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The Other Case. Dayton, Ohio.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound relieved me of pains in my side that I had for years and which doctors' medicines failed to relieve. It has certainly saved me from an operation. I will be glad to assist you by a personal letter to any woman in the same condition."—Mrs. J. W. Sherrer, 126 Cass St., Dayton, Ohio.

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JACK STEWART AGREES TO PAY ALL DAMAGE

ELKHART, Ind., Jan. 27.—John Stewart, South Bend, pleaded guilty in the city court Monday morning, paid an assessment of \$11 and signed an agreement with William Spaid to make good all damages to the latter's rig as a result of the collision. When asked why he did not stay at the scene of the accident longer Stewart said that some one in the crowd began to shout, "Mob him!" and much objectionable language was used toward him, so he thought the best thing for him and his companion to do was to go on.

Late News from the Surrounding Towns

PALMER'S PRAIRIE.

Mrs. E. J. Hartman is seriously ill with erysipelas. Mrs. Smith is spending several days with E. J. Hartman repairing the well. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lasch spent Monday with Michael Wilhelm and family. Mr. J. Dunnuck and family motored to South Bend Friday on business.

Ruth Hartman of South Bend, who was seriously ill at her home for the past week, returned to South Bend Sunday. On account of the illness of the teacher, Miss Enid Hupp, there was no school at Palmer's Prairie Wednesday.

Carl G. Lasch resigned his position with Jacob Koontz last Friday. Joseph Sheaff spent Sunday with E. J. Hartman.

E. L. Kollar is about to sell his milk route. Mrs. C. D. Davis spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Tom Moore. Henry Frick called on H. O. Dunnuck Monday on business.

George H. Stover of Center township is seriously ill. E. J. Hartman called on Shannon Jackson Wednesday. Carl G. Lasch is proud of the purchase of his new wagon. He thinks he got a bargain.

Miss Mildred Zumbaugh is spending several days with Mrs. E. J. Hartman of this place. Chas. Lasch was in South Bend Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bowers called on Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Schafer, sr., Sunday afternoon. Miss Mildred Zumbaugh spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Misses Tille and Minnie Schafer.

Mr. J. Sheenman and Miss Tille Schafer gave a dance at the Gleaner hall Saturday night. Misses Mabel and Laura Hupp visited their sister, Miss Enid Hupp, Sunday afternoon.

Carl G. Lasch was in South Bend Saturday. Chas. Lasch called on E. J. Hartman Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davis visited their daughter, Mrs. George Fuchs, Friday. Ruth Hartman called on Mrs. Ira Hartman Sunday afternoon.

D. Boswell of South Bend visited E. J. Hartman and family Saturday afternoon. Marcella and Ruth Hartman of South Bend spent the week-end with their parents.

Quite a number from this place attended the dance at the Gleaner hall Saturday night. Mrs. Chas. Lasch called on Mrs. E. J. Hartman Sunday evening. Will Kollar spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Jane Kollar, of this place.

C. D. Davis was in South Bend Saturday on business. Mrs. Ira Hartman of Palmer's Prairie spent the week-end in South Bend visiting friends.

PORTAGE PRAIRIE.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Scheibach of Niles, Mich., visited relatives at this place several days last week. Mrs. Joseph Miller and daughter left for Detroit last Friday, called there by illness of the former's mother, Mrs. W. H. Wagner.

Mahlon Rhoades of Warsaw visited relatives at this place last week. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Whitmer entertained about 55 guests last Thursday at dinner.

E. S. Arney was in Lansing last week. Mrs. Emory Rough was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Brown, at St. Joe last week.

Miss Mabel Hawblitzel of South Bend spent the week-end with relatives at this place. Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Rhoades were in Kalamazoo over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percival Rough entertained about 50 guests Saturday evening in honor of their 20th wedding anniversary. A number of presents were received.

Miss Elba Best was a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Rough, over Sunday. The Baptist Ladies' Aid society met last Thursday for their annual meeting with Mrs. Geo. Coolman.

