

CAPT. FERRELL INDORSES IT

Officer in Salvation Army
Tells of the Benefits From
Tanlac.

Captain Nellie Ferrell, of 640 Main street, St. John, one of the most efficient and popular officers connected with the Salvation Army, is now an ardent champion of the merits of Tanlac since the medicine has proved of such great benefit to her. Captain Ferrell in relating her experience with Tanlac while in the St. John drug store, recently said:

"Tanlac has certainly done great things for me. I had been suffering from indigestion for six years and my stomach troubled me so at times I was unable to do my work. I had no appetite and just had to force down what I did eat. I even lived on a diet of eggs for a while, but this never helped me. I was very badly 'down,' had nervous depression, and would sometimes get so dizzy I would have to stop and stand for awhile."

"One day I read the statement of a man who had been relieved of his troubles by taking Tanlac, so I began taking it myself and now I am as fit like a new person. I am always ready at meal time with a good appetite. I can eat just anything and enjoy it. I have so much more strength and feel so much better every way now that I can do a long, hard day's work without having that tired, worn-out feeling like I did before, but before taking Tanlac if my work was a little hard would give out. As I said, Tanlac has been a great thing for me and if my statement will help others find relief, I am only too glad to give it."

There is not a single portion of the body that is not benefited by the helpful action of Tanlac, which begins its work by stimulating the digestive and assimilative organs, thereby enriching the blood and invigorating the whole system. Next it enables the weak, worn-out stomach to thoroughly digest its food, thus permitting the nourishing elements to be absorbed into the blood, bone and muscle. Overcomes, it is said that great excess of disease, weakness, indigestion, the body vigorous and elastic, keeps the mind clear and energetic and cures the symptoms of nervousness and indigestion. It builds up the constitution, weakens the system, mental and physical overwork, quickens onvalence and is an unfailing source of comfort to all suffering from such troubles.

Tanlac is sold in St. John by Ross Drug Company and F. W. Munro, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative. (Adv.)

STOMACH TROUBLES ARE DUE TO ACIDITY

Tells Safe, Certain, Speedy Relief For
Acid Indigestion.

So-called stomach troubles such as indigestion, gas, sourness, stomach-ache and inability to retain food are in probably nine cases out of ten simply evidence that excessive secretion of acid is taking place in the stomach, causing the formation of gas and acid indigestion. Gas distends the stomach and causes that full, oppressive, burning feeling sometimes known as heartburn, while the acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach. The trouble lies entirely in the excess development or secretion of acid.

To stop or prevent this souring of the food contents of the stomach and to neutralize the acid, and make it bland and harmless, a teaspoonful of bisulphated magnesia, a good and effective corrector of acid stomach, should be taken in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water after eating or whenever gas, sourness or acidity is felt. This sweetens the stomach and neutralizes the acidity in a few moments and is a perfectly harmless and inexpensive remedy to use.

An antacid, such as bisulphated magnesia, which can be obtained from any druggist in either powder or tablet form enables the stomach to do its work properly without the aid of artificial digestives. Magnesia comes in several forms, so be certain to ask for and take only Bisulphated Magnesia, which is especially prepared for the above purpose.

**USE The Want
Ad Way**

70-YEAR OLD WOMAN TELLS OF FIRST FLIGHT

Only Way to Travel—Delightful
—Nicer Than Elevator, She
Says

"Flying is the only way to travel. It is delightful. I don't think inside of the next few years any one who can afford it will have the patience to go around by motor," said Mrs. Annie Porter, Toronto, who, in spite of her seventy odd years, made her first flight at the Erickson Air Craft Company picnic the other day.

When a Star reporter called at the home of Mrs. Porter the representative found a slight graceful little lady with bright hazel eyes and hair just turned grey, and a spirit full of youthful vivacity. "So you came up to hear about my trip?" she asked. "Well it was no thing unusual," she responded in the same breath.

