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Is it possible there is a woman in this country who continues to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial after all the evidence that is continually being published, which proves beyond contradiction that this grand old medicine has relieved more suffering among women than any other one medicine in the world?

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From Mrs. S. T. Richmond, Providence, R. I.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—"For the benefit of women who suffer as I have done I wish to state what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I did some heavy lifting and the doctor said it caused a displacement. I have always been weak and I overworked after my baby was born and inflammation set in, then nervous prostration, from which I did not recover until I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The Compound is my best friend and when I hear of a woman with troubles like mine I try to induce her to take your medicine."—Mrs. S. T. RICHMOND, 84 Progress Avenue, Providence, R. I.

From Mrs. Maria Irwin, Peru, N. Y.

PERU, N. Y.—"Before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was very irregular and had much pain. I had lost three children, and felt worst out all the time. This splendid medicine helped me as nothing else had done, and I am thankful every day that I took it."—Mrs. MARIA IRWIN, R.F.D. 1, Peru, N. Y.

From Mrs. Jane D. Duncan, W. Quincy, Mass.

SOUTH QUINCY, MASS.—"The doctor said that I had organic trouble and he doctored me for a long time and I did not get any relief. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised and I tried it and found relief before I had finished the first bottle. I continued taking it all through middle life and am now a strong, healthy woman and earn my own living."—Mrs. JANE D. DUNCAN, Forest Avenue, West Quincy, Mass.

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Montana Laws Affecting Merchants.

The retail merchants of Montana had a number of bills up before the recent legislature in which they were more or less interested, and while some of them failed of enactment, six were put on the statute books and will help in the merchandising business of that state. Those that passed were:

An act defining fakirs and providing punishment of any person who sells goods, wares or merchandise by misrepresentation to obtain a higher price than the actual or market value; an act defining false advertising and providing a penalty; an act to provide a lien on growing crops and grain threshed therefrom for the purchase price of seed and grain furnished; an act amending the law providing for the execution, filing, renewal and foreclosure of chattel mortgages; an act authorizing counties to issue bonds or warrants to procure seed grain for needy farmers, and an act to regulate the practice of pharmacy and regulating the manufacture and sale of drugs and medicine and providing penalties for violations.

Among other laws that failed of passage and which the merchants will probably present at the next session were:

A law to amend the exemption act; an act providing for a lien on the products of lumber companies for groceries and other necessities furnished; an act to regulate the business of itinerant merchants or peddlers.

Judges at Stock Show.

The Cascade International stock show to be held at North Yakima has been fortunate in securing as some of its judges the following men: H. H. Kildee, Ames, Idaho, dairy cattle; R. R. Dodderidge, Bozeman, Mont., swine; E. L. Potter, Corvallis, Ore., Herefords; Wm. Bishop, Pullman, Wash., sheep; J. L. Smith, Spokane, college fat steers; C. F. Monroe, Montesano, Wash., certain classes of draft horses.

LEAGUE GAMES AT SPOKANE

Aberdeen at Spokane:—
April 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25.
June 2, 29, 30. July 1, 2, 3, 4.
Sept. 6 a. m., 6 p. m., 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
Vancouver at Spokane:—
May 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16.
July 5 a. m., 5 p. m., 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11

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AS WAR PROGRESSES

In the fighting in the south the British India troops were reported to have defeated the Turks in Mesopotamia.

Russian warships Saturday sunk several Turkish merchantmen in the Black sea and bombarded forts in Asia Minor.

Air raids over England, France and Germany, trench, infantry and artillery fighting in France, the Carpathians and parts of Russian Poland, and an attack by Russian warships on Turkish merchant ships and Ottoman forts in the Black sea, comprised the main features of the war Saturday.

Unfavorable weather conditions, swollen streams and impassable roads are having a great influence on operations.

For the time being Russians, Germans and Austrians appear to have been deadlocked Sunday around that pivotal point of the Carpathian mountains, Uzok pass. Several millions of men are fighting there for supremacy, but, although the Russians have ceased to advance, they have not been driven back.

In the west there have been attacks at widely separated points along the front, but on the whole the French seemed satisfied at the moment with the advances they have made in Alsace, the Woivre, the Argonne, Champagne and north of Arras which, in the view of British military critics prove that the allies can advance when they desire.

In the Carpathians there has been fighting, but no battle to be compared with those which the arrival of spring brought to a close.

It is reported from Rome that Italy and Austria have failed to come to an agreement regarding territorial concessions to Italy for her continued neutrality.

Minor incidents in the campaign include the loss of the British submarine E-15, which ran ashore in the Dardanelles, 24 officers and men being taken prisoners by the Turks.

