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PLAGUE A POSSIBILITY.

U. S. Public Health Authorities Wire State Board to Make a Rat Survey of Seaport Towns—Federal Aid will Probably Be Asked to Assist and Supervise This Survey in New Bern and Wilmington.

Plague in North Carolina is a possibility. In fact it is so imminent that the Surgeon General of the U. S. Public Health Service has just sent Dr. Rankin, secretary of the State Board of Health, the following telegram:

"Two human cases of suspicious bubonic plague have been reported from New Orleans by the Louisiana State health authorities. Immediate steps are being taken by this Service to make bacteriological confirmation in view of possibility of its spread. It is recommended that you begin a rodent survey with bacteriological examination of all captured rats and extermination measures at all ports in your State in order to discover plague if it exists and to take proper measures for its eradication prior to the appearance of human cases. If the New Orleans cases are confirmed service will take measures necessary to safeguard other places."

THEY ALL SWIM.



Secretary Bryan, in one of his eloquent Chautauqua addresses, said of drunkenness:

"A frequent cause of drunkenness is the desire to drown sorrow. No sorrow can be drowned, though, in any such way.

"Once in Paris I found a promising young friend seated on a cafe terrace swallowing glass after glass of absinthe hurriedly.

"My boy," I cried, "what on earth are you doing?"

"My young friend made a gesture of despair, and looking up at me with bleared and sorrowful eyes, he replied:

"Mr. Bryan, I am trying to drown a care that has learned to swim."—New York American.

A good bluff makes more noise than great riches.

It's easier to induce a man to accept a favor than take a joke.

COULD NOT STAND ON FEET

Mrs. Baker So Weak—Could Not Do Her Work—Found Relief In Novel Way.

Adrian, Mich. — "I suffered terribly with female weakness and backache and got so weak that I could hardly do my work. When I washed my dishes I had to sit down and when I would sweep the floor I would get so weak that I would have to get a drink every few minutes, and before I did my dusting I would have to lie down. I got so poorly that my folks thought I was going into consumption. One day I found a piece of paper blowing around the yard and I picked it up and read it. It said 'Saved from the Grave,' and told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for women. I showed it to my husband and he said, 'Why don't you try it?' So I did, and after I had taken two bottles I felt better and I said to my husband, 'I don't need any more,' and he said 'You had better take it a little longer anyway.' So I took it for three months and got well and strong."—Mrs. ALONZO E. BAKER, 9 Tecumseh St., Adrian, Mich.

Not Well Enough to Work.

In these words is hidden the tragedy of many a woman, housekeeper or wage earner who supports herself and is often helping to support a family, on meagre wages. Whether in house, office, factory, shop, store or kitchen, woman should remember that there is one tried and true remedy for the ills to which all women are prone, and that is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It promotes that vigor which makes work easy. The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.



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FROM THE DEPTH.

"Do you know what is good for a sad, troubled heart? Is there not some remedy for its smart? Is there not a cure for this torturing pain That will lessen the ache—make it tranquil again?"

I asked the Sage. He turned and smiled, As he softly answered, "Yes, my child."

"Do you know what is good for a soul's unrest—By worry convulsed, or by fear oppressed? For its agony what will bring relief—What will temper its hurt and assuage its grief?"

And he smiled, as he answered low, "Panacea for every ill I know."

"Then speak, tell me quickly of something, I pray; That I may apply, and this heart-pain allay; Oh, give me some balm, that its calmness may roll O'er the turbulent waves of my anguishing soul."

To my earnest appeal he gently replied— His words rang true, as he came to my side:

"Go forth 'neath the shelter of Patience's calm wing, And breathe in the waters of Sympathy's spring, Then bask in the sunlight of Love's genial rays— Move along the bright path of Mercy's sweet ways:

Give helpful hand—lend pitying ear— Do kindly deeds—speak words of cheer.

"Pluck the flowers of Hope which grow at your feet, And scatter their fragrance o'er all whom you meet, And, like the soft drops of the summer's warm shower Or the morning's moist dew to the withering flower, The grateful waves from each blest heart Will flow o'er your soul and peace impart

"Your heartache will vanish and a feeling of cheer Will reign in the space which held worry and fear; I listen and thrill; his words brought succor; To my heart and my soul came a deep, wondrous peace.

Though dark the path in which I stray, His words will linger and light the way.

HOW CAN YOU TELL.

How can you tell? Your sighs of to-day Tomorrow may end in a song; And a blue will come to the skies now gray, And the right to all the wrong.

Then what of the long and cheerless night, When the day dawns fair and the heart is light?

How can you tell? O, saddened heart! Weep not these bitter tears; Tomorrow your sorrow may all depart, And a joy replace your fears.

Then what of the foolish tears which fell, When all is well, when all is well.

How can you tell? when all is well, How can you tell? Your cares of today Tomorrow may seem but a dream; And all of the worries may fade away Before a happiness supreme.

