

Hoarseness

Have you got hoarseness that continues? Or do you get hoarse once in a while, whenever you get the slightest cold?

Hoarseness means a catarrhal condition of the vocal cords. The vocal cords are way down in the larynx and when affected by hoarseness should cause serious concern.

Peruna has been found to be an excellent remedy for such cases. We have received testimonials from responsible people who have been relieved of hoarseness by Peruna.

"ILLS OF LIFE"

sent free by the Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Peruna can also be obtained in tablet form. Ask your druggist, or send to us direct.

The Medium.

"How can you drink to anybody with your eyes, as the poet says?" "I suppose, in an eyeglass."

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give California Syrup of Figs

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of California Syrup of Figs.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of California Syrup of Figs, which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Too Good.

To say that honesty is the best policy—to say in other words, that the more honest you are the richer you will become—that is a silly and self-evident lie.

The speaker, Harvey Woodruff, the well-known G. A. R. historian of Houston, had been discussing the honesty of George Washington. He continued:

"To be virtuous means to be poor and wretched. Take the case of Auntie Martha Washington Clay.

"Auntie Martha visited the office of a Mola Chucky lawyer and said: 'Ah wants a divorce from mah husband Cal.'

"Why, auntie, what has Cal been doing?"

"He's done got religion, sah, an' an' sah'n't tasted chicken fo' free months."

Peace In That Family.

A little girl being lost, was taken to the police station, where the officers tried to learn her name. At last, after many vain efforts, one of them asked her:

"Tell me, dear, what names does your mother call your father?" "She doesn't call him any name," the child answered, innocently. "She kisses him."

Nice Woman This.

Snapp—Well, all the foals are not dead yet.

Mrs. Snapp—I'm glad of it. I never did look well in black.

LIFE'S ROAD

Smoothed by Change of Food.

Worry is a big load to carry and an unnecessary one. When accompanied by indigestion it certainly is cause for the blues.

But the whole trouble may be easily thrown off and life's road be made easy and comfortable by proper eating and the cultivation of good cheer.

Read what a Troy woman says: "Two years ago I made the acquaintance of Grape-Nuts and have used the food once a day and sometimes twice, ever since."

"At the time I began to use it life was a burden. I was for years afflicted with bilious sick headache, caused by indigestion, and nothing seemed to relieve me."

"The trouble became so severe I had to leave my work for days at a time."

"My nerves were in such a state I could not sleep and the doctor said I was on the verge of nervous prostration. I saw an adv. concerning Grape-Nuts and bought a package for trial."

"What Grape-Nuts has done for me is certainly marvelous. I can now sleep like a child, am entirely free from the old trouble and have not had a headache in over a year. I feel like a new person. I have recommended it to others. One man I knew ate principally Grape-Nuts while working on the ice all winter, and said he never felt better in his life."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

When read the above letter? A new cure appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

HOLDEN PLANS CAMPAIGN FOR DIVERSIFIED AGRICULTURE

TO UNITE PROMINENT INTERESTS IN SOUTH TO ASSIST IN THE WORK

Agricultural Extension Department to Aid Any Community Interested in Conducting Campaign to Encourage the Growing of Alfalfa—Live Stock, Silos, More Pastures and a Better System of Crop Rotation Will Be Urged.

Alfalfa Automobile Trains Important Feature of the Work—Schedules to Be Arranged and Meetings to Be Held at Farm Homes—Prominent Speakers to Accompany Each Alfalfa Train—Organizations Will Be Formed in Each Community to Promote the Work—Field Men Experienced in Alfalfa Growing Will Follow Up Preliminary Work Wherever Possible and Give Aid in Getting a Start—Prof. P. G. Holden, Director Extension Department, International Harvester Company of New Jersey, Chicago, Will direct the work.

The campaign will be conducted in co-operation with farmers' institutes, bankers, business men, farmers, commercial clubs, granges, live stock and dairy associations and other organizations in any community where the people are anxious to improve their agricultural conditions and are willing to give time and money to carry on the work.

