

NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA GAS OR INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" Settles Sour, Upset Stomachs in Five Minutes. Time it! Pape's Diapepsin will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach surely within five minutes.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches, dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to keep the entire family free from stomach disorders and indigestion for many months. It belongs in your home.

RESPONSIBILITY OF PARENTS

Of three hundred fires reported to this department having been caused by matches, children were responsible for one hundred and twenty-seven, or 41 per cent of these fires. Parents are to blame for this condition. They do not think, and leave matches in open boxes within easy reach of the children. Property is not the only loss that results from this carelessness, but severe injuries and loss of life occur. Remember this and see that all matches are put in metal boxes and out of reach of children, and, better still, discard the striking or bird's-eye match and use none that strike on the box. In France the cost of matches is so great, owing to the government's control, that it necessitates economy in their use and prohibits carelessness. Parents are also responsible for the number of fires that occur from defective flues. Don't forget to see that all flues are clean and in good condition before starting a fire.

Don't forget that in case of a flue fire that four or five pounds of common table salt will extinguish the fire immediately.

A tidy housewife is the worst enemy of fire waste. This is concurred by some leading insurance men. Many fires have been prevented by good housekeepers keeping cupboards and closets clean and free from accumulation of rubbish.—Pennsylvania Bulletin.

IT ALWAYS DOES THE WORK

"I like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy better than any other," writes R. E. Roberts, Homer City, Pa. "I have taken it off and on for years and it has never failed to give the desired results." For sale by all dealers.

FIRE INSURANCE

The following is an excerpt from an address by Herbert E. Choate, treasurer and credit man of the J. K. Orr Shoe Company, one of the leading manufacturing, wholesale and retail concerns in Atlanta:

"Some men look upon fire insurance as a useless expense. They will tell you that they have been in business for twenty years and never have had a fire. The only thing that will convert that type of man to the idea of fire protection is for him to be overtaken by a disastrous fire and have wiped out overnight the accumulation of his twenty years of toil, hardship, and self-denial, when he has to face the world without capital, without credit, and almost without hope.

"Others will tell you that the rate is so high they can't afford it; but such overlook the fact that the rate is high because the hazard is great. This is the strongest reason in the world why they should carry insurance.

"Permit me to say frankly, in my opinion, that a business that cannot pay for fire protection has no proper license to exist; for fire protection is just as essentially a part of the cost of doing business as the freight, the taxes, or the rent you pay; and your profits should be figured accordingly."

MOTHER! THE CHILD IS COSTIVE, BILIOUS

Look, Mother! If Tongue is Coated Give "California Syrup of Figs."

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little one is out of sorts, half sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally,—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a fifty cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs"; then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

INTERESTING NOTES

"Don't Stop Mills; Start Them!" is the title of an editorial in the Chicago Herald—and a mighty good title.

The Wilson administration does not cross streams before it comes to them but when it does come to them it does cross them.

All that President Wilson had to mobilize was the good common sense of the American people, which he succeeded in doing.

This is for bridge players as well as Republicans: Rubbers are seldom won with nullo bids. The trick-taking policy has decided advantages.

The sure way to get things done is to go and do them; so when it began to appear that private capital would not finance American steamship lines to carry American commerce, the President promptly set about buying some.

It seems quite clear that the average Republican politician is either hogtied to doctrine and argument some five years obsolete, or lacks either doctrine or argument of any kind whatever. Many of them have opposed the administration's war emergency measures. Yet, for their part, what has been proposed? Not a blessed thing!

We invite the attention of the Republican Congressmen who have been blocking the administration's vigorous efforts to befriend commerce and industry in the European war crisis to the following paragraph in the Boston Advertiser, a Republican paper:

"We regret that we have heard hints from Washington, in the past few days, to the effect that some ambitious but not unusually gifted Republican Congressmen have made their plans to fight the administration bill, and to expose some of its 'glaring blunders.' Our friendly advice to such marplots would be to consult their own constituents first. We believe that the popular demands for an immediate outlet and avenue to new markets for American goods, and for new routes of supply to this country, in such products as the United States now lacks, because of the war of the nations, is practically irresistible. Any Congressman who for purely partisan reasons attempts to block the plans of the administration, will probably emerge from his popular chastisement a wiser if a sadder man."

