

IN MISERY FOR YEARS

Mrs. Courtney Tells How She Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oakalosa, Iowa.—"For years I was simply in misery from a weakness and awful pains—and nothing seemed to do me any good. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and got relief right away. I can certainly recommend this valuable medicine to other women who suffer, for it has done such good work for me and I know it will help others if they will give it a fair trial."

Why will women drag along from day to day, year in and year out, suffering such misery as did Mrs. Courtney, when such letters as this are continually being published? Every woman who suffers from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, nervousness, or who is passing through the Change of Life should give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

MILLIONS Suffer from Acid-Stomach

Millions of people suffer year after year from ailments affecting practically every part of the body, never dreaming that their ill health can be traced directly to acid-stomach. Here is the reason: poor digestion means poor nourishment of the different organs and tissues of the body. Blood is impoverished—becomes weak, thin, sluggish. Ailments of many kinds spring from such conditions. Biliousness, indigestion, heartburn, scintilla, general weakness, loss of power and energy, nervousness, depression, nervousness, mental depression—these are some of the ailments which are caused by acid-stomach. Dr. EATONIC, the wonderful modern remedy for acid-stomach, is guaranteed to bring quick relief from these stomach troubles. Thousands say they never dreamed that anything could bring such speedy relief—and make them feel so much better in every way. Try EATONIC and you, too, will be just as enthusiastic. Make your life worth living—no aches or pains—no bloating, no indigestion, no loss of sleep, no nervousness, no depression. Get back your physical and mental punch; your vim and vigor. You will always be weak and ailing as long as you have acid-stomach. So get rid of it now. Take EATONIC Tablets—they taste good—you eat them like a bit of candy. Your druggist has EATONIC—50 cents for a big box. Get a box from him today and if you are not satisfied he will refund your money.

EATONIC FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

Rheumatism—Pay When Relieved Postal purchase. 4371-10th St., 1317 Walnut, Lansing, Mich.

NEW SOMETHING ABOUT IT

Englishman Need Not Have Been Surprised at Acquaintance's Knowledge of "Jim Bludso."

In his book, "Winnowed Memories," Sir Evelyn Wood relates how he once met a quiet American gentleman in England, and they began to talk of American poetry. Sir Evelyn mentioned the well-known poem "Jim Bludso," which he highly eulogized. "My enthusiastic praise of the poem excited, I thought, an appreciative purr in my companion, but he remarked quietly: 'Jim was a fine fellow.' 'I said, 'Or our author made him so?' 'Oh, but he was.' 'Why, was he real?' 'Yes, I knew him well.' 'But don't you think that the poet embellished Jim's act?' 'No, I am sure he did not.' 'Well, but how can you be sure?' 'And he replied quickly, I wrote it.' The gentleman to whom Sir Evelyn was speaking proved to be Col. John Hay, author of the "Pike County Ballads," who was then the United States ambassador in London.

Fell Down. Willis—What's the matter with Bump? Gills—He was playing on a margin and fell off the edge.—Judge.

"BAYER CROSS" ON GENUINE ASPIRIN



"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the safety "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken Bayer package which contains proper directions to safely relieve Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Colds and pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores—larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoacetic-acidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Foreseeing a Funeral. Blank is the greatest blunderer in making excuses we ever knew. The other day a lady he did not particularly care for met him and said: "We shall be back from the beach pretty soon, and I'd be glad to have you come and lunch with us. Suppose we make it Thursday, three weeks from today." Wishing to get out of it, Blank stammered: "Ah—er—let me see—three weeks from today, you say? Oh, I shall be going to a funeral on that day."—Boston Transcript.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Often Rejected.

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success. An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview of the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease. It is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large. 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.

WAR HAD WROUGHT CHANGE

Doughboy Found It Hard to Realize the Difference Two Years of War Had Made.

A new story of the Red Cross bag comes from Harvey D. Gibson, former Red Cross commissioner for Europe and president of the Liberty National bank of New York. He got the story from one of the workers in a hospital hut in Dijon. Everybody who has even seen a wounded soldier knows the bag of gaudy cretonne with the little Red Cross in the corner. In which each boy keeps the bit of shrapnel the doctor dug out of his knee, the last letter from home, the picture of his girl, his toothbrush and all his most cherished possessions. One of the boys in the Dijon hospital had just been presented with his bag, a pink-and-white one. He accepted it gracefully, then he began to laugh. "Say," he declared, "if someone had told me two years ago that I'd be a-goin' to war with a wrist watch on one wrist and a bracelet"—he held out his identification disk—"on the other and a cretonne bag in my hand! Say, I'd have patted him one!"

