

Scientific and Useful.

GLOSS TO SHIRT BOSOMS—To ordinary starch, for each quart, one ounce of silicate of soda solution is added and thoroughly mixed.

STOVE POLISH—Finely-powdered black lead, mixed to a paste with water, in which a small amount of glue has been dissolved.

GLASS VARNISH may be made of pulverized gum adragant, dissolved in the white of eggs well-beaten. Apply with brush carefully.

THE ROCK ON WHICH MANY A CONSTITUTION GOES TO PIECES is Dyspepsia. The idea of vigor which this disease involves, the maladies which accompany it, or which are aggravated by it, the mental despondency which it entails, are terribly suggestive of vital stamina. Its true specific is **Lyman's Vegetable Discovery** and **Dyspeptic Cure**, which likewise overcomes bilious maladies, female ailments, and those coupled with impurity of the blood.

WHEN you have a little pie-crust, do not throw it away; roll it thin, cut in small squares, and bake. Just before tea put a put a spoonful of raspberry jelly on each square.

THE SCARLET, CARDINAL, RED, OLD GOLD, NAVY BLUE, SEAL BROWN DIAMOND DYES give perfect results. Any fashionable colour, 10 cents.

TO CURE HOARSENESS—At this season of the year it may be useful to know that hoarseness can often be relieved by using the white of an egg thoroughly beaten, mixed with lemon juice and sugar. A teaspoonful taken occasionally is the dose.

Women that have been bedridden for years have been completely cured by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

FURNITURE POLISH, for cleaning, polishing and filling old furniture. Rub a coat of shellac varnish into it, and smooth off with fine sand paper; then apply a coat of polish, made by mixing a half pint of fine shellac varnish with a quart of boiled linseed oil.

SALAD DRESSING—Take the yolk of one hard-boiled egg, and, after mashing well with a spoon, stir in five teaspoonfuls of water, to make it a rich creamy thickness; add a heaping teaspoonful of salt, and a half a teaspoonful of red pepper. Have ready one heaping teaspoonful of raw mustard, mixed with five teaspoonfuls of water; stir this into the egg; then with a fork, stir in four table-spoonfuls of oil and one of vinegar.

Advertising Cheats!!!

"It has become so common to write the beginning of an article, in an elegant, interesting manner,

"Then run it into some advertisement that we avoid all such.

"And simply call attention to the merits of Hop Bitters in as plain, honest terms as possible,

"To induce people

"To give them one trial, which so proves their value that they will never use anything else."

"THE REMEDY so favourably noticed in all the papers,

"Religious and secular, is

"Having a large sale, and is supplanting all other medicines.

"There is no denying the virtues of the Hop plant, and the proprietors of Hop Bitters have shown great shrewdness.

"And ability.

"In compounding a medicine whose virtues are so palpable to every one's observation."

Did She Die?

"No!

"She lingered and suffered along, pining away all the time for years."

"The doctors doing her no good ;"

"And at last was cured by this Hop Bitters the papers say so much about."

"Indeed! Indeed!"

"How thankful we should be for that medicine."

A Daughter's Misery.

"Eleven years our daughter suffered on a bed of misery.

"From a complication of kidney, liver, rheumatic trouble and Nervous debility,

"Under the care of the best physicians,

"Who gave her disease various names,

"But no relief,

"And now she is restored to us in good health by as simple a remedy as Hop Bitters, that we had shunned for years before using it."—THE PARENTS.

Father is Getting Well.

"My daughters say

"How much better father is since he used Hop Bitters."

"He is getting well after he long suffering from a disease declared incurable."

"And we are so glad that he used your Bitters."

—A LADY OF UTAH, N.Y.

It will cure boils and show cause. Halloway's Corn Cure is the article to use.

WELLS' "ROUGH ON CORNS"

Ask for Wells' "Rough on Corns." Quick, complete, permanent cure. Corns, warts, bunions.

