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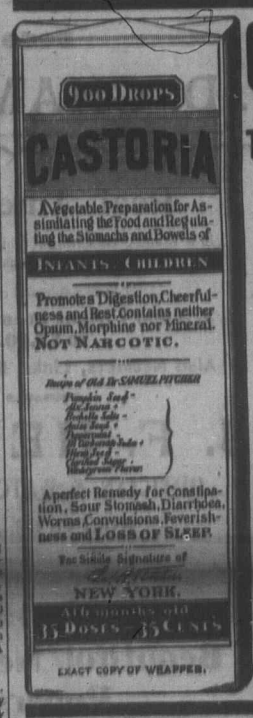

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When Ma's Away.

It's awful lonesome when she's gone—
It doesn't seem the same;
As home, you'd know the place as well
By any other name;
The clock ticks so much louder then—
We don't have much to say;
It's awful lonesome at our house
When ma's away!

It's awful lonesome—why, the cat,
It never comes around;
And as for Towser, the old dog,
He never can be found,
I s'pose they mis her 'most as much
As ever we do—say,
It's awful lonesome at our house
When ma's away!

It's awful lonesome round the house
Nights! Oh, how the wind moans!
It makes me and Ned skeery-like,
Clear way down to our bones!
But pap, he sleeps and snores, so he
Ain't lonesome then; but, say,
Us boys, somehow, we can't sleep nights
When ma's away!

It's awful lonesome when she's gone!
We always know, though, yes,
She's coming back again, and so
We hear the lonesomeness;
But if some day she shouldn't come,
If God should keep her—say!
Could we, then, bear the lonesomeness
With ma away?

—Woman's Home Companion.

How to Live a Century.

Sir James Sawyer, an English physician, has formulated the following fifteen rules for prolonging life to 100 years:

1. Eight hours' sleep.
2. Sleep on your right side.
3. Keep your bedroom window wide open.
4. Have a mat at your bedroom door.
5. Do not have your bed against the wall.
6. No cold tub in the morning but a bath at the temperature of the body.
7. Exercise before breakfast.
8. Eat little meat and see that it is well cooked.
9. (For adults.) Drink no milk.
10. Eat plenty of fat to feed the cells which destroy the disease germs.
11. Avoid intoxicants, which destroy those cells.
12. Live in the country if you can.
13. Daily exercise in the open air.
14. Allow no pet animal in your living-room. They are apt to carry disease germs.
15. Watch the three D's—drinking water, damp, and drains.

A Woman Engineer.

Chicago has the distinction of furnishing the woman member of the ranks of the civil and consulting engineers. This is Mrs. Mary H. Ewing, widow of the late William Bion Ewing, one of the most prominent engineers of the middle west, who died last spring. Mrs. Ewing has taken up and is carrying to successful completion work on various sewerage and water systems, costing approximately half a million dollars, which her husband had under way or in course of planning at the time of his death.

She appeared before the boards of all the villages and the different companies with whom Mr. Ewing had contracts, and it is a remarkable tribute to her technical knowledge and executive ability that each company unhesitatingly passed the contracts into her hands for completion of the work.

To Escape Appendicitis.

A simple way to prevent appendicitis was recently described by a well known physician. Every night and morning, he advised, go on your knees, bend backward until you sit on your heels and at the same time, bend the upper part of your body forward as far as possible. Do this six to ten times.

You may vary the exercise by standing with heels together and toes pointed straight forward and then stoop into a sitting posture until the knees touch the chest. Do this also six or eight times slowly.

The effect is to stir up the intestine in the neighborhood of the vermiform appendix and to keep it free from the obstruction which is the primary cause of appendicitis.

A Marvel of Healing

It does not take long for Dr. Chase's Ointment to prove its magic healing power. A single night is often sufficient to produce the most startling results.

Mrs. Chas. Gilbert, Haystack, Placentia Bay, Nfld., writes:—"I was a sufferer from Salt Rheum for ten years, and had about despaired of ever being cured, so many treatments had failed. Reading of the wonderful cures effected by Dr. Chase's Ointment, I commenced using it, and was entirely cured by eight boxes."

