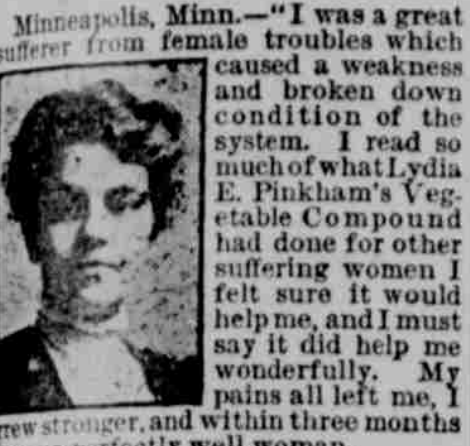


WANTS HER LETTER PUBLISHED

For Benefit of Women who Suffer from Female Ills



Minneapolis, Minn.—"I was a great sufferer from female troubles which caused a weakness and broken down condition of the system. I read so much of what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for other suffering women I felt sure it would help me, and I must say it did help me wonderfully. My pains all left me. I grew stronger, and within three months I was a perfectly well woman."

"I want this letter made public to show the benefit women may derive from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made exclusively from roots and herbs. Women who suffer from those distressing peculiarities to their sex should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health."

If you want special advice write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. She will treat your letter as strictly confidential. For 20 years she has been helping sick women in this way, free of charge. Don't hesitate—write at once.

Art and Weather.

In a gallery there hangs a large canvas in an imposing frame. The painting shows a waterfall in one of the states famous for startling natural scenery. The picture has occupied its present place for several years. "Does it belong here?" asked a visitor of the man in charge. "No more than the others you see." "Seems to me it should be in the capital of the state where this scenery is," said the visitor. "It was painted for the state," replied the man in charge, "but when it was submitted to the art committee it refused to accept it."

Air Constituents.

Xenon is a somewhat rare constituent of the air—one part in every 170,000,000 parts. Krypton is more plentiful—one part to every 20,000,000 parts. Helium is just absolutely common—there is one part to every 500,000 or, at most, 1,000,000 parts of air.

Artificial Eyes.

Artificial eyes were first made use of by the Egyptians. They were of gold and silver and subsequently of copper and ivory. Hundreds of years later, in the sixteenth century, when they were made in Europe, porcelain was the substance used, and the maker usually stamped his address on the white of the eye.

The Exceptions.

"Binks has a fine new apartment." "Everything stationary in it, I suppose."

"Absolutely everything—except his wife and the cook."—Harper's Bazar.

Gold Medal Haarlem Oil CAPSULES

This is the best of all home remedies. Discovered A. D. 1690, by Elias Tully, it has, in the past 200 years, relieved thousands and thousands of sufferers from LIVER, KIDNEY, BLADDER and STOMACH TROUBLES

Holland Medicine Co., Scranton, Pa. In reply to letter, I received a free box of your Haarlem Oil, and I found them very good, and I got one box myself. They have relieved the quite some. I have tried almost everything, and went to two doctors; I tried Swamp Root, I have tried everything I was told, and your pills seem to have been the best. I will recommend them. Yours truly, MRS. S. NEWTON, 331 Pearl St. Brooklyn, N. Y., April 8, 1909.

Take Gold Medal Haarlem Oil Capsules daily. You will feel relieved tomorrow. Bottles 15 and 25 cents. Capsules 25 and 50 cents. At all druggists. HOLLAND MEDICINE CO., Sole Importers. If your Druggist cannot supply you, write us direct. INVENTORS—I can save \$20.00 on your PATENT—FREE, and may do BETTER. Box 242. Address W. H. PENTON, Washington, D. C.

Relieved with THOMPSON'S EYE WATER. Afflicted with Bare Eyes, use L. N. U. INDIANAPOLIS, No. 31, 1909.

Brutal Indifference. "It seems since his marriage Jack Thornley has developed into a perfect brute."

Father of Electricity. The first step along the way of electricity was made by the celebrated Galvani, who just before the beginning of the last century demonstrated that electricity could be produced by the contact of metals and fluids. Galvani's experiments suggested to Volta in 1800 the electric battery, out of which have come all the other electrical triumphs.

Mexican Haciendas. Some of the haciendas in the Mexican state of Durango contain a million or more acres.

HERE'S A WAY TO SAVE DOCTOR BILLS.

