

"BEST MEDICINE FOR WOMEN"

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did For Ohio Woman.

Portsmouth, Ohio.—"I suffered from irregularities, pains in my side and was so weak at times I could hardly get around to do my work, and as I had four in my family and three boarders it made it very hard for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. I took it and it has restored my health. It is certainly the best medicine for women's ailments I ever saw."

Mrs. Shaw proved the merit of this medicine and wrote this letter in order that other suffering women may find relief as she did.

Women who are suffering as she was should not drag along from day to day without giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice in regard to such ailments write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its forty years experience is at your service.

Those "Kitchen" Police. "I was taking my turn on kitchen police on day when an officer came in to make the usual inspection of the pots and pans. He picked up one kettle, saying, roughly: 'Who washed this?'"

"Expecting a severe reprimand, I said: 'I did, sir.'" "Well, it's the first time I've seen the bottom of this pan since it was new!" he exclaimed, much to my amazement.—Chicago Tribune.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR. To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 1/2 oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.

Living Up to It. "None but the brave deserve the fair." "Well, I haven't heard of any girl refusing a second lieutenant."

Jealousy is a tree that bears the most bitter of all fruits.

Keep Yourself Fit

You can't afford to be laid up with sore, aching kidneys in these days of high prices. Some occupations bring kidney troubles; almost any work makes weak kidneys worse. If you feel tired all the time, and suffer with lame back, sharp pains, dizzy spells, headaches and disordered kidney action, use Doan's Kidney Pills. It may save an attack of rheumatism, dropsy, or Bright's disease. Doan's have helped thousands back to health.

A North Dakota Case. Louis McKeen, Thompson St., Bottineau, N. D., says: "I was bothered quite a bit with my kidneys. My back would become very lame and then sore and would ache constantly. The kidney secretions didn't pass freely enough. Neglect brought on rheumatic trouble and I suffered dreadfully. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and all trouble left."

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State News in Brief

Deaths of Last Few Days Throughout North Dakota Condensed for Hasty Perusal.

Williston.—The office of the Williston Graphic was seriously damaged by fire.

Bismarck.—The state railroad commission has set dates for hearing a number of public utility cases about the last of this month.

Grand Forks.—This city has the unusual municipal record of having had no city improvement contracts carried out during the war year of 1918.

Lakota.—Nelson county's feat in making its Red Cross enrollment unanimous for 1919 established its position as the banner Red Cross county of the state.

Grand Forks.—The state university reopened on January 2, after being closed since October on account of the "flu." More than 300 students enrolled on the opening day.

Valley City.—North Dakota's Flood Control association held an important meeting here last week. The association outlined plans for organization on a permanent basis.

Bismarck.—The trustees of the state teachers' retirement fund held a recent meeting to pass upon applications for annuities under the terms of the North Dakota teachers' pension act.

Agricultural College.—The new \$85,000 Y. M. C. A. building in process of erection for the use of college young men is now ready for partial occupancy and will be completed about April 1.

Grand Forks.—Proprietors of the Cottonwood meat market here are glad we have begun another year. Their place of business was robbed three times during the closing months of 1918.

Bismarck.—More than 300 Burieligh county people were inoculated with anti-fu serum at the Red Cross clinic maintained at the federal building in this city during the latter part of the past month.

Lisbon.—The recent death of Tom Curtis of this city removes one of North Dakota's oldest and best known members of the legal profession, a former state's attorney and one time mayor here.

Devils Lake.—The local commercial club is planning a season of unusual activity in which community problems and a "trade-at-home" campaign will be given the prominence their importance deserve.

Minot.—Lignite coal miners in the Burlington, Minot and Noonan districts threaten a strike on January 15 if they are not given a 20 per cent raise. So far, the government has taken no action in the matter.

Woodworth.—William A. Sunday, a nephew of the famous evangelist of that name, died recently in Colorado, where he was receiving treatment for tuberculosis. The young man was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sunday of this place.

Dickinson.—Gopher killers in Stark county claim to have "conserved" not less than 40,000 bushels of wheat during the past year, valued at \$80,000, by destroying the gopher pests which have hitherto wasted untold quantities of grain.

Bismarck.—The state "blue sky" law commission passed adversely upon applications for the sale of stocks in North Dakota of various domestic and foreign corporations with an aggregate claimed capitalization of over twenty-eight million.

Hankinson.—John Raum, a local automobilist, barely escaped death by asphyxiation while endeavoring to repair his car with the engine running in a closed garage. The fumes of the burning gasoline so nearly overcame him that he succeeded in reaching the door only by crawling on his hands and knees.