In Vain. He had fairly puzzled the good village folk, had that clever ventriloquist, and now he was going to perform his last and greatest feat. "Ladies and gentlemen," he announced, with a grand bow, "I will proceed to sing that famous ballad, 'Good-bye,' in a lady's voice, which will appear to proceed from the empty air above your heads."

The minutes passed. Looks of strain and agony, doubt and anger chased one another across the performer's face; but there was no song. Then a voice suddenly broke the silence. "Tain't no good, guv-nor." It said. "I've bin an' lost the gramophone needle."—Answers.

Wolverine News Brevities

Albion—Albion farmers say the crop of late potatoes will not furnish enough "spuds" for this city.

Charlotte—Mrs. D. H. Wile burned her face and eyes badly when she fell with a pail of hot water.

Kalamazoo—George Sylvester Hocknoll, sentenced slayer of Mrs. Bossie Voeth, of Detroit, has begun his life sentence at Marquette.

Cadillac—Efforts to buy another car of surplus Army tood for this city failed. The Chicago Zone Supply officers said the quota was exhausted.

Bellevue—The Antrim County Fair Association and the board of supervisors of Antrim County will entertain the soldiers of the World War during the fair, Oct. 1 and 2.

Detroit—Thursday and Friday, October 30 and 31, are the dates for the annual State Teachers' Institute, to be held in Detroit. It is expected that there will be fully 5,000 teachers in attendance.

West Branch—The D. Fleming farm in Klacking Township, noted for the fine tract of pine it bears and one of the few strips of lumber land in Ogemaw County, has been sold to Solomon & Hayes, lumbermen of Oscoda.

Owaso—While operating a shaper at the plant of the Fields Manufacturing Co., Wesley Reed, 18, reached for a hammer. His right arm was caught by the shaper and was so lacerated that a surgeon had to amputate the member.

Wolverine—Considerable consternation was caused at the Cheboygan County Fair when a swarm of bees on exhibition in the exhibit building, escaped from their hive. There was a general rush downstairs by hundreds of spectators. However, but few were stung.

Three Rivers—Oliver Ledbetter received the full discharge from a shotgun in his right leg below the knee while hunting ducks. The guns had been left in the boat while he and a companion, Emmett Rainsnyder, were ashore. When they pushed the boat back in the stream one of the guns fell to the bottom.

Grand Rapids—Loss estimated at \$150,000 resulted from a fire at the Vlieg Milling Company. The fire originated in a hot box on the third floor. Thirty thousand bushels of wheat, stored in the building was consumed. It was valued at \$68,000. Loss to the building and equipment will total \$90,000, all covered by insurance.

Grand Rapids—While looking for a leak in a gas pipe at his home, Joseph Chickicki 56 years old, was badly burned about the head, shoulders and hands by an explosion caused by the ignition of gas by lighted match. Seven windows and a door were blown out of the room. Chickicki, a photographer was removed to Butterworth Hospital.

Monroe—Cory Malon, aged 20, a negro residing at 46 East Beacon street, Detroit, was jailed, charged with importing 22 half pints of liquor in a harness concealed under clothing. The desk sergeant in recording her weight had put her down at 200, but after a search by Mrs. Rainley, wife of the sheriff, he had to change it to 160 pounds.

Jackson—Announcement has been made that the Ajax Rubber company, which already has plants at Trenton, N. J. and Racine, Wis., had decided to locate a third plant in Jackson to be in operation by July 1, 1920. It will employ 1,500 workmen and will have a daily output of 1,500 automobile tire casings. Work on the buildings will start this fall, the cost being estimated at \$750,000.

Pontiac—Robbers tried to steal 80 gallons of gasoline from a tank in the concrete tower at Roseland Park cemetery, near Royal Oak. They succeeded only in blowing up the tank and wrecking the water pumping station of the cemetery. Fire destroyed most of the debris but a wash tub and a bicycle lamp found indicated that the thieves tried to draw off the gasoline while using the lighted lamp. The loss is set at \$500.

Homer—When a Lake Shore freight east bound, reached Homer at the same time a west bound through freight did, quick action on the part of M. R. Harzell, night telegraph operator at the Michigan Central Station, in opening a switch and derailing the west-bound train, was all that prevented a head-on smash. A mixup in orders is believed responsible. Nobody was hurt, but a quantity of freight was damaged.