Physicians Give Free Advice by Which Parents May Profit. It's a matter of general interest just now how one's physical condition can be got into shape to best receive the benefits of the summer season. Especially is this true of the children. They have become run down by a winter of unnatural manner of living because of ill-considered food and much time spent indoors. Spring comes with its sunshine, its fresh vegetables and all else invigorating, but the children are in no condition to receive nature's remedies.

Many parents call in the family physician. Many other parents take advantage of what the physician told them when he was first called in consultation. All good family physicians say: "Give the children Castoria." Healthy parents know this remedy of old, for they took it themselves as children. It was more than thirty years ago that Castoria made a place for itself in the household. It bore the signature of Charles H. Fletcher then, as it does today. The signature is its guarantee, which is accepted in thousands of homes where there are children.

Much is printed nowadays about big families. Dr. William J. McCrann, of Omaha, Neb., is the father of one of these much-read-about families. Here is what he says:

"As the father of thirteen children I certainly know something about your great medicine, and aside from my own family experience I have, in my years of practice, found Castoria a popular and efficient remedy in almost every home."

Charles H. Fletcher has received hundreds of letters from prominent physicians who have the same esteem for Castoria that Dr. McCrann has. Not only do these physicians say they use Castoria in their own families, but they prescribe it for their patients. First of all it is a vegetable preparation which assimilates the food and regulates the stomach and bowels. After eating comes sleeping, and Castoria looks out for that, too. It allays feverishness and prevents loss of sleep, and this absolutely without the use of opium, morphine or other baneful narcotic.

Medical journals are reluctant to discuss proprietary medicines. Hall's Journal of Health, however, says: "Our duty is to expose danger and record the means for advancing health. The day for poisoning innocent children through greed or ignorance ought to end. To our knowledge Castoria is a remedy which produces composure and health by regulating the system, not by stupefying it, and our readers are entitled to the information."

Cynical. Sillicus—Do you think it is possible for one woman to make another woman perfectly happy? Cynicus—Oh, yes; simply by envying her.—Philadelphia Record.

SKIN ERUPTION CURED.

Was So Sore, Irritating and Painful that Little Sufferer Could Not Sleep—Scratched Constantly—Cuticura's Efficiency Proven.

"When about two and a half years old my daughter broke out on her hips and the upper parts of her legs with a very irritating and painful eruption. It began in October; the first I noticed was a little red surface and a constant desire on her part to scratch her limbs. She could not sleep and the eruptions got sore, and yellow water came out of them. I had two doctors treat her, but she grew worse under their treatment. Then I bought the Cuticura Remedies and only used them two weeks when she was entirely well. This was in February. She has never had another rough place on her skin, and she is now fourteen years old. Mrs. R. H. Whitaker, Winchester, Tenn., Sept. 22, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props. of Cuticura Remedies, Boston.

The Dorowa Tree. While the seeds of the dorowa, an East African leguminous tree, are extensively used for food, the pods and leaves form an excellent cement when mixed with crushed stone.

A feeling of security and freedom from anxiety pervades the home in which Hamlin Wizard Oil is kept constantly on hand. Mothers know it can always be depended upon in time of need.

The Adirondacks. The Adirondack mountains embrace an area of over 2,800,000 acres, and in this area fully 300 mountain peaks rise to altitudes ranging from 1,200 to 5,000 feet.

Clear, white clothes are a sign that the housekeeper uses Red Cross Ball Blue. Large 2oz. package, 5 cents.

Love is always a poor thing so long as it tries to save itself.

RUNNING A FERRY. How a Couple of Husky Black Men Took Hold of the Job.

When Colonel Thompson bought the ferry privilege on the Hiwassee river above Kingston he sent a couple of big husky black men from his plantation to run it, providing them with a handful of small coins to make change. They tied up the ferry at night and came shuffling home, vastly pleased with themselves.

"Well, boys, did you run the ferry all day? How did you get along? Carry many people? Want to try it again to-morrow?" inquired the colonel from behind his desk.

"Yassuh. Yas, boss. We run her. Right smart chance of folks goin' over. Yassuh, we'll run her to-morrow, if you give us de money."

"What money?" asked the colonel, turning serious. "I gave you \$2 to make change this morning. Where's that? Where's the money the folks paid you for going over?"

