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By Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

As Mrs. Weaver herself says, "I was never very strong." This is a mild statement describing her condition, for, according to her letters, she was subjected to no small amount of ill health. Fortunately, her sister was familiar with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and begged Mrs. Weaver to try it. "After three or four weeks," writes Mrs. Weaver, "I felt a great difference in myself. I would go to bed and sleep sound, and although I could not do very much work, I seemed stronger. I kept on taking it and now I am well and strong, do my work and take care of three children. I sure do tell my friends about your wonderful medicine, and I will answer any letters from women asking about the Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. LAWRENCE WEAVER, East Smithfield St., Mt. Pleasant, Pa.

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"Specials" for Pigeons
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Aviators' Triumphs
As far as we have been able to ascertain, the German aviator, Capt. Von Richthofen, brought down the largest number of planes during the World war, the planes numbering 80. An English major, Raymond Colishaw, brought down 77, and an English major, Bishop, brought down 72, and the English major, E. Mannock, 71.—Washington Star.

An instrument known as a "detectoscope" has been invented that can spot shoplifters and expose looting clerks in any room of a building.

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Horticultural News

FRUIT TREES ARE HARMED BY PESTS

Not a year goes by that there are not numerous complaints of heavy loss of fruit trees due to the ravages of mice and rabbits. Injury from mice is comparatively easy to control. The succulent bark of the young tree is particularly tasty to them in the lean months of winter, but as they are under the snow and do not climb the trees, some means of protection will prevent their damage. Ordinary building paper does very well, not the tarred, but the plain gray building paper. Cut this in strips 6 inches or 8 inches wide and tie around the trunk of the young trees, banking up around the bottom with a little earth. A better and more permanent way is to use wire protectors made from either galvanized wire of a fine mesh or from expanded metal lath. Cut this material into strips about 18 inches high and 18 inches or so wide to allow for expansion of the tree, and fasten with small pieces of wire. This material will last several years without replacing, and insures adequate protection against mice and against rabbits as far as the material reaches, but rabbits have the faculty of getting on top of the snow and chewing the branches above the snow line. This makes protection a rather difficult matter. There is not any really good treatment for rabbits, but the following poison has met with some success and is worth trying: White arsenic, 1 part; corn meal, 3 parts. Mix thoroughly and spread about the area to be protected. A repellent which has also been used with varying success is as follows: Unslaked lime, 20 pounds; flowers of sulphur, 15 pounds; water, 40 pounds. Apply this to the trunks with a brush.

—M. B. Davis, Division of Horticulture, Central Indiana Experimental Farm.

Strawberries Protected by Covering With Straw

Everyone interested in growing strawberries in any way, will find it a valuable thing to mulch the vines well before the beginning of severe winter weather. The best material and generally the handiest is to employ straw. When the ground is frozen, apply the straw. Some four inches deep as the straw lies loose, is a good depth for the covering.

Allow the straw to so remain until early spring, or at the period when vegetation starts a growth. Then with the fork remove from directly over the hills or the matted rows of plants, about three-fourths of the straw, but leave it in the spaces between the rows. Allow it to remain in that position until the berries are all picked.

There are several advantages of the use of straw as winter protection of the plants. First, the plants do not become drawn out of the soil, if the winter season is one of much hard freezing. Second, by leaving it in the spaces, no grass or weeds can come up and much hard work is saved. Third, the straw so placed conserves the moisture, and fourth, the ripening fruit is kept free from sand or soil. This is mighty important, for unclean berries are hard to sell and fail to bring remunerative prices.

The whole process as described is not expensive, makes strawberry growing a pleasure and fully rewards anyone for the time and labor expended.

Low-Headed Trees Find Favor in Many Sections

The introduction of the San Jose scale a little more than twenty-five years ago created an immediate demand for low-headed trees. This extended to a point where many apple trees were headed as low as 18 inches. Now, the open center type framework is popular for apples as well as peaches in New Jersey and many other fruit districts.

In the attempt to secure a low, open center apple tree, very little attention in practice has been given during the last 20 years to obtaining an adequate spacing of the framework branches upon the trunk.

This fortunately has not resulted in any serious percentage of breakage of tops in New Jersey. Stayman, however, and to a less degree, Delicious, have proved to be varieties that tend to form weak main crotches if the main branches are too closely bunched. All apple districts are, therefore, urging a better spacing of the main branches of apple trees. The open center type of tree is still the most popular in New Jersey. Because of this, a slight extension or distribution of the head is the corrective pruning recommended.—J. A. Blake, Horticulturist, New Jersey Agricultural College.

