

AFTER 7 YEARS SUFFERING

I Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Wauka, Okla.—"I had female troubles for seven years, was all run down, and so nervous I could not do any thing. The doctors treated me for different things but I could not get so bad that I could not sleep day or night. While in this condition I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and began its use and wrote to Mrs. Pinkham for advice. In a short time I had gained weight and was now strong and well."

Mrs. SALMIE STEVENS, R. F. D. No. 3, Box 34, Wauka, Okla.

Another Grateful Woman. Huntington, Mass.—"I was in a nervous, run-down condition for three years and could not get any better."

"I am now present good health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier which I have saved my life."

"My doctor knows what helped me and does not say one word against it."

Mrs. MARY J. STEVENS, Box 134, Huntington, Mass.

Because your case is a difficult one, doctors having done you no good, do not continue to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It surely has cured many cases of female ills, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, and nervous prostration.

It is sold everywhere.

Thompson's Eye Water

New Disappointment.

First Summer Girl—So you thought a man was coming?

Second Summer Girl—Yes; but as we got a closer view we saw it was only a bird.—Puck.

A Humane Man.

Elderly Counters—Catch this big St. Johann, but do it carefully, and put him outdoors without injury.

Footman—It's raining outdoors, countess. Shall I give him an umbrella?—Morgendorn Blätter.

Megaphones in Oil.

Robert Henri, the painter, was discussing in New York a very mediocre "old master" for which a Chicago promoter had paid an exorbitant sum.

"The man is content with his bargain," said Mr. Henri. "I'm sure of that. To a millionaire of that type, you know, an 'old master' is merely a megaphone for his money to talk through."

GRABBED HIM.

She—Old Brown said if he were twenty-five years younger he would marry me.

He—Twenty-five years younger? Why, that's just my age.

She—Oh, Charlie, this is so sudden!

A LADY LECTURER

Feeds Nerves and Brains Scientifically.

A lady lecturer writes from Philadelphia concerning the use of right food and how she is enabled to withstand the strain and wear and tear of her arduous occupation. She says:

"Through improper food, imperfectly digested, my health was completely wrecked, and I attribute my recovery entirely to the regular use of Grape-Nuts food. It has, I assure you, proven an indispensable boon to me."

"Almost immediately after beginning the use of Grape-Nuts I found a gratifying change in my condition. The terrible weakness that formerly prostrated me after a few hours of work, was perceptibly lessened, and is now only a memory—it never returns."

"Ten days after beginning on Grape-Nuts I experienced a wonderful increase in mental vigor and physical energy, and continued use has entirely freed me from the miserable insomnia and nervousness from which I used to suffer so much."

"I find Grape-Nuts, very palatable and would not be without the crisp, delicious food for even a day on any consideration. Indeed, I always carry it with me on my lecture tours."

"Read the little book 'The Right Nutrition' in plain English."

"Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest."

NIGHT SHOW AT THE MICHIGAN STATE FAIR A GREAT SPECTACLE

"The Siege of Fort Detroit" an Elaborate Production—Heavens Ablaze With Light—Magnificently Staged and Costumed. It Will Be the Grandest Spectacle Ever Presented by Any Fair Management.

The night show to be given in connection with the State Fair this year, will, according to the management, be the most magnificent spectacle ever presented. The increased premiums and special prizes will bring forth the very best in horsemanship, and the gorgeous horse show will be put on as a prelude to the magnificent fireworks spectacle in front of the grand stand. Motor Hall will also be kept open evenings and the immense display of autos on the first floor, while the industrial exhibit and electrical show on the second floor, will be a most interesting part of the fair. But the pyrotechnic display, including the grand realistic spectacular production, "Pioneer Days and Chief Pontiac's Attack on Fort Detroit," will be the piece de resistance of the night entertainment. This realistic spectacular production is being especially designed for the Michigan State Fair.

Pioneer Days & Chief Pontiac's ATTACK ON FORT DETROIT DUES \$10,000 Spectacle

MICHIGAN STATE FAIR—DETROIT SEPT. 18-27



Michigan State Fair by the A. L. Due Fireworks Company and William Beck & Sons Company, of Cincinnati. At a cost of \$10,000. The scenery and costumes are all new and both companies guarantee to the State Fair management that every requirement will be fully met.

To entertain the multitudes who will come to the State Fair and in keeping with the carnival spirit, the officials have worked the whole year and planned this night spectacular feat of great local historical interest that of "Chief Pontiac's Campaign" as given by the Due Company and pronounced by them as the most brilliant spectacle of the kind ever shown anywhere.

STATE FAIR IS BOOMING

RUSH OF ENTRIES INDICATES FAIR WILL BREAK ALL RECORDS.

In the Offices and on the Grounds There is no Let Up in Preparations.

Entries are pouring into the State Fair office at the rate of one every two minutes with no prospect of let up before the grand opening to start the show on the eighteenth.

At the grounds a small army is working on new buildings, painting and repairing old ones, constructing fences, roads and sidewalks and other gang of men and teams will be engaged until the fair opens on the great mile highway where the fastest horses, in the world will enter. In the twenty contents of the first day's Grand Circuit meeting for the \$50,000 in purses offered.

This early it is apparent that every department, from the poultry show to the horse and other departments will be crowded with exhibits and what to do with the overflow is a big problem the management must cope with before the fair opens. In the agricultural and horticultural sections, the exhibits will be larger than ever before, the development bureaus of the upper peninsula, the western and northeast sections of the state having engaged all of the space before the fair opens. They will allot them for the exhibits from their sections.

