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### Japan Buys American Cotton Mills

While the United States and the allied nations  
are trying to put their house into order, Japan  
is taking advantage of the disorder to reap a  
golden harvest and to fortify herself in the  
eastern markets.

When Great Britain was forced to give up the  
markets in the Pacific on account of the war,  
Japan quickly took advantage of her chance. Ex-  
ports that had averaged 535,625,000 yen in the  
three years prior to the war jumped to an average of  
1,850,000,000 yen in the three years ending with 1919. A yen is worth 50 cents. Sales increased threefold in the period.

Approximately one-half of the exports of the  
year 1918 was in silk and cotton. In four years  
the value of cotton goods sold abroad increased  
from 109,000,000 yen in 1915 to 416,000,000 yen  
in 1918. Japan is preparing to compete for the  
control of the cotton goods markets of the world.

At least \$4,000,000 has been spent by Japanese  
agents in the United States in the recent past  
in the purchase of American cotton mills. Japanese  
manufacturers need machinery badly and quickly. They cannot wait until the factories  
can make it, so they have bought operating mills,  
going concerns; dismantled the machinery and  
shipped it out of this country to Japan. Spinning  
mills aggregating 114,000 spindles have been pur-  
chased for shipment to Japan.

From 1917 to 1920 Japan has trebled her pur-  
chases of spinning machinery. American exports  
of textile machinery to Japan have increased  
from \$10,608 in 1914 to \$1,529,331 in 1918. The

danger of Japanese competition in the textiles in  
the United States cannot be blinked.

Japan is no longer a nation of toymakers and  
artisans, but an alert manufacturing nation that  
is preparing to challenge the industrial nations of  
the world. In her limited area is a population of  
77,000,000.

The standard of living of this population is  
radically different from ours. It has been inured  
to subsist on a per capita food supply that would  
starve a white man. It can turn out goods cheaper  
than we can.

Japan has taken advantage of all the inventive  
skill of its competitors, equipping its factories  
with the highest grade machinery, sending its  
experts to other countries to study and appropri-  
ate the latest development in shop manage-  
ment and efficiency, and preparing itself to in-  
vade and hold the markets.

The Japanese are not lacking in enterprise.  
Their purchase of American mills to obtain the  
machinery, even if the buildings had to be razed,  
illustrates their aggressiveness. We dare not  
underestimate the business acumen of this com-  
petitor.

The tactics of Japan in trying to control the  
textile markets emphasizes only too strongly the  
imperative necessity of speeding up production  
in America and of making every working day  
count. We cannot dilly-dally much longer, waste  
precious days in unproductiveness, permit our  
factories and mines to lie idle, and spin beautiful  
social and economic theories.

The world needs products. America needs  
the full working time of its workers, quantity  
output of our factories and mines, an apprecia-  
tion of the gospel of work as the source of wealth  
and the origin of happiness and contentment.

If we sleep at our posts, bask lazily in the sun-  
shine, Japan and other alert nations will present-  
ly hold markets that by rights are ours, and we,  
sad to say, may arouse some day to wonder  
whence came the industrial depression and fin-  
ancial paralysis.

Little alert Japan is not wasting time. Little  
Belgium is not sending delegations to America  
begging for bread and clothing. Japan is strik-  
ing out for the markets of the world and Belgium  
is restoring herself by the use of the dynamic  
principle of work.

### Answers to Questions

D. C.—Is tobacco grown in Indiana?  
—In 1918, 15,159,000 lbs. were raised  
in this state.—Is coffee a product of  
the Philippine Islands?—Coffee for-  
merly was produced in large quantities  
but the coffee has almost been ex-  
terminated by insects.

F. J.—What is the paid in capital of the  
national banks of the United  
States?—In 1919, it was \$1,118,603,000.

St. Andrew's—Who won the ten-  
mile metropolitan championship in  
motorcycle racing, held at Sheep-  
head Speedway, Oct. 11, 1919?—It was  
won by E. H. Farrell, second, Mike  
Costello, and third, F. Dreyer. Who  
won the 100-mile national professional  
championship?—Albert Burns.

Sporter—What was the total cost of  
the selective service system?—The  
total cost was \$20,174,652.53. The cost  
per registrant was \$1.86, and the cost  
per man inducted, \$7.90.

