

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has more throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs." Don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation, poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleaning" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness. Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. **ADV.**

RAILWAY FARES LOW THEN

In England During 1885-87 Rates Were at the Minimum Because of Competition.

In calculating the recent big increase in railway fares, the powers that be unfortunately took the present-day ordinary rates, remarks London Travelers would have been better pleased had they taken as a basis the fares in vogue sixty years ago. Competition then reacted most beneficially for the traveler. During the winter of 1885-87 the fare from London to Peterborough was one shilling, the distance being 76 miles, and during the same period the ordinary return fare between York and London, 87 miles, was 5d. A year later there was a competitive effort to capture the Manchester passenger traffic, with the result that the double journey of 307 miles cost but five shillings. After that the companies became more commercial and less philanthropic.

The Kind It Was.
"How did that smart yachting party get on?"
"They found the sea very rough."
"Then it was a real swell affair!"

Coated tongue, vertigo and constipation are relieved by **Garfield** Tea—**Adv.**
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A Mother's Burden

A mother who suffers kidney trouble, finds it hard to keep up her daily work. Lame back, headache, sharp pains when stooping and "blue" nervous or dizzy spells, make home life dreary. Active kidneys bring back vigor, health and a pleasure in family duties. If the kidneys are weak try a box of **Doan's Kidney Pills**.

A Michigan Case

Mrs. E. T. Moore, of Grand Rapids, Mich., writes: "I have been suffering from kidney trouble for several years, and have tried many remedies, but have not found relief. I have been advised to try **Doan's Kidney Pills**, and have taken them for several weeks, and now I feel much better. I can do my work again, and I am much pleased with the result. I have been advised to try **Doan's Kidney Pills**, and have taken them for several weeks, and now I feel much better. I can do my work again, and I am much pleased with the result."

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APPENDICITIS

If you have been diagnosed as having **APPENDICITIS**, you should never be left stranded in the lurch, but should be removed to the milkhouse where the air is clean.

DAIRY



POINTS OF IDEAL DAIRY COW

Excellent Hints Given Which May Help Farmer in Selecting Animal for His Herd.

In selecting cows for dairy herds there are several essential points to consider. The cow should have great stomach capacity; avoid a round bodied cow whose ribs are short, and a flat-ribbed cow. There should be ample room for the udder, which should extend well forward and not hang down. The



Ideal Dairy Cow.

The dairy cow should be deep and wide from 1 to 2 as this gives her large capacity for rough feed. The back from 1 to 4 should be sharp, with little flesh, when she is in good condition. She should be well cut up behind so that the udder can extend well up, as at 3. Her flank should be well arched, as at 4, to provide room for a large udder. The milk veins should be large and the further they go the better. The udder should be loose and pliable, when empty—not fleshy. The teats should be large and bright and project well out from the face. This is a strong indication of the nerve force needed for strong digestion and large milk secretion.

LACK OF SHELTER FOR COWS

Exposure to Cold Rains Causes Big Drop in Milk Production—Cleanliness is Important.

(By C. H. ECKLES, Missouri College of Agriculture.)
The dairy cow often suffers the most from exposure to the weather before real winter has begun. After steadily good times the cow is generally stable. Exposure to cold rains is often more injurious to the animal than the colder but dry weather in winter.

The dairy cow is not like the fat steer, protected from cold by a layer of fat. As a result, bad weather causes a big drop in milk production. So long as the weather is dry it is just as well to leave the cow outside nights, but every cold rain should find her protected. It is not necessary in the climate of Missouri to put up any great expense in most farms in order that the barn may be warm. The main thing is to have tight walls; so there is no draft or wind, and a good roof. Care should be taken in arranging the stalls and the form of a platform of the right length and a gutter of sufficient depth to hold the manure. The cleanliness of the milk depends to a considerable extent upon having the barn built so the cow will keep herself clean.

TROUBLE WITH CALF SCOURS

Overfeeding, Poor Milk Pails and Irregularity in Feeding are Usually the Causes.

Probably the greatest difficulty with which the calf feeder has to contend is scours. Overfeeding, poor milk pails, cold water and irregularity in feeding are usually the causes, says a writer in Field. As soon as signs of scours are noticed it is recommended that the milk be reduced to one-half of the normal amount of dried blood be added to the milk feed. No dried blood that has not been thoroughly sterilized should be used. In severe cases of scours, the addition of one or two drops of a strong solution of iodine has been found to be very effective. In severe cases, it is recommended that the calf be given one or two ounces of castor oil the morning which is followed by 12 to 20 hours by 15 drops of laudanum and a teaspoonful of dried blood.