Earliest Berry Bushes

Currants and gooseberries are among the earliest of our berry bushes to leaf out in the spring. For this reason the plants should be set in the ground where they are to remain permanently just as soon as possible. The plants will grow even though in full leaf before being transplanted. But they will not respond and make the strong growth the first year that they would if the plants were still in a dormant condition when they were first set out.

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Chicago Boasting of Record Load Speaker
When the embattled farmers of Massachusetts fired the shot that was heard round the world, they were revolutionary pioneers in more than one respect. They did the first piece of educational broadcasting, on a world-wide wave length, but there was this criticism: It took too long for the message to travel.

Recently there has come to the fore a desire on the part of merchants not only to get current news from great distances with which to attract the passerby, but also to extend the hearing range either throughout a store department or up and down the avenues approaching the store. To meet this need, loud speakers of various powers have been developed, with Chicago now boasting of one that will carry six miles. It weighs 180 pounds and has an air column of ten feet.

Gray Wolves Dying Out
Depredations of the large gray wolf are believed to be almost at an end in the West because of the unremitting activities of the United States biological survey and other agencies against them. In New Mexico, says Popular Mechanics Magazine, only eight wolves were caught last year and thirty-one the preceding year. Arizona reports that no wolves are now known to be within the borders of that state. A constant patrol is kept along the international boundary to prevent invasions by timber wolves and mountain lions from Mexico.

Where It Goes

Ralph—How about that million-dollar case?
Gerald—Oh, they settled that to the satisfaction of the lawyers on both sides.
Ralph—Ah! Did anybody else get anything?—Vancouver Province.

Conscience warns us as a friend before it punishes us as a judge.

Stanislaus.

IS IT NERVOUSNESS?

Huntington, W. Va.—"For about two years I was in miserable health. I tried several different medicines but did not get help. Finally I saw Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription advertised as being good for nervousness, so I began to take it. I am now on my third bottle, my nerves have quieted down, I can sleep, my appetite has returned, I have gained seven pounds and am feeling better and stronger than I have for over two years. 'Favorite Prescription' is the best medicine I have ever taken and it has done more towards restoring me to health than anything I ever took."—Mrs. Georgia Hamlin, 426 18th St.

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Diphtheria Hits at Adults

"There is no reason why there should not come a time when we can throw all our diphtheria signs into the waste basket," says Health Commissioner Henry F. Vaughan of Detroit.

As Doctor Vaughan reiterated, everyone can be immunized against diphtheria. It is just a reasonable, ordinary precaution to be so immunized. Most adults exercise their arbitrary authority to have their children inoculated. But adults say: "Oh, that's a child's disease, I won't get it."

They are wrong, but inquire among your friends and see how many have been inoculated.—Detroit News.

Aged Driver of Auto

Isaiah Cross of Belfast, Maine, at the age of eighty-seven, has just learned to drive an automobile. He motored down to Cape Cod to see what changes nature and man had made in the 72 years since he was last there. The trip covered 256 miles and he made it without mishap or inconvenience, although the traffic was extremely heavy.

Catty

"My husband," she said, "always wants me to look my best, no matter what it costs."
"Well," her friend replied, "one can hardly blame him for feeling as he does."—Boston Transcript.

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Limed Soil Best for Clover Crop

Experiments Show Plants Respond Remarkably Well to Treated Soil.

That clover responds remarkably well to a limed soil has again been demonstrated in experiments recently completed by Prof. A. W. Blair at the New Jersey agricultural experiment station, at New Brunswick.

An unlimed plot of timothy and clover at the first cutting produced 1,242 pounds of hay per acre (practically all timothy) and a corresponding limed plot (treated with 4,000 pounds of ground limestone per acre) yielded mixed hay at the rate of 2,801 pounds per acre. At the second cutting the unlimed plot gave no hay, while the limed plot yielded excellent clover hay at the rate of 1,654 pounds per acre—a total for the limed plot of more than two tons per acre as against just a little over a half-ton for the unlimed plot.

Protein Value of Hay.
But the hay from the unlimed plot was practically all timothy which has a protein value not much above 8 per cent, whereas the mixed hay of the first cutting from the limed plot has a protein value somewhat higher than timothy alone, and the clover of the second cutting has a protein value almost double that of timothy.

