

**What to do for Indigestion**

"Pape's Diaprepin," by neutralizing the acidity of the stomach, instantly relieves the food souring and fermentation which causes the misery-making gases, heartburn, flatulence, fullness or pain in stomach and intestines.

A few tablets of "Pape's Diaprepin" bring relief almost as soon as they reach the stomach. They help regulate disordered stomachs so favorite foods can be eaten without distress—Costs so little at drug stores.

**RHEUMATISM**

The powerful, healing warmth of Hunt's Lightning Oil gives instant and positive relief from rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, lumbago, sprains, strains, etc.

**HUNT'S LIGHTNING OIL**

**GENERAL HARDWARE AND SUPPLIES**

Contractors' Supplies, Builders Hardware, Etc. Prices and information furnished on request

**PEDEN IRON & STEEL CO.**

HOUSTON SAN ANTONIO

**GRANGER LIVER REGULATOR**

For all Liver Complaints, Constipation, Indigestion, etc.

PRICE 25c AT ALL DRUGGISTS

It Sometimes Happens. "Well, he made his bed—" "And now he lies in it?" "No, he lies about it."

**LIFT OFF CORNS!**

Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers

Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Frezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Frezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Frezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.—Adv.

**Truthful Appearance.**

"Bill, I am dead broke."

"Then no wonder you look all gone to pieces."

**Freshen a Heavy Skin**

With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

**URIC ACID IN MEAT CLOGS THE KIDNEYS**

Take a Glass of Salts if Your Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers.

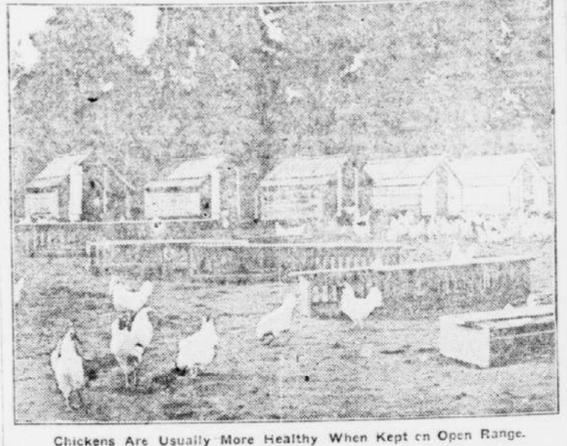
If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts; occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush out the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink.—Adv.

**MURINE** Night and Morning. Have Strong, Healthy Eyes. If they Tingle, Smart or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Soothes, Refreshes. Safe for Infant or Adult. At All Druggists. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

**CERTAIN AMOUNT OF CARE NECESSARY TO OBTAIN BEST RESULTS FROM SITTING HENS**



Chickens Are Usually More Healthy When Kept on Open Range.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The sitting hen, which is used most generally for incubation purposes on the farm, should receive a certain amount of care and attention during the process of hatching eggs. To a great extent the care given a sitting hen plays an important part in the number and condition of the chicks when hatched. With this end in view, the poultry specialists of the United States department of agriculture make the following suggestions:

If several hens are sitting in the same room, see that they are kept on the nests, allowing them to come off only once a day to receive feed and water, the feed to consist of corn, wheat, or both. If there are any that do not desire to come off themselves, they should be taken off. Hens usually return to their nests before there is any danger of the eggs chilling, but if they do not go back in half an hour in ordinary weather, they should be put on the nest. Where a large number of sitters are kept in one room it is advisable to let them off in groups of four from four to six at a time. The eggs and nests should be examined and cleaned, removing all broken eggs and washing those that are soiled; in the latter case the soiled nesting material should be removed and clean straw added. Nests containing broken eggs that the hen is allowed to sit on soon become infested with mites and lice, which cause the hens to become uneasy and leave the nest, often causing the loss of valuable sittings of eggs. In mite-infested nests the hen, if fastened in, will often be found standing over rather than sitting on the eggs.

**Many Eggs Infertile.**

Many eggs that are laid in the late winter and early spring are infertile. For this reason it is advisable to set several hens at the same time. After the eggs have been under the hens from five to seven days, the time depending somewhat on the color and thickness of the shells—white-shelled eggs being easier to test than those having brown shells—they should be tested, the infertile eggs and dead germs removed, and the fertile eggs put back under the hen. In this way it is often possible to put all the eggs that several hens originally started to sit on under fewer hens and reset the others. For example, 30 eggs are set under three hens at the same time, ten under each. At the end of seven days we find on testing the eggs from all the hens that ten are infertile, which leaves us 20 to reset, which we do by putting them under two hens, and have the remaining hen sit over again after she has sat only seven days. In this way considerable time can be saved in one's hatching operations.

