



A Woman's Burdens

are lightened when she turns to the right medicine. If her existence is made gloomy by the chronic weaknesses, delicate derangements, and painful disorders that afflict her sex, she will find relief and emancipation from her troubles in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If she's overworked, nervous, or "run-down," she finds new life and strength. It's a powerful, invigorating tonic and nerve which was discovered and used by an eminent physician for many years, in all cases of female complaints and weaknesses. For young girls just entering womanhood; for women at the critical "change of life"; in bearing-down sensations, periodical pains, ulceration, inflammation, and every kindred ailment, the "Favorite Prescription" is the only medicine put up without alcohol—ingredients on wrapper.

CLEVELAND, OHIO.—"Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been of wonderful help to me during expectancy. When I started to take this tonic I suffered with heartburn and was nauseated and weak. The first few doses benefited me greatly and I have kept right on taking it all the while. I think 'Favorite Prescription' a splendid medicine for women and would advise its use by every expectant mother."—MRS. FLORA HOLDEN, 1294 E. 123rd Street.

AKRON, Ohio.—"I have taken Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Golden Medical Discovery. I took the 'Favorite Prescription' for woman's trouble and it did wonders for me. I had been ailing for five months and I only took one bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it did me so much good that I don't think I will need any more. I advise all similar sufferers to take 'Favorite Prescription.' I used the 'Golden Medical Discovery' for asthma and I do not feel as if I will need to take any more of it for it has been almost one year since it has bothered me at all."—ELIZA HODGE, 1206 Switzer Ave.

Too Ladylike.

Mother was making Sonny a coat out of an old plush coat belonging to one of his older sisters. While trying it on she told him how nice and warm it would be to play in, and asked him if he didn't think it would be a nice coat. Bob answered, "Oh, gee, now every time a lady comes by I'll have to duck."

\$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 surfaces of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE destroys the foundation of the disease, gives the patient strength by improving the general health and assists nature in doing its work. \$100.00 for any case of Catarrh that HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE fails to cure. Druggists Refuse Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Do You Blame Her?

"Great gracious, man!" exclaimed Boggs' friend. "Do I find you reduced to playing a cornet at the street corner to make a living?" "I'm not doing this to make a living. My wife won't let me practice in the house," Boggs replied.

Boom in African Trade.

"The wrist watch has done much for our trade." "Where is your trade?" "It is mainly in Africa. Formerly we couldn't sell a native a watch because he wore no pockets to carry it in."

CHILDREN
Should not be "dosed" for colds—apply "externally"—
VICK'S VAPORUB
Keeps a Little Body Cool in Your Home

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For centuries GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been a standard household remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and stomach trouble, and all diseases connected with the urinary organs. The kidneys and bladder are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters, the purifiers of your blood. If the poisons which enter your system through the blood and stomach are not entirely thrown out by the kidneys and bladder you are doomed. Weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, headache, pain in loins, and lower abdomen, gall-stones, gravel, difficulty when urinating, cloudy and bloody urine, rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago, all warn you to look after your kidneys and bladder. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are what you need. They are not a "patent medicine" nor a "new discovery." For 200 years they

Not Bread Alone.
A Japanese newspaper, in emphasizing the gravity of the responsibility resting on Japan and America on account of the fact that the world activity is shifting from the Atlantic to the Pacific, says that these two great nations are bound to exchange more and more of their products and declares that they must come to agree on high principles. "Man cannot live by bread alone," quotes the editor—which is perfectly true; but, as the old ditty remarked, observes an exchange, "It keeps er man hustlin' fo' a little piece o' meat."

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER
has been a household panacea all over the civilized world for more than half a century for constipation, intestinal troubles, torpid liver and the generally depressed feeling that accompanies such disorders. It is a most valuable remedy for indigestion or nervous dyspepsia and liver trouble, bringing on headache, coming of up food, palpitation of heart and many other symptoms. A few doses of August Flower will immediately relieve you. It is a gentle laxative. Ask your druggist. Sold in all civilized countries.—Adv.

Chinese Like Automobiles.
American automobiles are rapidly growing popular in China. Their use is limited not by the desire of the wealthy natives to possess them, but by the total lack of roads outside of a few city districts. Many of the wealthy Chinese own several motors, and in Shanghai it is said to be difficult to maintain a taxicab business because the natives charter all the cars. The Chinese have also established several motor driven bus lines. Chinese chauffeurs are said to be the coolest and steadiest drivers in the world, but poor mechanics.

Infections or Inflammations of the Eyes.
whenever from external or internal causes are promptly treated by the use of Roman Eye Balsam at night upon retiring. Adv.