Mt. Clemens—St. Peter's parish is honoring the young men of the congregation who answer the call to the colors, by erecting an 18 foot granite shaft between the church and the parish house. The monument is 9 by 11 feet at the base. Names of 176 men from the parish who took part in the war will be inscribed on a bronze tablet. Four men from the parish died in the service. The monument is to cost approximately \$3,500. There will be a formal dedicatory service some time in November.

Pontiac—Consolidation for the First Commercial and the Pontiac Savings Banks of Pontiac, with a capital and surplus exceeding a million dollars, is under way, the directors of the two banks in a joint meeting having approved the project and voted to submit it to a meeting of stockholders October 15. The merged bank will have total resources of more than \$11,000,000, and will keep the combined directorate of the two present banks. It is planned to erect a new building of about eight stories in a central location.

Kalamazoo—The First Presbyterian Church, one of the wealthiest in the city, hereafter will take its sermons with a seasoning of films. The Rev. John Witt Dunning, pastor, went to New York City to make a selection of Biblical reels. "I am not going to turn the church into a theater," he said, "but I intend to preach, if anything, stronger evangelistic sermons than before. My idea is to get people to come to church and then preach sound gospel to them."

Mt. Clemens—It is stated on authority of the War Department that Selfridge Field will be kept as an Army flying base. A rumor current in Army circles was that the proposed platting of part of Camp Custer as a flying field would do away with Selfridge. It is now explained that the platting of Custer will be to provide enough planes, and facilities for storing them, to give thorough training for infantry and artillery through coordination with the air service. Selfridge is to remain an advanced school in aerial gunnery.

BACK LIKE A BOARD? IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

There's no use suffering from the awful agony of lame back. Don't wait till it "passes off." It only comes back. Find the cause and stop it. Diseased conditions of kidneys are usually indicated by stiff lame backs and other wrenching pains, which are nature's signals for help! Here's the remedy. When you feel the first twinges of pain or experience any of these symptoms, get busy at once. Go to your druggist and get a box of the pure, original GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL Capsules, imported fresh every month from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. Pleasant and easy to take, they instantly attack the poisonous germs clogging your system and bring quick relief. For over two hundred years they have been helping the sick. Why not try them? Sold everywhere by reliable druggists in sealed packages. Three sizes. Money back if they do not help you. Ask for "GOLD MEDAL" and be sure the name "GOLD MEDAL" is on the box.—Adv.

The Stilly Night. The most consoling thing about going to the movies is seeing so many women in the pictures opening their mouths and not saying a word you can hear.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

In the good old summer time when fruits of all kinds are getting ripe and tempting, when cucumbers, radishes and vegetables fresh from the garden are too good to resist, when the festive picnic prevails and everybody overeats and your stomach goes back on you, then is the time for "August Flower," the sovereign remedy for tired, overworked and disordered stomachs, a panacea for indigestion, fermentation of food, sour stomach, sick headache and constipation. It gently stimulates the liver, cleanses the intestines and alimentary canal, making life worth living. Sold everywhere. Adv.

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Uncle Eben.

"De tiredest business man I ever saw," said Uncle Eben. "Is one dot tried to go to de races, play golf an' take in a music show, all in de same day."

Cuticura for Pimply Faces.

To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum.—Adv.

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It is folly to tell a man who has the toothache that misery loves company. Many lasting friendships are due to the distance between them.

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Lightly rolled tobacco

DISCOURAGED

Mr. Reuter Was Almost Helpless From Kidney Trouble, But Doan's Made Him Well.

"I was in terrible shape from kidney trouble," says D. Reuter, North St., West Chicago, Ill. "I couldn't stoop because of the awful pains in my back and the steady, dull misery almost drove me frantic. I had to be helped out of bed mornings, the pains across my kidneys were so bad and nobody knows the agony I went through. I couldn't do anything and was almost helpless; it seemed I would never get well. At times everything in front of me grew dark and I couldn't see for several minutes. I perspired profusely and I was thirsty all the time. The urine passed far too often and burned like scalding water. The passages were scanty and I had no control over them. For two years I suffered, trying medicine after medicine without relief. I was just about discouraged and didn't think I would ever be able to work again. Hearing about Doan's Kidney Pills I used them and four boxes cured me. My kidneys became normal, my back got well and strong and all the other troubles disappeared." Sworn to before me. JAS. W. CARR, Notary Public. Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box. DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

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