"That may be, but do you realize that you are the first woman in this city of your age that has made the venture?" said The Star. "I suppose three score years and ten is getting on a bit but you should never judge a woman by years, only by her vitality, and how old she looks," she responded quickly with a laugh. "It was merely a little episode in my life," she continued. "My son, who is in charge of the stock room at Leaside, told me he wanted me to go along to the picnic with him. I wasn't very interested, until I saw the flying and then I thought it would be fine to take a jaunt in one of those comfortable little seats. One of the party spoke to the pilot and he said, 'Sure, I'll take Mrs. Porter up, but we had better wait till seven o'clock when it is not so bumpy.' When the time arrived, I merely put on my son's cap and crawled in. This is the only awkward part of the ride, as they have to get along the wings and then crawl into the front seat. The boys tried to make it as comfortable as they could, so arranged a cushion for me, and I can assure you I was most comfortable."

A Fairly Decent Height.

"Anyone who is a bit giddy might feel a queer sensation, but it gave me a delightful feeling. I could see the ground receding and, Toronto spread out in a magnificent panoramic view. Just like a big map, as she looks very flat. I never appreciated what a beautiful city Toronto is before, with all her magnificent trees and the blue waters of the lake stretching far in the distance. When we got up to a fairly decent height I amused myself by looking over first one side and then the other. The only drawback flying has, is that the noise of the engine does not permit any one to carry on a conversation, as it drowns the voice. Occasionally, when the machine turns it just feels like a ship listing, but it is nothing to disturb or shock you."

"Did you try any stunts," asked her visitor.

"Not a one. I suppose I'll leave the stunts and somersaults to the young folks. Personally I always prefer to land on my feet."

"I would have liked to go higher and stay up longer as it was only up fifteen minutes or so. The higher you get the nicer it feels; the air is so wonderful and it was a nice night for flying. Although I did not consider the ride anything out of the ordinary it made me realize that the last hundred years were a wonderful age to live in. When we commenced to come down I did not feel any different than if I was riding in an elevator. In fact, it was more pleasant as I had a seat and wasn't crowded. As we touched the ground it was a little rough, but one never minds a little thing like that."

Mrs. Porter, who is a native of Cornwall, England, came to Toronto over seven years ago. She has five grown-up children and has beaten them all out in taking to flying. "They say a mother should always set a good example, so when they take the notion to have a trip I hope they enjoy it as much as I did, so they can't blame me," she said as she expressed the wish that she could go up again in the near future.

IF SHE WERE PENNILESS SHE'D BE BETTER OFF

Lady Beatty Now Pays More in
Taxes Than Her Total Income

An income of \$200,000 a year is supposed to insure one from fear of the wolf at the door. But not if one lives in England, and owns property in the United States, says the Chicago Herald-Examiner. Here is what happens in the case of Lady Ethel Beatty, wife of Admiral Sir David Beatty of the British navy, and daughter of the late Marshall Field.

The British government takes 50 per cent of her income, on the ground that she is a British subject, being married to a Briton. And the United States government takes 60 per cent, because her property is in America.

Her income is known to be between \$200,000 and \$300,000 a year, because it

THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to
Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and
to Increase Strength, Vigor
and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft, curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.



Thinness and weakness are often due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known as Bitro-Phosphate. It is a substance which is inexpensive and is sold by Ross Drug Co. in St. John and most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, Bitro-Phosphate should produce a well-known and reliable appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

Increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the body. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, should soon disappear, dull eyes ought to brighten, and pale cheeks bloom with the bloom of perfect health. Miss Georgia Hamilton, who was once thin and frail, reporting her own experience, writes: "Bitro-Phosphate has brought about a magic transformation with me. I gained 15 pounds and never before felt so well."

CAUTION:—Although Bitro-Phosphate is an unguessed fee-reducing nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its tendency to increase weight, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

is only on incomes of that amount that 60 per cent is levied.

Say, then, that Lady Beatty draws \$200,000 a year from her property. The British government takes \$100,000, the American government takes \$120,000, and her income is \$20,000 less than nothing at all. If her income amounts to \$200,000, the British government takes \$100,000, the American government takes \$120,000, and her income is \$20,000 more than she gets.

"Every American living in England faces the same conditions," said Arthur Huetterly of the Northern Trust Company, which handles Lady Beatty's finances. "There is no way under the laws of either England or America by which she can escape the penalty."

"We have treaties with most countries whereby if one pays part of the tax in one country it cannot be duplicated in the other; but with England, Japan, Australia, and New Zealand there is no such treaty, and the full tax is collected in both countries."

Searing the Colonel.

