

# SHE COULD NOT STAND OR WORK

But Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health and Stopped Her Pains.

Portland, Ind.—"I had a displacement and suffered so badly from it that at times I could not be on my feet at all. I was all run down and so weak I could not do my housework, was nervous and could not lie down at night. I took treatments from a physician but they did not help me. My Aunt recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I tried it and now I am strong and well again and do my own work and I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound the credit."

—Mrs. JOSEPHINE KIMBLE, 335 West Race St., Portland, Ind.

Thousands of American women give this famous root and herb remedy the credit for health restored as did Mrs. Kimble.

For helpful suggestions in regard to such ailments women are asked to write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

The result of its long experience is at your service.

**For Skin Soreness**  
of infants and children you can find nothing that heals like

**Sykes Comfort Powder**  
Leading physicians and nurses have used and endorsed it for more than 25 years. 25¢ at the Vinal and other drug stores. The Comfort Powder Co., Boston, Mass.

A marriage license was issued this afternoon to Albert Francis Glass, printer of 125 Breckenridge street, Fort Wayne, born February 20, 1898, to wed Grace Shaw, waitress, born February 2, 1895, daughter of Harvey Shaw.

Jim Clark, of Bluffton, a discharged soldier, pleaded guilty to assault and battery on A. F. Hendrick, a Clover Leaf employee, February 22, and was fined \$5 in the circuit court here by Judge D. E. Smith, this afternoon at 1:30. The charge was made by H. A. Kehres, a railway detective. It seems that Clark got on a Clover Leaf train at Delphos, O. and it is said was intoxicated when the train had reached a point west of Peterson, in this county, Clark's hat fell off and he ordered the fellow in the next seat to pick it up for him. When he failed to comply with his orders, Clark is said to have hauled off and struck him in the mouth, splitting his lip.

**Rotherhithe Old Saxon Town.**  
Rotherhithe is one of those old English towns, Saxon in origin, whose name lends itself to two etymological explanations. Red Rose Haven is said to be the origin of Rotherhithe, from a Red Rose signboard which used to mark some seaman's tavern centuries ago. Probably the more accurate version points to the old Saxon word "redhwa," a mariner, and "hith," a haven, as accounting for the word. Certainly Rotherhithe had a great reputation for the quality of her seamen; Sir John Leake, the hero of La Hogue, hailed from the old port on the Thames. In Pepys' day it was commonly known as Redriff, and occurs under that name in the Diary on many occasions.

**The Pork Barrel.**  
The phrase "pork barrel" originated from an old saying of the people in the farm districts that they had no need to worry on account of a severe winter, as they had their barrels filled with salted pork or other meats. From this to the sharing of political plums is but a step. When appropriations for improvements are made by congress or legislatures, such as post office improvements, and river and harbor work, each representative strives to secure a part of the appropriation for his district, so that his constituents may share in the financial distribution in the form of contracts or labor.

## DON'T LET A COLD KEEP YOU AT HOME

Dr. King's New Discovery almost never fails to bring quick relief

Small doses once in awhile and that throat-tearing, lung-splitting cough soon quiets down. Another dose and a hot bath before jumping into bed, a good sleep, and back to normal in the morning.

Dr. King's New Discovery is well known. For fifty years it's been relieving coughs, colds and bronchial attacks. For fifty years it has been sold by druggists everywhere. A reliable remedy that you yourself or any member of your family can take safely. 60¢ and \$1.20.

**Train Those Stubborn Bowels**  
Help nature take its course, not with a violent, habit-forming purgative, but with gentle but certain and natural-laxative, Dr. King's New Life Pills. Tonic in action, it stimulates the lax bowels. Sold by druggists. 25¢.