Bismarck.—North Dakota, through its state live stock sanitary board, has made exceptional progress in stamping out bovine tuberculosis and other contagious animal diseases, according to reports presented at the meeting of the United States Live Stock Sanitary association, held in Chicago a short time ago.

Bismarck.—The excellent financial condition of North Dakota is again reflected in the report of the condition of all state banks and trust companies on November 31, as just issued by State Bank Examiner J. R. Waters. In the 90-day period closing November 31 there was just \$26,594,586.40 more business done by the 704 state banks and trust companies than in the preceding quarter.

Carbury.—Albert B. Drawing of this place was awarded the distinguished service cross when exposed to machine gun and artillery firing he supervised the search for and removal of wounded for 48 hours without rest. His achievement is considered noteworthy either from the standpoint of personal bravery or that of the actual physical endurance required to stand so severe and continuous a strain.

Fargo.—The North Dakota Agricultural college cadet band will be reorganized here.

Fargo.—According to word just received from Washington, practically the entire Forty-first division of American troops in France was included in a late list of units designated for early demobilization. This is the famous "Sunset" division, and includes most of the former North Dakota First and Second regiments, although some privates and a considerable number of non-commissioned officers from these organizations had been withdrawn for other work.

Bismarck.—A clearing house has been established by local banks here. Valley City.—Rose Lawry of Rogers in this county has been missing since December 26, and her whereabouts is unknown.

Bismarck.—Over 200,000 North Dakotans signed up on the Red Cross roll call for 1919, according to reports now available.

Bismarck.—Offenders against the federal bone dry law are meeting with numerous prosecutions in the western part of the state.

Fargo.—Alfred L. Loomis, a former well known resident and one time postmaster of this city, is dead at his home at Medford, Ore.

Grand Forks.—The Lutheran Bible School China Mission society has an important conference scheduled for this city January 7 to 12.

Fargo.—Manager Hoopman of the Equity packing plant says he is confident the organization will be ready to operate by the middle of April sure.

Mandan.—Seventy-five per cent of the Indians on the Standing Rock reservation responded to the appeal for enrollment as members of the Red Cross.

Marmarth.—Wayne File, a well known Marmarth young man, was accidentally killed by falling from the running board of an automobile near Baker, Mont.

Towner.—Self defense is alleged in behalf of the act of Mrs. Frank Oberacker, who is charged with the killing of her husband at their home near here a short time ago.

Grand Forks.—Corporal Carl Bartness, a former newspaper telegrapher here, has been assigned to help transmit the proceedings of the peace conference at Versailles, it is said.

Fargo.—Ten thousand cases of influenza, altogether, is the estimate for Fargo to date since the epidemic began this fall. A total of 102 deaths have occurred, or about 1 per cent of those who became ill.

Bismarck.—A post mortem suit has been instituted by the state to determine the status of certain alleged illegal acts of former Attorney General Henry J. Linde, whose death occurred some time ago.

Bismarck.—Renewal of legislative activities here revived the biennial movement to do away with the state tax commission, which was organized under the last period of Governor John Burke's administration several years ago.

Minot.—One hundred thousand bushels of wheat were burned in a fire which destroyed two elevators belonging to a local milling company the other day. Sparks from a passing locomotive are believed to have started the blaze.

Grand Forks.—North Dakota's famous "Cream of Wheat" case, involving a claim for \$35,000 in back taxes, has been appealed by the defendant company to be United States supreme court. The corporation was originally a Grand Forks concern.

Ellendale.—Dickey county's farming agent is holding a series of meetings for the purpose of interesting farmers in better systems of accounting. A state-wide campaign has also been installed along the same line under auspices of the extension department of the Agricultural college.

Max.—Hert Bendickson, son of a prominent farmer, was instantly killed when an auto in which he was riding was struck by a Soo line train a few days ago. Two other occupants of the car were quite seriously injured. The young people were on their way to attend a Christmas party when their machine was struck.

Bismarck.—Attorney General William Langer has announced that he would ask the United States district court to intervene to prevent the carrying into effect of the postmaster general's proposed change in long distance telephone rates, which state authorities claim will constitute an unwarranted increase in the cost of the service.

Bismarck.—The apprehension of a man believed to have been D. M. Noah, wanted at the state penitentiary, gave rise to a report last week that the escaped "lifer" had been caught and was being returned to the pen. According to later reports the much-sought jail bird is still at large, and he has left no indication of his present address.

Dickinson.—Bankers of this city have followed the recent example of Bismarck bankers in organizing a clearing house association to facilitate the quick and efficient transaction of banking business. It is said that this is the sixth North Dakota city to have a local clearing house, the other towns so organized being Fargo, Grand Forks, Minot, Bismarck and Beach.

