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GARDENS UNDER GROUND.

An Interesting Experiment to be Tried in Forsaken Coal Mines.

A novel proposition in truck gardening and fruit and flower culture comes from Indiana, and is attracting the attention of the Agricultural Department. In temperative Indiana is somewhat erratic, passing rapidly from extreme heat to extreme cold, yet the soil is so rich that the state has long been famed for producing great crops of about everything grown in the temperate zone. Now comes Colonel Posey, who proposes to produce in the country made classic by the Wabash, all tropical plants and flowers, and in the depths of winter supply new vegetables for the table; and, what is still more singular, the proposition looks quite feasible. Southern Indiana is full of abandoned coal mines, from which "dusky diamonds" have been taken. Colonel Posey owns one of these abandoned mines, and he now purposes to make it ever a thing of beauty by turning it into a rose garden and a truck patch.

Up to within a very recent period it has always been held that sunlight was necessary to the growth of vegetation; that there were some chemical qualities in the sun's rays without which no vegetation could thrive. Recently Cornell University made some experiments that were not altogether successful, yet which tend to destroy the sun theory and to establish the fact that artificial light will produce just what the sun has hitherto done. Acetylene gas is to be the successor of the sun in the subterranean gardens of Colonel Posey. In the various chambers of his abandoned mine he has about fifteen acres, 100 feet below the surface. Investigation has demonstrated that the temperature never varies, but remains at about 55 degrees, and it is said this is the best temperature for tropical plants and flowers. It is also said that the air in these underground chambers is surcharged with carbonic gas, and carbonic gas is one of the strong elements in healthy plant life. Colonel Posey purposes to light his underground gardens by acetylene gas, and when he desires to force rapid growth to keep this light burning constantly, thereby giving the plants no rest and nothing to do but grow. He expects to begin active gardening by this season—his first experiment being the cultivation of mushrooms, lettuce and celery for winter markets.—W. W. Smith, Washington, D. C.

All is Vanity!

"At first," said the apartment-house philosopher, life in a flat seems an interesting study of humanity, but soon you lose your urbanity, part with your Christianity, fall into profanity and pass by swift stages from mental insanity into violent insanity."

IT'S THE FOOD.

The True Way to Correct Nervous Troubles.

Nervous troubles are more often caused by improper food and indigestion than most people imagine. Even doctors sometimes overlook this fact. A man says:

"Until two years ago waffles and butter with meat and gravy were the main features of my breakfast. Finally dyspepsia came on and I found myself in a bad condition, worse in the morning than any other time. I would have a full, sick feeling in my stomach, with pains in my heart, sides and head.

"At times I would have no appetite for days, then I would feel ravenous, never satisfied when I did eat and so nervous I felt like shrieking at the top of my voice. I lost flesh badly and hardly knew which way to turn until one day I bought a box of Grape-Nuts food to see if I could eat that. I tried it without telling the doctor, and liked it fine; made me feel as if I had something to eat that was satisfying and still I didn't have that heaviness that I had felt after eating any other food.

"I hadn't drank any coffee then in five weeks. I kept on with the Grape-Nuts and in a month and a half I had gained 15 pounds, could eat almost anything I wanted, didn't feel badly after eating, and my nervousness was all gone. It's a pleasure to be well again."

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

NORTH STATE NEWS

Items of Interest Gleaned From Various Sections

FROM MOUNTAIN TO SEASHORE

Minor Occurrences of the Week of Interest to Tar Heels Told in Paragraphs.

Charlotte Cotton Market.

These prices represent the prices paid to wagons

Good middling	10 1-4
Strict middling	10 1-8
Middling	10 00
Tinges and stains	8 1-2 at 9 1-2

General Cotton Market.

Galveston easy	10 1-16
New Orleans do	10 00
Mobile do	9 3-4
Savannah quiet	9 3-4
Charleston do	9 3-4
Wilmington nominal	——
Norfolk steady	10 1-16
Baltimore nominal	10 1-2
New York quiet	10 30
Boston do	1-6 30
Philadelphia do	10 55
Houston quiet	9 7-8
Augusta quiet	10 1-16
Memphis quiet	10 3-8
St. Louis do	10 1-2
Cincinnati ——	——
Louisville firm	11 00

Charlotte Produce Market.

