

THANKFUL TO MRS. PINKHAM.

Honest Words From Women Who Have Been Relieved of Backache
—Mrs. Pinkham Warns Against Neglect.

DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have been thankful a thousand times, since I wrote you, for what your Vegetable Compound has done for me. I followed your advice carefully, and now I feel like a different person. My troubles were backache, headache, nervous tired feeling, pain, menstruation and leucorrhea.

I took four bottles of Vegetable Compound, one box of Liver Pills, and used one package of Sanative Wash, and am now well.

I thank you again for the good you have done for me.—ELLA E. BROWN, Columbus, Ohio.

Great numbers of such cases as the above are constantly being received by Mrs. Pinkham from women who are their health and happiness to her advice and medicine.

Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass. Her advice is offered free to all suffering women who are puzzled about themselves.

Her remedies don't neglect to try her best to work it down, "you must read the cause of the trouble, and nothing will do this so safely and surely as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Backache is accompanied by a lot of other aches and wearying sensations, but they nearly always come from the same source. Remove the cause of these distressing things, and you become well and strong. Mrs. S. J. SWANSON, of Gibson City, Ill., tells her experience in the following letter:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Before using your medicine I was troubled with head-ache and my back ached so that I could not rest. Your medicine is the best I have ever used; it has relieved me of my troubles, and I feel like myself again. Thanks to Lydia E. Pinkham.

"I would advise any one troubled with female weakness to take your medicine. I shall also recommend it wherever I can as a great reliever of pain.

A Million Women Have Been Benefited by Mrs. Pinkham's Advice and Medicine.

DOUBLE DEALING

is the Cause of Many Heart Burnings
—A Richmond Case That Has
the Opposite.

Double dealing, like so many other expressions in the Anglo Saxon language, has different meanings. The above heading does not refer to the deceitful specimens of manhood who carry favor for their own ends and for the community, but to the result of the grade to be about 3 per cent, which is to appear to the passengers, but is estimated to be enough to effect a saving of 33 per cent in power. As is generally known, the most serious of traction problems is the inertia of the train. To start the motor and its train takes more than double the force required to keep the train in motion on ordinary grades, and on hill grades, from 4000 to 5000 pounds for the first ten or twelve years, and at times was so bad that I could hardly get up or down without assistance, and even had to use crutches to get about the house; every joint and muscle of my back felt as though they would break when I would move. Kidney secretions were unnatural and irregular, and I could not rest well at night, but always felt more tired and used up in the morning than the day before. I took Doan's Kidney Pills recommended and got a box at A. G. Lukens & Co.'s drug store and started to use them. They soon fixed me up, and I am now better in every way than for a long time before. My son was also troubled badly with his back and he took Doan's Kidney Pills at my suggestion, and the result of his case was a thorough relief from his misery. We can recommend this highly to you, we know that it comes from personally testing it."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

Dover, N. H., Oct. 31, 1896.

MESSRS. ELY BROS.—The Balm reached me safely, and in so short a time the effect is surprising. My son says the first application gave him relief. I have a half filled with "Gart Cures." Tomorrow the stove shall receive them, and Ely's Cream Balm will reign supreme. Respectfully, MRS. FRANKLIN FREEMAN.

Cream Balm is kept by all druggists. Full size, 50c. Trial size, 10 cents. We mail. ELY BROS., 56 Warren street, N. Y. City.

A Life for 50c.

Many people have been cured of kidney diseases by taking a 50c bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure. A. G. Lukens & Co. and J. L. Adams & Co.

Will you Do Good?

Are you constipated? Do you have sick headaches? Is your nervous system, liver or kidneys out of order? Is your self by using Wright's Celery Tea. It improves the complexion. Price 25c. Sold by Lukens & Co., druggists.

Smell Bore Rifles.

In the course of a letter to the Temp. M. B. of a Frenchman who has just returned from Abyssinia, where he has painted portraits of the emperor and Ras Makonnen, which are to be exhibited at the forthcoming salon, says: "It was in a great degree to the small bore guns with which the Abyssinians overthrew their victories. Ras Makonnen and several of the suit of Menelek told me that a bullet had gone right through them and men lost both legs and arms. If the bullet did not kill at once—and nine out of ten times that was not the case—they did not even know they were wounded and fought as furiously as their comrades. Their wounds healed in a very short time unless a vital organ had been touched. The result is that the Abyssinians despise our modern arms." In view of possible detection as to the dummy bullet this testimony is not without its importance.—London Post.

