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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Gratitude compels me to acknowledge the great merit of your Vegetable Compound. I have suffered for four years with irregular and painful menstruation, also dizziness, pains in the back and lower limbs, and fitful sleep. I dreaded the time to come which would only mean suffering to me."

"Better health is all I wanted, and cure if possible. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought me health and happiness in a few short months. I feel like another person now. My aches and pains have left me. Life seems new and sweet to me, and everything seems pleasant and easy."

"Six bottles brought me health, and was worth more than months under the doctor's care, which really did not benefit me at all. I am satisfied there is no medicine so good for sick women as your Vegetable Compound, and I advocate it to my lady friends in need of medical help."—Mrs. B. A. BLANCHARD, 422 Broad St., Nashville, Tenn.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or distention), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

A Severe Case of Womb Trouble Cured in Philadelphia.
"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have been cured of severe female troubles by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was nearly ready to give up, but seeing your advertisement I purchased one bottle of your medicine, and it did me so much good that I purchased another, and the result was so satisfactory that I shall never be without it. I hope that my testimonial will convince women that your Vegetable Compound is the greatest medicine in the world for failing of the womb or any other female complaints."—Mrs. MAY COOK, 2660 Birch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Remember, every woman is cordially invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about her symptoms she does not understand. Her address is Lynn, Mass., her advice is free and cheerfully given to every ailing woman who asks for it.

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Interesting Items.

Speaker Reed's most famous lampoon on the Democratic party was this: "I have known the Democratic party for thirty years, and I have never known a moment in which it could be photographed in any attitude except that of 'It can't be done.'"

A minister who met a policeman on the street the other day said: "What a number of burglars there are about. Why don't you officers arrest them?" The policeman regarded the minister solemnly. "Sir," he replied, "there are thousands of people going to hell every day. Why don't you ministers stop them?"

The "Publishers' Circular" tells the following anecdote about the late G. A. Henty: "With reference to his boy's books he said, in answer to a question put to him by an interviewer: 'No, I never touch on the love interest. Once I ventured to make a boy of twelve kiss a little girl of eleven, and I received a very indignant letter from a dissenting minister.'"

An important party measure was about to be voted on by the Fifty-first Congress, and the Republicans needed every vote. "Come at once," Speaker Reed telegraphed to Congressman Lansing of the Watertown (N.Y.) district. "Impossible," the Congressman wired back; "washout on line." Reed's reply to this was promptly wired, and was as follows: "Never mind little thing like that; buy another shirt and come on."

Mark Twain, since he advertised for editorial obituaries of himself, has received some very amusing contributions. A Baltimore admirer writes: "Some people think you are immortal, but if you really ever do intend to die it is certainly your duty to go to Hades. Funny men are needed there, but they are very small potatoes up in heaven. You have rays preached philanthropy, and now you have the chance of your lifetime to demonstrate your consistency."

Judge S— of Boston, who is a great fisherman, for some years past had been in the habit of bringing back from Newfoundland, the scene of his piscatorial labors, such marvelous stories of his catches that his friends grew more and more skeptical. The judge, in order to remove all doubts about his honesty, finally procured a set of special scales and triumphantly weighed all the fish he caught, and for his friends' inspection kept the record thus accurately made. Recently, while the judge was away from home, there was an addition to his family. The judge's scales were used, and they recorded the baby's weight as forty-eight pounds.

One day the late Thomas Brackett Reed was browsing in Guild's dingy bookshop. He took up a number of books and finally the novel "Scruples." "What is the price of this?" asked Mr. Reed. "A dollar, sir," replied the old man rather tartly. "Too much," said Reed laconically, and laid the book down. "Well, sir," retorted Guild, who has a sharp tongue of his own, "I don't know of any law you have passed that compels you to buy if you don't want to. Besides, I don't see what a member of Congress wants of a book with that title, anyway." Reed broke into a hearty laugh, and as he rolled on down the avenue he was still smiling at the old man's reply.