## TWELVE THOUSAND DISABLED

Number of Injured Fighters Seeking New Vocation Increasing

Washington, March 3.—Approximately 200,000 disabled men are coming home. Many of these will return to their old vocations, but thousands of them will need reeducation before they can become self-supporting citizens. These disabilities range from amputations to that far larger percent of internal wounds, tuberculosis, shell shock and other contracted diseases. That in each case he may overcome his handicap has been proven by hundreds of those who have already been retrained. Men who have suffered amputation have become successful farmers, bee keepers, tailors, welders and professional men. The deaf have taken agricultural and mechanical training and have made good. The blind and the per cent of the blind is very small have been taught to work as typists, poultry men, and assemblers in machine shops. Outdoor occupations have opened a path to the tuberculosis, and other occupations have been found compatible with other handicaps.

Today over twelve thousand men are registered with the federal board for vocational education of Washington, which is the agent of congress in this work. A tentative classification of the first one hundred and fifty-seven cases approved for training indicates the wide diversity of vocations for which they are being trained. Sixty-three distinct courses of training are reported embracing agricultural, commercial, technical and professional choices, with some cases of specialized work in jewelry and architecture. Forty-four institutions are represented in the schools in which these disabled men have been trained, and over the entire country there has been the most cordial cooperation in the schools in offering their facilities for the use of the federal board in this work.

The work has enlarged and grown to such an extent that besides the regular fourteen district offices over the country, six branch offices have been opened.

The board does not stop with the retraining of the disabled men, but has interested itself in getting the employers to give their cooperation. That is the keynote of this carefully considered plan of the government—the hearty, intelligent, and untiring cooperation of the employers in giving work to the disabled men, not from charity or patriotic gratitude, but from a just realization that in spite of a handicap a trained worker is of real worth to the business. The reeducation of disabled soldiers is free to them, and the federal board is trying to get in touch with all in need of it.

## NOTICE

The time is growing short for the spring delivery. All those desiring nursery stock, telephone or write to U. S. Drummond at the Niblick store, telephone 67.

## PUBLIC SALE.

On account of failing health, and not being able to do my work, I am obliged to sell my personal property. I therefore will offer at public auction at my residence, 9 miles south of Decatur, 6 miles east and 2 1/2 miles north of Bluffton, 3 1/2 miles south of Magley, or 1 mile east and 1/2 mile south of Curryville, on March 5, 1919, beginning at 10:00 o'clock a. m., the following property, to-wit: Horses 6 Head: Black mare, 10 years old; bay mare, 7 years old; sorrel gelding, 4 years old. Cattle, 7 Head: Short Horn cow, 9 years old; Short Horn cow, 4 years old; Short Horn cow, 5 years old. These cows are good ones. Two Short Horn steers, 1 year old; Short Horn bull calf, 3 months old. Sheep, Hogs and Chickens: Eighteen head of sheep; 1 brood sow, will farrow by day of sale; 7 shoats, weighing from 80 to 90 lbs. each; 5 doz. laying hens. Farming Implements: 3-in. tire wagon and bed, 2-in. tire wagon and bed, 3-in. farm wagon and bed, surrey, cab buggy, binder, a good one; mower, hay loader, disc drill, new side delivery hay rake, new; hay tedder, new; corn planter, new; manure spreader, 3 cultivators, riding breaking plow, 2 walking breaking plows, spring-tooth harrow, spike-tooth harrow, land roller, 2 sets hay ladders, clover seed broadcaster, grass seeder, feed mixer, dump scraper, scoop board, 20-ft. ladder, double trees, mud boat, bod sled, fanning mill, platform scales, will weigh 1000 lbs.; stone bed, hog rack, tank heater, 150-ft. piping, log chains, cant hook, crowbar, hog troughs, fence machine, wire fence, 2 sets farm harness, 2 sets fly nets, set driving harness, 18 grain sacks, 150-ft. rope, good as new; hay slings, cross-cut saw, tool grinder, timothy hay, 2 tons clover hay, corn fodder, pruner, shot gun and target, 400 bu. oats, 300 bu. corn, 2 bu. seed corn, cream separator, good as new, incubator, new; 2 iron kettles, sausage grinder, hand press, meat bench, buckets and crocks, bbl. salt, tank and coal oil, 30 gal.; washing machine, copper kettle, 50 gal.; full set carpenter tools. Household Goods: 2 bbls. cider vinegar, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