**Testing Eggs for Fertility.**

An egg whether impregnated or not, has a small grayish spot on the surface of the yolk known as the germinal spot. As soon as a fertile egg is placed under a hen or in an incubator development begins. All eggs should be tested at least twice during the period of incubation, preferably on the seventh and fourteenth days, and the infertile eggs and dead germs removed. White eggs can be tested on the fourth or fifth day, while the developments in eggs, having brown shells often cannot be seen until the seventh day. Dead germs soon decay and give off a bad odor if allowed to remain under the hen. Infertile eggs make good feed for young chickens and are often used in the home for culinary purposes. Most incubator companies furnish testing chimneys with their machines, which will fit ordinary lamps. Electric or gas lamps may be used in a box with a hole slightly smaller than an egg cut in the side of the box and at the same level as the light. They may also be tested by sunlight, using a shutter or curtain with a small hole in it for the light to shine through.

**Homemade Egg Tester.**

A good homemade egg tester, or candler, can be made with a large shoe box, or any box that is large enough to go over a lamp, by removing the end and cutting a hole a little larger than the size of a quarter in the bottom of the box, so that when it is set over a kerosene lamp the hole in the bottom will be opposite the blaze. A hole the size of a silver dollar should be cut in the top of the box to allow the heat to escape.

The eggs are tested with the large end up, so that the size of the air cell may be seen as well as the condition of the egg.

**Value of Apple Tree.**

The commercial apple tree cared for as it is today is worth more than it was several years ago when spraying was not systematized.

**Prune Any Time.**

You can prune both apple and peach any time between now and spring when other work permits.

**Carrots for Cows.**

Stock carrots are very good for dairy cows.

**POULTRY NOTES**

Don't set hens where others can lay with them.

Sunlight is essential to health and should be provided for in the poultry house.

Hens will not lay in snow banks nor when compelled to roost nights with the sky for a roof.

Keep up a good heat in the brooder house but have a cool room for chicks to run in.

The best hatching eggs are of average shape, neither long nor round; fertile and recently laid. The germ weakens and dies with age.

Johnson grass seeds and many other pests are reduced by chickens, turkeys and guineas.

The fowls can be kept in good health with pure water and wholesome food better than with medicine.

Provide a box partly filled with road dust or wood ashes, so as to give the hens an opportunity to take a dust bath. It gives them needed exercise and keeps them free from lice and mites.

**DODSON WOULD STOP SALE OF CALOMEL**

Says Calomel is Mercury and Acts Like Dynamite on Your Liver.

Dodson is making a hard fight against calomel in the South. Every druggist has noticed a great falling off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason, Dodson's Liver Tonic is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tonic is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tonic is personally guaranteed by every druggist. A large bottle costs but a few cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tonic is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Take Dodson's Liver Tonic instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.—Adv.

Cultivate a cheery disposition.

**"NOTHING BETTER AS A LAXATIVE"**

Asheville Lady Finds Black-Draught An Effective Remedy in Her Family for Common Ailments of the Digestive Organs.

Asheville, N. C.—Mrs. A. K. Jarvis, 44 Woodrow Avenue, this city, says: "I have used and heard of Theodor's Black-Draught for years, and I certainly have found it splendid for headache, sour stomach, indigestion and other ills that come from a deranged liver.

"My husband and I keep Black-Draught in the house and think it is splendid to keep off sickness. I have used it in small doses as a laxative, and there is nothing better.

"Black-Draught is a mild liver medicine . . . any child can take it. I have found it splendid with them for colds."

Theodor's Black-Draught has benefited thousands in relieving liver ailments. It helps to drive bile poisons and other unhealthful matters out of the system.

Black-Draught is a stand-by in thousands of family medicine chests. It should be in yours. Its use should help to keep the whole family well. Prompt treatment is often half the battle against many ailments.

Get some from your druggist today.

It takes a has-been a long time to find it out.

**EASIER FOR HER TO DYE THAN TO BUY**

"Diamond Dyes" Turn Faded, Shabby Apparel Into New.

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether it be wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods—dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, feathers—everything!

Direction Book in package tells how to match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.—Adv.

