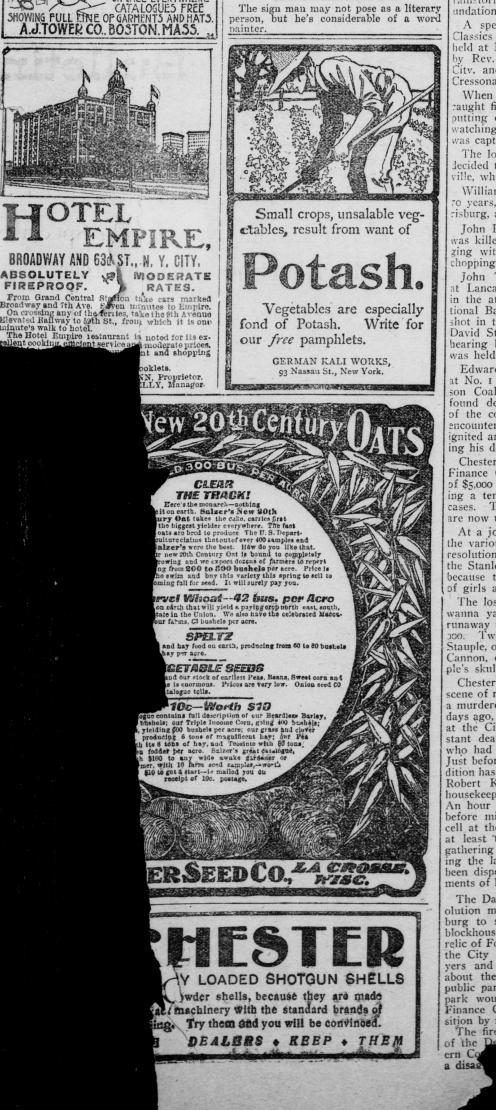
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, soften the gums, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colle. 25c a bottle.

Because a man is ungainly is no reason rhy he should not gain in weight.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.-N. W SAMUEL, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

Paradoxical as it may seem a square meal is one that will go around.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse in the Children's Home, in New York. Cure Fererishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disor-ders, move and regulate the Bowels and Destroy Worms. Over 30,000 testimonials. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE Address Allen S. Olmstead, LeRoy, N. Y.



BRIEFLY TOLD. Condensed Special Dispatches From Many Points.

PATENTS AND PENSIONS GRANTED.

PENNSYLVANIA

Officers Spirited the Man Away to Save Hin From Angry Crowd-Children Burn to Death-Engineer and Trainmen Blamed for Accident-Steam Radiator Explodes in a Shirt Factory-Crazed by Ilis Error.

Patents granted Pennsylvanians: Al

pert J. Bearer, New Kensington, specu-um; Arthur B. Bellows, Pittsburg, steel ar truck frame, also truck bolster; Jos.

E. Bissell, Pittsburg, means for effect-ing the noiseless discharge of guns; Samuel S. Brechbiel, Altoona, folding stool; John F. Budke, Cannonsburg, crate for rolls; David H. Burkey, Allegheny, weather strip; George G. Craw-tord, Braddock, furnace valve and dust tatcher; William H. Cullers, Allegheny, netallic wheel hub; John L. Dawes and

W. F. Hull, Pittsburg, chipping glass; Samuel Diescher, Pittsburg, heating fur nace; also drawing tubes; Robert T. illespie, Rochester, currycomb; also hill support; Thomas Gunning, Pittsourg, feed water heater and purifier; Alvear.

xander Heiden, Allegheny, car; Julian Kennedy, Pittsburg, rolling mill; The-on R. Palmer, Erie, billiard table cushon, Wm. M. Piper, Allegheny, draft rigging; Peter L. Swank, Conemaugh,

witch-throwing device. These pensions were granted: Wm Reiff, Pittsburg, \$6; Peter H. Zell, Bea-ver Falls, \$12; Andrew J. Campbell, Blairs Mills, \$12; Nehemiah M. Brunage, Brownsville, \$8; Peter Kinsey, Jr.

