

**CLIMBED STAIRS  
ON HER HANDS**

**Too Ill to Walk Upright. Operation  
Advised. Saved by Lydia E.  
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

This woman now raises chickens and  
does manual labor. Read her story:  
Richmond, Ind.—“For two years I  
was so sick and weak with troubles  
from my age that when going up  
stairs I had to go very slowly with  
my hands on the steps, then sit down  
at the top to rest.  
The doctor said he thought I should  
have an operation, and my friends  
thought I would not live to move into  
our new house. My daughter asked me  
to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable  
Compound as she had taken it with good  
results. I did so, my weakness dis-  
appeared, I gained in strength, moved  
into our new home, did all kinds of  
garden work, shoveled dirt, did build-  
ing and cement work, and raised hun-  
dreds of chickens and ducks. I can-  
not say enough in praise of Lydia E.  
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and  
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**50,000 ACRES OF LAND**

in the Great Mattamuskeet Drainage  
District in Hyde County, N. C. are now  
opened for sale. Here are some of the  
richest and most productive lands in  
the State. Men will buy these lands  
as soon as they know about them. We  
want agents everywhere to take up the  
sale of these lands. We will pay a lib-  
eral cash commission. Let us tell you  
all about it. Enclose this advertisement  
with your letter and address (KW)  
New Holland Farms, Inc., New Hol-  
land, Hyde County, North Carolina.

**LABORERS — White and Colored  
Steady Work — Good Wages**  
Excellent opportunity for handy men to  
advance in all trades. Can also use all  
classes of Mechanics at Good Wages.  
Apply in person to  
Bethlehem Steel Co., Sparrow's Point, Md.

**Back to Earth.**  
We had a friend who had been pret-  
ty prosperous, but who came upon evil  
days. We met him one day and he  
said that he was pretty close to being  
busted, but he was still hoping.  
Then he honked his horn, mournfully,  
and drove away, and we didn't see  
him again till the other day when we  
bumped into him on the street, says  
the Cleveland Plaindealer.  
“Hello, old scout,” we said. “How  
are things breaking now?”  
“Fine!” he answered. “I'm on my  
feet again.”  
“Bully!” we exclaimed. “How did  
you do it?”  
“Sold my car.”  
The joke was so obvious that we  
didn't see it till after he had gone.

**Women “Man” Mail Vans.**  
Seven hundred horses belonging to  
the royal mail vans of Great Britain  
are “planned” and run entirely by  
women, under the guidance of a skill-  
ful veterinary surgeon. The sick  
horses are groomed and cared for by  
uniformed women, who wear ordinary  
breaches and knee-length coats of dark  
blue linen. The drivers of the mail  
carts wear very smart uniforms of  
dark blue serge, edged with red and  
having brass buttons with the royal  
cipher. Their dark blue peaked caps  
have also a line of red and a badge  
showing that they are on his majesty's  
service.



**PARENTS**

who love to gratify  
children's desire for  
the same articles of  
food and drink that  
grown-ups use, find

**INSTANT  
POSTUM**

just the thing.  
“There's a Reason”

**LATE  
NORTH CAROLINA  
MARKET  
QUOTATIONS**

Western Newspaper Union News Service  
Prices Paid by Merchants for Farm  
Products in the Markets of North  
Carolina as Reported to the Division  
of Markets for the Week Ending  
Saturday, June 9, 1917.

**Charlotte.**  
Corn, \$1.80 bu; oats, 90c bu; peas,  
\$3 bu; Irish potatoes, \$8.50 bbl; sweet  
potatoes, \$1 bu.  
Western butter, 50c lb; N. C. butter,  
45c lb; eggs, 30c doz; spring chick-  
ens, 25c lb; hens, 15-20c lb; hogs,  
\$1 4cwt.  
Cotton, middling, 22.50c; cotton seed  
60c bu.

**Durham.**  
Corn, \$1.75 bu; oats, 75c bu; peas,  
\$3 bu.  
Western butter, 45c lb; N. C. butter,  
40c lb; eggs, 30c doz; spring chick-  
ens, 25c lb; hens, 15c lb.  
Cotton, middling, 21.50c.