The French have again been active in the Vosges, capturing an important height near Metzlar. The British, too, have attacked the Germans in the neighborhood of Ypres, where fighting still was in progress when the last report was dispatched.

According to Paris a further advance in the Vosges by the French has been made on both banks of the Fecht river.

In the eastern war zone, up in the Carpathian peaks and passes, somewhat of a lull seems to have fallen on the operations.

To the south of Zillebeke in Belgium, a hill which dominates the country north and northwest, has been captured and consolidated by the British.

Fighting at various isolated points from western Belgium to the Vosges mountains has resulted, according to London and Paris, in defeats at several places for the Germans.

Germans Want Open Sea.

Portland, Maine.—A letter from Dr. Bernhard Dernburg, former colonial secretary of the German empire, was read at a massmeeting here Saturday night, at which the German side of the European war was set forth. Dr. Dernburg laid stress upon the German fight for an open sea and asserted that the advantages accruing to Germany from permanently retaining the land which it has taken in Europe could be disregarded if all the other German demands, especially a guaranteed free sea, were fully complied with in making peace and the natural commercial relations to Germany were considered in a just and workable form.

Town Flooded by Dam Break.

Roswell, N. M.—A part of the diversion dam of the Kondo reservoir, a government irrigation project near here, gave way Saturday following a heavy rain in the mountains. Portions of Roswell and the surrounding country were flooded. The property damage is considerable, but no loss of life was reported. Railroad traffic was interrupted and railroad communication for several days.

Matteawan Looms for Harry Thaw.

New York.—The appellate division of the supreme court handed down a decision Saturday affirming the writ issued in the case of Harry K. Thaw, thus upholding the decision of Justice Page in refusing to send Thaw back to New Hampshire. The decision in effect means that the appellate division justices think Thaw should go back to Matteawan.

Church Dynamiters to Penitentiary.

New York.—Frank Astarino and Carmine Carbone, anarchists who made and set a bomb in St. Patrick's cathedral March 2, when hundreds were worshipping within the edifice, were sentenced Wednesday to serve not less than six years nor more than 12 in Sing Sing prison. They were found guilty last week.

Spain Needs German Dyes.

Madrid.—A commission of Spanish textile manufacturers has asked Prime Minister Dato to request the belligerents to permit the entry into Spain of German merchandise "shipped prior to the blockade decree of the allies, but stopped at Genoa." These articles are in large part dyes indispensable to certain Spanish industries.

INDUSTRY AND IMPROVEMENT.

The contract for the construction of the federal building at Miles City, Mont., has been let to a St. Louis firm for about \$82,000.

Harlowton, Mont., has sold \$15,475 worth of bonds, the revenue from which will be used in the construction of a new water system.

The farmers of Nezperce county, Idaho, are advocating the issue of \$500,000 worth of bonds for permanent road work in that county.

The Northern Pacific, Great Northern and O. W. R. & N. have begun the construction of a viaduct over switching tracks in Tacoma to cost \$50,000.

The Great Northern railway has let the contract for the construction of 1,500 feet of concrete snow sheds in the Cascades between Tye and Embury at a cost of about \$250,000.

The Mohr Construction Co. has been awarded the contract for the building of two miles of permanent highway No. 5A in Grant county by the commissioners at its bid of \$4,890.09.

The Washington toy and wood manufacturers of wooden toys, wooden novelties, has started operations at Aberdeen, Wash. Its products will be made from native woods and it is the only factory of the kind west of the Rockies. W. B. Crammatte is president of the company.

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To those who have endured for years the itching torments of eczema or other such skin-eruptions, the relief that the first use of resinol ointment and resinol soap gives is perfectly incredible. After all the suffering they have endured and all the useless treatments they spent good money for, they cannot believe anything so simple, mild and inexpensive can stop the itching and burning INSTANTLY! And they find it still more wonderful that the improvement is permanent and that resinol really drives away the eruption completely in a very short time. Perhaps there is a pleasant surprise like this in store for you. Resinol ointment and resinol soap are sold by all druggists.—Adv.

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Barnes Sues Roosevelt.

Syracuse, N. Y.—The trial of the suit which William Barnes instituted against Theodore Roosevelt, claiming \$50,000 damages for alleged libel, began in the supreme court here this week.

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Allen's Foot-Paste is a certain cure for hot, sweating, callous and swollen, aching feet. Sold by all druggists. Price, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Washington is the only coke-producing state on the Pacific coast. Its production in 1913 was 75,221 tons, valued at \$432,270.

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There are five cement plants in Washington. In 1913 they produced \$2,339,202 worth of cement.

