

Backache of Women

How this Woman Suffered and Was Relieved.

Fort Fairfield, Maine.—"For many months I suffered from backache caused by female troubles so I was unable to do my house work. I took treatments for it but received no help whatever. Then some of my friends asked why I did not try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and my backache soon disappeared and I felt like a different woman, and now have a healthy little baby girl and do all my house work. I will always praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to women who suffer as I did."—Mrs. ALTON D. OAKES, Fort Fairfield, Maine.



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Thousands of women have proved this

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GERMAN AGENTS ARE TO BLAME

Kansas City Stockyards Fires Laid to Door of the Enemy.

An investigation of the recent fires which occurred in the stockyards of Kansas City has established the fact that the fires originated through the activities of German agents, according to a letter received today by E. A. Shew, general agent of the Oregon Short Line in this city, from Alfred Atkinson, federal food administrator of Montana. The letter urges that the strictest care should be taken in the shipment of grain and grain supplies. The letter, which should prove of deep interest to all shippers, follows in full: "As a result of an investigation recently carried on for determining the cause of the very serious fires which occurred a short time ago in the Kansas City stockyards, and in the grain elevators in Brooklyn, evidence has come to light which clearly shows that there is a conspiracy to burn about the destruction of livestock and grain supplies in the country. German agents within our borders are planning to prevent the shipment of supplies to our allies.

"With this in mind I desire to urge upon you the importance of exercising every precaution to prevent damage to livestock and grain in transit on your road or in the yards or storage along your line. May I suggest that you ask your agents to urge the shippers to carefully guard their stock when in railroad yards to be fed and watered? "The United States is unprepared and is therefore not very well equipped to fight enemies of the sort. However, we are at war with an enemy that must be reckoned with and every precaution to prevent the destruction of food supplies ought to be taken. "Sincerely yours, "ALFRED ATKINSON, Federal Food Administrator of Montana."

ITALIAN ATTACK IS ONLY A DIVERSION

Germans Attempting to Relieve Pressure on the Western Front.

London, Oct. 20.—Satisfaction with the decision of Great Britain and France to help the Italians is expressed by most of the morning newspapers, which again urge that whatever assistance is possible must be given without delay. The general assumption seems to be that concrete reinforcements contributed by Great Britain and France will appear on the Italian front.

The Morning Post, however, contends that the best way of helping Italy is to keep hammering the Germans on the western front. It adds: "A German victory over the Italians will not help them if we keep striking hard in Flanders. It is a maxim in war never to allow the strategy to be diverted to the enemy and every move of our enemy now is an attempt to create diversion from the western front."

Taking the view that the German success is due partly to treachery and that the Germans are using the same tools in Italy as those with which the Russian armies were betrayed, the Post declares: "Let our statements awake and counter these activities. This may be of even more service than any military aid we can render."

The Post, nevertheless, assumes that such military aid as can be given without weakening the pressure on the western front will be furnished and urges the Italians to hold on until success arrives.

ASSIGNMENTS MADE OF THE MORMON ELDERS

At the close of the semi-annual conference held yesterday, President M. J. Ballard of the Church of Latter Day Saints, announced the assignments of elders for the next six months as follows: Elders Lucian Tongren and W. W. Whitaker to Chinook, Milk River valley; Elders Everett, Robins and L. Smith to Great Falls; Elders G. L. Elbert and A. L. Watts to Helena; Elders E. A. Odvard and J. H. Ormond to Billings; Elders Frame and Taylor to Lima; Elders L. R. Bliton and Marvin Wright to Kalispell; Elders Peter Jensen and F. Cheney to Missoula; Elders M. J. Larson and John Christensen to Wallace, Ida.; Elders L. W. Howard and I. R. Vandy to Lost River valley, Ida.; Elders E. H. Dorrity and D. H. Woodland to Anaconda; Elders W. Boswell and J. H. Bell in Butte city, with President A. W. Crane.

HALLOWEEN AT GREGGON.