**Fayetteville.**  
Corn, \$1.80 bu; oats, 78c bu; peas,  
\$2.75 bu; Irish potatoes, \$8 bbl; sweet  
potatoes, \$1 bu.  
Western butter, 45c lb; N. C. butter,  
50c lb; eggs, 30c doz; spring chick-  
ens, 20c lb; hens, 15c lb; hogs, \$15  
cwt.

Cotton, middling, 22c lb.  
**Hamlet.**  
Corn, \$1.80 bu; oats, 90c bu; peas,  
\$2.85 bu; Irish potatoes, \$7 bbl; sweet  
potatoes, \$1.25 bu.

**Lumberton.**  
Corn, \$1.80 bu; oats, 80c bu; peas,  
\$2.75 bu; Irish potatoes, \$8.50 bbl;  
sweet potatoes, \$1 bu.  
Western butter, 45c lb; N. C. butter,  
45c lb; eggs, 30c doz.

Cotton, middling, 21c.  
**Raleigh.**  
Corn, \$1.81; oats, 84c; beans, \$4 bu;  
peas, \$2.75 bu; Irish potatoes, \$8 bbl;  
apples, \$7-\$9 bbl.

Western butter, 43c lb; N. C. butter,  
40c lb; eggs, 31c doz; spring chick-  
ens, 32c lb; hens, 18c lb.  
Cotton, middling, 21.75c.

**Rocky Mount.**  
Corn, \$1.90 bu; oats, 92c bu; beans,  
\$5 bu; peas, \$3.50 bu; Irish potatoes,  
\$8 bbl; sweet potatoes, \$1.40 bu.  
Western butter, 42c lb; N. C. butter,  
47 1/2c lb; eggs, 35c doz; spring chick-  
ens, 27 1/2c lb; hens, 22 1/2c lb; hogs,  
\$13 cwt.

**Salisbury.**  
Corn, \$1.95 bu; oats, 90c bu; peas,  
\$3 bu; Irish potatoes, \$10 bbl; sweet  
potatoes, \$1.63 bu.  
Eggs, 35c doz; spring chickens, 28c  
doz; hens, 16-18c lb.  
Cotton, middling, 22c.

Corn, \$1.95 bu; oats, 90c bu; peas,  
\$3 bu; Irish potatoes, \$10 bbl; sweet  
potatoes, \$1.65 bu.  
**Scotts Neck.**

Corn, \$1.90 bu; oats, 85c bu; Irish  
potatoes, \$10 bbl; sweet potatoes, \$1  
bu.  
Western butter, 45c lb; N. C. butter,  
40c lb; eggs, 30c doz; spring chick-  
ens, 25c lb; hens, 15c lb.

Cotton, middling, 20.50c; cotton  
seed, 80c bu; lbs. of meal for ton of  
seed, 2700.

**Wilmington.**  
Corn, \$1.80 bu; oats, 88c bu; Irish  
potatoes, \$10 bbl; sweet potatoes, \$1.10  
bu.

**Winston-Salem.**  
Western butter, 45c lb; N. C. butter,  
46c lb; eggs, 36c doz.  
Eggs, 35c doz; hens, 10c lb; hogs,  
\$16 cwt.

Corn, \$1.75 bu; oats, 78c bu; soy  
beans, 45.50 bu; peas, \$3 bu; Irish  
potatoes, \$10 bbl; sweet potatoes, \$1.15  
bu; apples, \$6 bbl.

**Chicago, Ill.**  
No. 2 white corn, \$1.62-\$1.73 1/2 (del-  
ivered in Raleigh \$1.77-\$1.88 1/2); No. 2  
yellow corn, \$1.62-\$1.72 1/2 (delivered  
in Raleigh \$1.77-\$1.87 1/2).  
Butter 36-49c (creamery); eggs,  
21 1/2-36 1/2c (fresh).