Cumulative Expenses.
"It costs three cents to send a letter."
"Yes," replied the man who has been sued for breach of promise; "and if you are not careful that three cents a day may be only the starter."

The Straight Tip.
He—Are you sentimental?
She—It depends.
He—On what?
She—On the restaurant and the dinner.—Passing Show.

Easy to Rid Home of Rats and Mice

There is no need of suffering from the depredations of rats and mice now that Stearns' Paste is readily obtainable at nearly every store. A small box of this effective exterminator costs only 35 cents and is usually sufficient to completely rid the house, store or barn of rats and mice. The U. S. Government has bought thousands of pounds of Stearns' Paste for use in cities where rats and mice are plentiful. The Paste is also efficient in destroying cockroaches and waterbugs. Adv.

Protected.
"Here I am about to freeze, and that woman's chest is as bare as the back of your hand."
"Not quite. I'm not wearing a lavender here on the back of my hand."

A Married Couple.
"We can't all be rich in this world."
"No. But isn't it fine that we can all know some one who hasn't quite so much money as we have?"

have been a standard household remedy. They are the pure, original imported Haarlem Oil your great-grandmother used, and are perfectly harmless. The healing, soothing oil soaks into the cells and lining of the kidneys and through the bladder, driving out the poisonous germs. New life, fresh strength and health will come as you continue this treatment. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day. They will keep you in condition and prevent a return of the disease. Do not delay a minute. Delays are especially dangerous in kidney and bladder trouble. All reliable druggists sell GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They will refund the money if not as represented. In three sizes, sealed packages. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL. Accept no substitutes.

INSPIRED LETTER
By W. KENNEDY.

After dinner John Saintsbury repaired to his rooms with nothing more serious upon his mind than the writing of two letters. It was a clear, cold winter evening, with just a bit too much of a whipping wind to be comfortable, and it was with a sense of relief that he entered his comfortable apartments and found a cheerful fire blazing in the grate in his sitting room. Saintsbury was one of those young fellows who may be described as "nicely fixed." His apartments were not "too much," but just right. He dropped into an easy chair and ran his eye casually over the evening paper. Then came a parenthetical smoke, and he sat down to his desk to write his letters.

Saintsbury's two letters were as dissimilar as it is possible to imagine. One was merely a note to Edith Crawford asking her to go with him to see "Cyrano de Bergerac" the latter part of the week. Yet how fondly he wrote it. He began the note "Dear Edith," writing the words with a caress, and he sat admiring his own rashness, though he knew he was merely writing for his own edification and that the aristocratic Miss Crawford would never see what he had there written. He scribbled the name all over the page and then, with a sigh, laid the sheet aside and began to write the formal note which he always sent to Miss Crawford. Saintsbury was so deeply in love with this lady that it actually scared him.

The second letter which he had to write was for a friend who was in love and wished to send a beautiful letter announcing this fact to the woman he adored, but did not know how to do it. "Write me a letter, John," said Dick, "as if you were writing to your own girl." John endeavored to follow out these instructions. He did not know the name of Dick's sweetheart, and in order to do his best he addressed the letter to Edith Crawford, intending to leave her name out when he copied the letter. He found it easy to write under these circumstances, and when it was concluded he read it over and glowed with the beauty of it. He could find no fault with it, and he felt that he could not improve upon it by rewriting it. So what was the use of rewriting it? Dick had to copy it anyway in his own nery hand. So he took out a couple of envelopes and addressed them and enclosed the letters, having forgotten all about leaving Edith Crawford's name in his friend's letter.

The next day at the bank he was rung up by his friend Daniels. "I say," said Dick over the telephone, "you didn't know that you sent me a letter addressed to a friend of yours, did you? What's up, anyway, old boy?" John remembered then that he had forgotten to erase Miss Crawford's name, and he blushed through the phone as he replied: "Oh, that's all right. Just scratch her name out and I think it will do."

"You haven't given yourself away a-plenty, have you?" said Dick. Could it be that he swapped the letters and sent Edith's to Dick and Dick's to Edith? The idea was quite amusing until he remembered that Edith's name was in the beautiful love letter. It was impossible that he could have made such a mistake, but he was vaguely uneasy about it, and that evening he hastened out to Miss Crawford's to set the matter at rest.

He found her in the drawing room alone, and looking pensively into the fire. How beautiful, how tender, how dainty she was in the frelight glow!

He broke it awkwardly: "Did you get a letter from me?"

"Yes," she answered with adorable softness.

"Well, did I—did you—can you tell me what I wrote—I mean did I say—?"