If the crop report still further curtails the harvest figures on account of deterioration in August it remains a fact that the wheat harvest will be very far the largest we ever gathered and 300,000,000 bushels beyond all domestic requirements; that the corn crop will be about 150,000,000 bushels more than last year, and that the oats crop will be large, though not a record breaker. In regard to wheat, furthermore, it should be borne in mind that last year's crop was the greatest we had ever raised, so that the surplus brought over to this season was presumably heavy, increasing, therefore, the exportable surplus.

It has been computed that the war has already added \$735,000,000 to the farm value of our cereals, but, of course, these prices may not be maintained through the year. Agricultural prosperity, however, is assured, and that is the most important factor in our general business.

Despite the confusion caused by the war it is worth noting that Philadelphia bank clearings last week slightly exceeded those of the corresponding period of 1913. Very decided gains are shown in the clearings of Chicago, Baltimore and New Orleans. It is evident that in many quarters business is on the upward swing, and that if the European catastrophe had not come with such unexpected suddenness this country would now be enjoying something of a boom. In all probability this has only been delayed, not postponed indefinitely, and with the clearing of the situation abroad may be expected to appear.—Philadelphia Record.

GOV. GLYNN ON THE WILSON POLICIES

With his characteristic gift of hitting the nail on the head, Gov. Glynn, in his speech at Syracuse this week, gave verbal expression to a thought which all others are undoubtedly the universal and dominant in the American mind today. Said the Governor: "While Europe wages a war of desolation, America carries on a campaign of peaceful production. While the farms of Europe are deserted, the American farmer harvests his bountiful crops. While the industries of Europe falter and halt, the hum of wheels in America's factories makes music from the Atlantic to the Pacific. While the unfortunate millions across the ocean rush toward death and destruction the manhood of America, thanks to the steadfastness, the diplomacy and the watchful waiting of Woodrow Wilson, dedicates itself to the task of saving the world from want and famine."

This country knows and acknowledges its debt of gratitude to the steadfastness, the equisite, the manly of Woodrow Wilson.—Buffalo Times.

WHY EVERY ONE SHOULD READ AND OWN BOOKS

Strong characters have triumphed over the blighting influence of a bookless childhood and youth. But excepting these, look about among men and women you know, pick those who think clearly and express themselves accurately, who have mental vision, who have high aspirations, who have a taste for the finer things of life and who are capable of enjoying them—you will find that such men and women were the children of homes where books abode. The books may have been few or many. But they were part of the lives of these children, companions, guides, mentors, friends.—Editorial from The North American.

TO TEACH AGRICULTURE

(Sanford Express.)

We understand agriculture is to be taught in the school at Moncure. One acre of corn and one of cotton are to be cultivated by the pupils. We are informed that citizens of that place have agreed to give the school the use of the land. This department of the school will be managed by the State Board of Agriculture through Demonstrator Henley, of this county. A rally to arouse interest in this nature of the school, was to have been held at Moncure last Friday, but as some of those who were to make speeches could not be present, the rally was postponed. The experiment in the Moncure school will be watched with interest by the advocates of farm life schools. It now seems that it is only a question of time when agriculture not only in theory but in practice, will be taught in all the public schools.

A CONFIRMED STATEMENT

Evidence Asheville Readers Will Appreciate.

Doan's Kidney Pills have done splendid work in this locality. Have merited the unusual praise they have received.

Here's evidence of their value that none can doubt.

It's evidence from this locality twice-told and well confirmed:

Such endorsements are unique in the annals of medicine.

Should convince the most skeptical Asheville reader.

E. L. Nelson, High Point St., Randleman, N. C., says: "I used two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills and have been relieved of pain and lameness in my back, in fact, I now feel better in every way. During the past few years my system has been free from kidney complaint. It gives me pleasure to tell of this permanent cure."

For sale by all dealers. Price fifty cents. Foster-Milburn Company, Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

CROSSING THE BAR

Sunset and Evening Star,
And one clear call for me!
And may there be no moaning of the bar,
When I put out to sea.

But such a tide as moving seems asleep,
Too full for sounds and foam,
When that which drew from out the boundless deep,
Turns again home.

Twilight and evening bell,
And after that the dark!
And may there be no sadness or farewell,
When I embark.

For tho' from out our bourne of Time and Place
The flood may bear me far,
I hope to see my Pilot face to face
When I have crossed the bar.
—Alfred Tennyson.