Dr. W. ARMSTRONG, Toronto, writes: "I have been using Northrop & Lyman's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphite of Lime and Soda for Chronic Bronchitis with the results I believe it is the best Emulsion in the market. Having tested the different kinds, I unhesitatingly give it the preference when prescribing for my consumptive patients, or for Throat or Lung affections."

THAT HUSBAND OF MINE

is three times the man he was before he began using "Well's Health Renewer." Druggists.

EVERY PERSON TO BE A REAL SUCCESS in this life must have a specialty; that is, must concentrate the abilities of body and mind on some one pursuit. Burdock Blood Bitters has its specialty as a complete and radical cure for dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaints, and all impurities of the blood.

"MOTHER SWAN'S WORMS EGG"

Infalible, tasteless, harmless, cathartic for feverishness, restlessness, worms, constipation. 25c.

Mr. G. W. MACULLY, Pavilion M. B. C. writes: "Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is a medicine I ever used for Rheumatism. Nearly every winter I am laid up with Rheumatism and have tried nearly every kind of medicine without getting any benefit, until I used Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It has worked wonders for me, and I want another supply for my friends, etc."

"GRUNT IT OUT."—The above is an old saw as savage as it is senseless. You can't "grunt out" dyspepsia nor liver complaint, nor nervousness if they once get a good hold. They don't remove themselves in that way. The taking a few doses of Burdock Blood Bitters is better than "grunting it out." What we can cure let's not endure.

If your children are troubled with worms, give them "Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator," safe, sure, and effectual.

FLIES AND BUGS.

Flies, roaches, ants, bed-bugs, rats, mice, gophers, chipmunks, cleared out by "Rough on Rats." 15c.

JOSEPH RUSAN, Percy, writes: "I was induced to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for a lameness which troubled me for three or four years, and I found it the best article I ever used. It has been a great blessing to me." Friends may imitate Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in appearance and name, but in everything else they are dead failures.

A NOTED BUT UNTITLED WOMAN.

(From the Boston Globe.)



MRS. PINKHAM'S

The above is a good likeness of Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., who above all other human beings may be truthfully called the "Dear Friend of Woman," as some of her correspondents love to call her. She is zealously devoted to her work, which is the outcome of a life-study, and is obliged to keep six lady assistants, to help her answer the large correspondence which daily pours in upon her, each bearing its special burden of suffering, or joy at release from it. Her Vegetable Compound is a medicine for good and not evil purposes. I have personally investigated it and am satisfied of the truth of this.

On account of its proven merits, it is recommended and prescribed by the best physicians in the country. One says: "It works like a charm and saves much pain. It will cure entirely the worst form of falling of the uterus, Leucorrhoea, irregular and painful Menstruation, all Ovarian Troubles, Inflammation and Ulceration, Floodings, all Displacements and the consequent spinal weakness, and is especially adapted to the Change of Life."

It permeates every portion of the system, and gives new life and vigor. It removes fatigues, stimulates, destroys all craving for stimulants, and relieves weakness of the stomach. It cures bloating, Headaches, Nervous Prostration, General Debility, Sleeplessness, Depression and Indigestion. That feeling of bearing down, causing pain, weight and backache, is always permanently cured by its use. It will at all times, and under all circumstances, act in harmony with the law that governs the female system.

It costs only \$1 per bottle or six for \$5, and is sold by druggists. Any advice required as to special cases, and the names of many who have been restored to perfect health by the use of the Vegetable Compound, can be obtained by addressing Mrs. P., with stamp for reply, at her home in Lynn, Mass.

For Kidney Complaint of either sex this compound is unsurpassed as abundant testimonials show.

"Mrs. Pinkham's Liver Pills," says one writer, "are the best in the world for the cure of Constipation, Biliousness and Torpidity of the Liver. Her Blood Purifier works wonders in its special line—and this fact is equalled the Compound in its popularity."

All must respect her as an Angel of Mercy whose sole ambition is to do good to others.

Philadelphia, Pa. 80 Mrs. A. M. D.

