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Removes Dandruff, Stops Hair Falling Out, Restores Color and Beauty to Gray and Faded Hair, Keeps Hair Soft and Silky, Promotes Growth, Stops Itching, Soothes the Scalp, and Gives the Hair a Natural Shine.

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**It's a Brute for Wear!**

TWO thousand times for every mile you walk—your overshoes or boots are bent and wrinkled. It's these strains—repeated day in and day out—that break the ordinary rubber overshoe or boot.

And that's why into every "U.S." Walrus and Boot is put *live, elastic rubber*. If you cut off a strip of this rubber, you'd find it would stretch more than five times its length—without breaking—and snap back into shape every time like an elastic band.

Anchored in this live rubber layer on layer of tough fabric reinforcements. They give rugged strength to "U.S." Walrus and Boots.

No wonder people all over the country are finding that "U.S." brand rubber footwear is a big economy—that it gives longer wear and better service.

"U.S." Overshoes and Boots wear longer because they're built to wear longer. It will pay you to ask for "U.S."

**Other "U.S." Rubber Footwear**

You'll find every kind of rubber footwear in the big "U.S." line. In addition to the "U.S." Walrus and Boots, there are the "U.S." lace Boots, all-all rubber work-shoes and "U.S." Rubbers and Arctics for every member of the family. Look for the "U.S." Trade mark whenever you buy—the honor mark of the largest rubber organization in the world.

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**DEMAND "BAYER" ASPIRIN**

Take Tablets Without Fear If You See the Safety "Bayer Cross."

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 23 years. Say "Bayer" when you buy Aspirin. Imitations may prove dangerous.—Adv.

**Not Now**

Itatus—Was that you 'g' girl Ah seen you 't'us 't'us even't?

Itatus—Yes—'t'us even't.

**Cuticura for Sore Hands.**

Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Cuticura with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do for Soap, Ointment and Tablets are used for all toilet purposes.—Advertisement.

**Green's August Flower**

The remedy with a record of fifty-eight years of surpassing excellence. All who suffer with nervous dyspepsia, sour stomach, constipation, indigestion, torpid liver, dizziness, headaches, coming-up-of blood, wind on stomach, palpitation and other indications of digestive disorder, will find GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER an effective and efficient remedy. For fifty-eight years this medicine has been successfully used to millions of households all over the civilized world. Because of its merit and popularity GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER is found today wherever medicines are sold. 30 and 60 cent bottles.—Adv.

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**Beware Of Coughs That Hang On**

Pneumonia and serious lung trouble usually start with a cough. So if you have a cold or cough—keep it at bay with a few doses of that old medicine, **Kemp's Balsam**. This famous Balsam soothes the nerves of the throat, stops the tickling cough and nature does the rest. No other cough syrup so good for children's coughs. 10 cents at all stores.

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**STATE NEWS IN BRIEF**

**Charlotte**—The Charlotte city council has adopted an extensive paving program, having voted to pave 16 blocks during the coming summer.

**Ann Arbor**—Funds totaling close to \$300,000 to maintain five professorships have been announced in the financial report of the University of Michigan just issued.

**Cheboygan**—The city council has voted unanimously to prohibit the use of wooden shingles in a restricted fire area comprising the more closely populated districts.

**Moreno**—At a special election the township and town of Ida voted, 164 to 4, to grant the Detroit Edison Co. a 30-year franchise to string wires and furnish power and current.

**Owosso**—Henry Ford is going into the fast growing industry extensively, according to M. H. Haxson, one of the investors who was in this vicinity and signed up considerable acreage near Owosso.

**Ann Arbor**—A petition 33 feet in length and containing more names than any ever presented to the city council has been filed by local officials in the interest of the curb market. The petition attacked a recent request that the market be abolished.

**Ypsilanti**—In accordance with the policy inaugurated last year the city park commission will set out 200 trees this spring to replace dangerous ones which have been cut during the winter, and to furnish shade along the new streets which are being laid out.

**Grand Rapids**—Following a written grant filed in court a few weeks ago by the special tribunal which ordered the disbarment of Attorney Eugene Carpenter, 80 years old, a member of the bar for 64 years, the formal disbarment has been filed.

**Lansing**—Secretary of State Charles J. Deland has notified 425 wholesalers of gasoline in Michigan that they must report Feb. 20 amounts of all gasoline sold in the state since Jan. 29, when the gasoline tax law became effective, and pay to the state two cents a gallon tax.

**Kalamazoo**—Kalamazoo's zoning ordinance, recently passed after a 10-year campaign, has gone into effect. The ordinance divides the city into five districts, graded from those areas in which factory building is permissible to those sections reserved entirely for residential purposes.

**St. Clemens**—Macomb county authorities are of the opinion that the motorist who said that he was the only witness of the accident in which Laura Maher, 20 years old, of Roseville, was run down and killed is the actual driver of the car which killed her. Police are now searching for him.

**Pontiac**—Four townships in Oakland county will hold their centennial celebrations of settlement this year. It was made known with the announcement of February 24 as the date for the annual meeting of the Oakland County Pioneer and Historical society. The four townships are Novi, Commerce, Oakland and Orion.