H. B.—Did the Germans object to  
the signing of the Versailles treaty by  
making demonstrations at home?—Big  
demonstrations against the signing  
of the treaty by Germany were  
held in Berlin, Breslau, Danzig, Koen-  
igsberg, Cassel, Bochum and other  
places, on May 11. They were or-  
ganized by the National People's  
Party.

Readers may obtain answers to  
questions by writing the Palladium  
Question and Answer Department.  
Questions should be written plainly  
and briefly. Answers will be given  
briefly.

### Memories of Old Days In This Paper Ten Years Ago Today

The April and first issue of the  
"Panic-Proof," the publication of the  
Young Men's Business Club, was  
issued.

Edward Loftus, 13, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Michael Loftus, 204 North Fourth  
street, died at the Reid Hospital from  
blood poisoning, after fighting death  
for several weeks.

Approximately 1,000 men on the  
Richmond division were effected by  
the six per cent wage increase given  
employees of the Pennsylvania rail-  
road.

Twenty-seven drunks led the police  
arrest list of 48 for the month of  
March.

### A WONDERFUL HELP

#### At Two Stages of Life Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Mrs. Fairburn Strong And Well.



Chattanooga, Tenn.—"I used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before my baby came when I could no longer keep up. It strengthened my back and relieved me of the physical effect which so often develops at such times. It helped me wonderfully. That was my first experience with the Vegetable Compound. Years afterwards I took it during the Change of Life and got along so well I scarcely ever had to lie down during the day and seldom had dizzy fainting spells. I am now well and strong, can do all my housework with perfect ease and it is a comfort to me to be able to say to other suffering women, 'Take Lydia E. Pinkham's medicine and be strong.' I will be glad to have you use my name if it will be the means of helping any one."—Mrs. R. A. FAIRBURN, 608 Orchard Knob Avenue, Chattanooga, Tenn.

For forty years this famous root and herb medicine has been pre-eminently successful in controlling the diseases of women. Merit alone could have stood this test of time.

### Holy Week Services in City Churches

St. Andrew's—Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.  
Way of the Cross, lamentations  
and benediction.

St. Mary's—Holy hour, Wednesday,  
at 7:30 p.m.

United Brethren—The Rev. C. W. Brewbaker, of Dayton, will conduct  
evangelistic services at 7:30 each  
evening.

St. Paul's Episcopal—Services each  
day at 10, 4 and 7:30.

First English Lutheran—The Rev.  
F. A. Dressel will speak at 7:30 p.m.,  
Wednesday, on "The Peace Offering."

Second English Lutheran—Services  
at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, and contin-  
ued each day at the same hour until  
Friday evening.

St. Paul's Lutheran—Service Tues-  
day at 7:30 p.m. Continuous service  
from 12 to 3 p.m. Friday.

Trinity English Lutheran—Lenten  
services Wednesday, Thursday and  
Friday, at 7:30 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran—German Lenten  
services Holy Thursday, at 7:30 p.m.

First Baptist—Pre-Easter evangelis-  
tic services each day during the week  
at 7:30 p.m. Sermons by the pastor.

Reid Memorial—Services prepara-  
tory to communion Thursday and Fri-  
day evenings.

First M. E.—Rev. R. L. Seaman,  
the pastor, will preach at 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday.

### New Insurance Rates Go Into Effect Today

New rates for the insurance of  
automobiles against loss by fire, theft,  
tornado, lightning or transportation go  
into effect in Indiana Wednesday.

The new rates are approximately  
one-third lower for high-priced motor  
cars. They are lower for new low-  
priced cars, but higher for such cars  
after one or more years of use.

Three years' insurance may be  
written for 2½ times the one-year  
rate. Lower rates are available for  
"fleet" insurance, that is, where the  
owner of a number of automobiles or  
trucks insures them together.

Mrs. Sarah Platt, 454 S. Thirteenth  
St., Richmond, gave the following  
statement: "My experience with  
Doan's Kidney Pills has been very  
satisfactory and I advise anyone to  
use them who is troubled with weak  
kidneys. My back was hurting me  
and was weak, lame and achy. My  
kidneys acted irregularly, too. I had  
had a lot about Doan's Kidney Pills  
so I got some at Thistlethwaite's  
Drug Store. They rid me of the trouble  
and I haven't been bothered since."

OVER TWO YEARS LATER, Mrs.  
Platt said: "I gladly confirm all I  
have said about Doan's Kidney Pills  
before. I know there is nothing bet-  
ter for kidney complaint."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't  
simply ask for a kidney remedy—get  
Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that  
Mrs. Platt had. Foster-Milburn Co.,  
Fifths, Buffalo, N. Y.—Advertisement.

