

A Heavy Fine.
Under the Elkins law any railroad company which pays rebates in any form, or any shipper who accepts them, is liable to a fine of from \$1000 to \$20,000 upon conviction. It also prohibits the carrying of freight at less than the published tariffs. The Interstate Commerce Commission is empowered to detect and prosecute violators of this statute. President Knapp, of the commission, states that since this law was passed rebate paying has been as rare as forgery.

When you get to thinking that love is a lottery you are likely to prove it by drawing a blank.

Dyspepsia of Women

ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY AGONY
Caused by Uterine Disorders and Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

A great many women suffer with a form of indigestion or dyspepsia which does not seem to yield to ordinary treatment. While the symptoms seem to be similar to those of ordinary indigestion, yet the medicines universally prescribed do not seem to restore the patient's normal condition.



Mrs. M. Wright

Mrs. Pinkham claims that there is a kind of dyspepsia that is caused by a derangement of the female organism, and which, while it causes a disturbance similar to ordinary indigestion, cannot be relieved without a medicine which not only acts as a stomach tonic, but has peculiar uterine-tonic effects also.

As proof of this theory we call attention to the case of Mrs. Maggie Wright, Brooklyn, N. Y., who was completely cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after everything else had failed. She writes:

"For two years I suffered with dyspepsia which so degenerated my entire system that I was unable to attend to my daily duties. I felt weak and nervous, and nothing that I ate tasted good and it caused a disturbance in my stomach. I tried different dyspepsia cures, but nothing seemed to help me. I was advised to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and was happily surprised to find that it acted like a fine tonic, and in a few days I began to enjoy and properly digest my food. My recovery was rapid, and in five weeks I was a well woman. I have recommended it to many suffering women."

No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement, or has such a record of cures of female troubles, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

THE FISH BRAND SLICKER A VALUED FRIEND

"A good many years ago I bought a FISH BRAND Slicker, and it has proven a valued friend for many a stormy day, but now it is getting old and I must have another. Please send me a price-list."

(The name of this worthy friend, obliged to be out in all sorts of weather, will be given on application.)

HIGHEST AWARD WORLD'S FAIR, 1904.
A. J. TOWER CO., Boston, U. S. A.
TOWERS COMPANY, Limited, Toronto, Canada
Wet Weather Clothing, Suits, and Hats for all kinds of wet work or sport

WORMS

"I write to let you know how I appreciate your Cascarets. I commenced taking them last November and took two boxes, and I feel better than I have in a long time. Then I commenced taking them again and within a few days I passed another large worm of ft. long and over an inch in diameter. Previous to my taking Cascarets I didn't know I had a tape-worm. I always had a small appetite."

Wm. F. Brown, 124 Franklin St., Brooklyn, N. Y.



Best For The Bowels
Cascarets
CANDY CATHARTIC
THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP!

Filet, Palatable, Pungent, Taste Good, Do Good. Never causes Weakness or Gripes. No. 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped 50c. Guaranteed to cure or your money back.

Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N.Y.
ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

No. 16.



Better Fruits—Better Profits

Better peaches, apples, pears and berries are produced when Potash is liberally applied to the soil. To insure a full crop, of choicest quality, use a fertilizer containing not less than 10 per cent. actual

Potash

Send for our practical books of information; they are not advertising pamphlets, but are authoritative treatises. Sent free for the asking.

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Atlanta, Ga.—22 1/2 South Broad Street.

The currency in Korea consists of nickel and copper coins and silver dollars.

HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS



FRUIT.

Fruit alone will not sustain life for any great length of time, but helps to furnish a variety in the diet.

It stimulates and improves appetite and digestion, relieves thirst, and introduces water into the system; acts as a laxative or astringent, stimulates the kidneys and supplies the organic salts necessary to proper nutrition.

Among the laxatives are figs, prunes, dates, nectarines, oranges and mulberries.

The astringents are blackberries, dewberries, raspberries, pomegranates, quinces, pears, wild cherries, cranberries and medlars.