Then what of the cares of yesterday When the heart is happy, free and gay?

WONDER WHAT SHE MEANT?

"Fred, do you remember where you were in 1910?" asked the bride of a few months.

"Why, no, dear, I don't remember exactly," replied the young husband. "Why do you ask?"

"Why, I was reading today in the paper that it is said that in 1910 one person in every 800 in the United States was in prison."

INSISTED UPON ACCURACY.

Footpad—If you move you're a dead man!

Innocent—Your statement is incorrect, my friend. If I move, I live! Pray be more careful in your assertions hereafter!—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

You're Bilious and Costive!

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Most of us could do a lot of work while trying to dodge it.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

It may be to a man's credit to forget a lot that he knows.

Abuse is doubly painful when its point is barbed with wit.

GOLDEN THREADS.

If We Reach the Shining Shore We Shall See As We Do Not Now.

We were reading not long since of a person who wondered whether life had more of joy or sorrow, more of care and trouble, than of happiness. So she resolved to live the good days with gold and the bad days with black and at the end of the year look them over and see which had been her lot, more of joy or more of sorrow. She found the good far outweighed the evil. We think all of us would find the same thing true of our own lives. As a rule, we look on the dark side of our own life and on the bright side of other people's. We envy the rich their ease, the educated their opportunity, the musician his popularity. We think the well-dressed, the well-fed people must be happy, especially if they have fine homes well furnished. We forget that there may be skeletons in their closets which we would dread to see in ours. If we could adopt the prayer of Argus as our own, "Give us neither poverty or riches," perhaps if we are just in that situation in life, it would satisfy some of us, but not all. We are not looking for the golden threads running through our lives. Sickness comes, we see no golden threads. Death claims our loved ones, still all is dark to us. Adversity lays its hand upon us and the gold is still hidden. But there is a silver lining to every cloud, and when once we note the silver lining the golden thread is again running familiarly through our life. We may not see in this world why our lives have been so full of sorrow; why we have lost our loved ones or why we have not prospered, but if we reach the shining shore we shall see as we do not now, and we shall know why God dealt thus with us.

A SEVERE MOTHER

A very estimable widow in Germantown, Philadelphia, is the mother of a son who has given her much trouble by reason of his waywardness.

"I am afraid," said a friend one day, in speaking of the boy, "that you are not firm enough with him."

"On the contrary," said the mother, "I sometimes fear that I am much too harsh."

"Indeed?"

"Oh, I don't mean to say," the fond mother hastened to explain, "that I have ever taken any summary action, but I have talked to him a great deal."

"And what have you said?"

"Why, I have said, 'Richard, Richard!' and other severe things."

—Lippincott's.

PUT HIS FOOT IN IT.

Recently Jones attended a fashionable ball. During the evening he met a pretty young woman dressed in soft filmy white, and wearing the latest little slippers that ever encased a dainty foot. Instantly the Jones eye dropped in that direction.

"Pardon me," apologized Jones, blushing, "it was very rude of me, I know, but I could not help noticing your slippers."

"I see," smiled the young woman, good naturedly. "What do you think of them?"

"What do I think of them?" exclaimed Jones with large emphasis; "they are simply immense!"—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

SENSIBLE SAYINGS.

Read and Profit Thereby

The best natured man down town is the man who has women folks at home to grumble at.

Most women prefer poverty with the affections of her husband to riches without them.

Happiness is a perfume which one cannot shed over another without a few drops falling on one's self.

Kindness will go farther and bring us more happiness in this world than all the haughtiness and asperity we can possibly assume.

Our preachers do not write so many or so wise proverbs as did Solomon, but they have fewer wives and better children usually.

The man who expects to get into heaven on his wife's church membership, or the chickens he fed the preacher, is taking awful chances.

When you see a man who kisses his children in public, you may be pretty sure that he keeps the seats of their pantaloons well dusted at home.

To smile at the jest which plants a thorn in another's breast is to become a principal in the mischief.

Nothing is so contagious as example; we are never either much good or much evil without imitators.

Wickedness may prosper for a while but in the long run, he who sets all knives at work will pay them.

FLY AWAY, FLY.

Little Marjorie was telling about her number work at the family dinner table and papa wanted to test her mildly.

"Can you add small sums, girls?"

"Yes, papa."

"And can you subtract too?"

Take one number from another?"

"Yes, papa."

"That's nice, dear. Now, let me hear you do it. Supposing there were four flies on a table and I killed one, how many would be left?"

"One," was the prompt and sparkling answer. "The dead one."—New York Globe.

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Billy (who is putting in a long Sunday afternoon)—Let's play auto with the chairs mummy, and you take a ride with me!

Mother with an eye to uplift—I guess not, dear. I don't really approve of pleasure rides on Sunday.

Billy (after a moment of earnest thought)—But this isn't a pleasure ride. We'll play I'm taking you to see a—moving picture show of scenes from the Bible.—Life.

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