## A Woman's Health

means everything to her. But so many of our American women are worn out, anemic, and suffering from the peculiar weakness of womanhood. To build up, strengthen and cure these weaknesses, there is nothing so good as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This is a woman's true herbal tonic. It does not contain a particle of alcohol, nor anything deleterious to women's delicate constitution. For fifty years it has proven its merit, and can now be had in tablet as well as liquid form at almost any drug store, or send 10c for trial package of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. Write Dr. Pierce for free medical advice if there is need.

That weak back accompanied by pain here and there—extreme nervousness—sleeplessness—maybe faint spells, chills or spasms—all are signals of distress for a woman. She may be growing from girlhood into womanhood—passing from womanhood to motherhood—or later suffering during middle life. At any of these periods of a woman's life, "Favorite Prescription" is the best herbal tonic and nerve prescriber for just such cases by a physician of vast experience in the diseases from which women suffer.

coming 5 years old, in foal, weight 1300; sound, and a good worker; sorrel, coming 4 years old, weight 1400, sound and a good worker; bay colt, coming 1 year old; this colt is well made, and will make a large horse; sorrel team of colts, with light mane and tail, coming 1 year old; sired by Hieman, owned by J. H. Gilbert of Bluffton, Ind. These colts are of the Belgium type, with plenty of bone and body, well proportioned, will make a good big blocky team. If you are looking for a good team of colts attend this sale. One sorrel mare colt, coming 2 years old, weight about 1100; extra good. Cattle, 6 Head: Large brindle cow, coming 6 years old, with calf by side, gentle and a good worker; Guernsey cow, coming 6 years old, will be fresh every day of sale; this is an extra good cream cow, and gives milk the year around; roan Durham heifer, bred, 2 years old; spotted heifer, coming 2 years old; roan steer, coming 2 years old, extra large. Hogs, 18 Head: Duroc sow, with a litter of 6 good pigs, were farrowed Dec. 18, 1918; big Duroc sow, due to farrow April 1; Chester White sow, due to farrow April 5; spotted Poland China boar, 8 months old; this hog came from a thoroughbred herd at Liberty Center, Ind., and is an extra good one; 8 shoats, weight about 75 or 80 lbs. each, a good thrifty bunch of pigs. Farming Implements: Osborn binder, 7-ft. cut, in good condition; Keystone gearless hay loader, good as new; Osborn hay tedder, good as new; McCormick mower, with the giant wheels, almost new; new steel bar land roller, with 6 sections; 7-ft. disc, spring tooth harrow, wooden frame 60 tooth harrow, Big Willie corn cultivator, Zanesville riding breaking plow, Oliver walking breaking plow, double shovel plow, Turnbull wagon, hay ladders, with grain bed; set of heavy breeching harness, good as new. About 7 tons of mixed hay in the mow, about 150 bushels of corn in the crib, 150 bushels of Big Four seed oats. Household Furniture. Steel range, Anker Holt cream separator, used only 30 days; 6-ft. oak table, dresser, commode, bedstead, new leather davenport, cupboard, and other articles not mentioned. Also a new Ford touring car, 1918 model, No. 1 running condition. This car was never run when muddy, and only used a short time. Terms:—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash. Sums over \$5.00, a credit of 12 months will be given. The first 6 months without interest. The last 6 months bearing 6 per cent interest, if purchaser gives a bankable note, with approved security. No property removed until settlement is made; 3 per cent discount for cash.