The colonel was out on a night prow when the regiment was in a quiet sector. Suddenly his path was blocked by a gigantic doughboy, who addressed him in a stage-whisper, "Halt, who goes there?"

"Commanding officer," the colonel whispered back.

"Advance, commanding officer, with the password."

The password was stealthily murmured in the doughboy's ear. Then the colonel whispered: "How far is it to the trenches?"

"Three miles, sir."

"You could hear the colonel all over the block as he demanded loudly an explanation of why he had been kept whispering there with the Germans three miles away. 'I got a terrible cold,' the doughboy explained.—Rebbooth Sunday Herald.

At BROWN'S

Bargains Tonight and All Day Tomorrow

A CLEARANCE OF SURPLUS STOCK

STAPLE DEPARTMENT

30c. yd. Fine White Cotton	Sale 23c. yd.
25c. yd. Bleached Cotton	Sale 19c. yd.
35c. yd. Longcloth	Sale 27c. yd.
25c. yd. Unbleached Cotton	Sale 18c. yd.
35c. yd. Extra Heavy Unbleached Cotton	Sale 27c. yd.
40c. yd. White Saiting	Sale 25c. yd.
35c. yd. White Drill Saiting	Sale 25c. yd.
35c. yd. White Flannelette	Sale 27c. yd.
45c. yd. White Flannelette, 34 inches	Sale 35c. yd.
40c. yd. Steelclad Galatea	Sale 30c. yd.
75c. yd. Bleached Sheet	Sale 59c. yd.
30c. yd. Best Canadian Print	Sale 20c. yd.
45c. Large Plaid Gingham	Sale 35c. yd.
35c. Scotch Gingham	Sale 29c. yd.
25c. yd. Dress Gingham	Sale 19c. yd.
40c. yd. Fancy Dress Voiles	Sale 23c. yd.
75c. yd. Novelty Printed Voiles	Sale 35c. yd.
75c. yd. Mercerized Poplins	Sale 50c. yd.
85c. yd. Popular Silk	Sale 59c. yd.
95c. yd. Bengaline, all colors	Sale 75c. yd.
\$1.00 yd. Mercerized Poplin, all colors	Sale 75c. yd.
75c. yd. White and Colored Voiles	Sale 55c. yd.
\$1.00 yd. 27 in. Navy Corduroy	Sale 59c. yd.
85c. yd. Bleached Damask	Sale 59c. yd.
25c. doz. Napkins	Sale \$1.50 doz.
75c. yd. White Pique, 36 inch	Sale 55c. yd.
35c. yd. Curtainette	Sale 25c. yd.
25c. yd. Curtain Scrim	Sale 19c. yd.
30c. yd. Curtain Scrim	Sale 22c. yd.

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S WEAR

\$1.00 ea. Coverall Aprons	Sale .69 ea.
\$1.69 ea. House Dress Aprons	Sale \$1.25 ea.
\$1.50 ea. Middys	Sale \$1.00 ea.
\$2.00 ea. White Pique Skirts	Sale \$1.00 ea.
\$2.50 ea. Print House Dresses	Sale \$1.89 ea.
\$2.50 ea. Girls' Wash Dresses	Sale \$1.50 ea.
\$1.50 ea. Girls' Wash Dresses	Sale \$1.00 ea.
\$1.00 ea. Children's Wash Dresses	Sale \$1.39 ea.
\$2.00 ea. Children's White Repp.	Sale \$1.00 ea.
\$1.50 ea. Children's White Middie Dresses	Sale \$1.00 ea.
\$1.98 ea. Boys' White Middie Suits	Sale \$1.59 ea.
\$2.00 ea. Girls' White Lawn Dresses	Sale \$1.50 ea.
75c. pr. Ladies' Knee Length Knit Drawers	Sale .99c. pr.
50c. pr. Ladies' Tucked Cotton Drawers	Sale .39c. pr.
\$2.00 ea. Ladies' Cotton Gowns	Sale \$1.25 ea.
\$1.69 ea. Ladies' Cotton Gowns	Sale .89 ea.
\$1.25 ea. Ladies' Cotton Underskirts	Sale \$1.00 ea.
\$1.50 ea. Ladies' Cotton Underskirts	Sale .23 ea.
35c. ea. Ladies' Corset Covers	Sale .35 ea.
50c. ea. Ladies' Corset Covers	Sale .50 ea.
75c. pr. Corsets	Sale \$1.50 pr.
\$2.00 pr. Corsets	Sale \$1.50 pr.
89c. ea. Silk Camisoles	Sale .69 ea.
\$1.50 ea. Silk Camisoles	Sale \$1.00 ea.
35c. pr. Ladies' Black Cotton Hose	Sale .25 pr.
65c. pr. Ladies' Silk Ankle Hose	Sale .39 pr.
75c. pr. Buster Brown and Hercules	Sale .69 pr.
50c. pr. Boys' Cotton Hose	Sale .39 pr.