County and city superintendents of schools, colleges, institute workers, Chautauqua lecturers, and others interested in the work will be assisted in obtaining alfalfa charts and lantern slides. Literature and booklets will be given wide distribution throughout the country. Special alfalfa articles will be sent to farm journals and magazines, and plate and matrix pages to newspapers. Special editions of newspapers will be published where campaigns are conducted. Dates will be arranged for "Alfalfa Day" in the schools.

To Begin Campaign Work in Cotton Belt Immediately. Work to be started immediately in the cotton belt states and in the east and west. Thirty to forty meetings will be held in each county, the number depending on local conditions.

To accomplish the most in agricultural development, we must begin with the man behind the crop. Upon him depends the final working out of the principles of agriculture—the simple and practical things—which our schools, colleges and experiment stations are endeavoring to bring into general use.

Professor Holden proposes to carry these principles further even than the very effective work done on the agricultural trains, by using that most modern vehicle—the automobile—going directly to the people on their own farms where the meetings are to be held.

Alfalfa Greatest Soil-Enriching Crop.

Agricultural development needs in addition to the work of our public institutions, the individual efforts of every merchant, banker, corporation, or laboring man, and this plan calls for their heartiest co-operation.

This plan for increasing the yields of our crops by the more extensive growing of that wonderful soil improver, ALFALFA, is meeting the approval of all men who have any knowledge of the beneficial results of its introduction as a general crop.

Campaigns are now being conducted in many of the central western states, and Professor Holden is daily answering requests for his assistance in organizing other localities, and invites cordial co-operation with every community interested.

Where campaigns are contemplated it is required, first, that a request be made to the Agricultural Extension Department for assistance in carrying on the campaign.

What the local people will provide:

- (1) Expenses (meals and lodging) for the alfalfa speakers and staff upon their arrival and during the campaign. (2) Where the campaigns are conducted by automobiles alone, from ten to twenty automobiles for each day of the campaign to carry the alfalfa crew and invited guests; one auto truck to carry literature, baggage, charts, and other equipment. (3) Where the campaigns are carried on in co-operation with the railroads, automobiles and railroad equipment must be furnished. (4) Arrange for meeting places and publish schedule of same. (5) Local advertising. (6) Photographer, if possible.

The Agricultural Extension Department will provide:

- (1) Advance men to assist in organization work. (2) Lecturers. (3) Literature. (4) Special educational articles for newspapers and farm journals pertinent to alfalfa culture, object of campaign, etc. (5) Field men to follow up the preliminary work and aid the people in any community where sufficient interest is shown to warrant it.

WILL DISTRIBUTE EDUCATIONAL BOOKLETS

Interesting Literature to Be Sent Out By the I. H. C. Extension Department—Books Dealing With Many Phases of Agriculture and Other Subjects.

Agriculture means more to the people at large than all other things. It is the most vital subject now holding the public mind. The work of agricultural and industrial education is a very large and a very important work. The Agricultural Extension Department of the International Harvester Company of New Jersey was organized to develop the agricultural efficiency of the people, who are tilling the soil and producing the crops upon which we live.

The work of the department is carried on in many ways. First, by going direct to the homes of the people, and assisting them in their homes with their problems.

Another method is the dissemination of educational literature. The department has at present for distribution a number of interesting booklets covering many phases of agriculture and other subjects, all of which are of special interest on account of their educational value. They are not for sale, but will be sent anywhere at the cost of postage or express and may be obtained by writing the Extension Department, Harvester Building, Chicago.

No. 1—The Story of Bread—An interesting story of the world-old struggle for cheap bread. Single copy, 3 cents; in quantities, 2 cents per copy.

No. 2—Creeds of Great Business Men—A series of sketches of men who have helped to make business what it is today. Single copy, 5 cents; in quantities, 3 cents.

No. 3—The Golden Stream—A plain, everyday textbook on the many phases of dairying. Single copy, 5 cents; in quantities, 2 cents.