John Soliday and John Kneisley spent last Wednesday in Michigan City, returning home Thursday. The Helping Hand, which was to have an oyster supper and speaking Friday night in the M. P. church, was postponed on account of the rain until Monday evening.

The mothers' department which met with Mrs. Trask last Friday was well attended. It will meet four weeks from Friday again. Mrs. Dan Hensell went to Valparaiso Saturday.

The Temperance Union will meet again Thursday afternoon at the Baptist church. The Methodist Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Noah Travis Wednesday.

NILES. A mass meeting of all those interested in baseball has been called for next Friday evening. The available material for a good team and the expense of maintaining a series of games will be discussed and upon the interest shown will depend whether Niles will have a team this season or not.

Miss Florence Harder went to Toledo Saturday to spend Sunday with her brother, J. Harold Harder. Mrs. As Walscott went to Kalamazoo Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Vanderbeck.

The wedding of Miss Jeannette Dean to John Franklin Seagrave of Middleton, Ohio, will occur Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 28, at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dean, 705 Bond st.

Mrs. Walter Woodward and daughter, Glencie, left Saturday for a visit in Rockledge, Fla. Miss Katherine Kennedy has resigned as a teacher in the Niles public schools and on Monday will begin teaching in the public schools of Detroit.

Born, to Mrs. Delbert H. Shaffer of Shady Crest farm, a nine-pound son Saturday. Mr. Shaffer died two weeks ago. Jay Kuzenga is now transfer man for the American Express Co. at the Michigan Central, succeeding J. L. Barbour, who has been promoted to the position of express messenger between Niles and Chicago.

Mrs. Belle Weiser has returned from a week's visit in Middlebury, Ind. Mrs. Silas Gorton and Mrs. E. L. Gillette went to Decatur Saturday to attend the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Frank Rosewars.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trowbridge are the parents of a nine-pound son, born Saturday. Mrs. Ada Dacy Wood is spending Sunday in Chicago.

St. Mary's Dramatic club presented the play, "The Iron Hand," Friday evening at the school hall. WALKERTON.

Mrs. Charles Barkley visited relatives in Hamlet Saturday. J. J. Devery of Laporte transacted business here Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Martha Shadel is visiting her son, Prof. S. J. Shadel and family. Frank DuComb of Hammond has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Maria Thompson.

B. I. Holser & Co. moved their office into the new elevator building Friday. Work on the building is nearly completed. The machinery is being installed and will soon be in operation.

Mrs. C. W. Sheatsley visited in Niles and Buchanan, Mich., the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Kearney Bagent of Garrett visited relatives here several days this week.

Mrs. Charles Manja and son of Kingsbury visited with Mrs. E. C. Whitaker this week. Herman Rosen was in Pittsburgh and Cleveland a few days this week on business for the Central Cut Glass Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Carpenter were called to Mill Creek the first of the week on account of the serious illness of the former's brother, James Carpenter.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS. First Will be Held Saturday at Grammar School Building. The first county teachers' examination for this year will be held in the grammar school building next Saturday. Examinations will be held after the first of every month. Since a certificate is required by the county school board from each applicant, it is believed that a large number will take the test Saturday.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

From the records of the Indiana Title & Loan Co.

Don't publish, \$1,900. American Trust Co. guardian, to Harry Fenton, undivided three-fourths of a tract of land in Olive township, \$500.

Minnie Hand and husband to Harry Fenton, a tract of land in Olive township, \$100.

Peter Koczorowski and wife to Miecz Chlebowski and wife, part of lot 12, Wall & Hine's sub, \$2,450.

Fred W. Keller and wife to Ulysses G. Manning, lot 80, Bowman's fifth addition, \$2.

Realty & Construction Co. to Charles Ulerich and wife, lot 119 and 111, Realty & Construction Co.'s second addition, \$1,400.

William O. Sinsrey and wife to Quincy G. Reinohl and wife, lot 142, Bowman's fifth addition, \$2,500.