A French ornithologist has discovered that, owing to disturbances in the war zone, the stork which frequents

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northern Europe, for nesting, has taken flight to other locations. With the dove of peace slain and the stork driven from the land, the European plight is indeed pitiable.

Big Shows, Spokane.

Through a new arrangement Charles W. York, former manager of the Auditorium theater, on Post Street, Spokane, will take over the management of the theater personally for the remainder of the season and will present all the road shows previously booked.

"All the road shows previously booked will be shown," said Mr. York. "These run through intermittently until July 23."

The list includes the following: "Peg O' My Heart," John Drew, Billie Burke, "Seven Keys to Baldpate," "Twin Beds," "Sart," "Under Cover," "Everywoman," Chauncey Olcott and Maude Adams.

"PEG O' MY HEART."

Inland Empire theatergoers will have an opportunity to see the J. Hartley Manners' comedy of youth, "Peg O' My Heart," for Wednesday and Thursday, April 21 and 22, at the Auditorium theater, Spokane.

The scenes of the comedy are laid in a small town in England, the home of the Chichesters.

JOHN DREW IN "ROSEMARY."

John Drew has long been accredited with being the foremost comedian upon the American stage, and yet Mr. Drew is a man of "many parts," for in Shakespeare and the romance of the drama he is equally well at his ease. Always self-poised, self-possessed and alert, Mr. Drew is able to read the small epigrams and bright lines with a true sense of comedy. This season, Charles Frohman is presenting him in a revival of one of his former successes, "Rosemary," a play in four acts, by Louis N. Parker and Murray Carson.

The scenes of the play are laid in England at the time of the coronation of Queen Victoria in 1837 and ends with the fiftieth anniversary of that event. Mr. Drew in "Rosemary" comes to the Auditorium theater, Spokane, April 23 and 24.

General Trade Conditions.

Bradstreet's says: This week's reports, trade and industrial, are the best noted for some time, being in some respects the most favorable received since the spring of 1914. Sentiment is bolstered by the smart uplift in stock market prices; better weather has superinduced improvement in general lines of retail trade; foreign orders for machinery, tools, automobiles and for capacity work in the enterprises thus benefited; operations on domestic account are steadily improving; idle workmen are less numerous; money is easy; weekly bank clearings are more encouraging; collections are a shade better in some centers, and winter wheat crop conditions are good—as good, all things considered, as a year ago at this date.

Bank clearings for the week aggregate \$3,395,260,000, an increase of 13 per cent over last week and 3.8 per cent over the corresponding week last year.

Two Die of Ptomain Poison.

Seattle.—Twelve hours after his wife succumbed from the same cause, Albert Bordeck, 36 years old, a baker, died Sunday of ptomain poisoning, which physicians said was caused by eating canned soup.

INVESTIGATE THE JAPS' ALLEGED NAVAL BASE ON MEXICO'S SHORES.

Washington.—Admiral Howard, commanding the Pacific fleet off the west coast of Mexico, reported to the navy department Saturday that he had ordered Commander Noble E. Irwin, on the cruiser New Orleans, to proceed at once to Turtle Bay, Lower California, and report on the activities of Japanese naval forces there.

Investigation discovers Japanese are salvaging stranded cruiser Asama and they have three boats on the job. Rumors of permanent naval establishment set at rest by United States navy officers.

Terre Haute Politicians in Prison. Indianapolis, Ind.—Mayor Donn M. Roberts, Judge Eli H. Redman and 12 others convicted in federal court in the Terre Haute election conspiracy cases and sentenced to Leavenworth penitentiary, have started their sentences.

HALS MILE Puget Sound waterfront—14 acres, \$1,000; others. B. H. Dixon, Adelphi, Wash.

Highly seasoned foods destroy the natural and wholesome cravings of the appetite and wreck the digestive organs. Knowing this, it is unfortunate that we should season justice with mercy until there is distaste for the flavor of justice. Where tolerance toward crime predominates, violence is done to innocence with impunity. Where there is extreme leniency toward criminals, society is deprived of one of the strongest safeguards of civilization.

ONE CENT LETTER POSTAGE BEING AGITATED

One cent postage rate on letters is again being brought into prominence and many high officials declare that it is sure to come in the near future. All classes of business would be greatly benefited by its adoption, and estimated statistics show there would be such an increased demand for stamps that the apparent loss of revenue would be more than made up.

It is an impossibility to place an estimated value on health, it being a most priceless possession—but, perhaps you have been careless or negligent and have allowed weakness to develop until you are now in a badly run-down condition, with poor appetite, impaired digestion and constipated bowels.

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