Chickens—Spring	12 at 25
Hens—per Head	28 at 35
Ducks	25
Eggs	2
Rye	85
Corn	72 at 75
Cotton Seed	21
Oats—Feed	50 at 55
Oats—Seed	55 at 57 1-2

Baltimore Produce Market.

Baltimore, Nov. 11.—Flour quiet, unchanged. Wheat easy; spot contract 74 1-2 to 74 3-8; Southern by sample 70 to 75; Southern by sample 60 to 68.

Oats firm; No. 2 Western 74 to 75.

Rye firm; No. 2 Western 74 to 75.

Butter steady, unchanged. Eggs firm 29c.

Cheese active, unchanged. Sugar steady, unchanged.

Youth Kills Assailant.

Concord, Special.—Mr. W. M. Rose, the young son of Gaston Rose, who recently came here from Durham, shot and killed Dan Lowder, and slightly injured Wash Foster in an affray at the Brown Mill a little after 6 o'clock Wednesday, just as the night hands had entered the spinning room for their night's work. Mr. Rose is about 18 years of age and is overseer of spinning at this mill of the night shift. Lowder and Foster, while under the influence of liquor, entered the mill and demanded their time. Rose refused to pay them without on order from the superintendent, Mr. H. H. Mayes. The boys attacked the young overseer, Foster with a pistol and Lowder with an open knife. Seeing there was no way of escape, Rose drew his pistol and fired three shots at Lowder, all of which took effect, the man dying instantly between the long spinning frames. Foster received two bullets, one in the shoulder and one in the hand. Neither wound is considered dangerous.

Farmers' Protective Association.

Greensboro, Special.—Secretary J. M. Sharp of the North Carolina Farmers' Protective Association, is making great preparation for the annual meeting of the association here November 16. Special rates over the railroad and at the hotels have been secured. A large attendance at the meeting is confidently expected.

Dangerous Negro Escapes From Authorities at Spencer.

Spencer, Special.—Jame Smith, colored, made his escape from the office of Justice W. L. Ray here and fled to the woods. He was taken into custody at a camp of Lane Bros. Co., contractors on the double tracking of the Southern Railway for laying open the head of another employee at the camp with a pick, and was brought to Spencer for a hearing before Magistrate. While awaiting the preparation of the papers in the case Smith took leg bail and when last seen he was making his way through the woods near Spencer.

Street Railway Franchise Granted to Statesville People.

Statesville, Special.—The street railway franchise asked for some time ago by Messrs. L. C. Wagner, Isidore Wallace and D. Ft. Jenkins and others was amended and was granted by the board of aldermen at their meeting Monday. The limit of the franchise is three years from next January.

Found in Cape Fear River.

Wilmington, Special.—The body of a young white man found floating face downward in the river three miles below Wilmington, has been identified as that of young Walter Fields, of Lourinburg, who mysteriously disappeared in this city Monday night a week ago, soon after he reached the city to attend Federal Court. There were no marks of violence to indicate foul play

For Library at High Point.

High Point, Special.—The city is taking an interest in the plan which has been inaugurated by the Ladies' Auxilliary in behalf of the young men of the city for the establishment of a library and reading room for the young men. The board of aldermen this week received a committee to confer in regard to the matter, composed of Mrs. T. P. Marr, Mrs. A. J. Tomlinson, Mrs. J. E. Kirkman and Mrs. Fred Peacock.

Secretary of Southern Cotton Association to Resign.

Atlanta, Ga., Special.—Richard Cheatham, secretary of the Southern Cotton Association, announced that he will resign his position at the expiration of his present term. The resignation, he said, will be presented and become effective at the meeting of the executive committee in Birmingham, about the middle of January work with the cotton journal requires all his time.

BLACKBURN IS DEFEATED

State Will Send a Solid Democratic Delegation to the Sixtieth Congress Sweeping Democratic Victories in the Other Eight Congressional Districts.

Charlotte, Special.—Late Tuesday night Mr. W. T. Crawford stated that a conservative estimate of his majority is 800. He has surely carried Buncombe by 600; Haywood by 800; Transylvania by 40; Rutherford 500 to 600. Britt has carried Cherokee, Henderson and McDowell by small majorities.