WHY NOT PUBLISH IT?

When you want a fact to become generally known, the right way is to publish it. Mrs. Joseph Kallans, Peru, Ind., was troubled with belching, sour stomach, and frequent headaches. She writes, "I feel it my duty to tell others what Chamberlain's Tablets have done for me. They have helped my digestion and regulated my bowels. Since using them I have been entirely well." For sale by all dealers.

NOVEL IDEA IN ROAD MAKING

Ruts are the bane of country roads and one farmer has experimented until he has found a way to eliminate them. The idea is simply to fill the ruts of a prairie wagon road with concrete. The filling should be four or five inches thick and about eight inches wide on top, the surface being hollowed out about one and one-half inches deep for wheels. It is easy to drive over, as the wheels follow the tracks "with first intent," and "four years' wear on the experimental roads built by the originator show no wear nor corrosion. The cost is given as ten cents per linear foot—\$528 per mile—and the roads are not only free-driving in wet weather but are almost dustless in dry condition.—From the March Number of Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Household Economy

How to Have the Best Cough Remedy and Save \$2 by Making It at Home

Cough medicines, as a rule contain a large quantity of plain syrup. A pint of granulated sugar with $\frac{1}{2}$ pint of warm water, stirred for 2 minutes, gives you as good syrup as money can buy.

Then get from your druggist 2½ ounces Pinex (50 cents worth), pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with sugar syrup. This gives you, at a cost of only 54 cents, a full pint of really better cough syrup than you could buy ready-made for \$2.50—a clear saving of nearly \$2. Full directions with Pinex. It keeps perfectly and tastes good.

It takes hold of the usual cough or chest cold at once and conquers it in 24 hours. Splendid for whooping cough, bronchitis and winter coughs.

It's truly astonishing how quickly it loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals and soothes the inflamed membranes in the case of a painful cough. It also stops the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the persistent loose cough.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, combined with guaicol, and has been used for generations to heal inflamed membranes of the throat and chest.

To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex," and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

PARAGRAPHS

Frost may blight imperial hopes as well as plebeian pumpkins.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Roosevelt has bought a bale of cotton says a report. There's one good contributing editor.—Columbian State.

Probably no one has violated Holland's neutrality because as any one knows, it's easy to get in Dutch.—Nangle, N. Y. Utterance.

As far as known there are no union rules governing the hours the European troops are required to spend on duty.—Washington Star.

It may be time for the Balkan States to appoint a commission to investigate alleged outrages in Europe.—Springfield Republican.

William Shakespeare described some brass band candidates of Essex county as "full of sound and fury, signifying nothing."—Newark Call.

"Night Riders" in the Burley district have whipped three natives for talking too much. Old Kaintuck is no place for a diplomat.—Washington Post.

Had we been a European peasant in July, the August immigration figures of these United States would have been 41,884 instead of 41,883.—Sheridan Free Press.

This country can supply Europe's after-the-war needs, however great, in the way of jobless statesmen 100 per cent perfect in the art of swinging the old soldier vote.—Kanesburgh Illuminator.

In jealousy there's more self-love than love.—La Rochefoucauld.

No time to break jests when the heartstrings are about to be broken.—Fuller.

Methinks I see the wanton hours flee
And as they pass, turn back and laugh at me.—Buckingham.

Why should a man be a turtle-dove?
Life is too short to be "dead-in-love!"
—Burgess.

The Almighty Dollar, that great object of universal devotion throughout our land.—Washington Irving.

No woman is as good as she looks; to know that is the first step toward the attainment of knowledge of the world.—Marmaduke.

It is the divine attribute of the imagination that it is irresistible, unconfined; that when the real world is shut out, it can create a world for itself, and with a necromantic power can conjure up glorious shapes and forms and brilliant visions, to make solitude populous and irradiate the gloom of a dungeon.—Washington Irving.

TONED UP WHOLE SYSTEM
"Chamberlain's Tablets have done more for me than I ever dared hope for," writes Mrs. Esther Mae Baker, Spencerport, N. Y. "I used several bottles of these tablets a few months ago. They not only cured me of bilious attacks, sickheadaches and that tired out feeling, but toned up my whole system." For sale by all dealers.