The Philippines will send an exhibit to the educational department. In connection with the poultry department there will be a baby dove show by Detroiters and the Ohio Pigeon and Bantam club of Toledo will show a thousand birds.

For the first time, the Michigan fair is to receive official recognition from the United States department of agriculture. President Newton Charles E. Snyder has been detailed to represent the department, with instructions to pay special attention to the horse and sheep departments.

DARING DRIVERS AT STATE FAIR

Ray Harroun and Bob Burman, Two Greatest Speed Annihilators, to Be There.

"The best there is in the auto racing game" is the slogan of the Michigan state fair this year. Instead of securing one great star as was the case last year when Barney Greider was brought to Detroit, half dozen famous dare-devils have been signed up and will not only endeavor to do things that will be clear off the map, but will enter into open competition in the big handi-cap races.

The National Grange

Conducted by Charles M. Gardner, Editor of the National Grange, Westfield, Mass. TOPICS OF GRANGE STUDY

Trend of Thought in the Order Shown by Matters Discussed in Various States.

The general drift of Grange discussion, and the lines of thought which the organization is bringing before its members throughout the country, may be well understood from the following topics assigned for discussion. They are picked at random from among the many states, and are illuminating as to the actual trend of Grange thought, as brought out by discussion and study.

Rebuke. That the farmer needs rural mail delivery more than the telephone.

Good reading for the farmer; for the farmer's wife; in general.

What labor-saving device has been the greatest benefit to mankind?

The Grange responsibility, to promote a federation of rural forces for rural betterment.

Some of the most hopeful signs of the times in rural life—practical theories only.

Is the farmer as well prepared for his business as the average of men in other occupations?

Resolved. That the middleman and the speculator get the benefit of the high cost of living instead of the farmer.

How does the intelligence of the country people compare with that of the city people, taking general averages?

Do people watch the work of their senators and representatives as closely as they should?

If the farmer is not occupying the place in public life that he should, what is the reason and who is to blame for it?

Shall intensive or extensive farming be the agricultural watchword for the future?

The Panama Canal: Will it pay? Should it be fortified?

How can the best interest of the city people in rural life be secured and maintained?

Which offers the greatest opportunity to a young man today, agriculture, a trade or a profession?

What can we do this year to make our homes more beautiful, comfortable, prosperous and lasting?

Can the isolated farmer afford to have his own water system, gas system and electric light system?

The automobile—how far should it have the right of way?

Can man ever be too polite to his own wife?

Agricultural efficiency the keynote to agricultural success.

Practical co-operation among farmers and between neighboring rural communities.

NOVELTY AT OREGON GRANGE

Movable School of Agriculture Arranges Interest of Farmers at the State Convention.

An interesting feature of the recent annual State Grange convention in the state of Oregon was a "movable school of agriculture" that attracted widespread attention.

The exhibit consisted of a small model school, with a suggestive program of practical information which the farmer could use in everyday work, while members of the college faculty were present, to explain the exhibits and apparatus.

As an outgrowth of the farmers' institutes there has developed an urgent demand for a more extensive educational system for the farmer. The movable school is suggested by the college as a solution of the difficulty so that, practically, in their own homes, all who desire may have the advantage of moderately equipped laboratories for technical study, and a practical work in problems relating to the farm and home.

The one-week program suggested by the domestic science department includes sewing, bread making, meat and vegetable, home nursing, invalid diet, and like subjects. The horticulture department outlined three days' work in pruning, grafting, budding, spraying, apple picking, and similar topics. The poultry department suggests teaching the housing of fowls, incubation and brooding, and the solution of other problems of the poultry farmer.

Quet and Tuberculosis. As a result of the dangers from consumption to those exposed to various forms of dust, and at the request of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, the United States government has recently appointed a commission to work in co-operation with state authorities in making an investigation into the conditions of the metal mining industries in the United States, with special reference to diseases of the lungs. The work of the commission engaged in this special task will follow lines somewhat similar to those worked out by the Royal Commission of Australia, whose report was recently received in this country.

A cold on the chest weakens your lungs. Tubercular germs attack the weak spots. Keep your lungs strong by curing colds quickly with Kalamia Wizard Oil and you will not get Consumption.

Couldn't Help Him. "I haven't a place to lay my head." "I'm sorry, but we're all out of beds here."

900 DROPS CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson. In Use For Over Thirty Years CASTORIA. THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK.

The Wretchedness of Constipation. Can quickly be overcome by CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. "Purely vegetable—entirely safe and gentle on the liver. Cure Bilemness, Headache, Dizziness, Indigestion. They do their duty. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature." W. N. U., DETROIT, MO. 37-1911.

PARKER'S HAIR BALMS. For Itching Scalp, Dandruff, and all other troubles of the hair. It keeps the hair soft, smooth, and glossy, and prevents it from falling out. It is sold everywhere.

For Bilious Attacks. Here is help for you. Your bilious attacks may be both prevented and cured. Prevention is better than cure. The means are at your hand. When a dull headache, furred tongue, yellow cast to the eyes, inactive bowels, dizziness, or a sick stomach, warn you of a coming bilious attack, resort at once to BEECHAM'S PILLS. which act almost instantly on the liver and bowels, and quickly regulate the flow of bile. A few doses of Beecham's Pills will correct the stomach, put the blood in order, relieve headache and tone the entire system. For over sixty years, on land and sea, Beecham's Pills, by their safe and thorough action on the stomach, bile and bowels, have maintained their world-wide reputation as The Best Bile Medicine. Boxes 10c. and 25c., with full directions.

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