Senator Quay, while dining at a country hotel, noticed among the signs on the wall one reading "Tel on parle Francais." The senator was somewhat amused and surprised, because the necessity of being able to speak French in that particular section of rural Pennsylvania had never before appealed to him. Therefore he called the proprietor to him, and said, "Do you speak French?" "Not much," was the answer. "United States will do for me." "Then why do you have that sign stuck up here?" It means that French is spoken here," "Ye don't say so?" replied the astonished publican. "I'll be hanged if I didn't buy that from a young fellow who told me that it meant 'God Bless Our Home!'"

In the middle of the third act of a recent first night in Australia, a gentleman arose in the front row of the gallery and remarked: "This is a bad play, and the acting is even worse than the play." The leading actor came to the footlights and retorted: "You've no right to interrupt. If you don't like it, go outside." "Excuse me," rejoined the malcontent, "I have the right to criticize what I have paid for. If I buy a pound of butter and find it is bad, I say so. I have bought a shilling's worth of this show, and it is an imposition. I want show, and it is an imposition. I want my money back." At this point a stalwart attendant interposed, and smashing of furniture ensued. Eventually the champion of playgoers' rights emerged triumphant from the fray. Holding a shilling on high, he exclaimed: "It's all right. I've got my money back! The play can now proceed!"

Taking the Chances.

He walked into the chemist's shop with a hesitating step, and glanced nervously at the rows of bottles on the shelves. "Yes, sir," replied the astonished chemist. "An' if you was pushed you could find the strychnine in a minute or two!" "Of course," replied the chemist. "Mebbe the arsenic hasn't got lost or mislaid clear beyond findin', if you just had to, has it?" "Assuredly not."

"An' the sugar-lead bottle couldn't get away from you if it tried?" "No, indeed."

"An' chasin' up the vitriol to its lair would be just play for you?" "My dear sir, of course I am familiar with all the drugs here."

"But s'posin' some of your assistants had been changin' them around, just as a joke, you know?"

"What do you mean?" "Suppose the bottles got mixed?" "Impossible. Besides, everything is plainly labelled."

"An' there ain't no chance of your palmist off guessin' at peppermint?" "Not the slightest."

"Well, I've half a notion to—risk it. Yes, you may give me two ounces of peppermint." "Pick-me-up."

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Take care of what you eat, when you eat, and how you eat, and your stomach will take care of itself. But what takes care of such trivial things? That is why, someday, the majority of people have to take care of the stomach. When that day comes, there is no aid so effective in undoing the results of past carelessness as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It strengthens the stomach, and restores the organs of digestion and nutrition to a condition of healthy activity. It cures biliousness, heartburn, flatulence, indigestion, palpitation, dizziness, and extremities and a score of other ailments which are but the symptoms of disorder in the stomach and its allied organs.

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Mrs. Newbridge—How does Mrs. Henry Peck manage to keep that cook of hers?

Mrs. Oldhand—She threatened to leave, but Mrs. Peck would not give a recommendation, and she wouldn't go without one, and they are both stubborn.—Judge.

Tact.

"It is difficult to say what tact is," Archbishop Langley replied when asked to define it. "Here, however, is an instance of what it is not: Only this morning a clergyman in my diocese wrote to me, 'In consideration of your grace's many infirmities and falling powers,' That was not tactful."

The Vivacious One.

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INITIATIVE NOTICE.

Granolithic Sidewalks, Plank Sidewalks, Pavements and Cements.

Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the city of Chatham, will proceed under section 669 of the Municipal Act, and under the General Local Improvement By-law No. 377, of 1899, to construct granolithic sidewalks, plank sidewalks, vitrified brick pavement, Warren's bitulithic pavement and glazed pipe sewers upon the following streets within the limits mentioned, after the expiry of one month after the last publication of this notice for two weeks in the Chatham Daily Planet and the Chatham Daily News newspapers, and the assessment of the costs of such work made upon the real properties to be benefited thereby, unless the majority of the owners of such real properties, according to the last Revised Assessment Roll, representing at least one-half in value thereof, petition the Council against the same within one month after the last publication of this notice.

GRANOLITHIC SIDEWALKS.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the E. S. of Prince street, from Park street to Wellington street.