I. CHESTER BROWN

NEXT IMPERIAL THEATRE
32 AND 36 KING SQUARE

TO RELIEVE HIGH COST OF LIVING

U. S. Government to Grapple
With Problem

Suggested to Sell This Year's
Wheat Crop at Market Prices,
Government to Pay Difference

Washington, Aug. 1.—Governmental machinery was set in motion yesterday in response to demands from the public that some official action be taken to relieve the high cost of living.

Prices as they affect the average citizen, assumed first place in interest in the capital. At the White House here President Wilson was said to be giving "deep and very thoughtful consideration" to problems presented to him and the railroad administration by members of the railroad brotherhoods who represented that prices would have to come down or wages go up, if social unrest was not to develop into upheaval.

In the Senate and House the situation gave rise to several resolutions to investigate the cause of existing price levels, another to reduce the volume of currency in circulation as a means of deflating prices, one to request the attorney general to stop speculation in foodstuffs and another to sell this year's wheat crop at market prices instead of at the government guarantee, the difference to be made up by the government.

Late yesterday Attorney General Palmer met eight high government officials whom he had summoned to his office

SOME INCREASES IN BRITISH PENSIONS; BILLS ARE VERY LARGE

London, Aug. 1.—A question asked in the House of Commons last night brought forth a statement from Chancellor Chamberlain that the average expenditure of the country during the period from April 1 to July 26 was still nearly \$4,500,000 daily.

Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, minister of pensions, said that at the present rate the pensions would amount to \$26,000,000 in a full year. He announced a new scale for totally disabled single men of forty shillings weekly, and for married men fifty shillings weekly, an increase respectively of seven and seventeen shillings. Proportionate increases, declared, were to be given for children, widows and other dependents of soldiers.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

W. A. Fitch, assistant superintendent for the C. N. R. Moncton, has gone to Bridgewater, N. S., to become superintendent of the Halifax and Southwestern Railway.

The police of London, Eng., have gone on strike because the authorities would not permit of affiliation with other unions.

James W. Ryan, alias Harry Reed, has

LOCAL NEWS

The postal authorities will now accept mail matter for Germany.

Fifteen tenders have been submitted for the erection of the new Nurses' Home.

W. E. A. Lawton has purchased the Gem Theatre site and organized a company which is as yet undecided whether or not they will erect a theatre on the location.

B. S. Webb, Canadian trade commissioner for Argentina, was in the city yesterday. Speaking of trade prospects there is an intimation that St. John might become the port of sailing for boats for the republic in winter.

Under Bandmaster Williams last evening a most enjoyable concert was given in King Square by the St. Mary's Band. The Juvenile City Cornet Band made a favorable impression in a parade about some of the streets.

Four freight cars being shunted at the Union Depot last night, broke away and shot across the Mill street siding. A collision with the incoming Boston train

was averted by the gateman, D. Irvine, lowering the semaphore and stopping the train.

J. D. O'Connell of Canagacque, Cuba, expects to visit St. John on an annual trip about the middle of August.

Collections of coins have been presented to the Natural History Museum by C. W. Falkins of the 2nd C. D. A. C. and Rev. Capt. Kuhring returned chaplain, while the former has also presented an antique rosary said to have been brought from the Holy Land to Belgium by a priest whose sister gave it to Mr. Falkins.

"There are two sides to every question." "At least," asserted Senator Sogham. "Sometimes by means of riders and amendments we can work in a great many more than that."—Washington Star.

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Canada's own
table drink with
a flavor similar
to coffee —
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MUTT AND JEFF—NO USE TALKING, CICERO'S A CHIP OFF THE OLD BLOCK

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