William S. Daub and wife to Barry Scanlon, lot 15, Shenefeld's sub of lot 143, Soria's second addition, \$1,600.

Charles G. Johnson and wife to Elizabeth Striebel, lot 8, Morris park addition, \$90.

POULTRY MEN WILL HOLD SESSION TONIGHT

Final Arrangements For Show to be Staged in This City Will be Made. Final arrangements for the 5th annual Poultry show of the South Bend Poultry Fanciers association will be made at the meeting of the organization to be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the city hall court room.

The largest floor space ever used at any show has been secured by the men in charge of the arrangements who announce that they have leased the building formerly occupied by the Economy. The large floor space will permit the placing of the coops in single tiers, with a wide aisle between each cage. G. J. H. Northrup, an A. P. A. judge of wide experience will place the prizes.

Entries are being received from Pennsylvania, Illinois, Ohio and Michigan. WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Pennsylvania petroleum producers vigorously protested Monday against the proposed five per cent increase in freight rates asked by eastern railroads, in a meeting of shippers here.

W. F. Boltz, traffic manager of the National Petroleum association, representing 46 oil companies, charged that the proposed increase would decrease profits physically in favor of the Standard Oil Co. against the independents.

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PRAYERS ARE CALLED TELEPHONES TO GOD

Rev. Isaac Frantz Opens Series of Revival Meetings at First Church of Brethren. The second of the series of revival meetings that are being conducted at the First Church of the Brethren, was held Monday night when Evangelist Isaac Frantz spoke upon the topic, "God's Telephone."

He said that while the modern telephone was liable to defects and other inconveniences at all times, the telephone of God, which he said could be likened to our prayers was never known to fail. "However, all pray-

ers," he said, "should come under the limit of God's will." His topic for tonight will be, "What God Magnifies Above His Own Name." The church has been crowded at each of the three services that have been held and a decided interest in the congregation. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services by the evangelist.

HOT TEA BREAKS A COLD—TRY THIS

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Tee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.—Adv.

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"1914" CURES BLOOD POISON

Many poor humans who are downcast, with no hope of living but a short, miserable life on account of their blood being contaminated with poison, which has been handed down from their parents or acquired! How many are fast decaying and are gradually being lowered into their graves, evidenced by such symptoms of destruction as, first, a characteristic sore, then pimples and sores over the body, skin eruptions, falling hair, ulcers in the mouth and throat, discolored spots on the skin, bone aches and many other typical indications. Isn't it fine to know that a treatment exists which will remove all these symptoms in TWO DAYS? If you are threatened or have been attacked by early paralysis, epilepsy, rotting bones, decaying brain, ALL caused by contagious blood poison, WE WILL SAVE YOU. Under the old-fashioned treatment the symptoms remaining exposed, sometimes for years—that accounts for the alarming prevalence of the disease which is more common than tuberculosis. Through exposed symptoms thousands of innocent mothers and children contract it by using infected utensils. We reduce these dangers by removing the symptoms rapidly.

Kidney, Bladder and Other Diseases

The functions of these organs are most important, and the derangement or obstruction of them is fraught with the most disastrous consequences, such as Bright's Disease, Uric Acid and Uraemic Poisoning, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Diabetes. It is of the highest importance that when there is reason to suspect that the kidneys or bladder are out of order, a diagnosis of a searching and scientific character should be made. Too often these examinations are superficial, hasty and made with inadequate testing methods, and the consequence is that the patient is frequently lulled into a feeling of safety, to realize when too late that he is in the clutches of a deadly disease. If you have any of the symptoms of disease of the kidney, bladder, such as pain in the back, difficult or frequent urination, especially nights; smarting, burning or stinging dull aching or throbbing sensations in the bladder or rectum; headache, dizziness, tired feeling, cold hands and feet, puffiness of the eyes and face, swollen ankles, difficult breathing, palpitation of the heart, come before it is too late.

