

# Women

### From Forty-Five to Fifty Are Much Benefited by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

The "change of life" is a most critical period in a woman's existence, and the anxiety felt by women as it draws near is not without reason.

When her system is in a deranged condition, she may be predisposed to apoplexy, or congestion of some organ. At this time, also, cancers and tumors are more liable to form and begin their destructive work.

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inquietude, and dizziness, are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period in life when woman's great change may be expected.

These symptoms are calls from nature for help. The nerves are crying out for assistance and the cry should be heeded in time.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is prepared to meet the needs of women's system at this trying period of her life. It invigorates and strengthens the female organism and builds up the weakened nervous system. It has carried many women safely through this crisis.



Mrs. Estella Gillispie

### ONE CASE OUT OF MANY TO PROVE OUR CLAIMS.

St. Anne, Ill.—"I was passing through the change of life and I was a perfect wreck from female troubles. I had a displacement and bearing down pains, weak fainting spells, dizziness, then numb and cold feelings. Sometimes my feet and limbs were swollen. I was irregular and had so much backache and headache, was nervous, irritable and was despondent. Sometimes my appetite was good but more often it was not. My kidneys troubled me at times and I could walk only a short distance.

"I saw your advertisement in a paper and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I was helped from the first. At the end of two months the swelling had gone down, I was relieved of pain, and could walk with ease. I continued with the medicine and now I do almost all my housework. I know your medicine has saved me from the grave and I am willing for you to publish anything I write to you for the good of others."—Mrs. ESTELLA GILLISPIE, R.F.D. No. 4 Box 34, St. Anne, Illinois.

W. C. T. U. in the United Brethren Church, on Sept. 28.

Recent visitors at the college were, Mrs. John Hellman, Lancaster; W. E. Glasire and Kathryn Longenecker, Palmyra; Etta Kough, Carlisle; John Shelley, Paul Shelley, Richfield; and John Kaufman, Harrisburg.

The Literary Committee have arranged the following course of lectures and entertainments for the season of 1912 to '13.

On Oct. 9, Humphrey C. Delbert will give a lecture recital on James Whitcomb Riley in the College Chapel.

The second number is an Elocutionary and Musical Entertainment under the direction of Prof. George P. Bible and will take place in Heisey's auditorium on Oct. 30.

Dr. Byron C. Platt, who lectured on American Morals in the last year's course will give a lecture at the College Chapel on January 21, 1913. His subject will be announced later.

Hon. H. Frank Eshleman of Lancaster will give a lecture entitled German Swiss Religious Foundations and background of Lancaster County, at the College Chapel on Feb. 13.

Col. George W. Bain, of Lexington, Kentucky, will lecture in April on the subject The New Woman and the Old Man, at the College Chapel.

Dr. D. W. Kurtz, Pastor of the First Church of the Brethren of Philadelphia, will give the last lecture of the course on May 15, at the College Chapel, his subject being the Meaning of Culture.

### An Obstacle to Road Improvement

A person rarely takes to a proposition until he is convinced of its merits, or that it will have a beneficial effect on his interests. This is true in every line of business and in every phase of life, and it is especially true when the proposition involves the expenditure of money or labor. The improvement of our public roads requires the expenditure of both money and labor. It is plain therefore, that those from whom the money and labor for improving our roads must come first be convinced that it will insure to their beneficial interests and general welfare.

This has been one of the greatest obstacles to road improvement. After more than ten years of active campaigning to emphasize the necessity for the work, says Logan Waller Page, director of the United States Office of Public Roads, in the National Grange, its importance has not been fully realized by the people.

Some of them, in fact, many of them, thoroughly appreciate the vast economic and social advantages which will result from good roads, but the majority do not. A reversal of this majority will be the greatest achievement yet attained by the agitation for road improvement, and the only method where by that may be accomplished is through a systematic education of the people as to the benefits which will accrue to them.

The advantages of good roads extend to every citizen, whether he live in city or country, and to every enterprise, whether it be agricultural, manufacturing, or mining. All are more or less dependent on the common highways as an avenue of the commercial transportation, and in proportion as these highways are improved so as to facilitate transportation are they benefited there by. These benefits have been carefully computed and estimated in dollars and cents, and so enormous have they been thus demonstrated to be that they present a convincing argument to any thinking man of the importance and necessity for road improvement.

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# DON'T PAY CARE FARE

## Ride To Lancaster and Back At Our Expense

We pay your round trip car fare from anywhere in Lancaster County on purchases of \$10 or more. This is the ideal store for out of town folks.

### Next Wednesday is "Opportunity Day"

THE LIST OF ITEMS WILL BE LARGER THAN EVER AND THE PRICE WILL ALLOW YOU TREMENDOUS SAVINGS ON THE MOST DESIRABLE, NEW, FRESH, FALL MERCHANDISE. IT'S GOING TO BE A RECORD BREAKER. DON'T MISS IT.

