

## YOUNG MOTHERS

May Need Helpful Advice at Trying Times. They Should Remember Mrs. Pinkham Freely Offers Her Motherly Advice.

"O, if my mother were only alive."

How frequently young mothers use this expression!

At such a time too much care cannot be taken, and the greatest assistance that nature can have is

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

The birth of the first child is an especially trying experience and nature needs all the help it can get. A happy, healthy, young mother is a delight to herself and all who know her, and Mrs. Pinkham's medicine will build her up as nothing else can.

Mrs. Pinkham especially requests young mothers and wives to write her if they need advice. She has been mother, helper, and friend to thousands—let her help you—it will cost you nothing.



By special permission we publish below the correspondence between Mrs. Pinkham and Mrs. George Traub, of Elizabeth, N. J., which goes to prove our claims.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I will take my husband's advice and write to you, for I will not have any doctor examine me. I have one little girl. Two months before my baby was born I began the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and have now a fine healthy little girl. At five months she weighed twenty-one pounds, but my health is not so good. I am in such misery, pain, have dreadful bearing-down feelings, and something like a lump seems to be coming from me. Please give me your advice."—Mrs. GEORGE TRAUB, 113 Miller St., Elizabeth, N. J. (Dec. 1, 1899.)

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have now taken four bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. When I had finished the first bottle, that lump I wrote about grew smaller and has now gone entirely. I feel that I do not need any doctor beside your medicine. Your Vegetable Compound has cured all my pain, soreness and bearing down. The benefit I have received from it is wonderful. You and you alone will be my guide as long as I live."—Mrs. GEORGE TRAUB, 113 Miller St., Elizabeth, N. J. (Jan. 27, 1900.)

Owing to the fact that some skeptical people have from time to time questioned the genuineness of the testimonial letters we are constantly publishing we have deposited with the National City Bank of New York, N. Y., a sum of \$5,000, which will be paid to any person who will show that the above testimonial is not genuine or was published before obtaining the writer's special permission. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, Lynn, Mass.

**\$5,000 REWARD**

WHY BALDWIN FAILED. WANDERED TWENTY YEARS.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 12.—F. S. Vineyard of Danvers, Col., who arrived on the Veritas last evening, is the first man to reach this city from the Baldwin-Ziegler North Pole expedition.

"There were no deaths on board the ship at all," Mr. Vineyard said. "But Mr. Baldwin and the captain could not get along well together. After a time they came to open trouble. They are both well, but Mr. Baldwin is in a bad way. He is in the hospital, and Mr. Baldwin is in the hospital."

"Do you intend to go again?" Vineyard was asked.

"No, I do not," he answered, emphatically. "I have enough of it, and I don't think there is an American who was in the expedition who will ever go with Baldwin again. He is too arbitrary."

Vineyard said the expedition reached latitude 82 degrees north, and built a cache near Cape Uman, Prince Rupert Land. It is the plan to make a dash from this next year in sleds, with the pole as objective.

On September 25th, 26th and 27th, the Washburn Railroad will sell round-trip tickets to Chicago, at the lowest first-class one-way fare, good to return until October 15th, 1902.

Your ticket should read via Detroit, and over the Washburn, the shortest and true route from Canada to Chicago. All Washburn tickets are sold, via Detroit, from headlight to rear platform. Diagram of through sleeper now ready.

Full particulars from any railroad agent, or J. A. Richardson, District Passenger Agent, northeast corner King and Yonge streets, Toronto, 246.

It is merely painting the lily to enlarge on the reputation of "PARDY NELLIES," a pure Egyptian cigarette. Packed in Silver Cork and Plain tins. Sold everywhere, 15 cents per package.

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OVER 60,000 DR. SANDEN HERCULEX ELECTRIC BELTS have been used in Canada. Why are YOU without one? You wouldn't mind paying for it if it cured, would you? Well, that is my proposition. Simply send me your name and address and I will arrange to deliver to you free of charge my latest model Belt. Wear it 60 days, and pay me only if cured. Not one penny down or on deposit.

Electricity is being used more to-day than ever before. Drugs in chronic ailments are of a past age. The Dr. Sanden Herculex Electric Belt is the most common-sense, convenient way of getting that great natural Restorer. You place it comfortably about the waist nights. It sends a great stream of new life through the system, curing while you sleep. For

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Saturday Evenings Until 9 o'clock.

## BOODLERS PLOT TO SLAY

St. Louis Police Unearth Conspiracy to Assassinate Prosecuting Attorney.

DETECTIVE GUARDS HIS LIFE

Five Men Watch His House to Avert Murderous Blow From Criminals.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 12.—Driven to desperation by Circuit Attorney Folk's merciless crusade against them, St. Louis hoodlums (whether bribe givers or bribe takers, or both, is not revealed) have formed a plot to assassinate the official.

The first inkling of the plot was received at the Four Courts yesterday, but only slight credence was given to the rumor. An investigation was started, however, and today positive evidence was secured that the Circuit Attorney's life is menaced by the desperate men who have robbed the city and fattened on public plunder or the dishonesty of the city's servants.

It was demonstrated that a conspiracy was on foot to murder the man who dare already sent two of their number to the penitentiary, and threatens the liberty and entire careers of a score.

There was a hurried consultation in Mr. Folk's office when he appeared this morning. Chief of Police Kiel laid before him the evidence of the plot, and all united strongly in urging Mr. Folk to consent to be constantly guarded by one or more armed detectives, and to take every precaution possible to protect himself against the knife or bullet of the assassin.

Mr. Folk strongly objected. He said that he had no fear of his personal safety; that hoodlums had repeatedly tried to intimidate him before, and he was not afraid of them, and that he would not now gratify these enemies by accepting a bodyguard.

But he was finally persuaded that he must accept a bodyguard, since he had undertaken a great public service, which he was in a fair way to carry to triumph, and no other man could, and owed it to the public, as well as to himself and his family, to accept protection.

Detective McGrath was at once appointed to guard the Circuit Attorney, and has not been ten feet away from him since that hour. He will not leave him until all the hoodlums are ended.

Five policemen are guarding Mr. Folk's house tonight while he sleeps, and Mr. McGrath is within call of the Circuit Attorney's bedroom.

While Chief Kiel and Mr. Folk refuse to give out the details of the plot, they confirm the story in full. It is semi-officially stated that a clue to the men who hatched the plot is being worked up, and that some sensational case will be made here. It is pointed out that should the Circuit Attorney be murdered, the redemption of the city would be in serious jeopardy of their liberties and reputations, might escape in the excitement following the crime.

Another Route Suggested. In view of the possibility of a Dominion exposition to Toronto next year, and the surety of increased interest and greater crowds at the exposition, some one has suggested that the Street Railway Company would probably be making an effort next year to extend its already excellent facilities in a westerly direction. The suggestion is made that an alternative route along Front Street and to the easterly limits of the grounds by way of the Garrison Compound would be just the thing. It would cut off half a mile of the distance, and relieve the congestion of the crowds along to pour out of the grounds at night.

Annual Western Excursion. September 25th, 26th and 27th, 1902. Very low rates to Detroit, Port Huron, Saginaw, Bay City, Grand Rapids, Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati, Chicago, and St. Paul. Tickets valid for return until Oct. 13, 1902. The Grand Trunk offers the best service to all the above-mentioned points. Vestibule coaches, electric lighted parlor and dining cars, and Pullman sleeping cars on principal trains. For rates see advertisement on another page, or apply to agents.

Y.W.C.A. Guild Notes. Miss Drummond of the Y.W.C.A. will address the Gospel service Sunday afternoon at 4.15. The gymnasium classes are now forming.

The prospectus for the coming season will be ready for the annual reunion, September 18. All members who have been boarding at Summerholm this summer are invited to a "Christmas dinner" on September 25.

Metropolitan Bank Subscriptions. Metropolitan Bank subscription books open at the office of Messrs. A. E. Ames & Co., Toronto, on Monday morning next at 10 o'clock, and close at 4 the same day.

See Need of Soldiers. Trieste, Sept. 12.—The Garrison here has been reinforced by two battalions of infantry as a precautionary measure in consequence of the strike of dock laborers. Three of the arrested leaders have been released.

BATTLESHIP AGROUND. Rio Janeiro, Brazil, Sept. 12.—The United States battleship Iowa has run aground near Cape Nossa Senhora do Desterro and the island of Milu.

The Iowa had just finished target practice and was returning to Flar's Island. Cape Nossa Senhora do Desterro is 400 miles southwest of Rio Janeiro. The island is about half way between Montevideo, Uruguay and Rio Janeiro.

The Brazilian Minister of Marine has ordered a warship to go to the aid of the Iowa.

The Iowa is the flagship of the South Atlantic squadron. Rear Admiral George W. Sumner is in command of the South Atlantic station. Captain Thomas Perry commands the Iowa. The cruiser Atlanta is the only other warship in the South Atlantic squadron.

Improved Service—No Increase in Fare. The addition of a dining car on evening train from Toronto for New York has materially improved the service, but the fare remains the same and is no higher than other lines. Ask C.P.R. agents about it.

Coal Lets Stand Retire. St. Petersburg, Sept. 12.—The Official Gazette to-day published a rescript from the czar according to the desire of Baron De Staal to retire from the Russian Ambassadorship in London on the ground of impaired health, and appointing a member of the Council of the empire.

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