Britt is not yet ready to admit his defeat, though conservative Democrats feel sure that Crawford carried the tenth district by 500 to 800 majority.

In the eigth district Chairman Vanderford places Mr. R. N. Hackett's majority at about 1,000 over E. Spencer Blackburn, the present incumbent. Mr. Hackett's estimated and certain majorities are: Stanly 200; Cabarrus 250; Rowan 1,100; Iredell 935; Allegheny 150. Alexander is in doubt, though a small majority is thought to be Hackett's.

Blackburn has carried Wilkes by 900; Wautauga by 40.; Ashe by 250, (reduced from 400 two years ago), Caldwell by 66 and Surry by 400.

There is hardly a reasonable doubt but that the Democrats will return ten Democratic Congressmen to the Sixtieth Congress.

Returns are incomplete, but the reports are generally to the effect that the vote was light all over the State.

Democrats Save the Tenth.

Asheville, Suecial.—The Democrats are again victorious in Buncombe county. While the official returns are not all in, it is certain that the entire Democratic ticket has been elected in Buncombe by an average majority of 600 to 700. The official count may result in a much larger majority.

Indications are that Crawford has carried Buncombe by 500 to 600 majority. He carried the six Asheville precincts by 331. These sisx precincts two years ago gave Gudger, for Congress 500 majority. Chairman D. E. Sevier, of the Democratic county executive committee, says that the average majority in Buncombe will be 500 to 1,000.

At 10 o'clock Tuesday night little information had been received from other counties in the district. Chairman Lee telephoned from Waynesville that Haywood had given Crawford 800 majority. He also said that reports from some precincts in Jackson county indicate that Crawford will have 125 to 150 majority.

Republicans are claiming that Britt is elected. Chairman Lee says that Crawford is elected by 1,000 majority.

A message at 10:30 Tuesday night says Rutherfordton gave Crawford 500 majority, and that McDowell had gone for Britt by 150.

It is apparent that the tenth district is close and conservative Democrats here do not think Crawford has defeated Britt by more than 500. The result of the solicitorship contest in the fifteenth judicial district, composed of Buncombe, Madison and Transylvania counties, is in doubt. Guy Roberts, the Democratic candidate, telegraphed from Marshall that Madison went against him only 300. If this is correct, Mark Brown, the Republican candidate, is defeated.

A telephone message at 11 o'clock Tuesday night from Waynesville says Crawford's majority in Haywood is 876, with two small precincts to hear from. Four townships in Jackson county give Crawford a majority of 120. Crawford reduced the Republican majority in Bryson City, Swain county, 68 votes.

A Sweeping Democratic Victory in the State.

The Democrats have certainly swept the State and they are jubilant of their defeating Blackburn for Congress in the 8th district. Democratic State Chairman Simmons closing his headquarters at midnight, told me the story of the day's work in these words: "We have carried every congressional district. We have increased our majority over the majority against Roosevelt by from 40,000 to 50,000.

"The legislature will most probably be even more strongly Democratic than it now is. It is probably the greates victory ever won in the State in an off-year. This result is due chiefly to the fact that the State is strongly Democratic, but also in part to the flagrant and open interference of Federal office holders and as a result to ex-Senator Marion Butler, who has become the Republican leader."

Guild's Election Conceded.

Boston, Special.—The Globe, Democratic, concedes the election of Guild.

Current Happenings.

President Roosevelt is meeting with little success hunting trkeys near his Virginia home.

W. A. McBride, of Richmond, explained that the interchange of shots with his father-in-law was due to a misunderstanding.

A large crowd attended the funeral of Col. R. H. Dulany, which was conducted from his late residence in Loudoun county, Virginia.

George Herring, the noted English philanthropist, is dead.

Mayor Weaver, of Philadelphia, anounced his return to the Republican fold.

Lieut. Robert E. Peary failed to reach the North Pole, according to a message from him, but made the "farthest-north" record.

The steel rail mills of the country are said to have orders in hand for 1,500,000 tons to be delivered in 1907 and contracts for as many tons more are expected.