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IT PAYS TO BUY FOR CASH—AT DONOVAN'S. WE ARE GOING TO TELL YOU WHY. WE BUY FOR SPOT CASH AND THEREBY DEMAND SUBSTANTIAL DISCOUNTS; OUR PURCHASES ARE ENORMOUS AND THEREBY OBTAIN CONCESSIONS THAT THE SMALL STORES IN LANCASTER ARE UNABLE TO OBTAIN; WE SELL FOR CASH AND THEREBY ARE NOT COMPELLED TO CHARGE YOU FOR LOSSES, INTERESTS, COLLECTION EXPENSES, SUCH AS IS THE CUSTOM WITH INSTALLMENT OR CREDIT STORES. OUR PRICES ARE ABSOLUTELY A THIRD LESS THAN OTHERS ASK YOU FOR GOODS OF EQUAL QUALITY. NO MATTER WHAT DISCOUNT SUCH STORES ALLOW YOU, WE STILL CONTENT AND CAN PROVE THAT OUR PRICES ALLOW YOU A SUBSTANTIAL SAVING.

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\$10.50 Rugs—6x9 feet—\$8.25
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\$18.50 Rugs—9x12 feet—\$15.50
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### \$30 Brass Beds at \$21.90

A beautiful new Fall pattern; constructed with 2-inch posts with heavy mounts, heavy vertical flaring rods in head and foot parts form a neat panel effect, each rod having handcup ornaments at top and bottom; polished or dull finish. You can't equal this bed anywhere at the price.

We guarantee every Brass Bed, in our vast assemblage—for five years. As soon as Brass Beds became highly popular, every store offered a guarantee. Know your store—many promise, but not all back up what they advertise. Our guarantee is your protection.

### Join Our October Sewing Machine Club

#### \$2.00 Down: Then \$1.00 a Week

Will bring to your home on the day you choose it; any one of the Best Machines in the United States; all represented in our variety.

By this plan you can obtain the "Free," the best and most perfect machine ever invented or you can get the most wonderful machine at \$13.95 ever produced, besides any other in our stock which you prefer. Our \$17 "Donovan Special" is self threading and has no superior at the price.

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#### Lace Curtains One-Fourth Off

All full-length Curtains; made of the finest quality Egyptian yarn; beautiful Irish Point and Real Lace effects; double thread nets and overlook edges.

\$1.00 Values, 79c	\$2.50 Values, \$1.80
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### Save on Couch Covers

Heavy reversible Couch Covers, made of heavy reversible tapestry; 60 inches wide; in handsome Rug patterns and colorings.

Regular \$1 Couch Covers at 79c
Regular \$2 Couch Covers at \$1.49
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### FINE AXMINSTER CARPETS; 98c.

REGULAR \$1.25 GRADE

An exceptional offering of beautiful quality Axminster Carpets; a broad collection of very handsome patterns with borders to match, in soft rich colorings; greens and browns predominant, being the most favored carpet colorings for Fall.

### EXTRA GOOD QUALITY 75c BRUSSELS CARPETS 59c.

A clean up of odd rolls and dropped patterns; such that will not again be made up by the mills this season. A very rare opportunity to obtain floor coverings at less than mill cost. Bring room measurements with you; there's an extra good variety to choose from.

### 3-PIECE MISSION SUIT; EXACTLY LIKE CUT \$15.90

A good \$20 Suit for \$15.90. Three large roomy pieces; frames constructed of selected white oak, finished in Early English or fumed Oak; the seats are upholstered in extra quality Spa leathers; every piece finely finished. This Suit is a very special value, and one of the best we've been able to offer this season.

### \$16 China Closet, \$12.90

Golden Oak China Closets; made of the best grade of solid quartered white oak and beautifully finished in rich, golden color. Large size closet, will accommodate full 100-piece dinner set; adjustable shelves; French legs and carved feet. An exceedingly pretty pattern of new Fall design; an extraordinary value; would sell in every other store at \$16.00; Our price is \$12.90

### Beautiful Irish Point Lace Curtains

A very handsome gathering of Irish Point Lace Curtains, in the very newest and most effective designs. All full length curtains, with beautiful applique with borders on the very best quality nets. A very unusual opportunity; choose early.

\$2.50 Curtains—Special Price, \$1.98
\$3.50 Curtains—Special Price, \$2.98
\$5.00 Curtains—Special Price, \$3.98

### 200 Dozen Window Shades

25c and 50c Values, 19c and 39c

They're made of the best quality opaque shading, mounted on guaranteed spring roller; full variety of the most desirable colors; complete with fixtures ready to hang. A splendid offering just when change of window shades is most desired.

