

## SUFFERED AWFUL PAINS

For Sixteen Years. Restored  
To Health by Lydia E. Pink-  
ham's Vegetable  
Compound.



Moretown, Vermont. "I was troubled with pains and irregularities for sixteen years, and was thin, weak and nervous. When I would lie down it would seem as if I was going right down out of sight into some dark hole, and the window curtains had faces that would peek out at me, and when I was out of doors it would seem as if something was going to happen. My blood was poor, my circulation was so bad I would be like a dead person at times. I had female weakness badly, my abdomen was sore and I had awful pains."

"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and used the Sanative Wash and they certainly did wonders for me. My troubles disappeared and I am able to work hard every day."—Mrs. W. F. SAWYER, River View Farm, Moretown, Vermont.

Another case.

Gifford, Iowa.—"I was troubled with female weakness, also with displacement. I had very severe and steady headaches, also pain in back and very thin and tired all the time. I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I am cured of these troubles. I can't praise your medicine too highly."—Mrs. IMA MILLER, Gifford, Iowa.

## Certain Relief

from headaches, dull feelings, and fatigue of biliousness, comes quickly and permanent improvement in bodily condition follows—after your stomach, liver and bowels have been toned and regulated by

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold everywhere. 10 boxes, 10c, 25c.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY, N. B. M. S. M. F. THERAPION. A French Preparation of the most powerful and effective of all the remedies known to man. It is a French Preparation of the most powerful and effective of all the remedies known to man. It is a French Preparation of the most powerful and effective of all the remedies known to man.

## BLACKS OPTICIANS

156 Woodward Ave.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM. A hair dressing of the most perfect kind. For restoring color and beauty to gray or faded hair. Sold everywhere.

Specialist. "Officer," said the New York citizen, "there's a lawyer in my house."

"I ain't got nothing to do with burg lars," responded the policeman. "I'm on the traffic squad."

His Answer. "The man I marry must have common sense," said the hungry one. "He won't," the other answered bitingly.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*. In Use For Over 30 Years. Children Cry for *Fletcher's Castoria*.

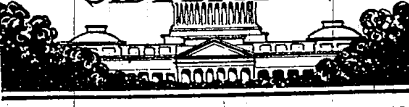
Food Strike. Mrs. Gotham—We never had a hunger strike in this country, I guess. Mrs. Flatland—Didn't we? Weren't you ever approached at the back door by one of those hungry tramps for food?

Proving It. "Men are worth much more than women." "No such thing." "Yes, they are. (Husbands are not easy to get along with, but wives are just given away)."—*Ben Hur* American.

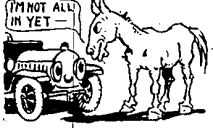
Never Touched Him. "Want to go to the theater tonight?" "I have nothing to wear," said his wife peevishly. "That won't matter. I only meant one of those movie picture theaters, where it's dark."—*Louisville Courier-Journal*.

Foley Kidney Pills Succeeded because they are a good honest medicine that cannot help but heal kidney and bladder ailments and urinary irregularities, if they are once taken into the system. Try them now for positive and permanent help.

## WASHINGTON CITY SIDELIGHTS



### Statistics Show Passing of Horse a Motor Myth



WASHINGTON.—Here is something that will surprise you. In spite of the tremendous growth of mechanically propelled vehicles, the horseless age, which has been heralded as just about to arrive is not in the offing, apparently it is not even "en route"; today there are more horses in the United States than ever have been since the time when the mind of the census man runneth not to the contrary.

And not only this, but horses today have a far greater value than they had a dozen or more years ago, when the first workable "horseless carriage" poked its crude nose over the horizon and threatened to sweep all horsemen into the discard.

Furthermore, the poor relations of the horse—the mules, the asses, and the burros—have also increased in number and in value. In short, all our old-fashioned four-footed means of traction can kick their heels for joy and neigh or bray, each after his own fashion. Though horseless carriages, horseless wagons, horseless plows, horseless reapers, horseless wharves are in our midst, trial midst in surprising numbers, still our old, time-honored friends—the horse, the mule, the ass, and the burro—loom larger than they ever have before in our national life.

Let us consider these facts which have been extracted from a recent number of the *Crop Reporter*, that publication of much esoteric interest, issued by authority of the secretary of agriculture. On January 1, 1913, the total number of horses on farms and ranges in the United States was 29,567,000, valued at \$110,777 per head, with an aggregate value of \$2,278,222,000. Compared with January 1, 1912, horses had increased 55,000; mules increased 24,000; mulch cows decreased 1,000; sheep decreased 1,200; swine decreased 4,252,000.

Without pausing here to discuss what bearing this decrease during the year 1912, in the numbers of cattle, sheep, and swine, may have on the future of these useful quadrupeds, we will just say that so far as is indicated by these impartial records—the United States census reports—neither the horse, the mule, the ass, nor the burro have ever suffered any such setback.

### Washington Furnishes Prize Summer Fish Story

FISH stories may go and fish stories may come, but the prize fish story related by Capt. Charles H. Thompson, a sea-borne mariner of Miami, Fla., makes altogether appear like a bush league alongside of the Cobb fish story, which was right in the midst of Washington for more than five months while a Washingtonian, J. S. Warm-beth, mounted it.

As Captain Thompson, in company with W. I. Brooks and Norwegian sailor, were cruising off the coast of Miami, Fla., on June 1, 1912, there hove into sight a huge monster, the like of which man never before had laid eyes upon. A mighty struggle for supremacy ensued and man was declared the victor.