The kinds used for diuretics are grapes, black currants, peaches, whortleberries and prickly pears. The refrigerants are red and white currants, gooseberries, lemons, limes and apples.

Apples are useful as a stomach sedative, and will relieve nausea, and even seasickness. — Massachusetts Ploughman.

CANDLESTICKS.

In spite of the countless varieties of gasfittings and the beautiful and artistic metalwork of electric light chandeliers and table lights, there has always been a conservative attachment to the candlestick in all its varieties. It is a singular example of the innate tendency of everybody to cling to old forms. The flaring gas flame never lent itself, except in its present incandescent form, to very artistic treatment, but the electric light from the first showed its possibilities from a decorative as well as a useful point of view. As if to blot out the remembrance of gas altogether, candlesticks of silver and of brass have been adapted with imitation candle and flame-shaped globe for the electric light. Fine brass hanging candelabra of old Dutch design have been fitted in this way in ballrooms. They have all the elegance of candles with the advantage that they do not drop wax on the dancers beneath. — New York Globe.

UNCOMFORTABLE CHAIRS.

The House Beautiful has a word to say about uncomfortable chairs—those disappointing articles of furniture that are found in all the homes of the land.

Uncomfortable chairs are an outrage against taste and temper, yet they exist in many forms. There is the chair with the low back that ends just where support is most necessary.

There is the chair with the high seat that should be sold only with a foot rest. There is the chair with the curved back that should be accompanied by a head rest, for its displays at the top on a line with the occupant's cranium a bunch of grapes or a rampant lion.

There are other chairs that might be mentioned, chairs with arms that are too high or so low that they are of no earthly use; chairs that are so wide in the seat that a cushion is necessary to fill out the space; chairs with backs that are out of line and throw the body too far forward. Cooks should be willing to eat their own dishes, and chairmakers should be compelled to sit in their own chairs—or at least to 'try' them before sending them out into the world. Some of the mission pieces are built on dimensions that would doubtless afford comfort to a race of giants, but they scarcely meet the needs of ordinary mortals. As a rule the seats of the chairs are too high and those of the davenport and settees too wide and often too low. The colonial furniture makers were masters of comfort. Their chairs, with few exceptions, are perfectly proportioned and extremely comfortable. The old sofas and davenports are so constructed that pillows to brace the human back are not necessary. The wooden back is in its right place and meets every requirement. Reproductions of old pieces are not always exact in their dimensions. A free colonial copy is usually a poor thing, having none of the grace of the original and little of its comfort. Avoid reproductions unless they reproduce."

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The admiral, in relating the incident, says the manner of the speaker amused him very much. As he passed by the mate raised his voice, with the unmistakable intention of being overheard, saying to his companion:

"I mean to give up this seafaring life when my time is out. I am going to marry a rich widow woman, the derelict of a butcher."

HONEST CONFESSION.

A Doctor's Talk on Food.

There are no fairer set of men on earth than the doctors, and when they find they have been in error they are usually apt to make honest and manly confession of the fact.

A case in point is that of an eminent practitioner, one of the good old school, who lives in Texas. His plain, unvarnished tale needs no dressing up:

"I had always had an intense prejudice, which I can now see was unwarrantable and unreasonable, against all much advertised foods. Hence, I never read a line of the many 'ads.' of Grape-Nuts, nor tested the food till last winter.

"While in Corpus Christi for my health, and visiting my youngest son, who has four of the ruddiest, healthiest little boys I ever saw, I ate my first dish of Grape-Nuts food for supper with my little grandsons. I became exceedingly fond of it and have eaten a package of it every week since, and find it a delicious, refreshing and strengthening food, leaving no ill effects whatever, causing no eructations (with which I was formerly much troubled), no sense of fullness, nausea, nor distress of stomach in any way.

"There is no other food that agrees with me so well, or sits as lightly or pleasantly upon my stomach as this does. I am stronger and more active since I began the use of Grape-Nuts than I have been for ten years, and am no longer troubled with nausea and indigestion." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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ALL BROKEN DOWN.