### Bedding, Extra Savings

Feather Bed-Pillows; good, clean, odorless and well cured feathers; covered with closely-woven art tick; striped with floral borders; 21x16 inches; \$2.50 values; pair \$1.98

White Bed Blankets; large size; soft and fleecy; fancy pink borders; regular \$1.50 values; \$1.13

Extra large size Blankets; twelve-quarter; all wool; white with pink border; very heavy; \$8.00 values; \$5.98

Comforts; of fine sateen; with border; filled with snow white cotton; well made; \$2.50 value \$1.19

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### Wilson Progressive Club

The mass meeting of the Wilson Progressive Club last Thursday night was a grand success, the size of the crowd being above the expectations of the most optimistic members of the club. Col. James Duffy of Marietta, candidate for state senator, Max Bucher, John R. Bucher and Dr. S. S. Mann of Columbia addressed the club. During the intervening week between the first and second meeting, twenty-four new members were added to the club, making its total membership on Thursday night fifty-nine progressive and enthusiastic members. The next meeting will be held to-morrow night, at which time it is expected a good many more new members will be added.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Dr. Henry F. Breneman, late of East Donegal township, Lancaster county, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing on R. D. 4, Mount Joy, Pa.

HARRIET H. BRENEMAN, W. M. Hollowbush, Atty. Executrix, Oct. 9-6t

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Anna Guhl, late of Mount Joy Township, deceased.

Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing in Florin, Pa.

JOHN F. GUHL, Administrator, Coyle & Keller, Attorneys.

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LILLIE WELFLY, Administrator, U. H. Hensel, Atty. Administratrix.

### ELIZABETHTOWN COLLEGE

#### Interesting Notes From That Great Educational Institution

On September 5, Elder Andrew Hutchinson, of McPherson, Kansas, visited the college, conducted Chapel Exercises, and addressed the school.

The workers in the culinary department of the college this year are, Mrs. Augusta Reber, Mrs. Katie Sonon, Mrs. Agnes Texiere, from Brooklyn, Misses Carrie Dohner, Helen Kline, Mary Scheaffer and Ella Ebersole.

Miss Luella G. Fogelsanger, who spent a number of years at the college, both as student and teacher, has gone to Juniata College, Huntingdon, Pa., to take charge of the commercial department.

Miss Myer and Rebekah Shaeffer attended the exercises in honor of Gen. Edward Hand held at Lancaster on Friday, Sept. 29, under the auspices of the Lancaster county Historical Society.

Mr. Samuel Dennis, farmer and janitor of the college, has now under his care ninety-five chickens and twenty-five pigs.

The first number of the College Lecture Course for this year will be given in the College Chapel, Oct. 9, at 8 P. M., by Humphrey C. Delbert. It will be a lecture recital on James Whitcomb Riley. All friends of the school will be welcome at any of these lectures.

Prof. R. W. Schlosser delivered a temperance sermon at Bareville on Sunday forenoon, Sept. 15, and in the afternoon he addressed a Children's Meeting at Earville.

Prof. H. K. Ober spent considerable time recently visiting the different churches in Eastern Pennsylvania, and laying before them plans for collecting funds to pay for the Orphanage Building now in process of erection on grounds adjacent to the Brethren's Home near Neffsville.

Elder S. R. Zug, for many years minister and elder of different churches in eastern Pennsylvania, preached at the College Chapel on Life, Sunday, Sept. 17. Elder Zug will move with his son John's family to Palmyra this Fall; and because of this, preached his farewell sermon on Sept. 22 in the Brethren Church in Elizabethtown. The college greatly appreciates the encouragement Elder Zug has always shown in its work. Twelve years ago he preached the dedicatory sermon when Alpha Hall was finished, and has shown his interest by attending many services held at the college on different occasions.

There are thirteen students enrolled in the Sewing Dept. and there are get more to come.

A ladies quartet, consisting of Misses Kathryn Miller, Leah M. Sheaffer, Elizabeth Kline and Carrie Dennis, took part in the District Sunday School Convention held in Elizabethtown, Sept. 19, and in a Temperance program held by the

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Letter carrier service will be established in Ephrata, on Oct. 16th, this being the initial inauguration of the town and village mail delivery service. The early designation in Lancaster county, for the experimental operation of the new system is an official recognition of the successful efforts of Congressman W. W. Griest, who was sponsor for the legislation in the House of Representatives, and through whose efforts a law and appropriation was secured for mail delivery and collection facilities in communities having second and third class post-offices.

So far this year sixteen counties have made their pavements in full and three on account, Philadelphia, Allegheny counties being the largest payers. These nineteen counties have paid in \$3,474,396.36 and a balance of \$1,535,603.64 is due. Considering the fact that the tax is not due for some weeks the estimates made at the auditor general's department, and the summary run higher if efforts being made to secure additional returns and pending