dage, Brownsville, \$8; Peter Kinsey, Jr., Johnstown, \$17; David Ray, Coopers-own, \$24; George L. Smith, Stanton, \$16; John R. Kingsley, Cambridge Springs, \$10; John E. Swartz, Henri-etta, \$8; Lewis J. Kimble, Mitchell Creek, \$8; Jacob H. DeHaas, Kerr-moor, \$8; minor of Jonathan Lohr, Hooversville, \$10; Mary Foster, Union Church, \$12; Hannah Atkinson, Pitts-burg \$12; Samuel A Money Bradford

Murg, \$12; Samuel A. Money, Bradford, 56; John Mull, Washington, \$10; James A. Painter, Apollo, \$10; John C. Am-prose, Sylvan, \$10; David Potts, Smith's erry, \$8. Fire at Coatesville destroyed the nouses of William Johns and David H. Mills, in the southern part of the bor-

Anthony Morica, who was injured by lling coal at Gilberton Colliery, Ma-moy City, died at the Miners' Hos-

While purchasing a revolver in a Nor-stown gun store, William McCormick, Bridgeport, accidentally shot himself the left hand. The body of Wassil Barrill was found

the Cranberry Mine, Hazleton, where e was drowned three months ago. Wasill entered the mines during a heavy ainstorm, which caused a sudden inndation of the mines.

A special meeting of the Schuylkill Classics of the Reformed Church was held at Pottsville. Addresses were made by Rev. J. G. Kershner, of Mahanoy tv, and Rev. C. E. Bartholomew, of ressona.

When a smallpox guard's shanty aught fire at Pittston and he was busy utting out the flames the patient was atching his escape from the house. He captured a nall nour later. le, which will cost \$80,000. William Bitner, of Port Royal, aged years, and Mrs. Bella Gish, of Harsburg, also 70 years old, were married. John Brown, of Chase, a lumberman, as killed on the mountains while loging with his father. A tree he was opping down fell on him. John Thomas, who is under arrest Lancaster on charges of complicity in the attempted raid on the Gap Na-tional Bank a week ago, and who was shot in the mouth by Night Watchman David Stamix, was given a preliminary hearing before Alderman Spurrier and was held for trial at court. Edward Broome, a fire boss, employed t No. 1 Mine of the Delaware & Hudon Coal Company, at Plymouth, was found dead in an abandoned working of the colliery. Broome had evidently encountered a body of gas, which had gnited and an explosion occurred, causng his death. Chester City Councils authorized the inance Committee to negotiate a loan f \$5,000 to be used in securing or erectng a temporary building for smallpox cases. Twenty-four cases of smallpox are now under guarantine in Chester. At a joint meeting of a committee of the various trades unions of Pottstown resolutions were adopted condemning the Stanley G. Flagg Foundry Company because they have employed a number of girls as coremakers. The loss by the wreck in the Lackawanna yard in Scranton, caused by a unaway train, will reach close to \$100,-200. Two men were injured—Charles Stauple, of Washington, N. J., and Thos. Cannon, of Hackettstown, N. J. Stauple's skull was fractured. Chester was on the edge of another scene of riot, with the intent of lynching a murderer, as she went through twelve days ago, when 5,000 men were gathered at the City Hall clamoring for the in-stant death of West, the colored man who had killed Policeman Mark Allen. Just before noon on this day, which traition has given over to thoughts of love, Robert Kilpatrick shot to death his ousekeeper, Mrs. Elizabeth Bearmore. An hour later he was under arrest and before midnight had been locked in a cell at the county prison at Media, but at least twice in the interim crowds gathering with muttered threats of taking the law into their own hands, had been dispersed only by the cooler argu-ments of less hotheaded citizens. The Daughters of the American Revolution made another attempt at Pittsburg to save the environs of the old blockhouse at the point, the standing relic of Fort Pitt. They appeared before the City Finance Committee with lawyers and asked to have the property about the blockhouse purchased for a public park. The estimated cost of the park would be about \$3,500,000. The Finance Committee shelved the proposition by referring it to a subcommittee. The firemen at the Avondale collicry of the Delaware, Lackawanna & West-ern Control w went on strike because of a disage ont over the hours of work.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