A granolithic sidewalk, 3 feet wide, on the W. S. of Forster street, from Park street to St. Patrick street.

A granolithic sidewalk, 6 feet wide, on the E. S. of William street, from the Canadian Pacific Ry. track to Wellington street.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the W. S. of Raleigh street, from Richmond street to Lorne street.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the W. S. of West street, from Lorne street to Gray street.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the E. S. of West street, from Lorne street to Gray street.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the W. S. of Adelaide street, from Water street to Stanley avenue.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the S. S. of King street, from Princess street to Duke street.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the W. S. of Bedford street, from Forest street to north end of street.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the N. S. of Forest street, from Bedford street to Delaware avenue.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the S. S. of Forest street, from VanAllen street to Victoria street.

A granolithic sidewalk, 3 feet wide, on the S. S. of Wilson avenue, from St. Clair street westerly to the end of the present walk.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the E. S. of St. Clair street from Selkirk street to the southerly limit of lot 8, block "M."

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the N. S. of Head street, from Ingram street to the westerly limit of the Convent property.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the E. S. of Louise street, from Emma street southerly, a distance of 364 feet.

A granolithic sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the W. S. of Delaware avenue, from Gladstone street northerly to the end of the present walk at lot 16.

A granolithic sidewalk, 5 feet wide, on the S. S. of Wellington street, from Centre street easterly to the C. P. Ry. switch at Wm. Gray & Sons' factory, except in front of W. H. Carswell's property. Plot 1.

PLANK SIDEWALKS.

A plank sidewalk, 4 feet wide, on the S. S. of Water street from Adelaide street westerly to alley at lot 4, block 16.

A plank sidewalk, 3 feet wide, on the W. S. of Ingram street from Head street to north end of street.

A plank sidewalk, 3 feet wide, on the E. S. of Ingram street from Head street to the north end of street.

VITRIFIED BRICK PAVEMENT.

A vitrified brick pavement on a 6-inch concrete bed with sand cushion and gutter on Fifth street from King street to Wellington street, to be in width over all 30 feet 6 inches, and a 12-inch glazed pipe sewer on said Fifth street from King street to Wellington street.

BITULITHIC PAVEMENT.

A Warren's bitulithic pavement on Queen and 4th streets, from King street to the Grand Trunk Ry., on a sub-foundation of hard crushed stone 6 inches deep compressed with a heavy steam road roller and coated with a thin layer of Warren's No. 1 Puritan Brand Bituminous semi-liquid cement, said Bituminous to be sufficiently flexible, the whole work to be according to printed specifications for bitulithic pavement attached to a petition presented to the City Council on April 20th, 1903, marked "A."

SEWERS.

A ten inch glazed pipe sewer on Head street from Ursuline avenue to the Violet street sewer.

A ten inch glazed pipe sewer on Head street from the westerly city limits to the Violet street sewer.

City Clerk's Office, Chatham, April 27th, 1903.

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Notice to Contractors.

Bulk of separate tenders will be received at the offices of the undersigned architects, addressed to W. F. Robertson, up to seven o'clock p. m. Thursday, May 14th, for the different trades in the erection of a church in Tilbury Township. Plans and specifications to be seen at offices of architects and addressed to the secretary.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Building committee provides all building stone, bricks and sand on the grounds.

W. F. ROBERTSON, Sec. Building Com.

J. L. WILSON & SON, Architects, Chatham, Ont.

Notice to Contractors.

Bulk and separate tenders will be received at the offices of the undersigned architects, addressed to W. F. Robertson, Esq., market tender for church at Valetta, up till 7 o'clock p. m., Friday, May 15th next, for the several branches of work required in the erection of a brick Presbyterian Church. Plans and specifications to be seen at the offices of the architects, and at the residence of the secretary of the Building Committee, on and after Thursday, April 30th, 1903.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily to be accepted. Building Committee provides all building stone, bricks and sand, delivered. James Ross, Esq., Chairman; W. F. Robertson, Esq., Secretary Bldg. Com.; J. L. Wilson & Son, Architects, Chatham, Ont.

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