**R. E. WRIGHT.**  
Col. Noah Frauliger, Auctioneer.  
V. M. Zimmerman, Clerk.  
Lunch will be served by Pleasant Dale Ladies' Aid. 13-28-13

A fresh shipment of the famous Aurentz candy just received today.—King's Confectionery. 51tf

## PUBLIC SALE.

As I have rented my farm and am going to Decatur, I will sell at public auction at my residence on what is known as the old Henry Bieberich homestead, 2 1/2 miles south of Bluffton, 3 miles northwest of Decatur, 4 miles north of Preble, on the river road, on Wednesday, March 12, 1919, beginning promptly at 10 o'clock a. m., the following property, to-wit: Horses, 3 Head: Black mare, 10 years old; bay mare, 7 years old; sorrel gelding, 4 years old. Cattle, 7 Head: Short Horn cow, 9 years old; Short Horn cow, 4 years old; Short Horn cow, 5 years old. These cows are good ones. Two Short Horn steers, 1 year old; Short Horn bull calf, 3 months old. Sheep, Hogs and Chickens: Eighteen head of sheep; 1 brood sow, will farrow by day of sale; 7 shoats, weighing from 80 to 90 lbs. each; 5 doz. laying hens. Farming Implements: 3-in. tire wagon and bed, 2-in. tire wagon and bed, 3-in. farm wagon and bed, surrey, cab buggy, binder, a good one; mower, hay loader, disc drill, new side delivery hay rake, new; hay tedder, new; corn planter, new; manure spreader, 3 cultivators, riding breaking plow, 2 walking breaking plows, spring-tooth harrow, spike-tooth harrow, land roller, 2 sets hay ladders, clover seed broadcaster, grass seeder, feed mixer, dump scraper, scoop board, 20-ft. ladder, double trees, mud boat, bod sled, fanning mill, platform scales, will weigh 1000 lbs.; stone bed, hog rack, tank heater, 150-ft. piping, log chains, cant hook, crowbar, hog troughs, fence machine, wire fence, 2 sets farm harness, 2 sets fly nets, set driving harness, 18 grain sacks, 150-ft. rope, good as new; hay slings, cross-cut saw, tool grinder, timothy hay, 2 tons clover hay, corn fodder, pruner, shot gun and target, 400 bu. oats, 300 bu. corn, 2 bu. seed corn, cream separator, good as new, incubator, new; 2 iron kettles, sausage grinder, hand press, meat bench, buckets and crocks, bbl. salt, tank and coal oil, 30 gal.; washing machine, copper kettle, 50 gal.; full set carpenter tools. Household Goods: 2 bbls. cider vinegar, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms:—Over \$5.00 a credit of 9 months will be given, the purchaser giving bankable note, bearing 8 per cent interest the last 3 months; 4 per cent off for cash. No goods removed until settled for.

CHARLES BIBERICH, Owner.  
Col. Harry Daniels and Roy Runyon, Auctioneers.  
Lunch will be served on the ground. 15-6-7-8-10

## HERE'S A BARGAIN.

As administrator of the estate, I wish to sell the old Closs property on North Third street, consisting of a eleven-room house and two lots, 66x138. This property can be bought at a bargain price and would make an ideal home, lodge home or hospital. For particulars see James K. Niblick, administrator of the Closs estate. 50112

## DEMOCRAT WANT ADS

PAY BIG.

## THIS TELLS HOW TO FIGURE INCOME TAX

Squarely Up to Every Individual to Get Busy by March 15 or Suffer Penalty.

"Don't wait until the final due date, March 15th, for paying your Income Tax and making your return. Avoid the last minute rush. Any person can figure out his liability today as well as he can next week, and if there is any point on which he needs advice he can now get in touch with a Revenue man." This word of advice is being given by Internal Revenue men. Returns and payments are being collected in Indiana by the following Collectors of Internal Revenue: Peter J. Krueyer, Isaac R. Strouse.

Every aid of their offices and field forces is being given freely to the public.

But the Income Tax men will not pull your door-bell or your coat-tails, according to the Collector's announcement. It is squarely up to every individual to figure out his own case and to get busy if he comes within the scope of the new Revenue law.