**Ypsilanti**—Six charter amendments will be voted upon by Ypsilanti electors at the spring election in April. The first would increase the bonding limit for the paving fund from 2 to 4 per cent of the assessed valuation of the city. The other five amendments would abolish the ward funds and establish one highway fund for the entire city.

**Memorize**—Officials of the Ann Arbor Railroad, with motion picture producers from New York, were aboard car ferries No. 4 and No. 5 when a tandem formation they entered the ice at Sherwood point out on Green Bay to break up the windward formations which have been a menace to navigation to this port all this winter.

**Lansing**—An order authorizing discontinuance of regular freight and passenger service on the River branch line of the Manistee & North Eastern Railroad, but demanding that the company run without such service to move forward to the other products in the territory served by the company, has been issued by the State Public Utilities Commission.

**Lansing**—Harry H. Jackson, commissioner of the State Department of Public Safety has been appointed by Gov. Alex. J. Groesbeck to succeed Harry L. Hulbert, who resigned. The new wardens has already taken charge unofficially. Henry Crowl, Jr., of the budget department, becomes confidential agent of the state administrative board in charge of all the state industries.

**St. Joseph**—The Prison of Michigan against the House of David colony at Benton Harbor has been disincorporated to Circuit Court here. It was stipulated, however, that the state may file an amended bill of complaint within 15 days. The court's action was based on the assertion that the suit was identical with the first action, dismissed a few weeks ago, outlawed, it was ruled by the state of Michigan. The court's action was taken upon motion of counsel for the defense.

**The KITCHEN CABINET**

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The man that hath a tongue, I say, is no man. If with his tongue he cannot win a woman.

—Shakespeare.

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**GOOD ROADS**

Lincoln Highway in Illinois is paved

The Lincoln highway for 163 miles across Illinois is now all paved. The last stretch, near Joliet, was thrown open to the public recently and through traffic now rolls on smooth concrete across the state which, ten years ago bore the reputation of having as bad roads as any in the Union.

Illinois has not stopped with the paving of the Lincoln highway. Francis P. Sheets, state superintendent of highways, says that without doubt the state highway department will soon complete 1,000 miles of concrete road and that 500 additional miles of pavement will be constructed by the counties under the supervision of the state, thus shattering all previous construction records in the United States. At the peak of the season over 6,700 men and 2,475 teams were employed directly on state road construction and close to 60 miles of new concrete pavement were being completed every week with 100 paving mixers.

In commenting on the spectacular record made in Illinois, C. R. Miller, director of the department of public works and buildings, said: "Each week brings Illinois closer to the solution of her transportation problem. The roads Illinois is building start somewhere and go somewhere. A few years ago the finger of shame was pointed at Illinois, one of the most progressive states in the Union, as ranking twenty-third in road improvement. No longer can this charge be made. Illinois will not only surpass the world in the amount of pavement completed annually but also in the total mileage of pavement in the state."

**New Highways Now Being Built Will Link Nation**

An accomplishment is soon to be realized whereby the large cities of the nation will be linked up by a network of improved highways which will, at the same time, take in all cities and towns of any importance.

An analysis of the improved highway system for 35 states shows that of 1,100 cities of more than 5,000 population, all but 10 are directly in the path of the system, and it is said that at least 90 per cent of the total population live within 10 miles of some roads on these highways.

An outstanding achievement in this direction has been the work done in selecting the roads to constitute the federal aid highway system. This has been done in accordance with the provisions of the federal highway act, which require that a system of roads consisting of not more than 7 per cent of the total rural mileage in each state be designated, and that all federal aid be spent on such a system.

**Intensive Inspection of All Concrete Highways**

The highway research board of the National Research council, of which Charles M. Graham is director, is conducting an intensive inspection of reinforced concrete roads throughout the United States which have been in service for at least five years, with reference to all sorts of climatic and "traffic" conditions.

From this survey an effort will be made to determine the influence of "re-enforcement" on the resistance of the joints to traffic, subgrade and climatic conditions; the conditions under which steel re-enforcement is especially beneficial to concrete slabs; the effect of the slab design on the efficiency of the re-enforcement; the relative cost of steel and manual maintenance and renewal charges of plain and re-enforced concrete roads.

**Hundred-Foot Road May Link Capital and South**

A national 100-foot-wide highway from Washington, D. C., through the South is favored by Representative Grant M. Hudson of the Sixth district of Michigan, who has announced that he will introduce a resolution with such a provision in view.

His resolution will call upon the bureau of public roads to conduct an investigation into the feasibility of such an operation, and the route will be determined by experts of the bureau. Hudson said there will be one branch from the highway to Savannah. The ultimate destination will probably be Key West.

"Several great concrete arteries now converge in the national capital," he added. "There should be a wide highway to the West and Southwest, and the federal government should get behind it. It should be a national project."

**To Study Land Values**

Just what effect state highway improvement has on adjoining land values, and the proportion of road cost properly chargeable to passenger cars and trucks, are to be among the matters studied in a joint investigation of road conditions and factors to be made by the United States bureau of public roads and the Connecticut state highway department. The investigation is to include a study of tax laws and methods in force in various states.

**Hell, Daddy—don't forget my Wrigleys!**

Slip a package in your pocket when you go home tonight.

Get the youngsters this wholesome, long-lasting sweet for pleasure and benefit.

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