### A SAFE TEST

For those who are in need of a  
remedy for kidney troubles and back-  
ache, it is a good plan to try Doan's  
Kidney Pills. Ask your neighbor!  
They are strongly recommended by  
Richmond people.

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## After Whooping Cough—What?

This is No. 4 of a series of advertisements, prepared by a com-  
petent physician, explaining how certain diseases which attack  
the air passages—such as Pneumonia, Influenza, Whooping  
Cough, Measles or even a long continued Cold—often leave  
these organs in an inflamed, congested state, thus affording a  
favorable foothold for invading germs. And how Vick's Vapo-  
Rub may be of value in this condition.

Whooping cough is the "mean-  
est" disease that childhood is  
heir to. While rarely fatal in  
itself, except to children under  
two years of age, still it hangs on  
so long—the coughing paroxysms  
are so violent, preventing proper  
sleep and digestion—that when  
the disease does disappear it  
leaves the child weakened and  
run down. In addition the  
violent coughing racks and strains  
the air passages and after re-  
covery this irritation frequently  
reappears.

During this period of conva-  
lescence the child should be most  
carefully watched until full  
strength is restored and the air  
passages regain their normal tone.  
A prominent authority goes  
so far as to say—"There is more  
criminal neglect in connection  
with whooping cough than with  
any other disease."

While the disease is active,  
Vick's VapoRub usually helps to  
lessen the violence of the cough-  
ing, but it is during conva-  
lescence that Vick's is most val-  
uable.

Because Vick's acts locally by  
stimulation thru the skin to

draw out the inflammation, at-  
tract the blood away from the  
congested spots and relieve the  
cough. In addition the medicinal  
ingredients of Vick's are vapor-  
ized by the body heat. These  
vapors are breathed in all night  
long, thus bringing the medication  
to bear directly upon the inflamed  
areas.

Vicks should be rubbed in  
over the throat and chest until  
the skin is red—then spread on  
thickly and covered with hot  
flannel cloths. Leave the cloth-  
ing loose around the neck and the  
bed clothes arranged in the  
form of a funnel so the vapors  
arising may be freely inhaled.  
If the cough is annoying swallow  
a small bit the size of a pea.

Children's digestions are deli-  
cate—easily disturbed by too  
much "dosing." Vicks, therefore,  
is particularly recommended,  
since it is externally applied and  
so can be used often and freely  
without the slightest harmful  
effects.

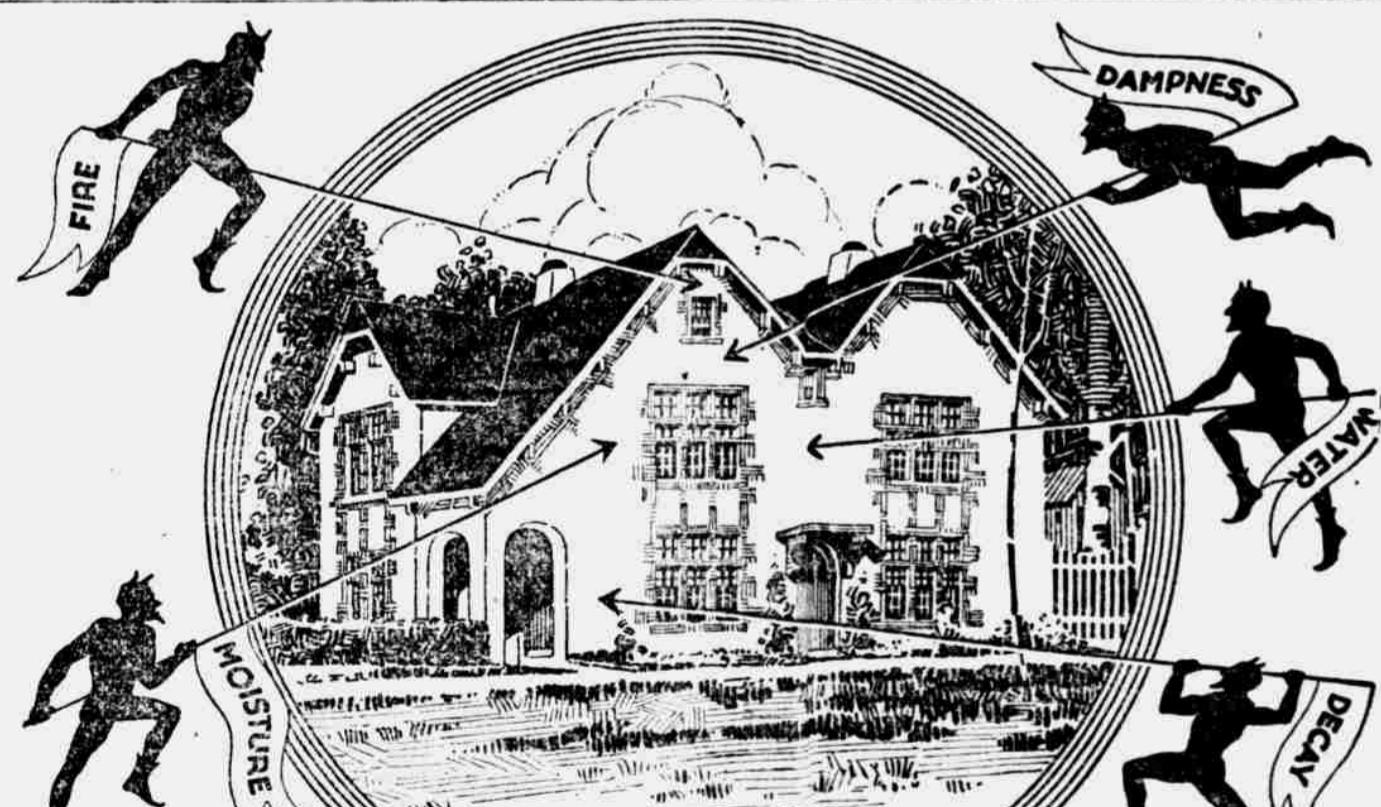
Samples to new users will be  
sent free on request to the Vick  
Chemical Company, 234 Broad  
Street, Greensboro, N. C.