THE WOMAN'S THANKS
There is so much strong men are thankful for,
A nation's progress or a slow strife's end;
And though I join my praise with theirs today,
Grave things are these I scarce can comprehend,
So vast are they;
And so apart, dear God, I pray Thee take,
My thanks for these, Thy little blessings' sake.

The little common joys of every day,
My garden blowing in an April wind,
A linnets' greeting and the morning fall
O happy sunshine through the open blind.

The poplars tall
That guard my threshold, and the peace that falls
Like Sabbath stillness from my humble walls.

The little, simple joys that we forget
Until we lose them; for the lamp that lights
The pages of the books I love the best,
The earth's red welcoming on winter nights,
The kindly jest
That moves within its circles, and the near
Companionship of those the heart holds dear.

The dear, accustomed joys we lightly take
His father's gifts; and so remembering,
For these my thanks, my treasures piled,
Those wiser may forget, dear Father, take
My thanks for these, Thy little blessings' sake.
—Theodosia Garrison in Harper's Magazine.

WHAT WOULD YOU DO?
There are many times when one man questions another's actions and motives. Men act differently under different circumstances. The question is, what would you do right now if you had a severe cold? Could you do better than to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy? It is highly recommended by people who have used it for years and know its value. Mrs. O. E. Sargent, Peru, Ind., says: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is worth its weight in gold and I take pleasure in recommending it." For sale by all dealers.

RAINBOW SIGNS IN A BUSINESS WAY

Three or four items of news that have figured on the front page during the last day or two are a good deal more important in a business sense than the reports of desperate battles in Belgium and France. One was the statement published in a dispatch from Philadelphia that as a result of the rapidly increasing foreign demand for anthracite coal a number of collieries which were closed last spring are making preparations for early resumption in September. Thousands of men who have been out of work or on half time are promised full time, beginning on Labor Day. Orders for coal are pouring into Pennsylvania from every part of the globe. The Belgian and Russian coal fields are affected by the war, which has also curtailed the activity of the Welsh mines. Europe is calling for our coal, just as she is calling for our wheat.

Another encouraging item comes from Pittsburgh, which reports that the steel companies there are completing arrangements that are expected to develop a tremendous amount of actual business out of the wide inquiry for steel now steadily coming to them from Europe, South America and other countries. Within forty-eight hours inquiries for semi-finished steel, totaling more than 100,000 tons, had been received from England alone.

Another cheering note is sounded in a New York dispatch which points to the re-employment of large numbers of stevedores and ship laborers, indicating the gradual return of normal conditions in the commercial field.

All these are rainbows signs showing that the flood of business disturbance is about to abate. We are still short of ocean transportation, but we have got the foreign demand, we have got the goods to supply it, and we have the money to get the ships. Under the circumstances, it will be impossible to bottle up our commerce much longer. Its outward flow has, in fact, already been resumed to some extent. But it will not be long before it will be represented by a great armada of peaceful ships conveying to Europe and South America the food and the industrial products which they can get nowhere else.—Baltimore Sun.

WILL NOT WEAKEN PRESIDENT WILSON'S INFLUENCE
That the change in point of view of the nation since August 1 must be of advantage to the party in power is generally admitted. Lines of attack on the administration's record, which had been carefully opened up, are now completely blocked. Certain liabilities of the President are now revealed as assets. A gibe at "watchful waiting" today would be more likely to make Democratic votes than Republican or Progressive votes. All criticism of the foreign policy of the administration is suspended. Mr. Roosevelt has publicly announced an abandonment of his assault on the President along that line.

The sufficient answer to criticism of the foreign policy of the United States government is that the United States is at peace with all the world. Americans prefer the answer of the "inexperienced" Bryan to the Japanese ambassador, "There can be no last word between friends," to the experienced Von Bethmann-Hollweg's professional sneer at a "scrap of paper." The nation must take pride in the scrupulous observance of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, in the matter of the canal tolls, now that a great European power has made a mockery of the treaty neutralizing Belgium. One can no longer sneer at "amateur diplomats" in view of Gerard's splendid service at Berlin and Whitlock's masterly rescue of unfortified Brussels from the German guns.

The country is not likely in the coming elections to weaken seriously the President's influence either at home or abroad. He must remain President of the United States throughout the war period, and in him rest the world's best hopes of peace as soon as conditions render it advisable for him to again offer his friendly offices. He will need the strong and undivided support of his countrymen in order that he may speak at the opportune moment with such prestige that the powers in conflict will listen to his counsel.—The Springfield Republican (Ind.)