25 Killed.

San Jose, Cal., Special.—Two men were killed, another fatally injured and many passengers more or less shaken up and cut by broken glass in an accident to the Southern Pacific Sunset Express No. 19, southbound from San Francisco to New Orleans, opposite the depot at Sargent's Station, 87 miles south of San Francisco Sunday night.

PARDON FOR THE WHITES

A Vigorous Attempt Being Made For Pardon of Principals in Famous Case.

Salisbury, Special.—Notice has been given that application will be made to Governor Glenn for the pardon of Thomas and Chalmers White, two prominent citizens of Concord, who are each serving a five year sentence in the penitentiary for the killing of Russell Sherrill, a prominent young man of Mt. Ulla, Rowan county, several years ago. It will be remembered that they went to Sherill's home to induce him to marry their niece, whom they alleged he had betrayed. Their visit resulted in the shooting of the young man on the porch of his mother's home. They then drove to Salisbury, surrendered and were placed in jail, later were given a preliminary hearing and released on a $25,000 bail each, which was immediately given. After their conviction and after an appeal and the supreme court had passed upon the case they went to Raleigh unattended and remained unrecognized at the Yarborough Hotel for a day or two. Sheriff Julian went to Raleigh to commit them to the keeping of the prison authorities and the two men drove out to the penitentiary and met the sheriff at the entrance and began to serve their sentence. Gov. Glenn was one of the prosecuting attorneys in this famous case.

State Board of Education Considering Text Books.

Raleigh, Special.—The State Board of Education is in session hearing the publication of text books in regard to the adoption of the following books: North Carolina history, civics and pedagogy. These books were not adopted when the text book commission were in session several weeks ago. There are three North Carolina books before the commission for their consideration. These are a History in manuscript, by Prof. D. H. Hill of the A. & M. College. This book will be published by the Stone and Barringer Company of Charlotte; also a History of North Carolina, by W. C. Allen of Waynesville, N. C., and a book on civics by W. J. Peele of Raleigh. Besides these quite a number of larger publishing houses are represented before the board. It will be several days yet before the final action of the board will be made public.

Teller of First National Bank of Mt. Airy Arrested.

Greensboro, Special.—Chief of Police Neely received instructions from Mt. Airy for the arrest of Graham Trotter, charging him with being a fugitive from justice. He is wanted in Mt. Airy for complicity in an assault made there one night last week on a young man and two young ladies of that city in which one of the young ladies was very seriously injured from a pistol shot fired by the assaulting party. Trotter is teller of the First National Bank of Mt. Airy and a very prominent young man as are all of the people connected with the affair. It will be remembered that a Mr. Brimm of Mt. Airy was arrested the day after the shooting charged with being connected with the affair. Trotter is locked up here and he absolutely refuses to disuss the matter. By instructions of the Mt. Airy authorities he is held without bail.

Fatal Crash.

Detroit, Mich., Special.—Three persons were killed and several injured when a Michigan Central freight engine crashed into the wall of the waiting room at the Michigan Central station. A considerable portion of the building was knocked down.

Briefs of State News.

Auditor Dixon says the State will make a fine financial showing this fiscal year and that there will be a balance of $300,000.

The State Department of Agriculture will issue its pure food bulletin by December 1, this containing the analysis of the samples taken during the past six months.

From the office of the State superintendent of public instruction there has been issued the complete programme for North Carolina Day which this year is McIver Day, Friday, Dec. 14th. The pamphlet is very well prepared and is full of instruction and inspiration.

A charter is granted the Atlanta Improvement Company, of Lumberton, to build railways and do all other kinds of construction, the capital stock being $150,000, and the stockholders being J. F. L. Armfield, of Fayetteville. Another charter is granted to the Norwood-Welsch Company, of Salisbury, $100,000.

CHEER UP!

Cheer up! Your ills are largely photographs. Look pleasant! Of course you have your troubles; a whole lot of things bother you, of course. You find life a rugged road whose stones hurt your feet. Nevertheless, cheer up.

It may be your real disease is selfishness—ingrown selfishness. Your life is too self-centered. You imagine your tribulations are worse than others bear. You feel sorry for yourself—the meanest sort of pity. Rid yourself of that, and cheer up.

What right have you to carry a picture of your woe-begone face and funeral ways about among your fellows, who have troubles of their own? If you must whine or sulk or scowl, take a ear and go to the woods or to the unfrequented lanes.

