



Dr. Spinney & Co

Detroit's Old Reliable Specialists
 Elise in Age, Rich in Honor, and the
 Experience of a Third of a Century.
 Whose successes are Without a
 Parallel: the Sufferer's Friend; the
 People's Specialist.

WOMEN weak, pale, tired, nervous,
 dependent, no ambition, losing flesh,
 fretful, overworked, given to worry
 and solitude, backache and headache,
 nerves strung, sleepless nights,
 limbs tremble, faint feeling, Leucor-
 rhoea, painful periods, or any Female
 Diseases, quickly cured by our FAM-
 OUS PRESCRIPTION.

YOUNG MEN led into evil habits,
 not knowing the harm, and who are
 suffering from the vices and errors of
 youth, and troubled with Nervous De-
 bility, Loss of Memory, Rashness,
 Confusion of Ideas, Headache, Dizzi-
 ness, Palpitation of the Heart, Weak
 Back, Dark Circles Around the Eyes,
 Pimples on the Face, Loss of Sleep,
 Faint Feelings in the Morning, Evil
 Temperaments, Dull, Stupid, Aversion to
 Society, No Ambition, Bad Taste in the
 Mouth, Dreams and Night Terrors, De-
 posits in the Urine, Frequent Urina-
 tion, sometimes accompanied with
 slight burning, Kidney Troubles, or
 Diseases of the Genito Urinary Or-
 gans can here find a safe, honest and
 speedy cure. Charges reasonable, es-
 pecially to the poor. CURES GUAR-
 ANTEED.

VARIOLE AND PILES, and
KNOTTED VEINS of the Leg cured
 at once without operation. Doctors
 will deny this. But we are proving
 our claims every day. The method is
 simple, the cure is certain and perma-
 nent.

\$1,000 for Failure.
RUPTURE AND FISTULA CURED.
 The SIGNS OF SYPHILIS are blood
 and skin diseases, painful swellings,
 bone pains, mucous patches in the
 mouth, hair loss, pimples on the back
 and watery growths. We cure these
 for life without injurious drugs.

Have you the seeds of any past dis-
 ease working in your system? IMPO-
 TENCY or Loss of Sexual Power, and
 do you contemplate MARRIAGE? Do
 you feel safe in taking this step? You
 can't afford to take any risk. Like fa-
 ther, like son. We have a never fail-
 ing remedy that will purify the Blood
 and positively bring back Lost Power.
MIDDLE-AGED MEN.—There are
 many troubled with too frequent evac-
 uations of the bladder, often accom-
 panied by a slight smarting or
 burning sensation, and weakening of
 the system in a manner the patient
 cannot account for. On examination
 of the urinary deposits aropy sedi-
 ment will often be found, and some-
 times particles of albumen, and color
 of a thin milky hue, again chang-
 ing to a dark, turbid appearance.
 There are men who die of this difficul-
 ty ignorant of the cause, which is the
 second stage of seminal weakness. The
 doctors will guarantee perfect cure
 in all such cases, and healthy restora-
 tion of the genito-urinary organs.

BOOK FREE.—Those unable to call
 should write for question list and book
 for home treatment. Thousands cur-
 ed at home by correspondence. Our
 honest opinion always given, and good,
 honest, careful treatment given to ev-
 ery patient.

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Office Hours—9 to 8 p. m. Sundays,
 10 to 11 a. m., also 2 to 4 p. m. Con-
 sultation free.
 299 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.
 Private entrance, 12 E. Elizabeth St.

Disappointed...

For the benefit of those who came
 during the week for opal goods and
 Chinaware at sale day prices, John
 McConnell will sell, on

Saturday, May 25th

first, at the same price as we sold on
 the 20th of April. Remember, after
 sale day goods advance to the usual
 retail price. We will also sell during
 the day dinner sets, tea sets, and
 chamber sets at cut rate prices.

Groceries for the Day

7 lbs. cooking figs, 25c.
 Dried peaches, 10c per lb.
 15c glass jar baking powder, for 10c.
 Six bars Sweet Home Soap, 25c.
 Corn starch, 6c per lb.
 1,000 parlor matches for 5c.
 1 lb. French roast coffee, 15c.
 1 bottle good pickles for 9c.
 1 lb. baking powder with meat saw
 for 35c.

Extra value in T of all kinds.

John McConnell

Market Street East. Phone 18

EGGS for Hatching

From Barred Plymouth Rocks,
 and Black Minorcas, all from the
 best selected stock, good healthy
 birds; received first prize at the
 Peninsular Exhibition for heaviest
 eggs. Price for setting of 13 eggs
 \$1; special price for large quanti-
 ties.

All orders promptly filled.

W. W. Everitt.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns,
 etc.

FEATHERED FREAKS.

BIRDS WITHOUT WINGS AND BIRDS WITHOUT SONS.

The Penguin is a Bird That Walks
 and Swims, but Does Not Fly—A
 Bird That Can Run Faster Than the
 Swiftest Horse—The Tailor Bird.

Birds without wings are found in
 New Zealand and Australia. Kiwi is
 the name of one species. Beautiful
 mats are made of the feathers of the
 white variety, but it takes ten years
 and more to collect enough feathers to
 make even a small mat which would
 sell for about \$150.

Birds without song belong to Ha-
 waii. In Honolulu one sees a bird
 about the size of the robin, an inde-
 pendent sort of fellow, that walks
 about like a chicken, instead of hop-
 ping like a well trained bird of the
 United States, and it has no song.

A bird that walks and swims, but
 does not fly, is the penguin. No nests
 are made by penguins, but the one egg
 laid at a time by the mother is carried
 about under her absurd little wing or
 under her leg.