Mr. Stanley Merrill, Delaware, Ont., writes:—"For years I was troubled with my hands cracking, often becoming so sore that I could hardly do any work. I got some of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and happily find that one or two applications of same to the affected parts makes them well. I have had no trouble since using the ointment for sore hands."

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60c a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

New Strength For Nursing Mothers.

ACHING BACKS AND TIRED LIMBS NEED NOT BE ENDURED.

Aching backs, tired limbs, attacks of dizziness, headaches and backache, need not be a part of woman's life. There are times when her blood needs special attention, and these times are indicated by one or more of the above symptoms. It is at such times that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are worth their weight in gold to women, for they actually make the rich, red health-giving blood which makes weak, tired, despondent women strong, and feeling equal to all their household duties. Such a sufferer was Mrs. William Sullivan, Main River, N. B., who says: 'I am writing to acknowledge the great good I received through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After my baby was born last summer I was so run down that life was really a burden. I had to drag myself about to do my housework, and every moment was one of trial. If I went upstairs I would be breathless and tired out, and my heart would palpitate violently, and I would have a feeling as though I was smothering. My appetite was poor, and my baby was suffering from my weakness. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and got six boxes, and before they were all quite used I was like a different woman. My appetite returned; I regained my strength, and the work about the house no longer bothered me. As the result of my experience I would strongly urge all weak women and nursing mothers to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.'

There is no woman, no matter what her station in life, who will not enjoy better health if she occasionally fortifies her blood through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2 50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

'Tommy,' said the teacher, 'how do they ascertain the measurement of a vessel?'

'I guess they measure it with a navy yard,' was the unexpected reply.

Watch Her at Dinner.

A Parisian gourmet thinks he has discovered an infallible method for getting at a woman's age—watch her at dinner.

If she goes through every course, chattering all the time, and is equal to an ice after dessert, not to mention chocolates and crystalized fruits, she is still in her teens.

If she makes a good start with the hors d'oeuvres, does well with the caviar, salmon and such delicacies, but shows no interest in the rest of the meal, she is between twenty and thirty and married.

When she declines every other kind of game, but takes some pheasant, she has passed thirty, but has not yet reached thirty-five.

After thirty-five she dotes on every kind of game, the more highly flavored the better.

If at the end of dinner she takes cheese, showing special partiality for the odorous Camembert, then, says the Parisian observer, there can be no manner of doubt about it—she is a lady of uncertain age.

July Rod and Gun.

'Reminiscences of a Sojourn at a Hudson Bay Post' by Frank Houghton, the opening number of the July issue of Rod and Gun in Canada (W. J. Taylor, Limited, publisher, Woodstock, Ont.) contains an interesting comparison between the characters of the white man and the Indian, illustrated in the almost quixotic honesty displayed by 'Wabun Annung' when temptation in the guise of imminent starvation, might well have proved overpowering. A profusedly illustrated chapter of the popular continued article, 'The Culture of Black and Silver Foxes,' is another feature of this issue which contains many stories and articles of outdoor life in the various Canadian provinces.

While Ruth, aged five, and her mother were walking along the road one winter day they came to a steep hill. Ruth, who was behind, called to her mother to take hold of her hand, for she said, 'I feel as if I was slipping behind myself.'

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Not the Rosary.

The socks I darn for thee, dear heart,
Mean quite a pile of work to me;
I count them over, every one apart,
Thy hosiery, thy hosiery.

Each sock a mate; two mates a pair,
To clothe thy feet in storm and cold;
I count each sock unto the end, and find
I've skipped a hole.

'Oh, carelessness,' this thy reproof,
See how it looms across my sole.'
I grind my teeth, and then in very truth
I darn that hole, sweetheart, I darn that hole!

