

**MOTHERHOOD**

**Actual Sterility in Women is Very Rare—Healthy Mothers and Children Make Happy Homes.**



Many women long for a child to bless their home, but because of some debility or displacement of the female organs they are barren. Preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound more successfully than by any other medicine, because it gives tone and strength to the entire female system, curing all displacements, nervousness, depression and inflammation. A woman who is in good physical condition transmits to her children the blessings of a good constitution. It is not that an incentive to prepare for a healthy maternity? If expectant mothers would fortify themselves with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, they would be a great deal less subject to miscarriages, suffering and disappointments at birth. The following letters to Mrs. Pinkham demonstrate the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in such cases.

**ALL IN THE SENATE**

Chief Clerk Ben F. Russell of St. Louis, Mo., is telling a good story on speaker David Hill of Missouri. Hill is a big man, weighs something like 200 pounds and is as bold as a lion. Hill reached home tired from his efforts as presiding officer of the house. He retired early and was soon sleeping peacefully. About midnight he was awfully awakened by Mrs. Hill. "Dave, Dave," she called. "Dave, wake up, I hear thieves in the house," said she. "Thieves in the house?" said Mr. Hill, half awake. "I guess not. They're all in the senate."

**WITH A FAN THAT HE OWED HER.**

The wind is ill that blows (at dances) No good to some poor man; And sending him to bed, I think the chances Which broke that other fan. But there's a side to every saying To take exception to: I hope the wind this sets a playing May blow no ill to you. —Warwick James Price, in June Smart Set.

**AVOIDED A WASH.**

A certain office boy was wont to appear at his employer's office with a very dirty face. One morning he appeared with the remains of a breakfast round his mouth. The junior clerk, with an eye to business, said: "I'll bet you ten cents I can tell you what you had for breakfast this morning." "Done!" said the office boy. "It was eggs," triumphantly replied the clerk. "Wrong," said the boy: "what you see on my mouth is yesterday's."

**ANOTHER WONDERFUL CASE.**

HERE IS SOMETHING THAT WILL BE WELCOME NEWS TO MANY A DISCOURAGED ONE. "For several years I have been troubled with gas round my heart, shortness of breath, in fact, if I walked my usual gait my breath would get so short I would be compelled to make several stops during my walk. "Of late my food did not digest properly. It turned sour in my stomach, causing me great distress; often, too, I had disagreeable attacks of belching gas and heartburn. "I was bothered with severe pains across the small of my back and the least bending or turning would cause me to almost cry out. "I was induced to try Dr. Leonard's Anti-Phlegm and from the very first found relief. "For the last three months I have had no recurrence of my former complaints, so I am bound to say Anti-Phlegm has indeed cured me." This is the voluntary statement of Wm. H. Reed, of 165 Queen St., Kingston, Ont. All Druggists sell Anti-Phlegm. The Wilson-Phlegm Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont. The remedy that cured such an extreme case is surely worth trying.

**OTTAWA LETTER.**

OTTAWA, May 24.—It may be an act of presumption for a lay mind to attempt to understand the scientific data and conclusions in the report of the investigations of the dominion tidal and current survey at the entrance to the Bay of Fundy in the season of 1904, published by the marine department. The treatment of W. Bell Dawson, the engineer in charge of the work, has made his records so plain that the wayfaring man, though a fool, ought to be able to comprehend them, in not of course to the degree whereof a seafaring man, though a first officer or an ordinary A. B. is capable.

**No Breakfast Table complete without**

**EPP'S COCOA**

An admirable food, with all the nutritive qualities of a well-fitted to build up and maintain robust health, and to resist winter's extreme cold. It is a valuable diet for children. The Most Nutritious and Economical. longing the session by obstructive tactics, and this accusation is accepted as such by quite a number of people in all parts of the country. It is not understood how public business is conducted at the capital. All reasonable men recognize it to be the duty of an opposition to aid in perfecting imperfect legislation and that the time consumed in so doing is well spent in the best interests of the country. This is what the opposition has been doing with marked effect this year. The remedial bills, rushed before the house in a crude shape, have been amended by the government at almost every stage, and the tinkering process is still going on. But for the keen criticisms of these measures by the opposition, the following they would have been swallowed by the liberal majority in all their original imperfection. As it is the opposition is powerless to safeguard the rights of the people of the province of Alberta and Saskatchewan, but it has proved its ability to force the government to change many clauses that were not credit to the draftsman and who enacted the bill into law on the Canadian statute book. The government is never ready with business, and at its door lays all the blame for the prolongation of the session. Just before division hour, 8 o'clock, last night, the leader of the opposition asked the premier "What business will probably be taken up this evening after private bills are disposed of?" Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied, "There has been no progress made with this bill (the Alberta autonomy bill, that I expect, and we have nothing ready. Private bills will be the first order on the agenda, and I think we had better adjourn." Of course the house at once adjourned. The statement above taken word for word from the official debates shows that while the opposition leader was anxious to go on with public business the government had nothing for the house to do. This is only another instance of the wide gulf that separates the utterances of parties in general from the accurate record to be found in the pages of Hansard.