"Furthermore," says Professor Blair, in commenting on the experiment, "there is at present an excellent prospect of a good crop of clover from the limed plot next year, but the yield of hay from the unlimed plot will be very meager and there will be no clover in it. Again, the limed plot will make a better sod to be turned under for corn the following year, since the clover will have added considerable nitrogen to the soil, and some of this nitrogen will be left for succeeding crops.

Doesn't Like Acidity.
"Clover just will not grow in a soil that is acid beyond a certain degree. The county agents and the experiment station will help farmers to find out if their soil is acid to that degree, and thus spare them the trouble and expense of seeding clover with no prospect of getting a crop. Farmers are advised to buy no soil-acidity testing outfit until it has been approved by the county agent or the experiment station.

Hogging Down Corn Crop Is Good Farm Practice

"Hogging down at least part of this year's corn crop, if there is any, will save labor in husking, cribbing, loading, and feeding," says H. G. Zavoral, a live stock specialist of the agricultural extension service, University of Minnesota.

"Well grown shoats averaging 75 to 125 pounds make the most desirable weights to be turned into the cornfields. It is best to get them gradually accustomed to eating green corn, filling them with old corn just before. Pigs can be turned in to the corn fields when the ears are glazed or dented and can stay there until ready for the market or until the weather becomes unfavorable.

"It is well not to place the pigs in a larger field than they can clean up in three weeks. Fattening hogs should be moved just before all the corn is gone, and breeding stock or growing pigs turned in to clean up. Shade and plenty of water should be available at all times. If less than one gallon of skim milk per day per pig is available, a self-feeder of tankage will pay big dividends."

Big Value of Barnyard Manure as Plant Food

The value of barnyard manure both as a plant food and in improving the physical condition of soil is suggested by a report to the United States Department of Agriculture from a southwestern citrus grower who established a dairy farm of several hundred acres solely with a view to providing a supply of manure for his citrus groves. It was his belief that if the dairy enterprise was only self-sustaining it would be fully worth while because of the value of the manure that was thus made available for his main enterprise.

Agricultural Notes

It pays to store farm machinery. Orderliness is one of the best ways to save labor. A good field of alfalfa should never be overpastured.

Better test of leftover garden seeds from last year that you intend to plant.

At corn ripening time drop all other business and select an abundance of seed corn.

Soy bean hay used as a winter feed for maintaining lambs gave even better results than the same amount of alfalfa hay.

Buckwheat is one of the best of all the nonleguminous crops. It leaves the soil in wonderful condition and it starts so quickly when sown that it is great to smother out annual weeds.

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Guiding Young Minds in Scientific Paths

A moving picture sample of the activities of little children learning by the laboratory method "try it and see" is being featured in London in an unusual campaign. Maitling House school, originally started by faculty members of Cambridge university for their own offspring as a place where young children could "learn how to learn," has proved so successful that the directors wish to expand it into a new type of educational research. To show parents who are interested in experimental schools what can be done to retain the emotional and intellectual drive of the "ask question age," movies of a specimen week at Maitling House have been put on view for a private showing. The directors, who include such men as Sir Ernest Rutherford, former winner of the Nobel prize for physics, and J. B. S. Haldane, essayist and biologist, recently attracted wide attention toward the school by advertising in leading scientific journals for a scientist "of the first order," to investigate and conduct the introduction of young children to science and scientific method.

The Two Wives

Mrs. Whitney Warren, who was recently awarded the Legion of Honor for her war work, was talking at a luncheon in New York about an elderly millionaire widower who had become engaged to a chorus girl.

"His partner took him to task about this foolish engagement the other day," Mrs. Warren ended. "His partner said to him:

"This won't be a happy marriage like your first one was, George. Your first wife was a real helpmate, but this chorus girl is out after your money."

"The foolish millionaire widower laughed.

"'Yep,' he said, 'once I owed my success to my wife, now I owe my wife to my success.'"—Minneapolis Tribune.

Receiving Room

An elderly colored man hesitatingly opened the door at police headquarters the other day and walking into the building barely far enough to allow the door to close, addressed a bystander with, "Could you tell me, sir, where I could find the receiving room?"

"The receiving room?" asked the bystander with a puzzled look. "You have goods to deliver?"

"No, sir. Have no goods. I want the receiving room—the room where they bring 'em after they're caught."

"Oh, I see. The turnkey's office. Right upstairs."—Indianapolis News.

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