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The many testimonial letters that we are continually publishing in the newspapers—hundreds of them—are all genuine, true and unsolicited expressions of heartfelt gratitude for the freedom from suffering that has come to these women solely through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Read this one from Mrs. Waters:

CAMDEN, N.J.—"I was sick for two years with nervous spells, and my kidneys were affected. I had a doctor all the time and used a galvanic battery, but nothing did me any good. I was not able to go to bed, but spent my time on a couch or in a sleeping-chair, and soon became almost a skeleton. Finally my doctor went away for his health, and my husband heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got me some. In two months I got relief and now I am like a new woman and am at my usual weight. I recommend your medicine to every one and so does my husband."—Mrs. TILLIE WATERS, 1135 Knight St., Camden, N.J.

And this one from Mrs. Haddock:

UTICA, OKLA.—"I was weak and nervous, not able to do my work and scarcely able to be on my feet. I had backache, headache, palpitation of the heart, trouble with my bowels, and inflammation. Since taking the Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I am better than I have been for twenty years. I think it is a wonderful medicine and I have recommended it to others."—Mrs. MARY ANN HADDOCK, Utica, Oklahoma.

Now answer this question if you can. Why should a woman continue to suffer without first giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial? You know that it has saved many others—why should it fail in your case?

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs, it has restored so many suffering women to health.

Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



PYTHIAN SISTERS WILL ORGANIZE

Ladies Auxiliary of Knights of Pythias to be New Lodge for Keokuk in a Few Days.

ONE HUNDRED MEMBERS

Meeting on Thursday Evening Will Complete Arrangements Made for the Local Temple.

A temple of Pythian Sisters, the ladies auxiliary of the Knights of Pythias, is being organized in the city by the wives and sisters of the members of Morning Star lodge No. 5, a committee of the ladies having been at work for several days, securing names of those who have promised to organize and enough names have been secured to apply for a charter and institute a temple here.

A meeting is to be held on Thursday evening for the purpose of completing arrangements, by which time it is expected that at least one hundred names will be upon the roll.

The local Knights of Pythias lodge has for many years been one of the strongest fraternal organizations in the city and in the state. For some reason or other, it has never taken up the matter of a ladies auxiliary for serious consideration until this year when a number of the wives of members got together and made a canvass among the families of the knights with the result that they found there was a desire among the ladies for a local temple of the Pythian Sisters. They found enthusiasm among the ladies and promises of support from the knights and the committee is now assured of success.

At the meeting on Thursday evening, the charter list will be closed and plans made for the instituting of the temple. Refreshments will be served by Morning Star lodge and there will be a large attendance. Each member of the lodge has been invited to attend the meeting on Thursday evening and bring the members of his family eligible to membership in the new temple, which, when organized, promises to prove a most helpful and delightful adjunct to the local lodge of Knights of Pythias.

The installation of the temple, at a future date, promises to be a brilliant affair.

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When you have a bad cold you want a remedy that will not only give relief, but effect a prompt and permanent cure, a remedy that is pleasant to take, a remedy that contains nothing injurious. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all these requirements. It acts on nature's plan, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions and restores the system to a healthy condition. This remedy has a world wide sale and use, and can always be depended upon. Sold by all dealers.—Advertisement.

LOWERED DEATH RATE BY CLEANLINESS

Health Officer of Spokane Says Removal of Rubbish Improves Health and Happiness.

[Special to The Gate City.] SPOKANE, Wash., May 11.—In its annual spring campaign to "make Spokane spick and span," several committees of the Spokane Ad club will be organized into flying squadrons to celebrate bonfire nights every evening next week for the purpose of cleaning every vacant lot and railroad right of way in the city.

The ad men will have the co-operation of the city health department in this work, according to Dr. J. B. Anderson, health officer. The city will be divided into six districts, one of which will be covered each night. Dead grass, leaves, rags and other rubbish or vacant lots will be raked into piles and burned. Later the health department will remove the

GO TO THE RESCUE

Don't Wait 'till It's Too Late—Follow the Example of a Keokuk Citizen.

Rescue the aching back. If it keeps on aching, trouble may come.

Often it indicates kidney weakness. If you neglect the kidneys' warning, Look out for urinary disorders.

This Keokuk citizen will show you how to go to the rescue.

William Bland, 819 Main street, Keokuk, Iowa, says: "My back was extremely lame and when I heard that Doan's Kidney Pills were prompt in curing that trouble, I got a supply at Wilkinson & Co.'s Drug Store. They relieved me promptly and although I had tried other remedies without success, my back is now in much better shape. I know of another person who took Doan's Kidney Pills when suffering from pain and lameness in the loins and relief was had in that case."

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tin cans and other noncombustible material.

These bonfire nights will supplement the annual clean-up campaign participated in recently by citizens generally, resulting in more than 1,000 loads of rubbish being removed from back yards and alleys. City Health Officer Anderson states that co-operative work along this line the last few years has helped to lower the death rate in Spokane to 8.88 per 1,000 of population in 1913, the second lowest among cities of the United States, according to figures of the federal government. Since 1908 official records show a decline in mortality rate each year.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

"My sister's husband had an attack of rheumatism in his arm," writes a well known resident of Newton, Iowa. "I gave him a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment which he applied to his arm and on the next morning the rheumatism was gone." For chronic muscular rheumatism you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. Sold by all dealers.—Advertisement.