General Trade Conditions. R. G. Dun & Company's "Weekly Re-

iew of Trade" says: Business continies to progress satisfactorily, notwith-

standing heavy losses through the elenents. The new year has been unusually handicapped in this way, floods and now blockades being closely followed by fires and explosions, destroying much property and retarding traffic. It is only another evidence of the solid basis upon which the nation's industries are established that in each case plans for rebuild ing on a grander scale were made before

the shock of the catastrophe had fully bassed. The labor situation has distinctly im-

proved during the past week. In the iron and steel industry it is now eing demonstrated that there is such a thing as too much prosperity. The re-sult is a gradual falling behind with deliveries and a tendency of buyers to send orders abroad whenever needs are

Higher prices were the rule in the markets for the leading agricultural staples.

Continued strength is to be noted in Il the cereals and flour.

Failures for the week numbered 240 in the United States, against 257 last year, and 33 in Canada, against 40 last

LATEST QUOTATIONS.

Flour-Best Patent, \$4.90; High Grade Extra, \$4.40; Minnesota Bakers, \$3.25a

Wheat-New York No. 2, 887%; Phil-adelphia No. 2, 86a861/2c; Baltimore No. 2. 85C

Corn-New York No. 2, 681/2; Philaelphia No. 2, 651/2a66c; Baltimore No , 651/4C

Oats—New York No. 2, 49c; Philadel-hia No. 2, 50½; Baltimore No. 2, 49c. Green Fruits and Vegetables.—Apples -Western Maryland and Pennsylvania, acked, per brl., \$3.00a3.50; do. New

York, assorted, per brl., \$3.75a4.50. Cabbage—New York State, per ton, domestic, \$15.00a16.00; do. Danish, per on, \$18.00a20.00. Carrots-Native, per bushel box, 40a45c; do. per bunch, 11/2a 2c. Celery-New York State, per dozen

stalks, 25a4oc; do. native, per bunch, 3a 4c. Cranberries—Cape Cod, per brl., \$6.00a6.50; do. Jerseys, per brl., \$5.50a 5.50. Eggplants—Florida, per crate, \$3.50a4.00. Kale—Native, per bushel box, 15a2oc. Lettuce—North Carolina, per balf barred basket 25c a\$1 00 Onions per half-barrel basket, 75c.a\$1.00. Onions -Maryland and Pennsylvania, yellow,

er bu., \$1.20a\$1.30; do. Western, yelow, per bu. \$1.25a1.30. Oranges-Floria, per bx., as to size, \$2.00a2.50. Oyster-

plants-Native, per bunch, \$4.00a4.50. Spinach-Native, per bu. box, \$1.00a1.15. Strawberries-Florida, per quart, 30a35c. Tomatoes-Florida, per six-basket carrier, fancy, \$2.75a3.25; Turnips-Native,

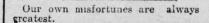
per bushel box, 25a3oc. Potatoes. — White — Maryland and Pennsylvania, per bu., No. 1, 75a8oc; do. seconds, 65a7oc; do. New York, per bu., best stock, 75a8oc; do. seconds, 65a 70c; do. Western, per bu., prime, 75a Soc. Sweets-Eastern Shore, Virginia, kiln-dried, per brl., \$2.50a2.75; do. per flour brl., \$2.75a3.25; do. Maryland, per orl., fancy, \$2.50a2.75. Provisions and Hog Products.—Bulk

clear rib sides, 9¹/₄c; bulk clear sides, 9¹/₂c; bulk shoulders, 9c; bulk ham butts, 9¹/₄c; bacon, shoulders, 9¹/₂c; sugar-cured breasts, 10³/₄c; sugar-cured