Sparkles.

DEAD men tell no tales. It is not necessary. The obituary writers do that service for them.

Not all kings have palaces to live in. The King of Coomassie, for example, lives in Ashantee.

As long as some fellow doesn't ask if the dog-star of the star-route trials is a Ker, the case will not be so Sinus.

DONE IN THE DARKNESS.

We parted in silence, we parted by night, On the bank of a beautiful river; No sound but a gurgle, as out of my sight Swift, she sank with scarcely a shiver. The nightingales warbled, the stars sweetly shone,

And, though she will rise again never, No sorrow was shown for the life that had flown— For that cat is silent forever.

EVERYTHING seems to move in a circle. While, for instance, the lawyers are looking up the authorities, the authorities are looking up the criminal, and the criminal, in his turn, has to look up the lawyer.

SAID a student of one college to a friend who was attending a rival institution: "You college never turns out gentlemen." "No," was the reply, "our college allows gentlemen to go right on and graduate."

THEY were boasting about ancestry. "My forefathers," said John, "came over from England on the 'Mayflower.'" "And my ancestry," said Pat, "kim over from Quanes-town on the 'Sunflower.'" It's a sthetic I am.

A book just published is entitled, "How to make \$500 Yearly Profit with Twelve Hens." We have not read the book, but we suppose the author's recipe is to sell the corn they would annually eat, and then kill the hens.

"Pat, wud yuz luk at 'em now?" Mike was gazing intently at a procession honoring St. Patrick's day in the march. "See, now, the fellows that urinks the whiskey all on fat, and the fellows that sell it all a' roidin'." Mike grasped a pregnant fact.

"WELL, Andrew," a gentleman remarked to a Scotchman, who, with his brother, was the only remnant of a narrow sect. "I suppose you and Sandy are the only bodies who will get to heaven now?" "Deed, sir," replied Andrew, shaking his head, "an' I'm no' sure about Sandy."

It is told of an American millionaire who bought him a castle on the Rhine; that one cold day his daughter found him warming his hands at a fire which he had kindled in a suit of plate armor. "Oh, papa, what have you been doing," she cried. "The feller that patented that stove," replied the lord of the castle, "must have been crazy; but I've made the old thing heat up at last."

WE read in the "Church Union" that a gentleman had his boots blacked by one of two boys, and gave the shiner a \$2 bill to get changed. After waiting some time, he said to the other boy, "Where's your partner?" "Oh," said the youth, with a grin, "he's bust up, and I'm his assignee."

"WHY so gloomy this morning, Jacob?" "Ab, my poor little Benjamin Levi—he is dead!" "Dead! You surprise me. How did it happen?" "Well, you see, my little Benjamin he was at ter synagogue to say his prayers, and a boy put in his bet at the door, and gries 'Job Lot!' and little Benjamin—he was gilt in der grush."

JANET was not comely, but an excellent servant, and especially devout. One Sunday afternoon, on returning from the kirk, she mentioned to the ladies of the family how much she had enjoyed the service. Shortly afterward they heard her scolding at a great rate, and one of the ladies remonstrated with her. "Why, Janet, I'm afraid the service did you very little good, after all, as you seem to have lost your temper." "Ah, weel," said Janet, "I left William to look after things, and every thing's so upset it's enough to tak the taste o' prayer out o' ones' mouth."

MR. T. C. WELLS, Chemist and Druggist, Port Colborne, Ont., writes: "Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure sells well, and gives the best of results for all diseases of the blood. It never fails to root out all diseases from the system, cures Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, etc., purifies the blood, and will make you look the picture of health and happiness."

THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS of dollars have been spent in advertising the celebrated Burdock Blood Bitters, but this fact accounts only in part for its enormous sale. Its merit has been made in what it is—the best blood medicine ever devised by man.

IN THE SPRING TIME

EVERYBODY IS TROUBLED WITH ANNOYING DISEASES OF THE LIVER

IN SOME FORM,

Biliousness, Jaundice, Constipation, or Headache.