**DR. WEAVER'S TREATMENT.**  
WEAVER'S SYRUP  
For Humors  
Salt Rheum  
Scrofulous Swellings, etc.  
WEAVER'S CERATE  
Cleanses the Skin  
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Combined, these preparations act powerfully upon the system, completely eradicating the Poison in the blood.  
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**SACKVILLE NEWS.**

Much Interest in the Graduating Recitals—Lodge Receives Visitors—Other Matters.

SACKVILLE, N. B., May 27.—A most interesting and profitable lecture was delivered Tuesday evening in Beethoven hall by Rev. Dr. Moore, who is speaking in the interests of the Dominion Association for the Prevention of Consumption.

Wednesday evening is given the graduating piano recital of Miss Agnes Prescott. Friday the graduating recital of Miss Green. Saturday evening the graduating recital in oratory of Miss Hazel Tait and Monday evening the graduating piano recital of Miss MacLennan.

At the recital Friday and Saturday the orchestra will give two attractive numbers. Excellent music is in preparation for the closing exercises of Mount Allison. Under the able direction of Prof. Wilson and Dr. Archibald a cantata, The Crusaders, by Gade, will be given at the Ladies' College, closing with a chorus of seven-voice voices and orchestral accompaniment. On Sunday evening, May 28th, will be given the Hallelujah Chorus, with a chorus from The Holy City, both with orchestral, organ and piano accompaniments.

After the lecture on Household Science Saturday, May 27th, some of the pupils in that department will give a practical illustration of their cooking. This department has proved so popular that both teachers have been working over time this term. University examinations are on this week, those of the Ladies' College begin next week.

The last number of *Allison for the Masses* was issued today. It is a teachers' number and contains short sketches of the 127 teachers who have given instruction at the Ladies' College during the past fifty years. The magazine also contains some seventy pictures of the teachers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Bulmer left Monday for New Zealand after several months' visit with their friends in New Brunswick. Frederick Rainnie has been removed from Sydney, C. B., to his former position in the Sackville Western Union telegraph office. Mr. Rainnie has purchased the house on Weldon street owned by Mrs. Horatio Smith.

Lebanon Lodge, No. 28, A. F. and A. M., at its regular meeting Tuesday evening had an official visit from Deputy District Master G. W. G. M. Moncton, Moncton, accompanied by fifteen members of Keith Lodge, Moncton.

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**SURPRISE SOAP**

**N. B. Man Sold Notes on College Courses to Harvard Students.**

**George Blakney, Formerly of Petitcodiac, Forced Out of Business, but Retires With Plenty of Money.**

The George Blakney referred to in the following is a native of Petitcodiac, N. B., and was formerly well known in his home district.

With the passing of George Blakney, the "note trust" of Harvard, at the urgent desire of the faculty, the wealth of the college office will descend heavily on the "gentlemen loafers" at Cambridge.

Blakney, who for the past three years has been the solid bulwark between the sport, athlete and the plain, ordinary loafer, and his ancient enemy, the faculty, has now agreed to furnish no more notes after his contracts run out this year. This simply means that the degree of A. B. from Harvard is now not for sale for \$24, paid in yearly instalments of \$8 per year.

The trouble has been gradually brewing, and it came to a head a short time ago. Complaints were made at the college office that men cut courses, slept in lectures, and did no work except at mid-years and finals, when Blakney, with whom the men had done a contract, issued his pamphlet with the work of the half year reduced to the lowest terms. Every one then got to work, and by a few hours extra on the last days, men sold by on the respectable grade of C.

Courses were stiffened up by the faculty, and many heads fell into the basket. The root of trouble was not reached, however, until the faculty came to the conclusion that the wholesale and retail printed note business must stop. However, the thing was done, an agreement was arrived at, and the octopus which has swallowed up and driven out of business most of the smaller note dealers, agreed to drop the business. It is said that the faculty puts its official foot down hard, and made the fatal thrust. The murderer was promptly arrested and locked up, while the body of his victim, by Coroner Cranston's orders, was removed to Starbuck's morgue, where it lay until the body was buried.

Blakney can well afford to retire from the business at this period. He has practically controlled the note business for three years, and his clientele has taken in at least a third of the freshmen class, and smaller percentage of all the other classes. He probably cleared up more than \$5,000 a year during the time that he has controlled the business. Every man who had dealings with him signed a contract by which he was given the most of a whole course, with a digest of the outside reading for \$6 per year.

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**HAVE GRIEVANCE AGAINST PORTLAND EXPOSITION CO.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 15.—Over four hundred delegates were in attendance when the convention of the structure building and construction of America was called to order today, representing 800,000 wage earners engaged in the building industry. Frank C. Brown, Chicago, is president of the alliance. The most important matter to be considered at the meeting will be the resignation of President Buchanan. At the last meeting of the board of governors, held in Washington, Mr. Buchanan tendered his resignation. It was not accepted. He is, however, determined to resign. The question of placing the Lewis and Clark centennial exposition on the unfair list will also be considered. It is alleged that the exposition authorities have discriminated against union labor in the erection of some of the buildings.

**GIRL SLEEPS IN A CEMETERY.**

Robbed, She Wanders to Evergreen, and Lodges Six Nights on Graves.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Anne Anderson, a pretty Swedish girl, arranged yesterday in the Gates avenue police court, Brooklyn, on a charge of vagrancy, told Magistrate Furling that for the last six nights she has been sleeping in Evergreen cemetery. Anne came to New York from Chicago, intending to return to her old home in Sweden, but while her steamship ticket and little stock of money were lost or stolen. Having no friends, she wandered about the streets, finally making her way to East New York and the cemetery.

**NO MANUAL TRAINING FOR ST. JOHN THIS YEAR.**

FREDERICTON, May 17.—The provincial director of manual training says that a fair number of applications for admission to the proposed vocational course have come in, but will not be made public until after May 25, the last day for applications. Nearly half of the candidates are teachers desirous of having a course given in St. John, but owing to lack of accommodation it will not be possible to go there this year, and Fredericton will probably be selected. Mr. Kidner leaves tomorrow morning for Sussex, where he is to speak at an educational meeting.

KINGSTON, Ont., May 17.—Thomas Reedy, a United States veteran, came to Kingston from Ottawa, wanting to get into the home for old soldiers at Washington. Mayor MacFarlane gave him a pass to Cape Vincent, New York. He went by boat, but was refused leave to step on the territory he had fought for with the 6th Maryland Regiment. He came back to Kingston. The American consul will take care of him and investigate this claim.

**A. G. Gilbert, head of the poultry department at the experimental farm, is an old newspaper man who, to use his own words, has been in the news for a long time.**

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**COMMITTED SUICIDE IN CALAIS POOR HOUSE.**

Was a Cripple and Tied Handkerchief Around His Neck—A Second Attempt.

(Special to the Sun.) ST. STEPHEN, May 17.—William Perry, a man of more than fifty years of age, and an inmate of the Calais poor house, committed suicide in his room Tuesday afternoon by strangulation.

Perry made an attempt a week ago last Saturday, cutting his throat so badly that fifteen stitches had to be taken. He was a cripple, having lost the use of his lower limbs. Since his first attempt he had been refused knives with his meals, for he failed to return one and it was found sharpened, hidden away in his room. Tuesday afternoon he locked the door of his room with two props, tied a handkerchief around his neck and twisted it with a broom handle until complete strangulation resulted.

Keeper Alexander Wilkins had to cut a panel out to gain an entrance this morning, as Perry had failed to respond to calls from without. After dinner Tuesday he left word that he was going to sleep, and did not want to be disturbed.

**RUNNING SHORT OF GOAL SUPPLY.**

HALIFAX, May 17.—The New England Coke and Gas Company, Boston, are reported to be running short of their coal supply. The prevalence of drift ice on the Cape Breton coast had rendered it almost impossible for the Dominion Coal Company, who control the supply for these works, to keep their boats running on time, so that shipments to Boston are more or less interrupted. The company's agent at Sydney was off on a vacation, but he was called back to rush shipments or otherwise the works might have had to close down.

**SWALLOWED UP THE REST.**

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**A BRUTAL MURDER.**

**Italian Plunges His Knife Into the Heart of a Youth.**

ARNPRIOR, May 15.—Ed Castro, an Italian, aged 50 years, tonight plunged his knife into the heart of Lorus Carre, also an Italian, aged 17 years, who, working as a labourer, had entered the house into the yard and fell dead. The dead is said to have been wholly unprovoked. They were employed on work which had been interrupted by rain, and the murderer was standing freely during the day. The two were seated at the supper table in the home of Joseph Franc, Jessie street, when the elder suddenly drew his knife and made the fatal thrust. The murderer was promptly arrested and locked up, while the body of his victim, by Coroner Cranston's orders, was removed to Starbuck's morgue, where it lay until the body was buried.

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**MORE FOREIGNERS FOR CANADIAN WEST.**

QUEBEC, May 17.—Strs. Athena and Sicilia from Gloucester, 600 passengers, including 600 foreigners, mostly all Italians, and the C. P. R. str. Montezuma, from Antwerp with further batch of foreigners, arrived this morning and landed steaming passengers. In the first two vessels over one hundred have been detained by the medical inspectors, suffering from typhoid, and have been sent to the house of detention for treatment, pending their recovery or deportation, and over thirty which came out on the grounds for want of room.

**TRUE PHU.**

Mrs. F. R. C. will send free to subscribers from female periods a sample cured her.

**LORD MILNE**

CAPTAIN MILNE, the British admiral, is reported to have been invited to dine at the residence of Lord Milne in South Kensington, London, and to be warmly welcomed. The admiral, who is decorated with the Victoria Cross, is reported to have been invited to dine at the residence of Lord Milne in South Kensington, London, and to be warmly welcomed. The admiral, who is decorated with the Victoria Cross, is reported to have been invited to dine at the residence of Lord Milne in South Kensington, London, and to be warmly welcomed.

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