## Did You Earn This Much?

Every unmarried person who received income averaging \$19.25 a week during 1918 and every married couple who jointly received income averaging \$38.50 a week should secure at once from the nearest Deputy Collector or the nearest bank a blank Form 1040 A. That form contains the information he will need to enable him to figure his correct net income and any tax that he owes the Government.

The law requires that every unmarried person who had a net income of \$1,000 or over and every married person whose net income was \$2,000 or over (including the income of husband or wife, and the earnings of minor children, if any) must make a return on or before March 15th. And this requirement does not hinge on whether the person owes a tax.

## Taxable Income.

An individual must include under gross income all gains, profits and income derived from salaries, wages, or compensation for personal service of whatever kind and in whatever form paid, or from professions, vocations, business, sales or dealings in property of all kinds, interest, rent, dividends, or profits derived from any source whatever. Very few items of income are exempt.

Deductions include ordinary and necessary business expenses, interest paid or accrued on indebtedness, taxes of all kinds except Federal income and excess profits taxes, and assessments for local benefits, losses actually sustained, debts ascertained to be worthless, and depreciation on buildings, machinery, fixtures, etc., used in business. A further deduction is allowed for contributions to corporations operated for religious, charitable, scientific or educational purposes or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals to an amount not exceeding 15 per cent of the taxpayer's net income as computed without the benefit of the contribution deduction.

The taxpayer is not allowed to deduct any personal, living or family expense, any amount spent for improving property, or any expense of restoring property or making good its exhaust, for which an allowance is claimed under depreciation.

## Figuring the Tax.

Before figuring the normal tax the dividends are deducted as credits from net income, together with the personal exemption. As in previous years, dividends of domestic corporations are exempt from normal tax when received by the stockholder.

The normal tax rates for citizens and residents are as follows: On the first \$4,000 of net income in excess of the credits the rate is 6 per cent; on any further taxable income the rate is 12 per cent.

The surtax rates apply to net income of each individual in excess of \$3,000. The personal exemption and the dividends are not deductible before computing surtax. In the case of returns by husband and wife, the net income of each is considered separately in computing any surtax that may be due. Form 1040 should be used for making returns of net income exceeding \$5,000, and the instructions on that form will show how to figure the surtax.

## Business House Returns.

Employers and others who paid wages, salaries, rents, interest or similar determinable gains in an amount of \$1,000 or over during 1918 to any person must file an information return with the Government. Blanks may be secured from the Collector.

Every partnership must file a return showing its income and deductions and the name and address of each partner, with his share of the profits or losses during the past year. Personal service corporations will file similar information for 1918.

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## INCOME TAX PAYS FOR PUBLIC BENEFITS.

"Viewed in its largest and truest sense, the payment of taxes is payment for benefits received or expected. Only from a narrow and essentially selfish and shortsighted viewpoint can the individual propose to himself the evasion of tax liability as a desirable course of action." —Daniel C. Roper, Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

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## TO LIMIT THEIR POWERS.

(United Press Service)

Indianapolis, Ind., Mar. 3.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—That a tendency to at least reduce the powers and scope of operations of the Indiana public service commission on the part of at least several members of the state legislature is indicated in the fact that three bills directly affecting the commission are under consideration in the two branches. One bill by Representative Laughlin would establish the public utilities commission. Another house measure would prevent Carl H. Mote, secretary of the commission, or any other person not a commissioner, from taking evidence. The third, and possibly one of the most important measures included in the appropriation bill, which has been passed by the house and is now before the senate where it will be considered by the committee of the whole. Before passage by the senate, Representative Smith, reduced the funds allowed the commission from \$109,000 to \$75,000. With the salaries of the five commissioners totalling \$33,000 per year there would be left only \$41,000 with which to pay all clerks, stenographers and other employees in the hire of the commission.

Members of the commission have pointed out that with this amount the work of the organization will be materially handicapped and that it will probably be impossible to conduct the business of the commission in as advantageous manner as has been possible during the past few years.