Cheer up! Your ills are largely imaginary. If you were really on the brink of bankruptcy, or if there were no thoroughfare through your sorrows, you would clear your brow, set your teeth, and make the best of it.

Cheer up! You are making a hypothetical case out of your troubles and suffering from a self-inflicted verdict. You are borrowing trouble and paying a high rate of interest.

Cheer up! Why, in a ten-minute walk you may see a score of people worse off than you. And here you are digging your own grave, and playing pallbearer into the bargain. Smile, even though it be through your tears, which speedily dry, and throw up

If You Read This

It will be to learn that the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice recommend, in the strongest terms possible, each and every ingredient entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the cure of weak stomach, dyspepsia, catarrh of stomach, "liver complaint," torpid liver, or billousness, chronic bowel affections, and all catarrhal diseases of whatever region, name or nature. It is also a specific remedy for all such chronic or long standing cases of catarrhal affections and their resultants, as bronchial, throat and lung disease (except consumption) accompanied with severe coughs. It is not so good for acute colds and coughs, but for lingering, or chronic cases it is especially efficacious in producing perfect cures. It contains Black Cherrybark, Golden Seal root, Bloodroot, Stone root, Mandrake root and Queen's root—all of which are highly praised as remedies for all the above mentioned affections by such eminent medical writers and teachers as Prof. Bartholow, of Jefferson Med. College; Prof. Hare, of the Univ. of Pa.; Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Med. College, Chicago; Prof. John King, M. D., of Cincinnati; Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., of Cincinnati; Prof. Edwin M. Hale, M. D., of Hahnemann Med. College, Chicago, and scores of others equally eminent in their several schools of practice.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" is the only medicine put up for sale through druggists for like purposes, that has any such *professional* endorsement—worth more than any number of ordinary testimonials. Open publicity of its formula is the best possible guaranty of its merits. A glance at this published formula will show that "Golden Medical Discovery" contains no poisonous, harmful or habit-forming drugs and no alcohol—chemically pure, triple-refined glycerine being used instead. Glycerine is entirely unobjectionable and besides is a most useful agent in the cure of all stomach as well as bronchial, throat and lung affections. There is the highest medical authority for its use in all such cases. The "Discovery" is a concentrated glyceric extract of native, medicinal roots and is safe and reliable.

A booklet of extracts from eminent, medical authorities, endorsing its ingredients mailed *free* on request. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Uncle Allen.

"I suppose there is such a person as the foolkiller," mused Uncle Allen Sparks, "but he has either retired from business or he's hopelessly behind on his orders."

A PUBLIC DUTY.

Montpelier, O., Man Feels Compelled to Tell His Experience.

Joseph Wilgus, Montpelier, O., says: "I feel it my duty to tell others about Doan's Kidney Pills. Exposure and driving brought kidney trouble on me, and I suffered much from irregular passages of the kidney secretions. Sometimes there was retention and at other times passages were too frequent, especially at night. There was pain and discoloration. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me relief from the first, and soon infused new life. I give them my endorsement."

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Too Finical.

"Prisoner," said the judge, who was about to pronounce sentence upon the culprit, "if, instead of being a chronic offender, you had chosen the career of a lawabiding citizen"—

"I am a lawabiding citizen, yom honor," interrupted the hardened crook. "Whenever I break a law I am ready to abide the consequences."

Thereupon his honor added six months to the term of imprisonment he had intended to impose, as a punishmen for picking flaws in the court's English. So. 46-'06.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address

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What it Was All About.

A 'Frisco Jap had a bid, all black and tan, you know, and where other children went that kid would want to go. The chap he went to school one day, and that was against the rule; it made the white folks mad as hops to see a Jap in school. They gnashed their teeth and tore their hair, and gave an angry shout, and rose as one man and seized that little Jap and cast him bodily out. And this, gentle reader, you understand, is what the row was all about.—Anderson, S. C., Daily Mail.

AWFUL SUFFERING

From Dreadful Pains From Wound on Foot System All Run Down—Miraculous Cure by Cuticura.