A Drunkard's Death From Thirst.

At Levallois-Parret, near Paris, there lived until quite recently a man who was a confirmed dipsomaniac, so much so that he had several times been put under restraint by his relatives. The last time he came out he seemed to have been greatly improved, represented as a man who had given up his evil ways of drinking. From that moment or a perverse sort of interpretation of the good advice he had received he determined to drink nothing at all, not even water. At the end of ten days, during which he had not a drop of drink of any sort, he was found dead in his room. This man, who had consumed so much liquid in his time, died literally of thirst.—London Post.

6 Cents a Week.



"A HAND SAW IS A GOOD THING, BUT NOT TO SHAVE WITH."

SAPOLIO

IS THE PROPER THING FOR HOUSE-CLEANING.

DAILY PALLADIUM.

6 Cents a Week.

WE GIVE \$5

... More value than we get when you buy one of our

Men's Light Spring Overcoats \$5.

We have 100 of these garments, worth easily \$10, a big lot having been purchased, all sizes, splendidly made and in latest style. The BIGGEST OVERCOAT BARGAIN ever offered in the city.

Coats for Boys...

100 Odd Coats for Boys, aged 5 to 14, at HALF PRICE.

Men's Suits ...

500 Men's Suits, new spring plaids \$4 and \$5
500 Youth's Suits, splendid value, \$5 and \$6
200 Boys' Knee Pants Suits, extra good, all wool \$1.50
200 Boys' Knee Pants Suits, extra good, all wool 2.00
Children's Reeler Suits, 2.50, 3.00 and 3.50

These are only little bits of our Big Clothing Bargains stock in this city, or such low prices, before.

Yours Earnestly

The Railroad Store

CURRENT MISCELLANY.

When the Illinois Central Railroad company substitutes electricity for steam traction in its suburban service at Chicago, it will make use of the force of gravity in stopping and starting its trains. This is a feature devised by the engineers for the underground railroad in London, but it is believed to be novel in the United States. The plan is to elevate the track so all the grades will be about 3 per cent, which is to appear to the passengers, but is estimated to be enough to effect a saving of 33 per cent in power. As is generally known, the most serious of traction problems is the inertia of the train. To start the motor and its train takes more than double the force required to keep the train in motion on ordinary grades, and on hill grades, from 4000 to 5000 pounds for the first ten or twelve years, and at times was so bad that I could hardly get up or down without assistance, and even had to use crutches to get about the house; every joint and muscle of my back felt as though they would break when I would move. Kidney secretions were unnatural and irregular, and I could not rest well at night, but always felt more tired and used up in the morning than the day before. I took Doan's Kidney Pills recommended and got a box at A. G. Lukens & Co.'s drug store and started to use them. They soon fixed me up, and I am now better in every way than for a long time before. My son was also troubled badly with his back and he took Doan's Kidney Pills at my suggestion, and the result of his case was a thorough relief from his misery. We can recommend this highly to you, we know that it comes from personally testing it."

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BATTLE OF TRENTON.

On Christmas day in seventy-six our rugged troops, with bayonets fixed, and Delaware set them back below. The light obscured by hail and snow. But no signs of dismay.

Our object was the Hessian band, and a dash made fair freedom's land. And greater was the dash. Great Washington he led us on. Whose streaming flag in storm or sun had never known disgrace.

In silent march we passed the night. Each soldier panting for the fight. Through the snow and biting frost. Greene on the left at six began. The right was led by Sullivan. Who won a moment lost.

Their voices sterner, the alarm was spread. That rebels risen from the dead. Were marching into town. Some surprised here, some scamped there. And some for action did prepare. But soon their arms laid down.

Twelve hundred served mereants, With all their colors, arms and tents. The frolic 'ere, the bright caanteen. In center, front and rear was seen Driving fatigue away.

Now, brothers, of the patriot bands, With all their dash and daring. As of old, we live it is a span. Let's touch the tankard while we can In memory of that day. —Anon.