No Sleep—No Appetite—Just a Continual Backache.

Joseph McCauley, of 144 Sholto street, Chicago, Sachem of Tecumseh Lodge, says: "Two years ago my health was completely broken down. My back ached and was so lame that at times I was hardly able to dress myself. I lost my appetite and was unable to sleep. There seemed to be no relief until I took Doan's Kidney Pills. Four boxes of this remedy effected a complete and permanent cure. If suffering humanity knew the value of Doan's Kidney Pills they would use nothing else, as it is the only positive cure I know."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

French Printing Trade Exhibition.

Following British precedent of 1904, an international exhibition of printing, papermaking, journalism, engraving and all graphic arts is to be held in Paris in 1905. It is to be the largest show of the kind ever held. Paper manufacturing and wood pulp making will, it is stated, be shown in operation.

NO TONGUE CAN TELL

How I Suffered With Itching and Bleeding Eczema Until Cured by Cuticura.

"No tongue can tell how I suffered for five years with a terribly painful, itching and bleeding eczema, my body and face being covered with sores. Never in my life did I experience such awful suffering, and I longed for death, which I felt was near. I had tried doctors and medicines without success, but my mother insisted that I try Cuticura. I felt better after the first bath with Cuticura Soap, and one application of Cuticura Ointment, and was soon entirely well. (Signed) Mrs. A. Etson, Bellevue, Mich."

a sign that everybody in the street will get a chance to see it.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CROOK & CO., Toledo, O., We, the undersigned, have known E. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. WEST & TRACY, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

WALDING, KINMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is sold internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Positionally, see: Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Few Instances.

"Has it ever happened in your professional experience that an innocent man was sent to prison?" was asked of a Boston criminal lawyer.

"It has," was the prompt reply. "I was just figuring on that yesterday. Of the 400 criminal cases I have defended about fifty of my clients were convicted and sent up."

"And they were innocent?"

"They must have been. When I have appended a case to the last court report while addressing the jury, talked of the man's dear old mother and as good as proved an alibi in his case the jury must have rendered a verdict of guilty simply through ignorance or stupidity."

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Pointed Paragraphs.

Book-keepers are merely figureheads in the business.

The motto of some men is, "Give me liberty or give me debt."

A man's most distant relatives are those who have the most money.

Most women would rather patch up a quarrel than darn their stockings.

Many a good name has been given the tar and feather degree by idle gossip.

If a man is unable to keep his word he can find plenty more in the dictionary.

When money talks to the most of us it is the other end of a long-distance 'phone.

When a married man laughs in his sleep his wife imagines he is dreaming that he is a bachelor.

There are a few rising young men in this world, but the majority keep their seats in a crowded car.

Owing to the high price of wool, the wolf finds it rather expensive masquerading in sheep's clothing.

There is mighty little poetry in raising a family of ten.

A man is so unreasonable he would rather pay doctor's bills than milliners' bills.

Twins are like having pneumonia when you expected to go to a baseball game.

The devil could get a very big salary if he would come up and live in New York.

You can generally tell when a girl has been kissed before by the way she pretends she hasn't.

Heaven has no interests in the church that has no interest in humanity.

You can make a man so mad he can't see by telling him how everybody admires the ability of one of his friends.

If you would knock a stubborn man down instead of stopping to argue with him you would save a lot of wind and much valuable time.

When a woman has a birthday after she has counted the presents she hasn't time to count the years.

A man hardly ever knows enough to pretend to think his wife knows more than she does.

Praise comes to the man who waits for it—under six feet of earth.

Isn't the rent a man pays that keeps him moving.

Some people live in the shadow because they don't approve of the spots on the sun.

FITS permanently cured. Nofits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer, \$2.00 per bottle and treatise free. Dr. J. H. KLINE, Ltd., 231 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

There are no less than 340 agricultural societies scattered over Scovia.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c. a bottle.

It's a poor grace that doesn't make a man gracious.