ELECTRIC STORM IS TEST OF PLANT

Severe Demonstration Last Two or Three Days Does Not Effect Transmission Seriously.

The severe electrical storm that passed over the city Saturday night kept the men in the big electricity generating plant at Keokuk and the local light and power company's substation at Fort Madison on the alert for several hours.

According to the Ft. Madison Democrat, A. S. Nichols, the manager of the Fort Madison Electric company, when interviewed concerning the effects of the storm said: "Keokuk reported early in the evening that the lightning arrestors on the big power plant were working overtime and that the storm apparently was general. The electrical discharges over this city and our transmission line were unusually severe. The lines were struck a number of times and our instruments at the station record a very heavy discharge about 9:30 p. m. They latter tripped out our 11,000 volt switch but the efficiency of the power company's methods for meeting such emergencies and the promptness of our own operators was responsible for the restoration of the service immediately.

"We are equipped with the most approved system of lightning protection in the big plant of the Mississippi River Power company at Keokuk and along the transmission line. "No money has been spared to protect the lines against the severe storms that prevail in the valley. "Our own equipment was equal to the test as was proven Saturday night and early this morning."

Random Sketches

Last Night's Flurry.

Last night between 8 and 9 o'clock the elements gave us an attractive picture show, and by the way, a rain storm was a lively feature of the display. The drops of rain came down at a rapid rate and at times it seemed in pours of liquidity. The lightning gave vivid life to the scene and rolling thunders gave us an idea of grim visaged war with its almost continuous sound of discharging artillery. It reminded us of a man of rugged imagination down in a little Kentucky town who declared one day during the Mexican war of long ago that he actually heard the sound of cannons at the battle of Buena Vista. He told the story in apparent sincerity, but how many he convinced of its truth remains an unsolved mystery even now, after he is dead. There are many just as unbelievable stories told in reference to the present Mexican unpleasantness, concerning which stories, many people are watching and waiting for a solution, or a verification. But the storm came and went. It came in with a warm spell, and this morning there was a change. One man started out from his home this morning, clad as he had been clad the day before and after a short walk of about a block discovered the change and shivering all over, rushed back to his home and searched for a light top-coat, which he donned and continued his trip to business. The little flowers and the vegetation huddled up as though the sudden chill was not pleasant to their sensitive and tender nature. But wait a little while and everything will be blooming as the rose. Watch and wait.

It is Not So.

The St. Louis Post-Dispatch printed an editorial for its last Sunday edition, and there it appeared mixed up with heavy political and other editorials. It probably would not have been specially noticed had it not been about Keokuk, the central plant of the great water power of the Mississippi valley. The grievance alluded to in the editorial does not exist. Let the best man win, is a maxim that holds good in cupid contests as well as in the actions of war. And as to the assertion that "the supply of eligible girls gave out" in Keokuk may be refuted by the most casual observation. There is an old saying that "there are just as good fish in the sea as were ever taken out," or words to that effect, and this is kindly said without the slightest thought of any reflection on those who are already caught or special compliment to those who are still fancy free. Keokuk girls, God bless 'em, need no compliment or deference. They are just bright, attractive, beautiful girls, and are their own compliments and defense. And to say there are no eligibles left here is far from the mark. Just happen out on some of the promenade thoroughfares, or happen casually along some of the pretty residential streets and catch even a glimpse of the fair faces you meet and you will find many "eligible fish," and as pretty as those who have been caught, right here in Keokuk's matrimonial pond. Ask Cupid.

Health a Factor in Success.

The largest factor contributing to a man's success is undoubtedly health. It has been observed that a man is seldom sick when his bowels are regular—he is never well when they are constipated. For constipation you will find nothing quite so good as Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. They are sold by all dealers.—Advertisement.

SURVEYORS WORKING ON ELECTRIC LINE

Are Now Working Between Powellton and Elvaston, Right-of-Way Men to Follow.

CARTHAGE, Ill., May 12.—The Western Illinois Railway company has surveyors in the field surveying the route between Niota and Beardstown. They are now between Powellton and Elvaston. The route out of Niota, angles down towards Powellton, thence east one mile, thence south to Elvaston. From Elvaston two routes will be surveyed. One to Carthage, Bentley, Augusta and Beardstown and the other from Elvaston to Basco, Denver, Plymouth and Beardstown. Right-of-way men will follow the surveyors, and make estimates upon the



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cost of right-of-way. The estimates on the cost of right-of-way, cost of construction and prospects of future business, will determine the route to be selected. Offices will be opened in Carthage in the Fould's building, the furniture having arrived last week. A. M. Millstid, who is now at work on the right-of-way, will probably have charge of the office. It will take six or eight weeks to finish the survey and secure the right of way. The power to be used upon this proposed new line will be electric motors, the current generated by a gasoline engine on each car—self contained power. Steam engines will probably be used for freight traffic, especially at night.

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[United Press Leased Wire Service.] ELGIN, Ill., May 12.—On the Elgin board of trade, butter is quoted at 26 cents, an advance of one cent over last week.