Halloween is to be observed at Gregg Springs in a manner in keeping with the best traditions of the night of witchery. Manager Forsythe has arranged for unique souvenirs and there will be a special orchestra for the dancing frolics. A special train will be run on the Butte, Anaconda and Pacific.

UP TO DATE.

Club Bore—Say, old fellow, I want something up to date in the way of fancy dress for the vegetarians' ball tomorrow night.

Acquaintance—Well, stick a turnip on your head and go as a meatless day. —London Opinion.

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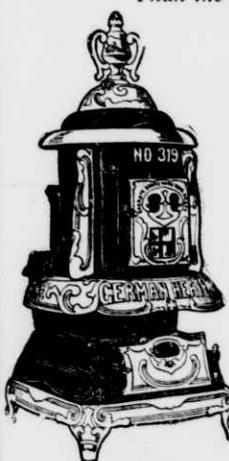
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Over 7,500 Monarch Malleable Ranges in Daily Use in Butte; More Monarchs Than the Combined Number of All Other Makes.



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The most beautifully finished heater on the market. It is full nickel trimmed and carries a double guarantee—the maker's and Shiner's. Five dollars down or your old stove taken as part payment will deliver a German heater to your home ready for use.

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MAYOR WILL RENEW HERO APPLICATION

Request for Medals for Drs. McCarthy and Maillet Unrecognized as Yet.

Up to date there has been no response to the mayor's application to the Carnegie here for medals to reward six of his heroes during the Speculator mine disaster. The application will be renewed by letter today by the mayor.

Special mention will be made of the heroism of Dr. P. H. McCarthy and Dr. H. A. Maillet. The former made an early trip down the mine, despite the gas that threatened all rescuers. He was quickly followed by Dr. Maillet.

"I believe that the two physicians deserve recognition," said the mayor. "There are five or six others whose bravery was such as to win favorable comment from everyone in Butte. I believe that all will win country-wide recognition from the Carnegie here committee."

The mayor has also called attention to the heroism of Manue Ducrest, who lost his life although the presence of mind saved a score of his companions.

HER STORY CLEANS UP CHICAGO'S LOOP

Cecile Franke

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HEALTH OFFICE TO ASSIST IN CAMPAIGN

Daily Advice Will Be Given in Effort to Conserve Food in Butte.

The health office of the city of Butte is now planning a campaign to assist in the national movement for food conservation during the coming season.

City Chemist Frank Harris has on hand data from the government to explain how the housewives may save and thereby assist in the campaign against the Kaiser.

Mr. Harris says: "Announcements will be made from day to day to show how savings may be made from the tables of the Butte homes."

DR. WITHERSPOON HOME FROM EASTERN MEETING

Dr. T. C. Witherspoon has returned from Chicago, where he attended the meeting of the American College of Surgeons in connection with a discussion of how the after-the-war problems will be handled. Dr. Witherspoon declares that the plans of the government are on a gigantic scale and not alone will government efforts be directed to taking the very best care of the men during the war period, but afterwards as well.

MONTANA AGITATOR GETS INTO TROUBLE

Fort Snelling, Minn., Oct. 20.—Ira Luft of Bozeman, Mont., alleged I. W. W. agitator, is in the hands of the military authorities at Fort Snelling.

After an unsuccessful attempt to break jail in Superior, Wis., he was arrested after an altercation with a housewife over food last week. Luft, handcuffed to Captain of Police Lewis Coleman, was turned over to Capt. Ira Loosnecker of Fort Snelling today.

Luft registered for the draft but is said to be a deserter. His activities have not been favorable to authorities of late it is said. He will be detained in the warehouse until handed over to federal authorities.

THREETFOLD BIRTHRIGHT OF OUR BOYS AND GIRLS

Boys and girls have a three-fold birthright. As they were born, they should be well educated, according to Dr. Guy M. Bingham of Linton, N. D., educator and scholar, who spoke to the students at the high school auditorium last evening and to a gathering of parents and others on the subject "The Wearing of the Fanny." Dr. Bingham's talk was most interesting. He urged that children should be educated as individuals and not as classes and held that no child should be called "dumb" but that every effort should be made to discover and correct the weaknesses in young people.