**VICKS**  
VapoRub

Your  
Bodyguard  
Against Colds



More Than 17 Million Jars Used Yearly



### A KELLASTONE HOME DEFIES THE WEATHER ELEMENTS

Watch out for the destructive weather elements when you build. Heed the warning of the experienced contractors and architects and choose building material that will not fall prey to the ravages of rain, snow, heat and cold. After all, the real satisfaction following a home is knowing that it represents a sound investment. Remember that security in building is measured by the strength and permanency of the exterior walls. As evidence of this, point to the thousands of buildings which stand as a lasting tribute to

**KELLASTONE**  
IMPERISHABLE STUCCO

TIME EXACTS NO TOLL OF DETERIORATION WHEN YOU BUILD WITH KELLASTONE. Here is a material which affords a life-time of security from the evils of wear and weather. It is immune to fire, frost, heat and cold. No need of frequent painting or constant repairing. No high premiums for insurance—no excessive fuel bills. The first cost is the least cost.

KELLASTONE IS A SCIENTIFICALLY BALANCED COMPOSITION that doesn't contain a particle of lime, gypsum or Portland cement. It does not crack like ordinary stucco; sets up in a hard stone-like mass, and regardless of atmospheric conditions, it remains clear and brilliant. Learn all about this twentieth century stucco—send for free booklet—"The Story of KELLASTONE."

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### "RESULTS MORE THAN CLAIMED"

So testifies Mr. J. F. ARENDT,  
Box 44, Rems, Texas

### PE-RU-NA THE REMEDY FOR EVERYDAY ILLS

"I have used Pe-ru-na for  
years in cases of colds and  
catarrh. The results have been  
good, in fact, more than you  
claimed. Have also taken  
Lacupia and can easily say it  
is one of the best blood puri-  
fiers I have ever used."

Mr. J. F. Arendt

**For Catarrh and Catarrhal Conditions**  
The evidence of one man like Mr. Arendt is more convincing proof  
to you of the merits of Pe-ru-na than any written words of ours. For  
fifty years Pe-ru-na has been the standby of the American family for  
diseases due to catarrhal inflammation of the mucous membranes lining  
the organs of the body. Thousands, like Mr. Arendt, have proved the  
effectiveness of Pe-ru-na for colds, catarrhal catarrh, stomach, bowel  
and liver disorders or any disease characterized by a catarrhal condition.  
If your suffering is the result of a catarrhal disorder try Pe-ru-na. It  
is a true, tried medicine.

**Sold Everywhere**

**Tablets or Liquid**

Ninety-Seven per cent. of the people have catarrh in some form.

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