No. 4—For Better Crops—A collection of valuable articles on farm subjects. Single copy, 6 cents; in quantities, 3 cents.

No. 5—The Story of Twine—This traces briefly the manufacture of

twine. Single copy, 3 cents; in quantities, 2 cents.

No. 6—Engine Operator's Guide—Tells all about how to operate, repair and keep in good condition a gasoline engine. Single copy, 3 cents; in quantities, 2 cents.

No. 7—The Cattle Tick—The best way for getting rid of it. Single copy, 2 cents; in quantities, 1 cent.

No. 8—For Better Crops in the South—Deals with crops and conditions in the south. Single copy, 4 cents; in quantities, 3 cents.

No. 9—The Disk Harrow—Shows the part disk plays in crop production. Single copy, 4 cents; in quantities, 2 cents.

No. 10—The Binder Twine Industry—A story of the process used in making binder twine. Single copy, 20 cents; in quantities, 15 cents.

No. 11—Harvest Scenes of the World—A 150-page book, handsomely bound, and printed in two colors, showing harvesting in many countries. Single copy, 50 cents; in quantities, 35 cents.

No. 12—Alfalfa in the Cotton Belt—How to get a stand of Alfalfa in the south. Single copy 2 cents; in quantities 1 cent.

No. 13—Diversified Farming in the Cotton Belt—A fifty page booklet. Single copy 4 cents; in quantities 2 cents.

No. 14—For Better Corn in the Cotton Belt—Single copy 2 cents; in quantities 1 cent.

No. 15—The Boll Weevil—A thirty-six page booklet. Single copy 4 cents; in quantities 2 cents.

No. 16—Sweet Clover—Its agricultural value. Thirty-two page book. Single copy 4 cents; in quantities 2 cents.

No. 17—The I. H. C. Demonstration Farms—Giving the results of experiments with farm crops in the south. Twenty pages. Single copy 2 cents; in quantities 1 cent.

Besides the booklets named above, from time to time there will be issued other interesting agricultural booklets pertinent to crops in all parts of the United States. Future issues will treat such subjects as cowpeas, soy beans, peanuts, velvet beans, rice, sugar cane, silos, feeds and feeding, weeds and insects, etc.

Hope for the Hopeless

By REV. L. W. GOSNELL, Assistant to the Dean, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT—And as Jesus passed forth from thence, he saw a man, named Matthew, sitting at the receipt of custom; and he saith unto him, "Follow me." And he arose, and followed him.—Matt. 9:9.



The Sinner.

The publicans were servants of the tax farmers, who collected dues for Rome, and were extortioners; the custom house official was considered the worst of his class. The Jews had a saying that bears and lions might be the fiercest wild beasts in the forest, but publicans and informers were the worst in the cities. For a Jew, such as Matthew was, to enter thus into the service of the oppressors of his own race, was considered the lowest degradation. The religion of the day had no hope for such a man.

Some who read these words may have given up hope for acquaintance, and even for those of their own household. There may be some, still more unfortunate, who have given up hope for themselves. Let us see what Jesus did for a man who was considered beyond redemption.

The Saviour.

(1) He called this man to himself. Matthew did not seek him, but he sought Matthew. Christ's words are true, "Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you." He calls us by his Holy Spirit, by sick beds, by sorrows, by the words of friends.

"I've found a Friend, oh, such a Friend! He loved me ere I knew Him; He drew me with the cords of love, And thus He bound me to Him."

(2) He proved attractive to this man. The Pharisees acted out their feelings, "I am holier than thou." But, though sinless, Jesus was the friend of sinners. He won Matthew's heart, and when men know the love of him who was lifted up on the cross for their sins, they are still drawn to him. Raphael's "Transfiguration" is an unobscured daub when seen from certain angles; we must get the right viewpoint to behold the glories. To a broken and contrite heart, Jesus is altogether lovely.

(3) He was misunderstood. The Pharisees inquired, "why eateth your Master with publicans and sinners?" It cost Matthew something to follow Jesus, but it cost Jesus more to reckon on him among his disciples. Even if it requires great sacrifice to become a Christian, we should remind ourselves that Christ's followers often cause him grief and shame; still, he invites us.