CLEANLINESS IN DAIRY BARN

Two Hours Should Elapse After Feeding, Bedding or Brushing Before Milking is Begun.

Feeding, bedding or brushing up should never take place within two hours before milking. The dust raised by these operations takes a long time to settle, and if these operations are conducted shortly before milking, a very considerable quantity of dirt is easily fed into the milk cans and pails. For this reason, also, uncovered cans and pails, with or without manure on them, should never be left standing in the barn, but should be removed to the milkhouse where the air is clean.

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Mrs. Quinn's Experience Ought to Help You Over the Critical Period.

Lowell, Mass.—"For the last three years I have been troubled with the Change of Life and the bad feelings common at that time. I was in a very nervous condition, with headaches, backaches, and a good deal of time was wasted in trying to do my work. A friend asked me to try **Dr. E. P. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**, which did it, and it has helped me in every way. I am not nearly so nervous, no headache or pain. I must say that **Dr. E. P. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** is the best remedy any sick woman can take."—Mrs. MARGARET QUINN, Rear 203 Worthen St., Lowell, Mass.

Other nervous symptoms are a sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, breast of impending milk, tingling soles in the feet, palpitation of the heart, spasms before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness, inquietude, and dizziness.

If you need special advice, write to the **Dr. E. P. Pinkham Medicine Co.**, (Confidential) Lynn, Mass.

ESKIMO DESERTS DANE KING

Mene Peary Wallace of Etah Takes Out First Papers as American Citizen.

Mene Peary Wallace, formerly of North Greenland, "Eskimo boy," a few days ago swore allegiance to the king of Denmark and received from C. W. Schuller of the naturalization bureau the first "first papers" ever issued in New York to an Eskimo.
"I don't know whether I'm on the road to being an American citizen or whether I've been an American citizen right along," Mene said. "I was away up toward the pole, about 3,000 miles nearer than Cape Sidden, where the Danish government exercises its northernmost jurisdiction, but American expeditions 'put Etah on the map' as you would say."
"Etah is a nice place," he declared, "admirably. It has a population of 400—living in snow huts—no major, no police, no schools—but when you've lived in New York for a while a lot of blubber and caribou meat goes hard."

A Comprehensive Order

Bill Pinkerton of the Chicago detective force was accosted on State street by an "ex" from Joliet, to whom he had shown some favors in former years. The ex, being temporarily flush with money, layd out to have lunch with him at one of the fashionable restaurants.

The ex offered the bill of fare to Bill, and handed the French menu card to the ex. He looked at it a moment, puzzled at the strange hieroglyphics, and then turned to the waiter: "Where are the pork and beans on this card?"
The waiter indicated the item.
"Well, bring me everything above and below that line."

Business Troubles

"Oy, oy, such a peevishness!"
"Va'tu, Cohenetti?"
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Zadig, a Mesopotamian Predecessor of Sherlock Holmes

By J. W. MULLER

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Babylon's ancient land, where a British hero was besieged on the Tigris river by the Turks, was used by Voltaire as the scene of his great philosophical romance "Zadig." The story told here portrays Zadig in the story strikingly like that played by Conan Doyle's "Sherlock Holmes" or Poe's "M. Dupin" in modern literature.

In the days of King Moadbar of Babylon there dwelt in the city of Babylon a rich man named Zadig. Educated, accomplished, handsome and healthy, he still was unhappy. He had been disappointed more than once in friendship and finally most sorely in love. Convinced that destiny lies in wait for the ambitious and distinguished, he withdrew to a simple country home on the Euphrates river.

Being resolved not to tempt fate, he looked about for an occupation that promised the least possible entanglement with the ways of providence, and decided upon the study of nature.

One day as he strolled in a grove near his home, a troop of officials and slaves ran up to him and asked: "Have you seen the queen's dog?"

"Was it a small dog?" asked Zadig. "If so, such a dog has passed here. It had beautiful long ears and it limped slightly with the right forefoot."

"Then you have seen it?" cried the leader, delighted.

"No," said Zadig. "I have not seen it. In fact, I did not even know until this moment that the queen owns a dog."

Before the astounded man could reply, another party of officers and servants appeared, exclaiming breathlessly that the king's finest horse had strayed.