Giotto's Campanile.

In St. Nicholas Mr. John Ward writes of "The Bell Towers of Italy." In speaking of Giotto Mr. Ward says:

This great and well beloved artist, who was at once painter, poet, sculptor and architect, was popularly supposed to have been a shepherd. Tradition tells us that as he daily tended his flock in the hills one little lamb was ever by his side, showing him the most touching affection. When at last the little lamb was about to die, it spoke to the shepherd, telling him that its spirit would remain with him always in the form of a fairy and that through its favor he would become a great artist. At all events, the prophecy came true, for Giotto became an artist of world-wide fame, and he built a tower in Florence known as Giotto's Campanile. It is said that here the fairy has dwelt ever since among the bells, flitting through the silent spaces.

Giotto, commanded by the city to build an edifice in which in height and richness was to surpass any previous structure in the world's history, in 1334 laid the cornerstone of his great tower. No expense was spared, and some of the greatest artists worked upon it. Sculptures by Donatello, Andrea Pisano and Luca della Robbia decorate the basement story and comprise several series of subjects—the seven liberal arts and sciences, the seven cardinal virtues, the seven works of mercy, the invention of navigation, besides many religious and historical subjects from the creation down. The upper three stories are ornamented with spiral shafts and carved moldings, and the whole is built in alternate courses of black and white marble, the contrasting tints of which have been mellowed and softened by time.

A Question.

"Papa, I am a poor boxer, who has been thinking deeply, could this country try Spain in case we have a war?"

"Well, I should think we could easily."

"And that would give us the Philippines as islands as well as Cuba, I hope?"

"Certainly," replied papa.

"Oh, I am so glad, for that would give the United States full control of the Philippines trade, wouldn't it, papa?"

—Ex-Change.

Glad Tidings to Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar give quick and positive relief in all cases. A. G. Lukens & Co. and J. L. Adams & Co.

"Life Renewer" for Ladies

Olivia Peterson, of Coldwater, Mich., writes: "I had not been able to sit up for a year, a fact for which I had suffered many years until I used the Mystic Little Renewer. It has cured me of nervous troubles, headache and a very bad stomach. It has helped me in so many ways and cured me of afflictions that the doctors said could not be cured. The blessed Life Renewer has done more for me than all the patent medicines, doctors and Christian Science combined. It is the most wonderful medicine I ever saw. Sold by A. G. Lukens & Co., druggists, Richmond.

NOT FOR EVERYTHING

But if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble you will find Swamp Root just the remedy you need. People are not slow to get anxious about their health so enough. If you are not quite well" or "half sick" have you ever thought that your kidneys may be the cause of your sickness?"

It is easy to tell if you are not quite well for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate, soreness, pain or dullness in the kidney is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder need doctoring.

There is satisfaction in knowing that the great remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, fulfills every wish in relieving weak or diseased kidneys and all forms of bladder and urinary troubles. Not only does Swamp Root give new life and activity to the kidneys—the cause of the trouble, but by creating the kidneys it acts as a tonic.

If you need a medicine you should use the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar, or by mentioning the name of the physician who prescribed it.

It is so simple a child can follow directions and get the best results. The Misses Bell's Complexion Tonic is \$1.00 per bottle, which is sufficient to clear the ordinary skin.

ONE BOTTLE COSTS YOU NOTHING

But if you are not satisfied, that you take no risk in sending it. The price, \$1.00, places you in reach of the best tonics. It is a pure, clear complexion and beautify a good one. This gentle lotion is a tonic.

Ladies can address The Misses Bell's on all matters of complexion. The Misses Bell's is a simple, safe and satisfactory lotion.

Additional information and send all to The Misses Bell's.

THE MISSES BELL'S

Complexion Tonic

No. 75 Fifth Avenue, New York.

TO TAKE A TAN AWAY.

the Dons have, while the Dons are delaying action. There isn't a delay in the State that can teach laundry tricks in tailoring; we at the duds of the times in up to date work in beautiful color as laundries domestic finish, and are prompt in getting your work over time.

RICHMOND STEAM LAUNDRY.

D. Walters, Prop.

319 Main St.

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