Although only 575 cases were handled per year under the old regime by the commission annually, the reorganized body handled down 2,114 orders during the year of 1918, and returned to the state treasury \$13,000 out of its appropriation of \$109,000 for that year.

Although the bill by Representative Laughlin has been reported out of committee favorably in the house here appears but little doubt of its defeat even should it reach the senate. Under the Furnas rule no bill can be reported out of committee in the senate on a divided report.

We now handle the famous Aurentz candy. Give us a call.—King's Confectionery. 51tf  
All kinds of Aurentz' candy at the King Confectionery. Try it. 51tf

## PUBLIC SALE.

As I am going to North Dakota, I will offer at public auction at my residence at Pleasant Mills, Ind., on the Decatur and Villisire road, 1/4 mile northwest of the hardware store at Pleasant Mills and across the road from the new high school building, on Tuesday, March 11, 1919, beginning promptly at 10:30 o'clock a. m., the following property, to-wit: Horses, 4 Head: Consisting of one brood mare, 6 years old, weighing 1600 lbs.; bay mare, 15 years old, weighing 1450; grey horse, good worker; colt, coming year old this spring. Cattle, 2 Head: Full blooded Jersey cow, 7 years old, will be fresh March 16; test 5.4; full blooded Jersey cow, coming 3 years old, fresh April 1, test, 5.7. Hogs, 6 Head: Full blooded Duroc Jersey brood sow, will farrow March 23; 4 gilts, full blooded Duroc Jersey, weighing 125 lbs. each; full blooded Duroc Jersey male pig, weighing 150 lbs. Corn: 250 bu. good corn, 6 bu. No. 1 seed corn, 100 bu. seed oats, 3 tons mixed

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The biggest  
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A BENEFIT to teeth,  
breath, appetite and  
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The price is 5 cents.

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hay, 10 bu. potatoes. Implements: Milwaukee binder, Champion mower, Wood hay tedder, good as new; Thomas hay loader, good as new; disc harrow, 2 spring tooth harrows, 2 spike tooth harrows, 1 John Deere riding breaking plow, 1 Oliver walking breaking plow, 1 breaking plow, a Walker, 2 riding cultivators, John Deere walking cultivator, Black Hawk check rower, good as new; Turnball wagon and bed, hay ladder, 7-16 feet, a good one; hog rack, pair of bob sleds, surrey, buggy, cab buggy, 2 sets of single buggy harness, 3 sets of double work harness, check rower, feed cutter box, corn sheller, corn grinder, grindstone, 6 galvanized chicken coops, Economy King separator, good as new; set of dump boards, hay fork, rope and pulleys, pitch forks and shovels, washer, crank chain, Chickens, 4 doz. laying hens. And other articles not mentioned.

Terms:—Under \$5.00, cash in hand. Over that amount a credit of 9 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note, with approved security.

without interest. Four per cent for cash. No goods to be removed until settled for.

FRED BENT  
Harry Daniels, Auctioneer.  
D. R. Roper, Clerk.  
Lunch served by the Ladies' Society of the Pleasant Mills church.

## For Skin Torture

Don't worry about eczema or other skin troubles. You can have a healthy skin by using Zemo, which at any drug store for 50¢, or mail order bottle at \$1.00.

Zemo generally removes skin blackheads, blotches, eczema, itching, and makes the skin clear and healthy. Zemo is a clear, penetrating antiseptic liquid, neither oily, greasy and stains nothing. It is applied and costs a mere trifle for application. It is always obtainable. The E. W. Rose Co., Cincinnati, O.

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## THE ETERNAL COMBAT

Has broken all house records wherever shown. Just closed one week engagement in Evansville at the Princess theater, and at the Reliable theater in Indianapolis, with the biggest business these houses have ever done.

The full cabaret vaudeville of twelve acts given at Maxim's, New York's most fashionable cafe, is featured in "TEMPTATION," the wonder acts, the best in vaudeville, brought right here before your own eyes.

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Prices, Including War Tax 15 and 25c