The Saint.

What were the results of Christ's call on Matthew? (1) He left his business. It may make a similar demand now and some may not be willing to heed it; the Gadarenes preferred their swine to Jesus (Luke 8:26-37). But Christ promises, "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and all these things shall be added unto you." (Matt. 6:33).

(2) He became an open disciple. By the grace of God, he takes rank above Nicodemus and Joseph, who were disciples "but secretly." The hearts of some go out to Christ, but they are not willing to confess him before men. But the promise is, "If thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shall believe in thy heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." (Romans 10:9).

(3) He endeavored to win others. The feast in the house was doubtless for the purpose of acquainting his friends with Jesus. Every follower of Christ has the opportunity of reaching those in his circle of influence. The cultivated Henry Drummond helped students especially, while Samuel Hadley led many a drunkard to Jesus. What blessing you will miss, what loss may come to your friends, if you do not follow Christ!

(4) He was lifted out of the commonplace. Matthew seems to have been an ordinary man: he writes as a plain man of business. Yet he was made an evangelist and apostle; and John, in vision, saw him in the foundations of the new Jerusalem (Rev. 21:14). The same Saviour made out of Bunyan, the swearing tinker, the author of "Pilgrim's Progress," and has wrought many such miracles: He offers to write your name in "The Lamb's book of life!"

Why should you do without him? It is not yet too late; He has not closed the day of grace. He has not shut the gate.

Out of the total of 83,638 Christians on the church records in Japan, 30,666 are non-resident, or about 37 per cent. of the whole.

DROVE GUORMET TO SARCASM

Evidently French Restaurant Wine Was Not Exactly the Quality He Had Ordered.

William E. Corey praised at a Pittsburgh club the wines of California. "Our California wines," said the steel magnate, "are much better than wines of a similar price in France, for French wines are so adulterated today that even a high-priced one often tastes like burnt sugar and water."

"But the fine wines, the 'grand cru' wines are wonderful," a young banker interrupted.

Mr. Corey shook his head. "Not always," he said. "A friend of mine, a gourmet with whom I lunched not long ago at a fashionable boulevard restaurant in Paris, ordered a bottle of very old celebrated Margaux. Pouring out a little of the wine and rolling it on his tongue in true gourmet fashion he made a wry face."

"Waiter," he demanded. "What wine is this you brought me?" "It is what monsieur ordered," was the reply. "Margaux 1895, grand cru."

"Humph," sneered my friend, "how lucky it is to be so old and to conceal its age so well."

Testing Nephew's Knowledge.

There is a certain old German of Wilkesbarre, Pa., whose pride, like that of many self-made men, leads him at times into a sort of patronizing condescension toward those things he did not "have time for" when he was making his way in life.

Upon the occasion of the graduation of a nephew, he asked: "Vell, Wilhelm, vot did dey teach you up there?"

"Greek and Latin," said the boy, "and German and algebra."

"So, so!" murmured the old German. "And vot's der algebra for potatoes, now?"—Youth's Companion.

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Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

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Young Mother—I really don't know why he cries so.

Bachelor Friend—Perhaps it is his teeth coming through.

Young Mother—No! He isn't teething.

Bachelor Friend—Maybe it's his hair coming through that hurts him!

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His Way.

"That jockey beat the record." "Did he do it with a whip?"—Baltimore American.

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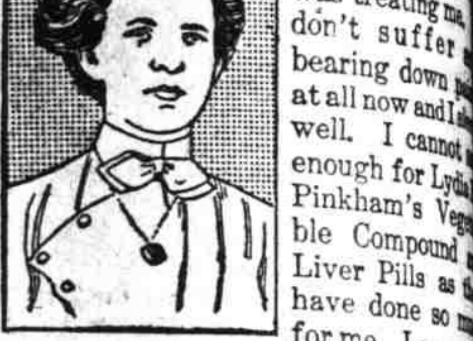
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