Fargo.—A. C. Townley and C. S. Townley, brothers, the former of whom is widely known as the head of the National Nonpartisan league, have been discharged from bankruptcy by Judge Charles F. Amlor of the federal court. Their case, which has been pending in court for many months, was a sequel to extensive but unsuccessful farming operations in which the brothers were engaged a number of years ago in the western part of the state.

Devils Lake.—Reminder of a shocking tragedy formerly enacted here comes in the death, a few days ago, of Mrs. Ray Martin, wife of the man who shot and killed Hank Gilbertson some time ago, ever insults alleged to have been made to Mrs. Martin by the murdered man. Martin was convicted of the offense and sent to the state penitentiary, from which his wife made strenuous efforts for a number of months to secure his release. All members of the state pardon board but one are said to have been favorable to the petition. She is now dead from the "flu."

HINTS AT FIRM STAND

New German Foreign Minister Outlines His Policy.

Intimates Berlin Will Not Yield to Every Peace Condition of Her Opponents.

Copenhagen, Jan. 6.—The new German foreign minister, Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, has issued a statement outlining his policy, but it has not reached Copenhagen.

From comment in the Tageblatt, of Berlin, however, it appears he declared that Germany must not yield to every peace condition her opponents may wish to dictate. The Tageblatt adheres to the minister's point of view, and says:

"No peace must be signed which differs by the breadth of a hair from President Wilson's 14 principles which Germany has accepted, and the Entente, willingly or unwillingly, has signed."

The Tageblatt then discusses Germany's illusions before the war and says these "were fed by the fatal propaganda which drove America into the war and led to the inevitable catastrophe."

"It is necessary," the paper continues, "to avoid the self-deception of which the minister speaks, but it is not necessary to plunge madly into self-humiliation."

GARY PREDICTS PROSPERITY

Wants to See Germany Punished, but Not Totally Crippled.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 6.—An era of great prosperity for America during the next five years was predicted by E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel corporation board of directors, here attending the annual dinner of officials and employees of the Carnegie Steel company. Speaking on "Prices and Wages," President Gary said:

"I want to see Germany punished, but not crippled to the extent that she cannot rehabilitate herself."

PRISONERS IN FOE CAMPS

Great Britain Had Listed 15,000 Missing Men as Dead.

London, Jan. 6.—There are 15,000 more British prisoners in Germany than the British records show, so that a number of men previously given up as dead or missing will return to their homes, it was stated here. The British had contemplated getting the last 20,000 prisoners out of Germany within a fortnight, but the German records show that there remain in German hands 35,000 men, of whom 15,000 had been listed as dead.

FRUIT PICKING IS STOPPED

California Growers Will Eliminate All Frozen Stock.

Los Angeles, Jan. 6.—Orange growers of Los Angeles county here determined not to pick any citrus fruit for ten days. It was estimated that within that time a careful survey of all groves could be made and the condition of the fruit determined sufficient to prevent any frozen stock going on the market.

AGREE ON KAISER'S STATUS

British and Dutch Governments Keep Details Secret.

Amsterdam, Jan. 6.—The British and Dutch governments have arrived at an agreement regarding the status of the former German emperor, according to a dispatch to the Telegraph from The Hague. The details of the agreement have not been announced.

PRESS SEEKS INFORMATION

British Papers Demand Government Outline Russian Policy.

London, Jan. 5.—Reports from German and Scandinavian sources of British naval and military activities in the Baltic provinces have created a demand by the British press for a clear statement of the government's policy toward Russia.

VON HINDENBURG DEPOSED

Soldiers' Council Also Removes General Groener.

Zurich, Jan. 6.—The soldiers' council was reported to have deposed Field Marshal von Hindenburg and General Groener, second in command of the German armies, when the two officers refused to obey orders of the council.

CANADA LOST 220,182 MEN

Revised Casualty List Shows 60,383 Killed and 155,799 Wounded.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—A total of 220,182 casualties with 60,383 dead, were suffered by Canadian forces during the war, according to a revised casualty list issued here. Of the total casualties, 9,989 were officers.

Carranza Given More Power.

Washington, Jan. 6.—The Mexican Congress, it was reported to the State department, has granted special powers to President Carranza to raise or lower import and export duties at his discretion. It was noted by officials here that additional power given to the Mexican president by this action apparently is practically unlimited, and that by a mere announcement the chief executive may virtually control exportation of such commodities as petroleum and copper.

Colds, Coughs, Catarrh

A trinity of evils, closely allied, that afflict most people, and which follow one on the other, in the order named, until the last one is spread through the system, leading to many evils. But their course can be checked.