BANKRUPTCY CASES.

The following persons were adjudged bankrupt in the federal district court yesterday:

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Years ago when dentistry was a very little known science, the dentist took some awful chances with patients. Safety was out of the question in almost every case. Today all has changed. And in the modern, appointed dental office, the very latest scientific appliances are installed and the dentist himself is a skilled and thoroughly efficient man. He is skilled and experienced in every branch of dentistry—man performs most wonderful restorative work—operations that would have been impossible in the days gone by, when science had not advanced when poor instruments were used.

And though these wonders can be worked today, do not think every dentist is a master at his profession. In many offices it is impossible to find one really brilliant operator. But in this office, where scientific life methods alone are used—where all the very latest scientific appliances are installed, the dentist and operator are all highly-skilled men, who are gifted with a thorough knowledge of dentistry—men who take a pride in their work—men whose work is simply perfection. As we can prove by actual performance for hundreds of our patients.

If you would like to thoroughly investigate our methods, and learn all about our modern systems, by all means come in and see. We will gladly examine your teeth, free, point out the defects—tell you our small charge for performing your teeth that are found wanting. You will find our fees are the lowest in BUTTE—our guarantee very wide in its scope; the most valuable protection any dentist can give. Come for your FREE EXAMINATION TODAY.

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MADE TO FIT GUARANTEED TO WEAR

MODIFICATION OF DECREE IS CONTINUED FOR WEEK

Bertie Kelly Tells Court She Has Not Had New Petticoat in Two Years.

The application of Bertie Kelly for a modification of the decree in the divorce suit brought against Harry Kelly was continued by Judge Lynch yesterday afternoon for a week after considerable testimony had been taken. Mrs. Kelly informed the court that her husband had failed to supply her with necessary clothing and happy ones.

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Constipation Makes Baby Uncomfortable

When its tender little organs are bound up with a congestion of stomach waste in the bowels, baby is a mighty uncomfortable morsel of humanity, and reflects discomfort in its disposition. If mother will just take a tiny dose of a mild laxative, such as Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the congestion will quickly loosen and be expelled, and her child be normal and happy once more.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is especially desirable for children, because it contains no opiate or narcotic drug, being a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, and gives it a pleasant, positive effect, and very palatable. Children like it and take it readily. Druggists sell Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for fifty cents a bottle; a five-cent bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. J. C. Caldwell, 416 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.

WAR TAX ON FREIGHT ARRIVING IN THE CITY

Freight arriving in Butte on the midnight of Oct. 21, regardless of date of shipment, will be assessed a per cent war tax. This war tax continues until further notice. The official word received by the carrying companies here today from local agents are under strict instructions to collect the war tax.

There is an 8 per cent tax on all sender tickets exceeding 25 cents and 10 per cent tax on Pullman sleeping and parlor car accommodations. Mileage books bought before Nov. 1 are subject to the 8 per cent tax. Mileage used after midnight of Oct. 21 is refunded with the cash, but the road agent is hidebound in the tax money he must collect. The tax as soon as money is paid. Commutation tickets for trips not exceeding 35 cents are subject to the tax.

PLENTY OF GAME IN YELLOWSTONE DISTRICT

Robert Driscoll of Mammoth Hot Springs, and government agent, arrived in Butte this morning for a short visit. He claims that in the vicinity of the Yellowstone National park there are many deer driven down from the mountains by the deep snow. "Hunting is good," he says. "The government is planning to feed all the deer and elk this winter and there is plenty of hay and other feed on hand." Mr. Driscoll will return to his station in the National forest this evening.

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DORCAS SOCIETY.

The Dorcas society of the Emanuel Lutheran church will be entertained in the church parlors tomorrow evening by Mr. and Mrs. John Benson. The choir will rehearse tonight and on Friday evening will furnish a Halloween party for the Sunday school at the church parlors. A good time is assured the children.

WOLFE IS HONORED

Wallace V. Wolfe, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Wolfe of this city, was elected president of the Institute at the Carnegie Technical Institute, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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