The disorders which always follow the failures of the Liver and Bowels to perform their proper functions, can be conquered at once by the use of **Kidney-Wort**. Any derangement of the bile at once manifests itself in great bodily discomfort, in loss of appetite and in despondency.

SYMPTOMS.

Pain in the right side which is very sensitive to pressure. The pain will sometimes appear to be located under the shoulder blade. There is also irregular appetite, flatulency, a sense of fullness in the region of the stomach, and sooner or later the skin and whites of the eyes become yellow, the stools are coloured and the urine yellow, depositing a copious sediment. There is generally a full tongue, and at times diarrhoea, and at others obstinate constipation, in short, disordered functions of the stomach and entire tract of the bowels.

These symptoms, if not speedily grappled with, will result in the most serious consequences to the whole system, prostrating it and destroying all its vitality and energies. When the liver becomes torpid or gives evidence of undue activity, a few doses of **Kidney-Wort** and a little caution in relation to diet, will restore the patient to health and vigour as if by enchantment.

Most remedies used for disorders of the liver and bile act on the wrong principle, as they are simply cathartics, and merely carry off the accumulated secretions.

Kidney-Wort on the contrary goes to the very root of the evil, as it acts on the Liver and Kidneys at the same time, and by its mild but efficient cathartic action moves the bowels freely. The morbid poisons that have been the cause of all this disease and suffering will be thrown off, new life will be infused into every organ, and the health-giving forces will again exert their power.

It is well known that the kidneys are nature's sluiceway to wash away the debris and impurities that are being constantly developed in every human system. If they fail to act freely, health will soon suffer. But the kidneys cannot perform their own proper office, and at the same time eliminate those impurities that should pass off by free action of the bowels. How important it is then, to have a remedy that will have the power to keep up the natural action of both these important functions.

THIS REMEDY IS KIDNEY-WORT.

Have we indicated the trouble that has harassed you? Then use a package of this medicine and be cured.

HEAD A SAMPLE TESTIMONIAL.

"I prayed God to deliver me by death." Headquarters Veteran Corps 6th Regiment, At-Library, Tompkins Market, New York, May 8th, 1882.

Gentlemen: I have just commenced on my second bottle of "Kidney-Wort." I have but little faith in either doctors or medicine, more particularly in medicines extensively advertised. However, I have suffered perhaps as no other man has suffered, from liver disease—brought on by malaria. I suffered for years, till it became chronic, simply from neglect. I have taken quinine till my head swam, and my nerves were totally unstrung. Last year I went to Europe to try and better it; but came back worse. In reading many of your advertisements I came to the conclusion, as a *desperate resort*, to try the "Kidney-Wort," and did so. After the fourth day I got an attack of the old malady. I prayed God to relieve me by death, but kept to the medicine as ordered, and I want to tell you to-day, and all sufferers from liver disease, that the last three weeks I have enjoyed such good health as I have not had in many, many years. I simply write you this that other sufferers may benefit by it. Very truly yours,

HENRY WARD,

Late Col. 6th Reg., N. G., S. N. Y., 173 West Side Ave., Jersey City Heights, N. J.

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATES.

Suitable for any Province, and may be used by the clergyman of any denomination, beautifully printed on fine heavy paper in carmine, blue and gold, constantly on hand, 50 cents per dozen. Twenty-five copies mailed to any address, free of postage, for ONE DOLLAR.

C. BLACKETT ROBINSON,

Drawer 2003, Toronto.

Office: 4 Jordan Street.

A BOON TO MEN

All those who from indolence, excesses or other causes are weak, nervous, low spirited, and unable to perform life's duties properly, are certainly and permanently cured, without surgery, by the use of **Dr. J. C. Wells' Kidney-Wort**. The following is a true and reliable statement of the results of its use. It is a simple, pleasant, and effective remedy, and is the best blood medicine ever devised by man.

WELLS' KIDNEY-WORT, 75 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont.