

Enthusiastic Converts.

There are Thousands of Them Who Believe as This Woman Does.

Mrs. Ira Knowlton, of Butte, Montana, is a most enthusiastic convert to the virtues of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets as a cure for obstinate stomach trouble.



She says: "I had poor digestion nearly all my life. It now seems to me that for years I never knew what it was to be hungry, to have a good natural appetite."

"I was troubled with gas in stomach, causing pressure on the heart, with palpitation and short breath. Nearly everything I ate soured on my stomach; sometimes I had cramps in the stomach which almost resembled spasms."

"Doctors told me I had catarrh of the stomach, but their medicines would not reach it, and I would still be a sufferer had I not, in sheer desperation, decided to try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets."

"I knew they were an advertised remedy and I didn't believe anything I read about them, as I had no confidence in advertised remedies, but my sister, living in Pittsburg, wrote me last spring, telling me how Stuart's Tablets had cured her little daughter of indigestion and loss of flesh and appetite, and I hesitated no longer."

"I bought a fifty-cent box at my drug store and took two of the large tablets after each meal and found them delightful to take, being as pleasant to the taste as caramel candy. Whenever during the day or night I felt any pain or uneasiness in the stomach or about the heart I took one of the small tablets, and in three weeks it seemed to me as if I had never known what stomach trouble was."

"I keep Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets in the house, and every member of the family uses them occasionally after a hearty meal or when any of us have a pain or ache in the digestive organs."

Mr. E. H. Davis, of Hampton, Va., says: "I doctored five years for dyspepsia, but in two months I got more benefit from Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets than in five years of the doctor's treatment."

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for any form of indigestion, catarrh of stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, bloating, after-meals, sympathetic heart trouble.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is not a cheap cathartic, but an active digestive remedy containing the pepsin and diastase which every weak stomach lacks, and they cure stomach trouble because they digest the food eaten and give the weak, abused, overworked stomach a chance to rest and recuperate.

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GOSSIP.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Poultry Association will be held in the Council Chamber, in the City of Guelph, on Thursday, December 12th, 1901, at 1.30 p. m. Every person interested in poultry-raising should be present. A. P. Westervelt, Secretary.

At the semi-annual sale of Berkshire hogs from the Biltmore Farms herd of Mr. Vanderbilt, at Biltmore, N. C., last month, an average of \$107.80 was made for sows in pig, and an average of \$60 for young and old. The highest price was \$201, for the sow, Duke's Lass of Biltmore 2nd. Seven others sold for prices ranging from \$100 to \$180.

At a sale of Shorthorns in Kansas City, Mo., last month, the yearling heifer, Lovely 30th, sold to T. J. Ryan & Son, Iowa, for \$1,410, and the heifer calf, Orange Blossom of Fairview 3rd, to N. P. Clark, Minn., for \$1,310. The cow, Lovely 29th, brought \$675, and Urdora of Fairview, \$630. The bull, Golden Knight, brought \$525.

Geo. Kerr, Franklin, Man., one of the leading farmers of the Beautiful Plains district, has recently imported some Shorthorns from Ontario. His consignment consists of 1 bull, 1 cow and 8 heifers, procured from Jno. Gardhouse, Aberfeldy Stock Farm, Highfield, Ont. Mr. Kerr, while engaged in wheat-farming on an extensive scale, is of the opinion that live stock is absolutely necessary to keep up the fertility of the land and the flow of dollars into the farmers' pockets.

The death, on Nov. 6th, is announced of Mr. John McDiarmid, late of the staff of the Iowa Homestead, a large-hearted and genial Scotchman, who was at one time in the employ of Mr. T. C. Pateson, on his farm at Eastwood, Ont., and at different times with N. H. Gentry, Sedalia, Mo., and other Western States breeders. Mac was a familiar figure at the leading shows and sales in the West, was well versed in the pedigrees of Shorthorn cattle, and held positive views on stock breeding and management. He will be missed in the meetings of stockmen in the West.

Mr. John T. Gibson, Denfield, Ont., reports a good year's trade in Lincoln sheep. His first-prize flock at the Pan-American Exhibition has recently been reinforced by the importation of a first-class shearing ram from the famous flock of Mr. Tom Casswell, Poynton, Lincolnshire, and a ram and two ewe lambs from the old and reliable flock of Mr. J. Pears, of Nocton Heath. These last were first-prize winners in England, beating in one competition at least the winners at the Royal Show. Thus strengthened, Mr. Gibson's Manor Farm show flock will be on hand at the International Show at Chicago this week, and will make a grand showing for the breed, which has deservedly obtained popularity in America as well as in the Old Land of its origin.

W. F. Stephen, breeder of Ayrshire cattle, Trout River, Quebec, in ordering change in his advertisement, writes: "I have sold Klondike to R. Parker & Son, 8897 and Lottie 8884 to R. Parker & Son, of Ferrisburg, Vt., as well as several head of younger stock. Klondike has proved a splendid stock-getter, and has mated well with one Sam's heifers. I have lately purchased from the W. W. Ogilvie Estate the young bull, Canada's Last (second-prize bull calf at Toronto last fall), to head my herd, and he promises to be a first-class animal. My stock have gone into winter quarters in fine condition. My average test for the season has been 3.80 per cent. of butter-fat. Although I ship cream to the City of Montreal, I frequently get the milk tested. We invite intending purchasers to come and see our stock at any time."

John Davidson, of Balsam, Ont., the well-known breeder of Shorthorns and Clydsdales, called at our office recently while on his way home from the Pacific Coast. Mr. Davidson had been out in British Columbia judging at the Provincial and other leading fairs, and on his return had visited several of the ranching districts and also the farming districts of the West. He was thoroughly impressed with the advantages offered in Western Canada for young men with energy and ambition, and no fear of work. He also thinks the breeders of pure-bred stock in Manitoba have unlimited possibilities for the development of their industry, as they will have the rapidly-developing ranch country to supply with pure-bred bulls of the best types.

Mr. J. M. Gardhouse, Highfield, Ont., is now exhibiting selections from his flock of Leicester sheep at the International Live Stock Show at Chicago. His strong contingent of show sheep have done wonderfully well since the fall fairs, and are in fine fit for the fray at the International. They are certainly splendid representatives of the approved type of modern Leicesters, combining size, style and quality of flesh, bone and fleece in the highest degree, together with robustness of constitution and freshness of appearance, denoting perfect health and thrift, which is characteristic of the entire flock. The magnificent ewe from his flock illustrated in this issue, bred by himself, has been in the winning list since a lamb, and is now four years old. She has been either first or second at Toronto, London and Ottawa for the last three years. In 1900 she was one of the first flock at Toronto, Ottawa and Chicago. In 1901 she was one of the first prize pair of ewes at Toronto, and second at the Pan-American. Few ewes have stood the test so long or so well.

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