"Money?" echoed the spokesman of the pair, scratching his woolly head. "We ain't got no money. Didn't you give us dat \$2 for to make change? Well, dat's what we used it for. We kept a-changin' it and a-changin' it till we changed it all away, but if you're willin' to give us some mo' for to-morrow we'll run her ag'in. Tell you, boss, hit costs to run a ferry in dis country."

And the colonel decided that, under certain management, it did.—Lippincott's Magazine.

SOME MARRIED MEDITATIONS.

Favorite feminine bromidion: "All men are perfect boobies when they're sick abed."

The man who permits his wife to designate a certain little spot in the house as the one place in which he shall smoke deserves all that he gets, and he never fails to get it.

Slathers of married women get in bad by heeding the queer advice of Lady Penknives (mostly spinsters), whose dictum is that the proper way to hold a husband is to hold him at arm's length.

The highly exalted faithfulness of women often is a matter of plain policy. Plenty of careless men would strictly toe the faithful mark if their reward for so doing were to be agreeably taken care of for life.

The man who knows the difference at sight between a \$25 embroidered shirt waist and one of those cute little ruffle-front \$1.48 shirt waists usually is a male person whose opinion isn't worth valuing anyhow.

It is the woman who shrieks at "Central" through the phone and calls her a saucy hussy and such like who wonders why it is that telephone girls are so much more polite and prompt in responding to men's calls.

Familiar quotation: "Oh, I've got plenty of left-over summer clothes, dearie. All I'll need to eke out will be a few little linen suits and seven or eight more shirt waists and three or four summery hats and some tan and champagne-colored shoes and a new supply of silk stockings—just a few little odds and ends like those!"

Did you ever feel kind of onery and things with yourself when, after blowing \$7.85 on a bunch of cheerful workers, you went home and found her tacking some frizzled old sweet peas on a last year's hat frame?

Extract from the "Diary of a Neglected Wife": "Tis now mid-summer and my birthday is in December and my husband hasn't said one word about it yet, nor what he is going to get me. Gracious power, give me the strength to go on enduring."

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Notwithstanding its great size, an elephant has only eight teeth. Dogs were hated by the ancient Hebrews, but were worshiped by the ancient Egyptians.

A bill introduced in the New Jersey Senate provides for the commitment of confirmed inebriates to insane asylums.

In Dundenomy, Australia, there is a blue gum tree 451 feet in height. It is believed to be the tallest tree in the world.

The eyeball is white because the blood-vessels that feed its substance are so small that they do not admit the red corpuscles.

Among elephants both sexes of the African species have ivory tusks, while in Asia these are generally restricted to the male.

If we could penetrate the earth's surface to a distance of two miles, we should find the place where water could not exist except in the state of steam.

At Baku, Russia, there is an immense oil well that "ebbs and flows," with the same regularity as do the ocean tides. It is believed to have some mysterious connection with the sea.

Leon Casse, the official reptile-killer in the forest of Fontainebleau, France, disposes of an average of 800 vipers a year. He has been bitten so often that he is now immune from danger from snake bites.

A curious remedy for sleeplessness is used by the inhabitants of the Solomon Islands. They confine a snake in a hollow bamboo and the hissing sound emitted by the reptile is said to quickly induce slumber.

When a glass is as full as it possibly can be of liquor, the surface of the liquor is slightly convex and the center lies higher than the brim. In view of this fact such a glassful is called a bumper, because the liquor bumps up, or protrudes in the middle.

Baby's Play Blanket.

Buy a coarse gray blanket, if you do not have one, and keep it to place on the floor when the baby is playing there. Put the toys on it, and if it is necessary to quickly clean the room of toys pick up the blanket.

A Rare Good Thing.

"Am using ALLEN'S FOOT-PASTE, and can truly say I would not have been without it so long, had I known the relief it would give my aching feet. I think it a rare good thing for anyone having sore or tired feet.—Mrs. Matilda Holmberg, Providence, R. I." Sold by all Druggists, 25c. Ask to-day.

Washington Monument.

The cornerstone of the Washington monument was laid by President Polk July 4, 1848, and Dec. 6, 1884, the capstone was set in position. The foundations are 126½ feet square and 36 feet 8 inches deep.

Do Your Clothes Look Yellow?

If so, use Red Cross Ball Blue. It will make them white as snow. Large 2oz. package, 5 cents.