Stricture

PROSTATITIS, GLEET, DISCHARGES, INFLAMMATION, AND ALL URINARY TROUBLES—When the passage of the urine is obstructed or retarded the first conclusion is that there is a stricture, and whether arrived at by doctor or by a large percent of cases. Here lies the secret of why the majority of men do not get cured of diseases, as they are not treated for the right trouble. The passage of urine may be stopped or difficult from enlargement of the prostate kidney and bladder troubles, or inflammation in the urinary channel, and it is these affections from which many supposed stricture men suffer and are treated for organic stricture. Real organic stricture, or a formation in the canal, seldom occurs, and the majority of urinary complaints are from chronic inflammation started by a private disease which was not promptly cured. It is of the utmost importance in the treatment of any disease that scientific examination be made, and for this reason so few specialists effect cures.



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DISEASES OF MEN

Lost Power the Cause of Mental and Physical Suffering

Perfect health is possible only when every function of the human body is properly performed. Man is the paragon of animals, the perfection of all created beings, but how seldom do we see the true, the perfect man, walking among his fellows a solitary gem? How many who fall to reach the dimension of their splendid model? And yet the young man, the middle-aged man, the man of mature age who walks the streets with head hanging, afraid to meet the eye of his fellow beings, dreading lest they read his inmost secret, still follows the paths of ignorance, for while his youth may be wrecked, while his vitality may be lowered, while his body may be prey of his mind, yet there is hope, that his living death may turn and give him years of happiness, lifting him to that plane of manhood, which all men should tread. We want to help men who are weak in vitality, who are nervous, despondent and lacking self-confidence; who feel as if old age was coming on too soon, because of the dulling of their youthful fire and ambition.

A SURE CURE—A SMALL FEE

To be strong is the aim of every man, and yet how many we find who are wasting the vitality and strength which Nature gave them. Instead of developing into the strong, vigorous man that Nature intended them to be, they find themselves stunted and despondent—no ambition to do anything. They struggle aimlessly along, sooner or later to become victims of that dread disease, nervous debility, their finer sensibilities blunted and their nerves shattered. It is hard for a weak man to have noble sentiments, such things are born of warm blood, healthy nerves and strong heart. Every weak man is more or less despondent, lacks the magnetic enthusiasm of youthful energy, and should not hesitate to make almost any sacrifice to again be happy, light-hearted and full of joyous impulses, to be free from brain wandering and dull, stupid feeling, to have confidence and self-esteem, and command the admiration of men and women. It is the law of Nature that all of the powers of the body and brain should be retained unimpaired until the last. The vitality of youth can be conserved by right living, and it is only because men ignorantly and recklessly waste their store of nerve force that they become feeble wrecks and find life not worth living. Scores upon scores of men of all ages and in nearly every walk of life have been rescued by Dr. Fleener Co. With them the treatment of these diseases is not an experiment. If they feel that they can't cure you, they say so and you part friends. You cannot afford to neglect this condition; neglect has strewn the seeds of discord and unhappiness in hundreds of homes, which otherwise would have been the abode of peace and happiness. The greatest gift to man is a healthy, Manly System; if your vitality is not what Nature intended, you are the cause, and inasmuch as it lies within your reach to have this gift restored, what man, who is truly a man, will not seek the opportunity?

DO YOU SUFFER

with sour stomach, bloating after eating, headache, backache, dizziness, specks before your eyes, hot and cold flashes, lame back, scanty, high-colored urine, burning, stinging or difficult urination, spots under skin, loss of energy, ambition, vim, vigor, vitality, bashful, timid, nervous weakness, loss of confidence, brooding, blues, lack of ability to concentrate mind, thoughts wander, cold feet, itching of skin, vital loss, excessive thirst, pain around the heart, at base of brain or down limbs? Do you have difficulty in fixing your thoughts? Is your memory poor? Do you get weak and dizzy? Are you nervous and irritable? Are you the man physically and mentally that you formerly were? Can you accomplish what your healthy friends and acquaintances can? If not, you are laboring under a great handicap. Come and let us make you strong and well again at a very small cost.

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