"I do not understand you, Mr. Saintsbury," said Miss Crawford, rather distantly.

"Pardon me, but I mean, did I ask you in the letter you received whether you cared—?"

"Is it possible you do not remember what you wrote me?" she inquired, with beautiful iciness.

"Why, of course; but I fear there has been some mistake—"

Miss Crawford was not only amazed, but she was apparently quite angry. As for him, he was in agony of doubt.

"Pardon my awkwardness," he said with a smile, "and I will explain. Last night I had to write two letters. One asked you to go with me to see 'Cyrano de Bergerac.' The other was written for a friend, who asked me to write it as if I were addressing the woman I loved."

"Then," said Edith, with a sort of sweet dismay, "this letter was not for me?"

"Oh, yes it was. It went straight by mistake. That was all," said John.

"But what becomes of the invitation to see 'Cyrano?'" asked Edith.

"'Cyrano'?" cried John, now grown entirely brave. "What I want to know is whether you accept the invitation to become Edith Saintsbury?"

"I suppose I will have to, for I am dying to see 'Cyrano.'"

And that is how it came about. (Copyright, 1917, by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Wouldn't Work.

"What happened to Dubberly? I thought he was going to be a poet of the highest type."

"He started in all right, but his appetite was too big."

The news from France is starry.

With the Pacifists.
"Terrible about the Smith de Puy-sters, isn't it?"
"What's the matter now?"
"Oh! they are constantly fighting about which one is the more peaceably inclined."

Machine Men.
Major—Who will take charge of our machine gun?
Private Smith—Corporal Higgins was one of the best machine men in our ward; let him do it.—Puck.

Acid Stomach, Heartburn and Nausea
quickly disappear with the use of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills. Send for trial box to 372 Pearl St., New York, Adv.

Liberal Givers.
The trouble with advice is that those who have done the least have the most to give.

One's Duty.
If duty were always pleasant there would be no particular credit in doing it.

OLD PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK KIDNEYS
Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfil the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine. A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited, to those who are in need of it. A prominent druggist says, "Take for example Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a preparation I have sold for many years and never hesitate to recommend, for in almost every case it shows excellent results, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy that I know of has so large a sale."

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What They Say.
A bachelor's exclamation is, "A lass!" A maiden's exclamation is, "Ah men!"

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Human Rights.
"What we want is freedom of speech!" shouted the man on a soap box.
"Yes!" answered the woman who was leaning out of the window. "But haven't we members of the Anti-Noise association any rights at all?"

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children.
For Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and are a pleasant remedy for Worms. Used by Mothers for 30 years. They are so pleasant to take, children like them. *The New York Dispensary, 23 cents. Sample FREE. Address, Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.*

The Retort Cruel.
Marie—That's a beautiful gown you have on.
Mollie—Do you know that lace is forty years old?
Marie—That so? Make it yourself!

Take it for Granted.
If you expect those big, red apples to taste as good as they look, better not look when purchasing.

MURINE Granulated Eyelids,
Sore Eyes, Eyes Inflamed by Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes.
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Another Suggestion.
"I hope there won't be any shortage of fuel."
"So do I," returned Miss Cayenne.
"If there is, I am going to suggest that baseball be played the year round. Nobody seems to pay the slightest attention to the climate when he can stand out in the street and watch a scoreboard."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. Ad.

Didn't Figure on Cost.
"Before we were married you used to say I should never want for anything."
"That's so. But how could I know the cost of living was going to do a skyscraping act?"

Guarding Against a Leftover.
"Do you think there is any excuse for keeping a pet dog?"
"Well," replied Mr. Meekton, "I hope they will let Henrietta keep Fido for a few weeks longer. I'd hate to be called on to eat the dog biscuit to keep it from going to waste."

Nothing gives the average woman more pleasure than to have the street car conductor miss her.

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Corn "Plz", the most remarkable corn remedy ever discovered, will remove the most stubborn corn or callous in 15 minutes, without pain, without leaving the toe sore or tender, without soaking the feet, and it will not dry up. Nothing else anywhere near like it. On the market 8 years. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded, and \$2 for large bottle, with box of "Preventa" salve free.
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Quite True.
"Sniffkins, that insufferable swell, is boasting that he saved a human life when he was at Atlantic City."
"So he did. He saved his own by getting out of town before the mob caught him."

Typical Optimist.
A real optimist is one who keeps plugging as though the war was going to last indefinitely.

Trouble likes to avoid a man who is able to keep his mouth shut.

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annoys others and hurts you. Relieve throat irritation and tickling, and get rid of coughs, colds and hoarseness by taking at once **PISO'S**

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