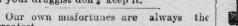
Muscular Soreness As the result of over-exertion and exposure to heat and cold, or from whatever cause, may be treated successfully by the timely application of St. Jacobs Oil. A thorough rubbing is necessary. The Oil should be applied vigorously for at least twenty minutes, two or three times daily, when all pain, soreness, stiffness will be removed in twenty-four hours. It will also strengthen and harden the muscles. Football players, gymnasts and all athletes will find St. Jacobs Oil superior to any other remedy for outward application, for the reason that its action is more rapid and its effect permanent. Thousands of people all over the world use and recommend St. Jacobs Oil for muscular soreness. A twenty-five-cent bottle is quite sufficient to prove its efficacy. In cases where muscular soreness is complicated with any disease which requires an alterative Vogeler's Curative Compound should be taken. This prepared by the proprietors of St. Jacobs Oil, Baltimore, Md., who

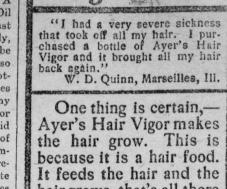
California has almost a monopoly of the cultivation of apricots in the United States.

Dr. James C. Lewis, Tip Top, Ky., writes: "I have an invalid friend who has had great benefit from Tetterine in chronic tetter. Send a box to above address." 50c. a box by mail from J. T. Shuptrine, Savanah. Ga., if your druggist don't keep it.



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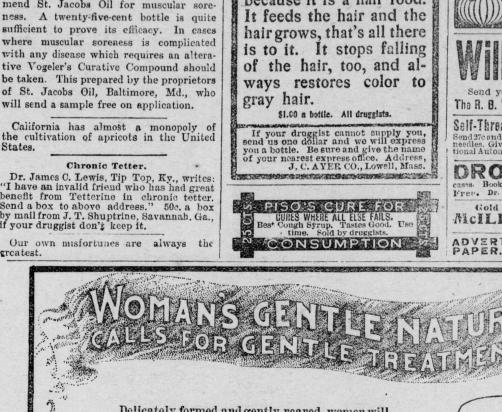
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MCILHENNY'S TABASCO ADVERTISE IN THIS IT PAYS

Delicately formed and gently reared, women will find, in all the seasons of their lives, as maids or wives or mothers, that the one simple, wholesome remedy which acts gently and pleasantly and naturally, and which may be used with truly beneficial effects, under any conditions, when the system needs a laxative-is-Syrup of Figs. It is well known to be a simple combination of the laxative and carminative principles of plants with pleasant, aromatic liquids, which are agreeable and refreshing to the taste and acceptable to the system when its gentle cleansing is desired.

a transient nature and do not come from any organic trouble and it is pleasant to know that they yield so promptly to the beneficial effects of Syrup of Figs, but when anything more than a laxative is needed it is best to consult the family physician and to avoid the old-time cathartics and loudly advertised nostrums of the present day. When one needs only to remove the strain, the torpor, the congestion, or similar ills, which attend upon a constipated condition of the system, use the true and gentle remedy-Syrup of Figs-and enjoy freedom from the depression, the aches and pains, colds and headaches, which are due to inactivity of the bowels.

Only those who buy the genuine Syrup of Figs can hope to get its beneficial effects and as a guarantee of the excellence of the remedy the full name of the company-California Fig Syrup Co.-is printed on the front of every package and without it any preparation offered as Syrup of Figs is fraud-



Many of the ills from which women suffer are of

California hams, 834c; hams, canvased The local Methodist congregation has or uncanvased, 12 lbs. and over, 12c; recided to build a new church at Potts- fined lard, tierces, barrels and 50-lb. cans, gross, 101/2e; refined lard, secondhand tubs, 103/4c.

Butter-Separator, 28229c; gathered eream, 25a26c; imitation, 21a22c; prints, 1 lb., 27a28c; rolls, 2 lb., 26a27c; dairy prints, Md., Pa. and Va., 27a28c. Eggs .- Western Maryland and Penn-

ylvania, per dozeń, 27c; Eastern Shore, Maryland and Virginia, per dozen, 27c; Virginia, per dozen, 27c; West Vir-ginia, per dozen, 26a27c; Western, 27c;

outhern, 25a26c.