An Irishman just landed got work on the New York Central as flagman at Tarrytown. His first day on the job he waved the red danger signal before the Empire State Express. The brakes screeched down, the train stopped and the crew ran up. 'What is the matter? Why did you stop this train?' the conductor demanded.

'Well—' began the flagman.

'Don't you know it's a State prison offence to stop a train without cause?' the conductor exclaimed. 'Why, we're twenty minutes late now.'

'That's jist it,' was the answer. 'Where have yez been the last twenty minutes?'

Not all city folks are as ignorant of the farmers' surroundings as the farmers sometimes suppose. This was evidenced by an incident in the stay of a young New Yorker on a New England farm.

'Well, young man,' said the farmer to his city boarder, who was up early and looking round. 'Been out to hear the haycock crow, I suppose.' And the sly old chap winked at his hired man.

The city man smiled. 'No,' said he sanctly. 'I've merely been out tying a knot in a cord of wood.'

In France and Algeria, Greenwich time has been adopted since March of last year.

Work Is an Uplifter.

Work is a moral and physical uplifter; it is a panacea for sorrow; idleness brings moral decay and furnishes an incentive to crime. The avalanche of crime that is sweeping over cities is largely due to the fact that too many would rather steal than work. The life of duty, not the life of mere ease or pleasure, is the kind of life which makes the great men and women. The first prize that life offers is the chance to work at work worth doing.

The teacher of a Sabbath-school class approached one little fellow who was present for the first time and inquired his name, for the purpose of placing it on the roll. 'Well,' said the youngster, 'they call me Jimmie for short, but my maiden name is James.'

Buy it now. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by all dealers.

Little Mary was telling what she thought was an exciting story about a dream. She stuttered in her effort, gulped and paused hopelessly without completing the sentence.

'Why, child, what is the matter?' her mother asked.

The little girl smiled ruefully and replied, 'I swallowed a word.'

Dysentry is always serious and often a dangerous disease, but it can be cured Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has cured it even when malignant and epidemic. For sale by all dealers.

Johnny, aged five, who had been chastised by his father for disobedience, running to his mother said, 'Mamma, were all the bad men drowned in the flood?'

'Yes, dear,' she replied.

'Well,' continued Johnny, looking at his father with a frown, 'do you think there will be another flood soon?'

Changed His Mind.

A Kentucky blacksmith was elected justice of the peace. The first case he tried was litigation involving the ownership of a cow. The lawyers on both sides were young, ambitious and eloquent.

The lawyer for the plaintiff spoke for half an hour in his best vein. When he sat down the new justice said:

'I've heard enough—p'aintiff wins!'

The lawyer for the other side protested that he had something to say, too, and that it was unfair to render a judgment until both parties to the action had been heard.

'Go ahead and talk if you want to, but my mind's fully made up.'

The young lawyer went ahead for an hour. He was a better orator even than his smiling, triumphant adversary. In his remarks on the cow he introduced, among other topics, the American Eagle, the Southern Cross, the Bonny Blue Flag, and the Old Kentucky Home. When he sat down the new justice said:

'Well, now, don't that beat all? Defence wins!'

Giant Melons of Asia.

Both the water and muskmelon of Diarbekir are the largest I have ever seen, reports Consul Masterson, at Kharput, Asiatic Turkey. Watermelons grow in Diarbekir each as large as a flour barrel and the muskmelons but little smaller, only the muskmelon is rounder, like a pumpkin.

These melons are raised in the bed of the Tigris, as after the spring rains are over and the snows have all melted from the mountains, the river shrinks to comparative insignificance, and large tracts of the bottom land are thus exposed. This land is ploughed, and in each hill where the seeds are planted a quantity of pigeon manure is mixed in with the earth. There are people in Diarbekir engaged in breeding pigeons for no other purpose than to sell the manure to the melon growers.

As the melons are growing over the moist soil of what was a river for six months of the year, no irrigation is necessary, and, though it seldom rains during the summer, the melon vines never dry up. The meat of these water and muskmelons is, however, very coarse and not nearly as sweet as the melons of smaller varieties grown in the other districts of this country.