**New York.**  
Butter, 40 1/2-42 1/2c (extra); eggs,  
35 1/2-39c (extra fine).

**Hopeless.**  
Economy may be practiced con-  
stantly, but no one ever seems to be-  
come expert in it.

**Infallible Indication.**  
When a man says he merely plays  
for pastime, the indications are he  
quits loser.—Aitchison Globe.

**Both Cost Too Much.**  
When it comes to price, you can't tell  
a necessity from a luxury.—Memphis  
Commercial Appeal.

**Force of Habit.**  
Friend—“I will return your pleasant  
call.” Young Author (absently)—“But  
I have given you no postage!”—Puck.

**KINDNESS TO DAIRY CATTLE**  
Farmer Who Appreciates Good Cows  
Will Prosper on Returns From  
His Animals.

The farmer who regards his dairy  
cattle as dirty machines that thrive on  
abuse, will never make any money in  
the dairy business, while the cattle  
owner who appreciates good dairy  
cows and treats them with kindness  
will like farming and will prosper on  
the returns from his cows.

**Home Town  
Helps**

**UGLY POINTS MAY BE HIDDEN**

Permanent Fixtures, Such as Fence  
and Clothes Posts, Should Be  
Made Things of Beauty.

The most noticeable permanent fea-  
tures of the backyard, which is the  
usual place for the city garden, are  
the fence and the clothes posts. They  
remain grim and uncomplaining, while  
shrubs flourish and flowers  
bloom and after the leaves have with-  
ered and fallen.

The garden magazines advise mass-  
ing shrubs on the fences, letting vines  
climb the clothes posts or stringing  
wire netting for nasturtiums to climb  
upon. This is well in summer, but  
when the leaves have fallen and the  
naked fence is again exposed, the  
dragging vines blow in the wind, and  
netting and all fall in an uncomely  
heap together unless the careful gar-  
dener removes them. At any rate the  
fence and the posts can only be cov-  
ered with foliage and bloom during a  
short period.

The solution of the difficulty then  
is to make the fence and posts, the  
ugly and permanent features, things  
of beauty. A fence may be made of  
such a pattern as not to be offensive  
to the eye, and if it is possible to have  
it of brick or stone it need not be a  
support for vines unless one desires  
it.

The posts, too, may be placed in  
inconspicuous positions. They may be  
painted green, a soft color, harmoniz-  
ing well with grass, vines and flow-  
ers.

These two difficulties disposed of,  
one may begin the planning of the  
backyard city garden with confidence.

**ERECT NOVEL DANGER SIGNS**

Motorists Think Checkerboard Warn-  
ings Will Attract the Eye of the  
Driver Readily.

Checkerboard signs have been erected  
in Columbus, O., as danger signals.  
Certain street intersections and the  
narrow parkways in the center of wide  
thoroughfares have been the scenes of  
numerous motor accidents, and these  
boards, composed of black and  
white squares arranged alternately,  
have been set up as warnings at  
these places. They bear no in-  
scription except a  
statement that they were installed by  
the Columbus Automobile club.



It is believed that the checker-  
board pattern will attract the eye readily  
and soon will come to be recognized by  
all as an emblem of danger. The city  
has promised to equip them with red  
lights. The signs measure three by  
six feet.

**Co-operation in Planning.**

If one town succeeds in relocating  
or depressing or elevating a railroad,  
the adjacent towns have to plan to  
conform. If a railroad station is lo-  
cated near the border of a town the  
nearby streets and car lines in the  
next town are altered to fit. A good  
park on the edge of one community  
has a strong influence on the park sit-  
uation of the adjacent community.  
Bad housing “just over the line” brings  
up serious planning problems. Differ-  
ent planning laws and restrictions in  
towns which border on one another  
give rise to all sorts of complications  
and unfairness. Of two towns side by  
side, where one is conscientiously in-  
terested in the appearance of its  
streets and buildings and the other is  
not, the latter soon finds itself at a  
considerable disadvantage. Every thing  
is to be gained by co-operation in plan-  
ning. Waste is bound to ensue with-  
out it.