"Words cannot speak highly enough for the Cuticura Remedies. I am now seventy-two years of age. My system had been all run down. My blood was so bad that blood poisoning had set in. I had several doctors attending me, so finally I went to the hospital, where I was laid up for two months. My foot and ankle were almost beyond recognition. Dark blood flowed out of wounds in many places and I was so disheartened that I thought surely my last chance was slowly leaving me. As the foot did not improve you can readily imagine how I felt. I was simply disgusted and tired of life. I stood this pain, which was dreadful, for six months, and during this time I was not able to wear a shoe and not able to work. Some one spoke to me about Cuticura. The consequences were I bought a set of the Cuticura Remedies of one of my friends, who was a druggist, and the result that I gave after the second application is beyond description; it seemed a miracle, for the Cuticura Remedies took effect immediately. I washed the foot with the Cuticura Soap before applying the Ointment, and I took the Resolvent at the same time. After two weeks' treatment my foot was healed completely. People who had seen my foot during my illness and who have seen it since the cure can hardly believe their own eyes. Robert Schoenhauer, Newburgh, N. Y. Aug. 21 1905."

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"At first," said the apartment-house philosopher, life in a flat seems an interesting study of humanity, but soon you lose your urbanity, part with your Christianity, fall into profanity and pass by swift stages from mental insanity into violent insanity."

As a rule, it isn't the best looking woman who tries to look at her best.

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Marion Harland.

The celebrated authoress, so highly esteemed by the women of America, says on pages 103 and 445 of her popular work, "Eve's Daughters; or, Common Sense for Maid, Wife and Mother:"

"For the aching back—should it be slow in recovering its normal strength—an Allcock's Plaster is an excellent comforter, combining the sensation of the sustained pressure of a strong warm hand, with certain tonic qualities developed in the wearing. It should be kept over the seat of uneasiness for several days—in obstinate cases, for perhaps a fortnight."

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And, of course, everything goes dead wrong with the undertaker.

FROM GIRLHOOD TO WOMANHOOD

Mothers Should Watch the Development of Their Daughters—Interesting Experiences of Misses Borman and Mills.

Every mother possesses information which is of vital interest to her young daughter.

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Girls' over-sensitiveness and modesty often puzzle their mothers and baffle physicians, as they so often withhold their confidence from their mothers and conceal the symptoms which ought to be told to their physician at this critical period.

When a girl's thoughts become sluggish, with headache, dizziness or a disposition to sleep, pains in back or lower limbs, eyes dim, desire for solitude; when she is a mystery to herself and friends, her mother should come to her aid, and remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will at this time prepare the system for the coming change, and start this trying period in a young girl's life without pain or irregularities.

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Miss Mills has written the two following letters to Mrs. Pinkham, which will be read with interest:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— (First Letter.)

"I am but fifteen years of age, am depressed, have dizzy spells, chills, headache and backache, and as I have heard that you can give helpful advice to girls in my condition, I am writing you."—Myrtle Mills, Oquawka, Ill.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— (Second Letter.)

"It is with the feeling of utmost gratitude that I write to you to tell you what your valuable medicine has done for me. When I wrote you in regard to my condition I had consulted several doctors, but they failed to understand my case and I did not receive any benefit from their treatment. I followed your advice, and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and am now healthy and well, and all the distressing symptoms which I had at that time have disappeared."—Myrtle Mills, Oquawka, Ill.

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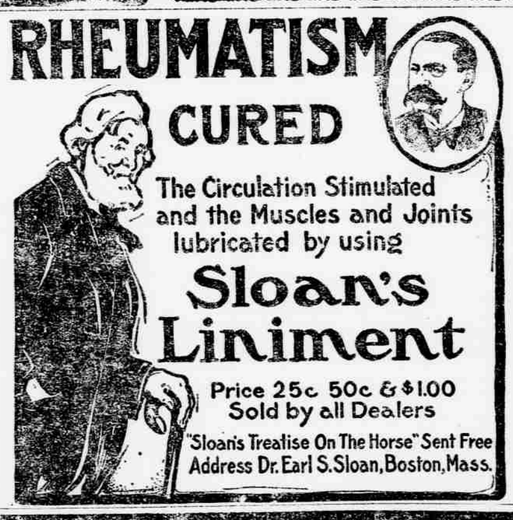

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