Use Longman & Martinez Paint. Don't pay \$1.50 a gallon for linseed oil, which you do in ready-for-use paint. Buy oil fresh from the barrel at 60 cents per gallon, and mix it with Longman & Martinez L. & M. Paint. It makes paint cost about \$1.20 per gallon.

James S. Barron, President Manchester Cotton Mills, Rock Hill, S. C., writes: "In 1883 I painted my residence with L. & M. It looks better than a great many houses painted three years ago."

Sold everywhere and by Longman & Martinez, New York. Paint Makers for Fifty Years.

Bulgaria is placing immense orders for war material in Europe.

Children Dying. At this season of the year, when warm days followed by cool nights and the eating of fruit and vegetables effecting the stomach, bowels, etc., we hear of so many children dying. Give them Dr. Biggers' Buckleberry Cordial, the great specific for all bowel troubles and children teething. Sold by all Druggists, 25 and 50c. bottle.

Apparatus is said to be the oldest plant used for food.

Pico's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. SAMUEL, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

Immigration into Canada is increasing rapidly.

Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Never Fails. Sold by all druggists, \$1. Mail orders promptly filled by Dr. E. Detchon, Crawfordsville, Ind.

If men saved to keep out of debt the way they have to get out this would be a world of millionaires.

QUEEN OF ACTRESSES PRAISES PE-RU-NA.



MISS JULIA MARLOWE: Heartily Approves of Peruna For the Nerves.

In a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., Miss Julia Marlowe, of New York City, writes the following:

"I am glad to write my endorsement of the great remedy, Peruna, as a nerve tonic. I do so most heartily."—Julia Marlowe.

Nervousness is very common among women. This condition is due to anemic nerve centres. The nerve centres are the reservoirs of nervous vitality. These centres become bloodless for want of proper nutrition.

This is especially true in the spring season. Every spring a host of invalids are produced as the direct result of weak nerves.

This can be easily obviated by using Peruna. Peruna strikes at the root of the difficulty by correcting the digestion. Digestion furnishes nutrition for the nerve centres. Properly digested food furnishes these reservoirs of life with vitality which leads to strong, steady nerves and thus nourishes life.

Peruna is in great favor among women, especially those who have convulsions that are trying to the nerves.

Buy a bottle of Peruna to-day. If you do not receive all the benefits from Peruna that you expected, write to Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

Say Plainly to Your Grocer

That you want LION COFFEE always, and he, being a square man, will not try to sell you anything else. You may not care for our opinion, but

What About the United Judgment of Millions

of housekeepers who have used LION COFFEE for over a quarter of a century?

Is there any stronger proof of merit, than the

Confidence of the People

and ever increasing popularity? LION COFFEE is carefully selected at the plantation, shipped direct to our various factories, where it is skillfully roasted and carefully packed in sealed packages—unlike loose coffee, which is exposed to germs, dust, insects, etc. LION COFFEE reaches you as pure and clean as when it left the factory. Sold only in 1 lb. packages.

Lion-head on every package. Save these Lion-heads for valuable premiums.

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WOOLSON SPICE CO., Toledo, Ohio.

A boy goes to school so as to have a lot to unlearn when he comes out.

If afflicted with weak eyes, use Thompson's Eye Water

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So. 16.

GOOD LUCK

Free Premiums

To further introduce Good Luck Baking Powder, we are offering valuable premiums free to all users. On the label of every can will be found a coupon. Cut out these coupons and save them. The little gift book inside each can illustrates the many articles and tells how to get them free. Besides these valuable premiums, you get a superior baking powder and it costs you but 10c per pound can.

GOOD LUCK Baking Powder

possesses excellent leavening qualities. It is powerful in generating gas, therefore makes exceedingly light bakings. Its positive purity assures you of good baking results. Through these superior qualities Good Luck Baking powder has reached the largest sale of any baking powder in the world. Carloads and trainloads are shipped to all sections of the country. This tremendous sale makes it possible for us to sell it at the little price of 10c per pound can. Insist upon having Good Luck Baking Powder and get a superior article at a moderate price.

THE SOUTHERN MFG. CO.
Richmond, Va.

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