THE SECRETARY OF STATE AND THE PRESIDENT
"I am glad to speak for the President at this time," said Mr. Bryan, at the Star Spangled Banner celebration in Baltimore, after paying a personal tribute to the Chief Magistrate's singleness of purpose, "because he is a President who strives for peace. In this time of strife, the President, had it been possible, would have been glad to come here and speak personally for that principal.

"I am glad we have a President who will not allow the nation to be drawn into the vortex of war. He is not fearful that patriotism is lacking. He knows that if a million were needed he could issue his call at sunrise and have the men at sundown. He knows that he would have the service of those who wore the Blue and those who wore the Gray; that he would not only have the support of those of his own political faith but of all citizens.

For a moment Mr. Bryan dwelt on the Mexican policy of the administration, saying:

"Some of our people seem to doubt the wisdom of 'watchful waiting,' and some were inclined to use the term as one of ridicule. But times have changed mightily in the last few weeks and now there is none who speaks of that policy except in terms of respect."

CHAMBERLAIN'S LINIMENT
If you are ever troubled with aches, pains, or soreness of the muscles, you will appreciate the good qualities of Chamberlain's Liniment. Many sufferers from rheumatism and sciatica have used it with the best results. It is especially valuable for lumbago and lame back. For sale by all dealers.

IF CONSTIPATED OR BILIOUS 'CASCARETS'

To-night! Clean Your Bowels and Stop Headache, Sour Stomach. Get a ten-cent box.

Take a Cascaret to-night to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret to-night will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

OUR PRESIDENT

Woodrow Wilson stands today as the only man on earth exercising power outside of his country. In more than a figurative sense he is the temporary ruler of the world. All hope of the restoration of peace, sooner or later, must rest with him.

Meanwhile, the preservation of neutrality by America, the conciliation of Mexico, the succor of all the nations of the earth devolve upon this country. This prestige must be maintained and this power exercised by the Chief Magistrate.

We believe that Woodrow Wilson is equal to the emergency, but his burdens are heavy and his personal and public trials grievous to be borne. He needs help. He needs the help which every loyal heart in America can render him to a greater or lesser degree. Call the expression of this help prayers, or good wishes, or sympathy, or what you will, it is a vital force. No true American in youth or age ought to withhold this aid to the President.—The Santa Cruz Surf.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

"A REALLY FINE BLUNDER"

To the men who fail success seems a matter of luck. The critics of the President's policy in Mexico are confounded by the failure of their predictions. Each day they have expected bloodshed, disaster to our forces, or dimensions in the camp of Carranza. They could not believe that moral pressure strong enough could be exerted to drive Huerta from Mexico. When it was manifest that the dynasty of assassination was certain to fall, they predicted that Mexico City would be surrendered, but only after a bloody battle. Then that Gen. Villa in the North would organize another revolution; then that the United States would have to send a great army to Mexico to keep the peace.

It is a grievous disappointment to all these prophets of evil that none of these disasters has come upon these two nations. They console themselves with the declaration that they have been narrowly averted—which may be true—or that there will be trouble in the land before the winter is over—which is possible. Indeed anything is possible in Mexico now, even peace and prosperity under the Wilson doctrine of moral suasion, backed by a "demonstration in force."

The Review of Reviews is especially disconsolate. It writes about diplomacy in the most oracular manner, and discusses our foreign relations in a most patronizing way. It says: "No one pretends that the seizure of Vera Cruz was a premeditated policy."

The seizure of Vera Cruz took place in the execution of a premeditated policy of exclusion and peace. Had that step not sufficed, another would have been taken.

All that we have done and all that we have refrained from doing has been done, or not done, in the execution of a policy clearly outlined by the President in public addresses and in official messages and orders, and adhered to with a persistency of purpose like unto that of Washington, like unto that declared by Lincoln in his letter to Horace Greeley, a newspaper critic of his day.

GIRLS! GIRLS! TRY IT, BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR

Make it Thick, Glossy, Wavy, Luxuriant and Remove Dandruff—Real Surprise For You.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Dandierine hair-cleanser." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Dandierine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Dandierine dissolves every particle of dandruff, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yet—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandierine from any drug store or toilet counter, and just try it.