Five harpoons and 151 bullets were required to subdue the monster, and it took five days to kill it. Before it was under control it smashed a boat into thousands of pieces and knocked the rudder and propeller off a sloop. The monster was towed toward the ocean for 39 hours by the monster at a speed of about 45 miles an hour. When it was finally brought into shore more than 5,000 people were on the beach, judges, ministers, the chief of police, bankers, and the greater part of the population of Miami will vouch for the story, according to the captain.

Attempts to classify it have been made in the Smithsonian Institution. It weighed 30,000 pounds, is 45 feet long, 23 feet 3 inches in circumference, 8 feet 3 inches in diameter; has a mouth a league 40 inches long. It has several thousand teeth. An animal weighing 1,500 pounds was taken from its stomach. Its liver tipped the beam at 1,700 pounds.

The monster had all the characteristics of both fish and animal, contrary to all laws of natural history. Its tail measures 10 feet from tip to tip. A pectoral fin is 8 feet long and 3 feet wide, and a dorsal fin 3 feet long and 2 feet 5 inches wide. Its hide is 3 inches thick and has no scales, resembling that of an elephant's coat.

### Washington City's Only Democratic Newspaper

as news, these publishers address themselves almost exclusively to the interests of the man. Mr. Dwyer, the editor, dreamed of the Bulletin 20 years ago when he saw his copy blue pencilled by the press associations. He yearned for an untrammelled medium for the expression of his views without the intervention of copy readers or editors. The result was the Bulletin, a single sheet newspaper, 23x35 inches in size, printed three times a day—at noon, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and at seven o'clock in the evening. Bicycle messengers distribute it to the subscribers.

You can see it in almost any public place. The page is filled with about 800 words of news. This is "fringed" with a prosperous array of advertisements, mostly of amusements, liquors, cigars, men's wear and resorts. The evening edition carries a story of the local baseball game and the major league results. The noon and afternoon editions carry baseball news except the standing of the American league clubs.

### Water Blisters on Face

Smithville, Ind.—"Six months ago our baby girl, one year old, had red pimples coming on her face when gradually spread causing her face to become very irritated and a fiery red color. The pimples on the child's face were at first small water blisters, just a small blotch on the skin. She kept scratching at this until in a few days her whole cheeks were fiery red color and instead of the little blisters the skin was cracked and scaly looking and seemed to itch and burn very much."

"We used a number of remedies which seemed to give relief for a short time then leave her face worse than ever. Finally we got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I washed the child's face with very warm water and Cuticura Soap, then applied the Cuticura Ointment very lightly. After doing this about three times a day the itching and burning seemed entirely gone in two days' time. Inside of two weeks' time her face seemed well. That was eight months ago and there has been no return of the trouble." (Signed) Mrs. A. K. WOODEN, May 4, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free with 25¢ of Skin Book. Address postcard "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

### Banana Eaters

Americans used to be called a nation of pie eaters. Today a more appropriate term would be a nation of banana eaters. (The United States takes more than 100,000 tons of bananas shipped to the hardlers in the world. Part of this preeminence in banana consumption is due to geography; the source of supply on the Caribbean is almost at our doors. Part is due to accident; a Boston skipper introduced the American public to this tropical fruit while it was still unknown in Europe. Whatever reason the United States is the world's chief banana market, and though the use of this fruit is increasing abroad, the American boy remains the Jamaica grower's best friend.

Extremely Modest. "Rather a modest, retiring fellow in a crowd, isn't he?"

"Yes, pretty modest. Reminds me a whole lot of a governor on a state occasion surrounded by his staff of colonels in uniform."—*St. Louis Republic*.

Hard Luck, Indeed! "How's your son, the lawyer, who went to Texas, getting on?"

"Badly, poor fellow. He's in jail." "How's that?"

"He was detained by a horse thief to defend him, and he made such a good plea that the judge held him as accessory."—*Lippincott*.

Its Advantages. "A rolling stone gathers no moss." "Then it never becomes a moss-bag, either."

Many a man puts his foot in it when he attempts to stand on his dignity.

The man who hides his light under a bushel is apt to think the whole world is in darkness.

Wall From French Jurymen. In France, as well as in England, jurymen have their grievances. The latest can easily be remedied. The French minister of justice has received an address signed by citizens figuring on the Paris jury lists, protesting against the bare appearance of the courts where they have to sit. They point out that the 11-tired of sitting at the judges, counsel, witnesses and other parties to a suit—they turn their eyes upon the walls, nothing but an insubstantial paper meets their gaze in order to relieve this deadly monotony they beg that a print of Prudhomme's famous picture, "Justice in Pursuit of Crime," may be hung in each court.

### Watch Your Colts

For Colic, Colds and Stomach, and at the first symptoms of any such ailment, give small doses of that wonderful remedy, now the most used in the world.

### WINCHESTER

The time of all others when reliable cartridges are invaluable is in big-game hunting. A mis-fire, an inaccurate cartridge, or one having poor penetration may mean the loss of a coveted trophy or even injury to the hunter. Winchester, the W brand of cartridges, smokeless or black powder, can always be relied on to be sure fire, accurate, and to have speed and penetration. You can help MAKE YOUR HUNT A SUCCESS BY USING THEM.

### W. L. DOUGLAS

\$3.00 \$3.50 \$4.00 \$4.50 and \$5.00 SHOES FOR MEN AND WOMEN. 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