"Was it black or gray?" asked Zadig. "A horse thus fitted, and shod with silver galloped through here. It had a magnificent stride and gait, and was of the purest blood. Was not its tail at least four and one-half feet long?"

"Yes!" said the master of the horse eagerly. "In which direction did it run? Where is it now?"

"I have not seen it," answered Zadig. "This is the first time that I knew the king had such a horse."

The men of both parties then withdrew for a moment. Then without a word they returned to Zadig with: "What! You shall learn what it means to trifle with the property of your ruler!"

The slaves hustled him to the city of Babylon, got without presenting him with many disgruntled brutes. He was led at once before the chief council and charged with having stolen the dog and the horse of the royal family. The tale told by the officers was so convincing that the council did not permit Zadig to speak, but sentenced him at once to imprisonment for life.

Just as he was being led away, begging vainly for leave to say a word in defense, messengers arrived with news that the missing animals had been found. The council perceived the painful necessity of rescinding its sentence, but it felt justified in fining Zadig 400 ounces of gold for asserting that he had not seen something which he had already admitted that he had seen it.

Again Zadig asked for permission to make a trifling explanation, but the judges decided after earnest consultation that the fine must be paid first, after which he might address the court.

Zadig went for the gold and paid it over with many a sigh. Then he bowed low and said:

"Oh, stars of justice, abysses of wisdom, mirrors of truth! Since it is the duty of my most mighty king to have his subjects gathered, hear me while I swear by Ormuzd that never did my eyes behold the honored dog of our gracious king of kings! Listen, O ye pillars of charity and tolerance! I was strolling in the grove when I observed the trail left by a small animal in the sand. Having tracked myself to study nature, I knew at once that it was the track of a dog, and from the size and depth of the indentations I deduced that it was a small one. 'They marks along both sides of the track,' I thought, 'indicated to me that the animal had very long ears, for they hung so low as to brush the ground.'"

"It was an easy matter, Oh merciful ones, to discover that the respected dog of our most mighty king had come with one foot, if one may venture to utter a remark so disrespectful."

"As to the noble horse of the king of kings," continued Zadig, "I saw the beginning of a steed, and I knew at once that it was of purest blood, for no other would have had hoofs so small and dainty. The impurities told me, also, as they would tell anyone who knows horses, that it had a magnificent stride, and that its gait was of the best, befitting its birth."

"As I followed the trail, I reached a path only seven feet wide, and I noticed that the dust was being swept from the paws on each side. I judged that this must have been done by the animal's tail and it was simple to cal-

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Detroit Theatres

Arcadia

A Wonderful Concert.
The New York Philharmonic Orchestra, which will come to Detroit for a concert at the Grand Opera House on the 15th of March, is the third oldest orchestra in the world. It has just celebrated its 75th anniversary in a grand jubilee. The greatest outstanding feature will be the appearance of Yvonne de Treville, the most celebrated soprano who ranks in Europe as the greatest of the day. The Detroit program will be Symphony by Cesar Franck; Aria from "Rigoletto" by Gounod; Toccata by Chopin; and Richard Strauss, Aria from "Lulu" by De Treville. Theme and variations by Liszt; Scherzando and closing with Liszt's "Hungarian Rhapsody." Orders for tickets and inquiries may be sent to The Hungarian Association, 314 Washington Arcade, Detroit.

Detroit Opera House

David Belasco will present at Detroit open house next week "Seven Chances," a play in a clean and wholesome manner the predicament of a young bachelor who is confirmed woman-hater who finds himself pre-emptive to a large fortune. The comedy that he must before his thirtieth birthday, which occurs on the morning of his wedding, is to refuse him, and how he almost loses the fortune before he finds the right one. It is a play that never allows the interest to falter.

Garick Theatre

"Ception Shoals" is to be presented by Naxoswa at the Garick theatre starting March 1st. The short route tour of four weeks prior to resuming the best New York run of Austin Amador's unusual drama. Those who have seen this play will recall that much of the value lies in the subtle power and delicate suggestion, particularly those of the second act, in which there is considerable discussion of parenthood, babies and sex in relation to life.

Washington Theatre

"Civilization," the stupendous cinema spectacle written by C. Gardner Sullivan and produced by Thomas H. Ince at the Washington theatre, is the most magnificent conception of the birth of the millennium and the bringing about of universal peace.

Gaiety Theatre

"The Ragged Dicks" is the title of the Stone and Plunkett play to appear at the Gaiety theatre the week of March 11.