

HUSBAND OBJECTS TO OPERATION

Wife Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Des Moines, Iowa.—"Four years ago I was very sick and my life was nearly spent. The doctors stated that I would never get well without an operation and that without it I would not live one year. My husband objected to any operation and got me some of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and commenced

to get better and am now well, am stout and able to do my own housework. I can recommend the Vegetable Compound to any woman who is sick and run down as a wonderful strength and health restorer. My husband says I would have been in my grave ere this if it had not been for your Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. BLANCHÉ JEFFERSON, 703 Lyon St., Des Moines, Iowa.

Before submitting to a surgical operation it is wise to try to build up the female system and cure its derangements with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; it has saved many women from surgical operations.

Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice—it will be confidential.

Merely Homely.

Shortsighted Officer—It's all right, my man, you can take off your mask now; the gas has passed.

Private—Beggin' your pardon, sir, I ain't got no mask on!

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And Falling Hair Use Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

When the scalp is itching because of dandruff and eczema a shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water will be found thoroughly cleansing and soothing, especially if shampoo is preceded by a gentle application of Cuticura Ointment to the scalp skin.

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Afraid of Sharks.

Bill—Nearly one-third of the entire surface of the globe is covered by the Pacific ocean.

Jill—But what's the use if the sharks are going to keep us out of the water?

COVETED BY ALL

but possessed by few—a beautiful head of hair. If yours is streaked with gray, or is harsh and stiff, you can restore it to its former beauty and luster by using "La Creole" Hair Dressing. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

Wise Fool.

"The race is not always to the swift," quoted the Sage.

"No," agreed the Fool. "You can't tell when you are going to get a puncture."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Not the Producer's Fault.

"Milk is up a cent," he protested. "Don't blame me," replied the cow. "I always let it down."

Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day backache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys. We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

A Kansas Case

G. W. Hersh, W. Sixth St., Frankfort, Kan., says: "I went through a serious operation for kidney trouble. After that I was bothered by scalding and too frequent passages of the kidney secretions. Often I got so weak and dizzy I could hardly stand and everything before me turned black. Doan's Kidney Pills removed the pain when passing the kidney secretions, regulated the kidney action and corrected the dizziness and other ailments."

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IN THE LIMELIGHT

"THE REBEL CAPTAIN"



John M. Parker of New Orleans, "The Rebel Captain," as Victor Murock styled him at the Progressive convention at Chicago, is a fire-eater by taste and instinct. Trouble is his element. He dearly loves it when he thinks he is in the right, and doesn't fear it on other occasions. Pussy-footing is not his line. As he himself says, he "hires a hall," advertises the fact, and goes to it.

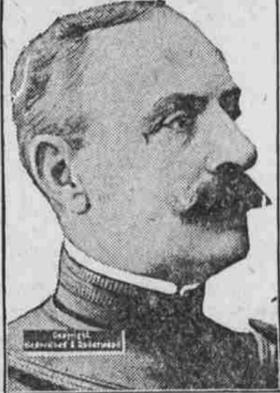
As a national figure, John M. Parker is not as well known as he deserves to be, perhaps. But up New York state, at Anandale, they know him. It was up there, in his young manhood that he put his foot down on pussy-footing for the first time in public. As a result, there was scandalous excitement.

Parker was a student at St. Stephen's college in 1881. Among his cronies was a young man from New York city, who played second to John on his feet. The learned gentlemen were kept in their chairs. Then John addressed them and his fellow students. He recited the crime of the student under arrest. The man had betrayed a classmate. No punishment could be too severe for him.

Parker in some way learned who it was that had told on his friend. He lined up half a dozen or more of his cronies and arranged plans for retribution. That evening in the refectory he gave the command. The students detailed to assist him surrounded the table at which the members of the faculty were gathered. Parker laid hands on the offending student and set him on his feet. The learned gentlemen were kept in their chairs. Then John addressed them and his fellow students. He recited the crime of the student under arrest. The man had betrayed a classmate. No punishment could be too severe for him.

FOCH OF FRANCE

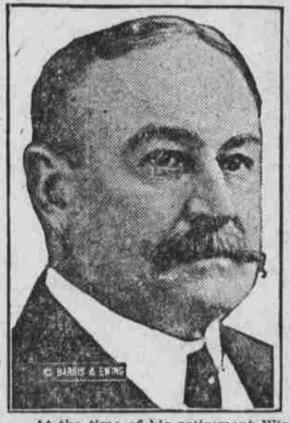
Perhaps greatest of the generals the war has produced in France is Foch, now commanding the forces of the republic in the Somme drive. Says one who knows him: "He has intuition and the power of divination. He is great in his instant grasp of a situation, his perception of the needs, his vision of the next hour. General Joffre is his warmest admirer."



General Foch, like General Joffre, comes from the Pyrenees. He is a gallant, picturesque figure. He is not tall, five feet six inches in height, but you do not see that until afterward. What you see first is his eye. He has a large, well-shaped head, rather thin iron-gray hair and a broad, high forehead. His gray eyes, set wide apart, bore through you and burn you up and smile on you, all at the same time. His nose is large, his mouth wide and straight, and his fiercely benevolent iron-gray mustache first comes down over the corners of his mouth and then points straight up at his eyes. His chin is massive from any point of view.

During a battle General Foch is to be found in the big room at his headquarters. He stands before one of those large scale maps with a pencil in his hand and the telephone receiver at his ear. His staff stands in a semicircle behind him. There is perfect silence, and the only movement is of the general's pencil on the map as he follows the battle and ponders the detail of the district where the fighting is in progress.