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It is of great value when used promptly for a cold, usually checking it and overcoming it in a few days. Ample evidence has proved that it is even of more value in overcoming chronic catarrh, dispelling the inflammatory conditions, enabling the diseased membranes to perform their natural functions, and toning up the entire system. The experience of thousands is a safe guide to what it may be expected to do for you. Liquid or tablets—both tested by the public and approved. THE PERUNA COMPANY - - - COLUMBUS, OHIO

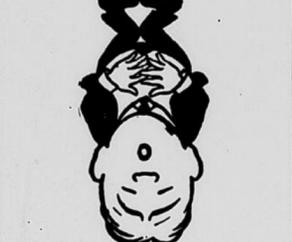
A Lengthy Man.

"Would you consider Gadspar a well-informed man?" "Yes, indeed. He has a remarkable memory even for trivial things." "For instance?" "He can name in correct order every one of the titles Wilhelm left behind him when he headed for Holland." —Birmingham Age-Herald.

UPSET STOMACH

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN AT ONCE ENDS SOURNESS, GASES, ACIDITY, INDIGESTION.

Undigested food! Lumps of pain; belching gas, acids and sourness. When your stomach is all upset, here is instant relief—No waiting!



The moment you eat a tablet of Pape's Diapepsin all the indigestion, pain, dyspepsia misery, the sourness, gases and stomach acidity ends. Pape's Diapepsin tablets cost little at any drug store but there is no surer or quicker stomach relief known. Adv.

The Way of it. "That singer made a pile, didn't she?" "Yes, off her velvet voice."

Place the curiosity of a woman before the camera and the result will be a picture of some man.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of J. C. Fletcher. In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

There's only one way to get ahead, and that's to keep going straight-forward.

This would be a quiet, peaceable world were it not for the movements of the under jaw.

Told of His Own Death.

John H. Everett was awakened to receive a telegram from Washington conveying the information that he had been killed in action in France. He read the telegram twice and began to think he was having a nightmare. The fact is Everett has never been in France. Neither has he ever worn a military uniform. He is within the draft age, but was never called for service.—Wilmington News.

Headaches, Bilious Attacks, Indigestion, are cured by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap made into Pleasant Pellets (Dr. Pierce's). Adv.

Spash! Simple—"Ever hear the story of the fountain?" Simon—"No, spring it!"—Cartoons Magazine.

Chronic bargain hunters soon begin to look shopworn.

Don't trifle with a cold—it's dangerous. You can't afford to risk Influenza. Keep always at hand a box of

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

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After the "Flu" —Fever or Cold

Clean the Acidity and Toxic Poisons Out of the Digestive Tract

Millions are now suffering from the after effects of the deadly "flu," a fever or cold. Their appetites are poor; they are weak, and they are waiting for their strength to come back.

If these people could only realize that the return to health and strength would be greatly helped by giving attention to the stomach—that is, removing the acidity and toxic poisons from the entire digestive tract, making it act naturally, so that the body will receive the full strength of the food eaten—a great deal of suffering would be saved to humanity.

Everyone knows that the disease itself, and the strong medicines that have been taken, upset the stomach, leave it hot and feverish, the mouth dry, the tongue coated, a nasty taste, and no desire to eat. This is a poor foundation to build new strength on.

Now, tens of thousands of people all over this country are using EATONIC for the purpose of cleaning these poisonous after-effects right out of the system and they are obtaining wonderful results—so wonderful that the amazingly quick benefits are hardly believable, just as shown in the remarkable letter which is published upon the request of this sturdy old Civil War veteran. He is 77 years old. Read what he says EATONIC did for him:

"I am an old soldier, past seventy-seven years. I contracted Spanish influenza and it left my stomach

In an awful shape. I tried three different doctors but got no relief. As a last resort I sent and got a box of EATONIC and to my great surprise the very first tablet I took helped me. I can now eat anything I want, and feel fine." Yours, thankfully, Fowler, Indiana Dec. 4, 1918 C. S. Martin

P. S.: If you can make any use of this letter for suffering humanity, you are at liberty to do so. C. S. M.

This is only one case out of thousands. You should make the EATONIC test in your own case at once. You have everything to gain—not a penny can you lose, for we take all the risk. Your own common sense, your own feelings, tell you that a good appetite, good digestion, a good stomach, with the fever poisons and effects of strong medicine out of your system, will put you on the road to strong, robust health again.

You want to enjoy life again after you have battled with the "flu," fever or cold, or any other illness that has taken your strength. You want to get back your old-time vigor, be full of pep and enthusiasm—be able to work with ease, instead of listlessly, half-heartedly dragging out a mere existence.

So be sure to take a box of EATONIC home with you today. We cannot urge this too strongly. If EATONIC fails to give you positive beneficial results, it will not cost you a penny. There is no risk—the benefit is surely all for you.

EATONIC FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

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