Live Poultry .-- Turkeys-Hens, choice -a15c; young toms, choice, 13a14c; old toms, 11a12c. Chickens-Hens, 11a12c; old roosters, each, 25a30; young, 12a13. Ducks-Fancy, large, 13a14c; fancy,

small, 11a12; muscovy and mongrels, 11a13. Geese, Western, each, 60a75c. Pigeons, young, per pair, 20225c. Cheese—New Cheese, large, 60 lbs., 11½c to 11½c; do. flats, 37 lbs., 11¼a

11/2c; picnics, 23 lbs., 11/4c to 11/4c. Hides—Heavy steers, association and salters, late kill, 60 lbs. and up, close se-lection, 10a11c; cows and light steers,

Sage.

Live Stock.

Chicago.-Cattle-Good to prime steers, \$6.50a6.75; poor to medium, \$4.00 a6.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.50a475; cows, \$1.25a2.25; heifers, \$2.25a5.25; canners, \$1.25a2.25; bulls, \$2.25a4.60. Hogs-mixed and light, weak; close, Hogs-mixed and light, weak; close, lower; mixed and butchers, \$5.80a6.30; good to choice heavy, \$6.30a6.45; rough, heavy, \$6.00a6.25; light, \$5.75a5.90; bulk of sales, \$5.85a6.25. Sheep-good to choice wethers, \$4.75a5.25; fair to choice mixed, \$3.85a4.20; Western sheep and yearlings, \$4.25a5.80; native lambs, \$3.75a6.75; Western lambs, \$5.25a6.75.

East Liberty.—Cattle steady; choice \$6.506.75; prime, \$6.25a6.40; good; \$5.60 a6.00. Hogs steady, prime heavies, \$6.15 a6.50; mediums, \$6.30a6.40; heavy Yorkers, \$6.20a6.25; light Yorkers, \$6.00a6.15, pigs, \$5.80a5.90; roughs, \$5.00a6.00. Sheep steady; best wethers \$5.10a5.35; culls and common, \$2.00a3.00; yearlings, \$4.5025.65.

LABOR AND INDUSTRY

Chillicothe, Ohio, has women street car conductors. There are 1,513 miles of sewers in Greater New York.

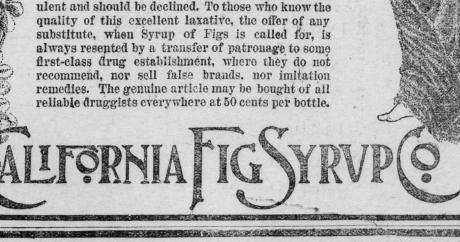
Indianapolis has revived the project td build a labor temple.

The French Chamber of Deputies has adopted the eight-hour bill for miners. The Brewers and Bottlers' Union has

gained an eight-hour day at Grand Rapids, Mich. Chicago school teachers are making bitter fight against the proposed 20 per cent. reduction in salaries. The cry of "scab" is a sufficient cause

for an officer to make an arrest under the new police order in Boston. About 75,000 machinists are now working under a nine-hour system, and 2,000 are striking for a similar conces-

The Canadian Pacific Railroad will build immense locomotive and car works





A LUXURY WITHIN THE REACH OF ALL.

Lion Heads, Lion Heads They are all the rage at present. Lion Heads, Lion Heads, Clipping them is task that's pleasant. Cut from LION COFFEE WRAPPERS, They of woman's heart are trappers, Also tempt a host of papes, They are being clippe⁻ incessant!

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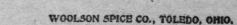
Lion Heads, Lion Heads--What a value they are meaning! Lion Heads, Lion Heads Women have to them a leaning. LION COFFEE is excelling Every other kind now selling, Millions are its praises telling--Praises ever intervening!

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