Do Not Neglect Your Bowels.

Many serious diseases arise from neglect of the bowels. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are a pleasant and agreeable laxative. They invigorate the liver and regulate the bowels. For sale by all dealers.

Good Fishing Still In Galilee.

There is still good fishing in the Sea of Galilee. Dr. Ernest W. Gurney Masterman, who has practised medicine in Galilee, made a special study of the fishes found there, and in a recent book says that he found 43 varieties, twice as many as can be found in the British Isles. The fishermen are taxed a fifth of the value of the fish caught, the revenue going partly to the Sultan and partly to a Pasha in Damascus.

Old Chronic Sores.

As a dressing for old chronic sores there is nothing so good as Chamberlain's Salve. While it is not advisable to heal old sores entirely, they should be kept in a good condition for which this salve is especially valuable. For sale by all dealers.

The proud father, to whom a college education had been denied, met his daughter at the train on her return from college.

'But Helen,' he said, 'aren't you unusually fat?'

'Yes, dad,' she replied, 'weigh one hundred and forty pounds stripped for 'gym.'

The father looked dazed for a moment and then demanded: 'Who in thunder is Jim.'

Little Robert did full justice to his dinner, but showed signs of uneasiness when his aunt passed him some gelatine for dessert.

'It's fine,' Robert, won't you have some?' said the aunt.

'Maybe it is good,' replied Robert, eyeing the quivering mass, 'but, gee, it looks so nervous!'

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A Great Inventor.

It is barely five years since Wilbur Wright made the first flight in an aeroplane invented by himself and his brother. The news of his success was received with incredulity. But within a few weeks he and his brother made many successful short flights and convinced the world that they had solved the problem of flying in a machine heavier than air.

Since then aeroplanes have become so common that the death of the inventor of the first useful flying machine is allowed to pass with little notice. If he had been killed while flying higher than others had flown or faster than others had travelled, his death would have been noted and mourned throughout the continent. But he was only the man who made flying possible.

Wilbur and Orville Wright invented a machine which will revolutionize the rules of war, and will provide a new and rapid means of transportation. Flying is now considered safe provided pilots do not attempt any spectacular feats. As this stage in our progress has been reached in five years, it is safe to assume that in another ten years' time aeroplanes will be in general use for transportation and for mail carrying. Already they are established as necessary adjuncts to military equipment. Others were experimenting with bi-planes and monoplanes at the same time as the Wrights. But Wilbur Wright, aided by his brother, was the first to succeed. He must be classed with the inventor of the steam engine and the discoverer of electricity.

Birds Destroyed by Lighthouses.

During four nights 10,000 birds, including 1800 woodcocks, are said to have been destroyed about the lighthouse at Barfleur, on the French coast. This is a revolving light of 30,000,000 candle power. A visitor who was at the lighthouse on November 10 of last year saw tens of thousands of birds whirling around it, and it seemed that the light shot out of a perfect hail of electric sparks amongst the migrants. The birds that are killed are gathered up every morning and shipped by train to Paris for food.

If you are a housewife you cannot reasonably hope to be healthy or beautiful by washing dishes, sweeping and doing housework all day, and crawling into bed dead tired at night. You must get out into the open air and sunlight. If you do this every day and keep your stomach and bowels in good order by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed, you should become both healthy and beautiful. For sale by all dealers.

Tommy—May I stay up a little longer?

Ethel—What do you want to stay up for?

Tommy—I want to see you and Mr. Green playing cards.

Mr. Green—But we are not going to play cards.

Tommy—O, yes you are, for I heard mamma saying to Ethel that everything depended on the way in which she played her cards to-night.—Auburn Citizen.

During the summer months mothers of young children should watch for any unnatural looseness of the bowels. When given prompt attention at this time serious trouble may be avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

'Sandy, mon, what's the matter wi' your bagpipe? The drone is stoppit.'

''Tis the weemin, the weemin—the weemin—they used it to clean the carpet wi'.''

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