**Parks for All the People.**

The parks belong to all the people  
and should be so conducted that all will  
feel that a genuine welcome and vari-  
ety of entertainment, comfort and  
pleasure await them in every park.  
They should be made so attractive to  
the general populace that hundreds  
will flock there to where now the in-  
dividual “flocks” in loneliness. Some  
parks are planned and planted as  
though they possessed an attitude, one  
of extreme austerity, seeking to over-  
awe the visitor and curb his natural  
exuberance. These cold and uninvit-  
ing, inhospitable parks should have in-  
troductions of bright flowers, tennis  
courts, swings, teeter-boards, sand  
boxes, seats, arbors, picnic grounds,  
music, etc., and thereby become at-  
tractive to their owners—the public  
at large.—Exchange.

**Using Walls and Fences.**

More use should be made of walls  
and fences in small gardens. It is not  
always necessary that either orna-  
mental or fruiting plants should be in  
the open or clear of structures. Not  
alone ornamental vines, but also fruit-  
ing vines and shrubs may be trained  
in fan shape or flat against walls cov-  
ered with mesh wire. Used in this  
way even melon and cucumber vines  
become ornamental and do splendid  
service as short-season screens.

**INTERNATIONAL  
SUNDAY SCHOOL  
LESSON**

(By E. O. SELLERS, Acting Director of  
the Sunday School Course in the Moody  
Bible Institute of Chicago.)  
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**LESSON FOR JUNE 24**

**THE PURPOSE OF JOHN'S GOSPEL**  
(REVIEW—READ JOHN 21:15-25.)

**GOLDEN TEXT.**—These are written,  
that you might believe that Jesus is the  
Christ, the Son of God; and that believ-  
ing ye might have life through his name.  
—John 20:31.

There are a variety of methods to  
be followed in reviewing the work of  
the past six months and to give vari-  
ety. Teachers of classes, or super-  
intendents of schools, may select one  
or combine several, as their judgment  
dictates. Of course, the easiest way  
is to procure a good speaker who is  
familiar with the Gospel of John and  
the lessons of the past quarter, and  
let him bring out in the review its  
most outstanding and salient features.

One method would be to have one-  
minute talks either by members of the  
class or persons selected from the  
school. Each of twelve scholars could  
be assigned one minute, each to have  
one of the lessons of the past quar-  
ter.

Another good way would be to take  
the outstanding and significant verses  
from the lessons of the quarter, not  
the golden text, but verses which seem  
to emphasize the outstanding features  
of the six months' work. “Behold the  
Lamb of God,” (Ch. 1:36): “Ye must  
be born again,” (3:7): “Come see a  
man which told me all things that ever  
I did; is not this the Christ?” (4:20):  
“Verily, verily I say unto you, he that  
heareth my word and believeth on him  
that sent me, hath everlasting life and  
shall not come into condemnation, but  
is passed from death unto life,” (5:24):  
“I must work the works of him that  
sent me while it is day; the night  
cometh when no man can work.”

Another method of review would be,  
particularly in the adult classes, to  
have each lesson with its present-day  
emphasis. For instance, the past quar-  
ter: Lesson 1—The Christian in his  
dealing with blindness. Lesson 2—  
Modern wonders of healing and medi-  
cal missions. Lesson 3—The shep-  
herding of church members. Lesson 4  
—Do we know how to give? Lesson 5  
—Is Christ supreme in our national  
life? Lesson 6—Ambition and its cure.  
Lesson 7—The world's good springing  
from Christ. Lesson 8—Temperance  
reform. Lesson 9—The Holy Spirit in  
everyday life. Lesson 10—How Christ  
is betrayed and denied today. Lesson  
11—The uplifting power of the cross.  
Lesson 12—Why men believe in im-  
mortality.

A good method of review would be  
to have someone take up each of the  
golden texts, announcing it in advance  
that pupils may be prepared for this  
method. The teacher would write the  
texts of the quarter, each on a separa-  
te piece of cardboard, and lay them  
face down on a table; pupils would be  
then draw the golden texts, one at a  
time, and tell what the lesson is to  
which this text belongs, giving as full  
an account of the lesson as possible,  
the teacher helping out with questions  
where necessary.

It will be of great value to the  
pupils if they can get in this review a  
clear outline of the main events of  
Christ's last weeks upon earth, cov-  
ered particularly by the past quarter.  
There are forty standing events of  
the past quarters: (1) The healing of  
the man born blind; (2) Jesus the good  
Shepherd; (3) Jesus sending forth the  
seventy; (4) Lazarus in Bethany; (5)  
The raising of Lazarus; (6) The ten lep-  
ers healed; (7) Bartimaeus at Jericho;  
(8) Jesus visits Zaccheus; (9) Jesus  
anointed by Mary; (10) The fig tree;  
(11) Triumphant entry; (12) Cleansing  
the temple; (13) Weeping over Jeru-  
salem; (14) The widow's mite; (15)  
The Greeks seek Jesus; (16) Prepara-  
tion for the passover; (17) Washing  
the disciples' feet; (18) The Lord's  
supper; (19) The farewell discourse;  
(20) The farewell prayer; (21) The  
agony in Gethsemane; (22) Judas be-  
trays Jesus; (23) The arrest of Je-  
sus; (24) Peter denies Jesus; (25)  
Jesus before Ananias; (26) Jesus be-  
fore Caiaphas; (27) Jesus before the  
Sanhedrin; (28) The mocking of Je-  
sus; (29) Jesus before Pilate; (30)  
Jesus before Herod; (31) Pilate con-  
demns Jesus; (32) The sorrowful  
way; (33) The crucifixion; (34) The  
seven last words; (35) Jesus dies;  
(36) Burial; (37) Resurrection; (38)  
Appears to Mary; (39) Appearance  
during the forty days; (40) The as-  
cension.

As brought out heretofore, John  
sets forth the purpose of his Gospel;  
namely, that “Jesus is the Christ, the  
Son of God, and that believing on him  
we might have everlasting life, eternal  
life in his name.” (See golden text).

A Suggestion.  
In setting forth this review, let us  
not as teachers and officers, overlook  
the opportunity we have of calling  
from our scholars an expression of the  
faith that has been born within them.  
(See Rom. 10:9, 10). Jesus the light  
of the world has power to set men free  
from sin and “whom the son shall  
make free is free indeed.” If we  
properly set him before our scholars,  
they will be made free from the slav-  
ery of sin and enter into the freedom  
of believers. True faith is built upon  
facts; those who accept and believe  
these facts will have everlasting life.

**GALOMEL WHEN BILIOUS? NO! STOP!  
ACTS LIKE DYNAMITE ON LIVER**

I Guarantee “Dodson's Liver Tone” Will Give You the Best Liver  
and Bowel Cleansing You Ever Had—Doesn't Make You Sick!

Stop using calomel! It makes you  
sick. Don't lose a day's work. If you  
feel lazy, sluggish, bilious or consti-  
pated, listen to me!

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver  
which causes necrosis of the bones.  
Calomel, when it comes into contact  
with sour bile, crumbles into it, breaking  
it up. This is when you feel that awful  
nausea and cramping. If you feel  
“all knocked out,” if your liver is tor-  
pid and bowels constipated or you  
have headache, dizziness, coated  
tongue, if breath is bad or stomach  
sour just try a spoonful of harmless  
Dodson's Liver Tone.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any  
drug store or dealer and get a 50-cent  
bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a

spoonful and if it doesn't straighten  
you right up and make you feel fine  
and vigorous I want you to go back to  
the store and get your money. Dod-  
son's Liver Tone is destroying the  
sale of calomel because it is real liver  
medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore  
it cannot sialivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of  
Dodson's Liver Tone will put your  
sluggish liver to work and clean your  
bowels of that sour bile and consti-  
pated waste which is clogging your  
system and making you feel miserable.  
I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's  
Liver Tone will keep your entire fam-  
ily feeling fine for months. Give it to  
your children. It is harmless; doesn't  
gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

**A Panama.**

The straw hat's reappearance led  
Barclay Warburton, the Philadelphia  
newspaper owner, to say:

“Before the war I often golfed at  
Blairitz, at the Chambre d'Amour  
golf links, looking out over the Bay  
of Biscany.