Look ahead as a wise engineer.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills are simply a good old-fashioned medicine for regulating the stomach, the liver and bowels. Get a box and try them.—Adv.

Never judge a woman's age by her store teeth.

**PNEUMONIA LEFT BOY WEAK AND SICKLY**

Parents Were Almost Hopeless, But He Is Now Well and Strong.

"Our little boy's health was so poor we were afraid we were going to lose him. He is ten years old, and has had weak lungs ever since he was eight months old, caused by pneumonia. We have been very careful with him and doctored him continually, but we had almost despaired of ever having a strong, well boy.

"But since giving him Milks Emulsion all his trouble is gone, and he is in perfect health."—Mrs. G. W. Smiley, 29 Maple St., Dayton, O.

For restoring appetite, health and strength in sickly children, mothers will find Milks Emulsion the thing they have always sought. Most children like to take it, because unlike many emulsions and tonics, it really tastes good.

Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, doing away with all need of pills and physic. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. As a builder of flesh, and strength Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to those whose sickness has weakened, and is a powerful aid in restoring and repairing the effects of wasting diseases. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved—usually in one day.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under the following guarantee—Take six bottles, home with you, use it according to directions, and if not satisfied with the results your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and \$1.25 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold by druggists everywhere.—Adv.

Common sense is none too common.



**ROAD BUILDING**

**RAILROADS AND GOOD ROADS**

Solution of Future Transportation Problems Seen in Hard-Surfaced Highways of Country.

Any student of the railroad situation must reach the conclusion that railroad operation in America has reached the height of its efficiency and hereafter it will remain stationary or decrease.

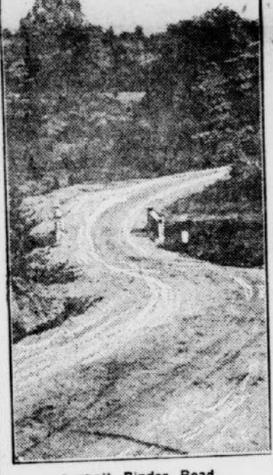
It is always possible that some revolutionary process will be discovered, but the long years without marked improvement of process indicate that railroad mechanics have about reached their maximum while bureaucratic and political control now assured will be as deadening to all mechanical improvement as they will be to effective management.

Progress in transportation, therefore, must be in other lines. Navigation has been heralded for some years as a solution, but in spite of heavy government assistance, water traffic, even on the Great Lakes, has steadily declined. The remedy does not appear to rest there, at least for the present.

There remain the highroads. In their salvation lies, says Chicago Tribune. The war, which proved the utter ineptitude of the French government-owned railways to rise to the emergency, established the motor truck in its full majesty. What the French railroads could not do the motor trucks on fine French highways did. What the highroads are in France they must be made in America.

Fortunately, we have an excellent little beginning in the middle West. The principle of hard roads has been accepted and timid beginnings have been made in a number of states, chief among them Illinois. Let us understand, and immediately, that what has been done and what has been legislated for is merely the thin entering wedge of our highroad program. The narrow ribbons of concrete roads laid out by legislation will no more carry the forthcoming auto truck traffic than the old narrow gauge single track railroads were able to carry the railroad traffic which they caused to develop.

It is fortunate that we have many agencies building roads. The nation will do something for the most backward. The states, however, should



Spain's Binder Road.

treble or quadruple all national allowances. In the beginning, and until the principles of highroad traffic are generally understood, it will probably be necessary for counties and even cities to provide the wide thoroughfares necessary at the points where traffic centers.

To illustrate, the 18-foot roads which are perhaps adequate a hundred miles in the country are even now more congested ten miles out from the city limits than are our most crowded city streets.

**BILLION DOLLARS FOR ROADS**

Immense Amount to Be Spent in 1920 for Construction and Proper Maintenance.

More than \$1,000,000,000 will be spent this year in construction and maintenance of roads and streets throughout the United States, F. L. Powers, secretary of the American Road Builders' association, estimated.

**HINDER SOCIAL INTERCOURSE**

Suspension of Travel Caused by Poor Condition of Highways in Rural Communities.

Roads are often a handicap to social intercourse. Under the worst road conditions all travel may be completely suspended. It is not difficult to see such conditions, but what is more difficult is to comprehend the general improved social atmosphere which adequately improved road conditions cause in rural communities.

**Make Rough Lands Useful.**

Rough lands may profitably be used for horticultural purposes and grazing lands utilized for dairying where roads make it practicable to transport such products to the markets.