Bonner's Famous Advertisement.

When the New York Ledger was wavering on the brink of failure, Robert Bonner, the proprietor, sent to the New York Herald a brief advertisement, to be set up in a single line. So Greeleyesque was Mr. Bonner's handwriting that the advertising manager interpreted the directions as ordering that the copy be run in full page, which instructions he obeyed, though marveling greatly. The Herald came out the next morning with one whole page devoted to the crisp adoration to read the Ledger's new story. The effect upon Mr. Bonner was almost fatal, first from chagrin at the thought of the possible bill, then from amazement as subscriptions began to pour in, and finally from satisfaction, as they continued to flood the office, until the fortune of the publication was made. The novel, though accidental, device had struck the public's fancy. Mr. Bonner was hailed as the pioneer of a new and daring theory of exploitation, and the advertisement gained tenfold currency by being commented upon as a feature of the news.—Collier's.

Famous Golf Match.

A projected golf match between two well known amateurs and a leading member of the London Stock Exchange for a stake of £500 recalls the famous foursome in which the Duke of York, afterward James II, took a prominent part on the Leith links in the year 1682. It was really an international contest, in which the duke, with John Paterson, a golfing shoemaker of great repute, championed Scotland against two noblemen of England, a heavy wager depending on the issue. The duke and the cobbler had an easy victory, thanks largely to the man of the last, and John Paterson's share of the stakes was so substantial that he was able to build a goodly house in the Canongate, in a wall of which the duke caused a stone to be placed bearing the Patersons arms with the motto "Far and sure," a tribute to the cobbler's driving powers. Paterson's house, we understand, survives today.—Westminster Gazette.

Helped Out.

A grocery clerk in a small town had been considerably bored one day by solicitors for church fairs, raffles, carity and other purposes and was getting disgusted when a small, red haired urchin came in and asked him if he could help him out with a baseball glove.

"Got the glove with you?" asked the impatient clerk. "Er—no," answered the urchin. "Then," said the irritable clerk as he caught him by the neck and trousers, "I'll help you out without it."—Judge.

A Bruised Finger.

The pain of a bruised finger will often be greatly relieved by holding the finger in hot water for a few minutes.

A Max O'Rell Story.

Before he attained fame with his various books M. Blouet (Max O'Rell), who was for several years French master at St. Paul's school, related how he obtained his post there. After two or three earlier applicants had returned unsuccessful from their interview with Dr. Walker, who was at the time headmaster of the school, M. Blouet's turn came.

"I want," said the doctor after a few words, "a French master who can preserve discipline. My last was a perfect gentleman and a good fellow, but he could not keep the classes in order. The end of it was that after being much worried by one of the boys the poor fellow went home and shot himself."

"Sir," replied Max O'Rell, "that is where my countryman made a little mistake. I should have shot the boy."

The doctor rose, says M. Blouet, and grasped my hand.

"M. Blouet," he exclaimed, "you are my French master!"—London Captain.

Colored Flames.

If a pound of chloride of copper is dissolved in a wooden pail of water—wooden because a tin pail will be corroded—the solution will be sufficient to give the flames from a great deal of wood the beautiful colors, when burned in an open fire, which are the charm of driftwood coming from the hulls of copper sheathed ships.

His Limitations.

"Yes, indeed," averred the impeccable party, "I enjoy automobiles—enjoy them very much, in fact—but I am never carried away by them."—Pick-Me-Up.

No man can make life joyous who does not himself enjoy life.

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Not a Penny to Pay for the Full Medical Examination.

If you are in doubt as to the cause of your disease, mail us a postal requesting a medical examination blank which you will fill out and return to us. Our doctors will carefully diagnose your case, and if you can be cured you will be told so. You are not obligated to us in any way, for this advice is absolutely free. You are at liberty to take our advice or not, as you see fit. Send to-day for a medical examination blank, fill out and return to us, and our eminent doctors will diagnose your case thoroughly, absolutely free.

Munyon's, 53d and Jefferson streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

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that follows taking a dose of castor oil, salts or calomel, is about the worst you can endure—Ugh—it gives one the creeps. You don't have to have it—CASCARETS move the bowels—tone up the liver—without these bad feelings. Try them.

CASCARETS are a box for a week's treatment, all druggists. Biggest seller in the world. Million boxes a month.

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