The largest of flight birds is the Cal-
 ifornia vulture or condor, measuring
 from tip to tip 9 1/2 to 10 feet and ex-
 ceeding considerably in size the true condor
 of South America. The bird lays but
 one egg each season—large, oval, ashy
 green in color and deeply ridged, so
 distinctive in appearance that it can-
 not be confounded with any other.

The California condor is rapidly ap-
 proaching extinction and museums all
 over the world are eager to secure
 living specimens. It is believed that
 there is only one in captivity.

Another large bird is the rhinoceros
 bird, which is about the size of a tur-
 key. One recently shot on the island
 of Java had in its crop a rim from a
 small telescope and three brass but-
 tons, evidently belonging to a British
 soldier's uniform.

A bird which is swifter than a horse
 is the road runner of the southwest.
 Its aliases are the ground cuckoo, the
 lizard bird and the snake killer, snakes
 being a favorite diet. In northern
 Mexico, western Texas and southern
 Colorado and California it is found.
 The bird measures about two feet
 from tip to tip and is a dull brown in
 color. Its two legs are only about ten
 inches long, but neither horses with
 their four legs nor bounds nor electric
 racing machines are in it for swiftness
 when it comes to running.

Most curious are the sewing or tailor
 birds of India—little yellow things not
 much larger than one's thumb. To
 escape falling a prey to snakes and
 monkeys the tailor bird picks up a
 dead leaf and flies up to a high tree,
 and with a fiber for a thread and its
 bill for a needle sews the leaf on to a
 green one hanging from the tree. The
 bird is sewed up, an opening being
 left at the top. That a nest is swing-
 ing in the tree so snake or monkey or
 even man would suspect.

Many a regiment cannot compare in
 perfection of movement with the flight
 of the curlews of Florida winging their
 way to their feeding grounds miles
 away, all in uniform lines in unbroken
 perfection. The curlews are dainty
 and charming birds to see, some pink,
 some white.

Birds in flight often lose their bear-
 ings, being blown aside from their
 course by the wind. In this case they
 are badly off as a mariner without a
 compass in a strange sea on a star-
 less night.

All very young birds, by a wise pro-
 vision of nature, are entirely without
 fear until they are able to fly. The
 reason of the delayed development of
 fear is that, being unable to fly, the
 birds would struggle and fall from
 their nests at every noise and be killed.
 Suddenly, almost in a day, the birds
 develop the sense of fear, when their
 feathers are enough grown so that
 they can fly.

It is always a source of wonder to
 arctic explorers to find such quantities
 of singing birds within the arctic cir-
 cle. They are abundant beyond belief.
 But the immense crop of cranberries,
 crowberries and cloudberries that
 ripen in the northern swamps accounts
 for the presence of the birds.

A stick of wood seven inches long
 and a quarter of an inch in diameter
 was once taken from a wren's nest. It
 is very singular that so small and deli-
 cate a bird should use such rough ma-
 terial with which to construct its nest.
 If an eagle should use material pro-
 portioned to its size, its nest would be
 made up of fence rails and small saw
 logs.

The extraordinary situations in
 which nests are found occasionally al-
 most give one the impression that birds
 must be endowed with a sense of hu-
 mor. For instance, a wren built its
 nest upon a scarecrow, a dead sparrow-
 hawk, which a farmer had hung up to
 frighten away winged ravagers of his
 crop. In the pocket of an old jacket
 hanging in a barn a bird, also a wren,
 made its nest, which when discovered
 contained five eggs. It was a robin
 that raised a young family in a church
 pew and a robin that built its nest in
 the organ pipes of a church. Places of
 worship have always been favorite
 building places for birds.

Consideration.
 "My wife is very considerate," said
 the newly married man. "She is al-
 ways buying me neckties and colored
 shirts."
 "And I suppose you are considerate
 and generous in your turn?"
 "Yes, I wouldn't hurt her feelings
 for the world. I wear 'em."

The manuscripts of the fifteenth and
 sixteenth centuries are in many cases
 almost illegible on account of the fading
 of the ink. At that time the lamp-
 black inks passed out of use and chem-
 ical inks became popular.

A Story in Sections.

"Some five years ago," said
 Black, "I was aboard a river steam-
 er on the Rio Grand. Among other
 cargo exposed to the sun was a
 crate of eggs. About noon the pur-
 ser, passing the crate heard a pecu-
 liar sound. He pulled off a board to
 investigate, when out hopped an
 army of chicks. They sported over
 the deck like penguins in an ice-
 field. The sun had been the incu-
 ator, sir."

Blue leisurely removed the ashes
 from his pipe, and said:

"Did you see me, Mr. Black?"

"No sir! Were you on board?"

"I was, and I saw you when you
 went ashore."

"Well, what became of the chick-
 ens, Mr. Blue?"

"They flourished, sir—just sprang
 up in the Texas sun like mushrooms
 in a damp cellar. Never saw any-
 thing like it sir. You could stand
 there and almost see them grow. It
 isn't exaggerating to say we had
 chicken eggs had been designed to
 lay out. When I got off at a lower land-
 ing, one of the young cocks crowed
 a parting salute."

Brown, who had silently been
 picking his nails with a toothpick,
 now spoke:

"Mr. Blue, do you remember see-
 ing me on the main deck when you
 got off?"

"No sir, were you there?"

"I was, sir."

"Well, I suppose you can take up
 the thread of those remarkable
 fowls?"

"I can. You say one of the cocks
 crowed a salute when you went
 ashore? Well, sir, that was just the
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 and two fowls, deducting the six
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