**Efficiency of Mail Service.**

Nothing contributes so much to the efficiency of the rural mail service as good roads.

**Aid Community Development.**

Good roads are essential to the best development of any community.

**This Medicine Recommended by a Doctor**



DR. J. H. WAGNER

When a doctor uses a medicine himself besides prescribing it to his patients, he must know that it has merit. This is what Dr. J. H. Wagner, a prominent physician of Boone, Kentucky, has to say about Dr. Hartman's well-known remedy, PE-RU-NA: "I have used PE-RU-NA myself for catarrh and have given it to others for catarrh, bladder, after eating and other ailments. It has proved a success in all cases with old and young men and women. All speak well of PE-RU-NA. It is the best of all tonics."

Dr. Wagner, out of the goodness of his own personal experience, for the good of all sick and suffering, recommends a medicine which he knows to be good. You may be sure a doctor would not endanger his professional reputation by endorsing PE-RU-NA unless satisfied beyond a doubt of its value.

Whether your trouble be a cough or a cold, or a more subtle catarrh of the stomach, bowels or other organs, give PE-RU-NA a trial. The immediate improvement which you will see will satisfy beyond a doubt that PE-RU-NA is what you need.

The man who thinks doesn't talk much; the man who talks much, seldom thinks.

Life is a grind if your grind isn't worth grinding.

**RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.**

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 4 oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can do it very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

**\$100 Reward, \$100**

Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. It therefore requires constitutional treatment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surface of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE destroys the foundation of the disease, gives the patient strength by improving the general health and restores nature in doing its work. \$1000 for any cure of Catarrh that HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE fails to cure.

Druggists sell. Obtainable free, F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Never judge a man's thoughts by what he says.

**Alabastine**

Instead of kalsomine or wallpaper



**You Can Not Be Deceived! This Package Protects You**

You want Alabastine. Alabastine results alone will satisfy you. Alabastine results can be secured with no other material.

The Cross and Circle printed in red on the package is your guarantee of quality and results.

Alabastine is artistic, sanitary, durable and economical. Alabastine will permit you to put your own individuality in your home, match your rugs and furnishings and have complete color harmony in all your rooms. Combining and intermixing the different tints enables you to secure unlimited color effects.

Alabastine requires only pure, cold water to mix and can be used on all interior surfaces, plaster, wallboard, over smoked and grime painted walls, or even over wall paper that is solid and has no raised figures or aniline colors. Best paint dealers everywhere sell Alabastine. Write us direct rather than take a substitute.

**Alabastine Company**  
547 Grandville Road Grand Rapids, Mich.

**WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC**

For MALARIA, CHILLS and FEVER

Also a Fine General Strengthening Tonic

**BEAR CUBS PROBABLY UNIQUE**

New Species the Result of Mating Canadian Black and Russian Brown, in London Zoo.

A "marriage was arranged" in London some time ago between Teddy, the black bear from Canada, and Daisy, the brown bear from Russia. The result is the first hybrid black-brown bear cubs ever born in the zoo—they may even be unique, for nature let alone produces no hybrids. They are a rich mahogany compromise between their parents' colorings, and are doing splendidly. Along with the news comes word that the ugliest beast in the world, the Matamata turtle, another emigrant from the new world, has been on a hunger strike ever since his arrival in London. At home he gets his food in a nasty, trencherous way. He has a shell which looks like a lump of rock on which weed grows freely. He keeps quiet and looks like a pleasant stone for fish to rest under. Round his jaws are a number of long lumps which look like desirable worms. These are his ground bait, and even if the Matamata be asleep a nibble rouses him to snap up a meal.

**Reminded Him.**

A well-known preacher was giving one of his stirring discourses, when he remarked:

"Ah! that reminds me of something I shall never forget."

Then he stopped and thought and, after thinking and waiting a long time, greatly to the astonishment of the congregation, he said:

"Dear me, I can't think of what it is!"—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

**Very Likely.**

"What do you suppose Mars can be signaling us for?"

"I guess he wants an engagement as a moving-picture star."

**Naturally**

"You look depressed this morning."

"I have a good reason. When I went to look at my private stock I found I was out of spirits."

**A Morning Dish Of Grape-Nuts**

certainly does hearten one up for the day. Why shouldn't it? Grape-Nuts is ready-cooked, ready-sweetened, and contains just those good elements nature requires for the strength to do things.

**Make Grape-Nuts your home cereal**

**"There's a Reason"**