WINSLOW'S FAMOUS FEAT



Admiral Cameron McRae Winslow, who retired recently at the statutory age of sixty-two, gained great fame and a boost of five numbers in rank during the war with Spain when as Lieut. C. McR. Winslow he cut the cables in Cienfuegos harbor, Cuba—with the Spaniards firing from a distance of 150 yards.

In this engagement a marine was killed and nine men—including Lieutenant Winslow—wounded. Winslow was wounded in the hand. His promotion came when he was recommended for "extraordinary heroism."

Winslow and his men went out in sail and motor launches. With the big guns on the ship out in the harbor firing at the cable office—they wrecked it before Winslow reached shore—Winslow went into the face of a Spanish bombardment. He got by with it in excellent shape—some casualties reported, but the work done.

At the time of his retirement Winslow was a full admiral, being entitled to that rank by virtue of his command of the Pacific fleet. He served as a member of the Slocum commission when the burning of the New York excursion steamer was investigated.

Winslow was born in Washington in 1854. He was appointed to the naval academy by the president in 1870, and graduated in 1875.

NELSON COULD PRONOUNCE IT

During the call of the calendar in the senate some time ago a bill providing for relief for the owners of a certain steamship was reached. The clerk glanced at the title, read a small part of it and stopped. "Let the clerk read the entire title," suggested a senator.

The clerk, to speak figuratively, courageously backed off and made a fresh start. He succeeded well enough with the first few words, but at length he bumped into "Bruusgard Klosterd Dumpskipaktieselskab," the name of one of the owners of the steamship business. He tried to pronounce it but his best efforts availed nothing except to provoke a titter among the solons. Competent authorities are agreed that a thing must be extremely funny to a laugh in the senate.

At length Senator Nelson, a native Norwegian, went to the clerk's rescue. "Why," he said, "that's easy enough. 'It's pronounced—' and he gave the pronunciation correctly—and he is as anyone in the senate knew."



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Flight of Imagination.

"I wouldn't marry Claude Sniggins if he were the last man in the world," remarked the haughty girl. "No," replied Miss Cayenne. "If he were the last man in the world, he'd probably be so much in demand that you wouldn't even get a chance to propose to him."

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Her Remark.

The cataclysm was occurring. Huge buildings crashed down as if smushed by a giant fist. The ground rocked. Tall trees fell fast. The tortured earth gaped in wide fissures. People ran wildly about, shrieking in frenzied terror. Mrs. Kidletts looked up from her novel.

"Rupert and Harold seem to be enjoying themselves," she murmured. "The dear little fellows are so full of animal spirits!"—Kansas City Star.

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For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

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However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

They Fooled 'Em.

"Did anyone discover that you were a bride and bridegroom on your honeymoon trip?"

"No; we fooled every one. Instead of calling each other by our first names I called Jim 'Mr. Black' and he called me 'Miss Pinky' just as we did before we were engaged. We were just as formal with each other as strangers would be."

WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY

is her hair. If yours is streaked with ugly, grizzly, gray hairs, use "La Creole" Hair Dressing and change it in the natural way. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

Not an Endurance Test.

Two soldiers caused some amusement at a golf course the other day. The first man teed up and made a mighty swipe, but failed to shift the ball. The miss was repeated no fewer than three times.

His pal was unable to stand it any longer.

"For heaven's sake, Bill," he broke out, "hit the thing. You know we have only four days' leave."

Lure of the Rural.

"Can you find servants who will go into the country?"

"Yes, but only when we're living in the city and the picnic season is on."

The Expense.

"I am in favor of peace at any price."
"Yes," replied the pessimist; "but suppose you wake up some morning and find you haven't got the price?"

Briefly Explained.

"Why have you named this corn the Jack-rabbit variety?"
"Long ears."

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FOUND FLAW IN DEFENSE

Ingenious Excuse of Man Who Had Imbibed Too Freely Did Not Satisfy Policeman.

When Police Captain Patrick Costello met a man on the main street of Dobbs Ferry loudly and joyfully disturbing the peace of the historic hamlet, he said: "My friend, you're drunk, and I'll have to run you in."

The stranger drew a tattered Bible from his pocket and, leading the captain to the nearest street lamp, read, with fervor: "First Timothy, five, twenty-three: 'Drink no longer water, but use a little wine for thy stomach's sake and thine often infirmities.'"

The captain scratched his head and thought. Finally he said: "What were you drinkin'?"

"Well," replied the stranger, "the last one was beer."

"Then," said the captain, "you lose on a technicality, and it's come with me."

So the stranger, who said he was John Hasech of the Bowery, New York, was locked up to await the morning session of the police court.—Cincinnati Times Star.

WHAT EVERY WOMAN KNOWS.

Every woman takes great pride in having her home well kept, in having the family wash done early in the week. Good bluing is needed over more than good soap. Be sure to use Red Cross Ball Blue.—Adv.

Road to Fame.

William Dean Howells was talking, at his cottage at Kittery Point, Me., about a writer who, after a good beginning, had degenerated into a producer of trash.

"I suppose," said Mr. Howells, "he got discouraged with the moderate sale of his good work, and now hopes to sell his poor work abundantly."

Mr. Howells shook his head and smiled grimly.

"The road to fame," he said, "is crowded with men who, discouraged, are hurrying back."

Not for Him.

"Pa, when I grow up will I look like you?"

"Very likely you will, my son."

"I guess I'll learn to smoke cigarettes and stunt my growth."

The Unsigned Proclamation.

Belshazzar saw the writing on the wall.

"It isn't even signed by one pen," he cried scornfully.

Some Noise.

"I am cheer leader at the florist's."

"What do you mean?"

"I root for them."

THIS IS THE AGE OF YOUTH.

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Great Britain is growing in area. During the last 35 years about 6,640 acres have been lost by coast erosion, while 48,000 acres have been reclaimed from the sea.

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