“Sometimes I had for caddy an old  
Scotchman. I said to the old Scotch-  
man one day:

“Glorious view! Glorious view, eh?”

“Yes, Mr. Warburton,” said he. “It's  
what you might call a very fine  
panama.”

**With the Fingers!**  
Says Corns Lift Out  
Without Any Pain

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or  
any kind of a corn can shortly be  
lifted right out with the fingers if you  
will apply on the corn a few drops of  
Freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

At little cost one can get a small bot-  
tle of Freezone at any drug store, which  
will positively rid one's feet of every  
corn or callus without pain or soreness  
or the danger of infection.

This new drug is an ether compound,  
and dries the moment it is applied and  
does not inflame or even irritate the  
surrounding skin. Just think! You  
can lift off your corns and calluses  
now without a bit of pain or soreness.  
If your druggist hasn't Freezone he can  
easily get a small bottle for you from  
his wholesale drug house.—adv.

**Twenty-Five Years'  
Experience With This  
Kidney Medicine**

It is a quarter of a century since I in-  
troduced Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root to  
my trade and they all speak very favor-  
ably regarding it, and some friends said  
it is the best medicine they have ever  
used. The sale we have enjoyed on the  
preparation and the splendid reputation  
that it has acquired is a positive proof that it is  
one of the most meritorious remedies on  
the market. Very truly yours,

F. E. BRITTON, Druggist,  
Nov. 28th, 1916. Jonesboro, Tenn.

**Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You**  
Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co.,  
Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bot-  
tle. It will convince anyone. You will  
also receive a booklet of valuable infor-  
mation, telling about the kidneys and blad-  
der. When writing, be sure and mention  
this paper. Regular fifty-cent and one-  
dollar size bottles for sale at all drug  
stores.—Adv.

**The Better Way.**  
“What I went through in my mar-  
ried life was a caution.”  
“What I went through in my mar-  
ried life were my husband's pockets.”

**Important to Mothers**  
Examine carefully every bottle of  
CASTORIA, that famous old remedy  
for infants and children, and see that it  
bears the  
Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*  
In Use for Over 30 Years.  
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Appearances may be deceitful but a  
three days' growth of beard always  
is exactly what it looks.

Dr. Peery's “Dead Shot” is not a “to-  
songe” or “syrup,” but a real old-fashioned  
dose of medicine which cleans out Worms  
or Tapeworm with a single dose. Adv.

Too few women know how to use  
dry goods after they get them.

**Started Right in to Fight.**

“They quarreled immediately after  
the wedding ceremony.”

“That so? While the guests were  
there?”

“Yes, right in the presence of ev-  
erybody. It seemed a disgraceful  
thing to do until I caught the idea.”

“What was the idea?”

“It seemed he wanted to convince  
all of us that he was not marrying  
her to escape war.”

**FRECKLES**  
Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These  
Fleeting Spots.  
There's no longer the slightest need of  
feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the  
prescription ointment—double strength—is  
guaranteed to remove even the most  
stubborn. Simply get an ounce of ointment—double  
strength—from your druggist, and apply a  
little of it at night and morning and you  
should soon see that even the worst freckles  
have begun to disappear, while the lighter  
ones have vanished entirely. It is a medium  
more than once used is needed to com-  
pletely clear the skin and gain a beautiful  
clear complexion.  
Be sure to ask for the double strength  
ointment, as this is sold under guarantee of  
money back if it fails to remove freckles.—  
Adv.

**Forestalling a Shortage.**  
This restaurant shortage is appro-  
priately named, all right. It surely  
doesn't last long.

Granulated Eyelids, Sties, Inflamed Eyes  
Relieved over night by Roman Eye Balsam.  
One trial proves its merit. Adv.

He who would enter politics should  
first learn to watch his step.

**Kill All Flies! THEY SPREAD  
DISEASE**  
Flies anywhere, they fly. Killers attract and kill all  
Flies. Neat, clean, ornamental, convenient, and cheap.  
Last all seasons. Made  
up over; will not set on  
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