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Dyspeptics Can Make the Rest of the Family Happy by Using a Laxative-Tonic.

The temper of the family and the good cheer around the table depend so much on the good digestion of each individual present that the experience of some former dyspeptics who overcame their trouble should be of interest to those now suffering in this way. The best advice one can give—but it is advice that is seldom heeded—is to eat slowly and masticate each mouthful carefully. However, if slow eating and careful mastication fail the next aid is one close to nature, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This remedy is an excellent digestant, and in addition to helping in the digestion of the food, acts gently on the liver and bowels, ridding them of the accumulation of waste that should long ago have been passed off. It is safe, palatable, pleasant-tasting, and results are guaranteed.



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cents or one dollar, the latter size being bought by head of families already familiar with its merits. Results are always guaranteed or money will be refunded.

You can obtain Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at any drug store for fifty

MONROE ITEMS

Special to The News.

Monroe, April 13.—W. E. Moore, the newly elected superintendent of the public schools of Monroe, left today for his home in Pulaski, Tenn. Mr. Moore has been spending several days in Monroe looking over the school situation. Mr. Moore made a tour of inspection of the schools while here.

Notable improvements have been made on the court house grounds here. Several old trees have been removed, and all the bare ground has been prepared and terraced which adds quite a bit to the general appearance of the court house square.

Monroe people are rejoicing over the recent passage by congress of the bill which provides for an extra appropriation of \$3,000 for the addition of a porch or sun parlor to the new postoffice building which is in the process of erection here. The work has recently been held up because there was some doubt as to the certainty of passage of the bill giving an extra appropriation. The foundations have been laid and the brick work is rising above the ground.

During the past week most of the high schools and the public schools of Union county closed for this session. The closing exercises of the Wesley Chapel high school near here ended Saturday with an address by Dr. J. H. Weaver, of Monroe. Both colored and white schools have made great progress in the county that are doing high school work and the county superintendent, R. N. Nesbit, states that the work of the past year has been of a very high order and that the course of study is gradually being raised. This is a good sign for the educational progress of Union county.

There is quite a bit of interest being taken in the plan to have a regular employed farm demonstrator for Union county. At a recent joint meeting of the local county unions the matter was taken up by the farmers and Dr. H. Q. Alexander and was discussed somewhat at length. At this meeting a resolution was passed asking the county commissioners to make an annual appropriation of \$500 for this work, the United States department of agriculture appropriating a similar amount. This they say would amply pay a trained expert in farm demonstration work who could devote his entire time to this work. Also it was urged that an appropriation of \$150 be made by the county for the co-operation with the state in the organization and conducting of the girls' tomato clubs. The farmers are waking up to the fact that they need a farm expert who can study the land and general conditions along scientific lines and all the farmers will get the benefit therefrom.

ORIGINAL IDEAS.

(Rocky Mount Telegram.)

The man who hit upon the idea of the state high school debating championship and the state championship in football has now only to get under way a state championship event among the high schools for baseball to complete one of the most far-sighted moves in many years for bringing the colleges and the university to a greater efficiency in these lines. The idea is one of the best, and since it emanates from Chapel Hill and we have never heard of it in other states, we will give the university is given credit for it.

AFTER SICKNESS

Mrs. Gardner Tells How to Restore One's Strength. So many people are asking how to recover their strength after severe sickness that we are publishing this information for their benefit.

After grippe, pleurisy, pneumonia or any illness what you need is new strength and better blood.

The most certain way to get this is by taking Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron preparation.

Mrs. M. T. Gardner, Chicago, Ill., says: "After a very serious operation I was a total invalid for nearly a year and a convalescent for months thereafter. I gave the remedies of a number of eminent specialists a thorough trial, but without deriving the slightest benefit. Vinol was recommended. Without the least faith in the merits of the medicine, I took it faithfully, and it seemed to bring back the old color to my cheeks and the elasticity to my step which I had despaired of ever recovering. I can say conscientiously, that for nervous, run-down people, Vinol is an excellent remedy."

Try a bottle of Vinol. Your money will be returned if it does not restore your vitality and strength. R. H. Jordan & Co.

P. S. If you have Eczema try our Saxo Salve. We guarantee it.

New Quick Relief for Aches and Pains

Years ago if you had a tooth pulled you had to grin and bear it. Then came gas, then cocaine, then ether. Rheumatic pains, neuralgia, sciatica, sprains, bruises, etc., which cause great suffering have been treated for years by hot applications, by rubbing with liniment, goose-grease, kerosene and other things, but the progress has been made for the layman in this connection. The same old bottles of liniment that our grandfathers used are still the favorite standby in many a home.

Now comes a preparation known as PANGALAY, which is wholly different, so superior, so much more effective, so much cleaner, so much easier to handle and so much more dependable in its results that every one should know about it at once.

This PANGALAY comes in tubes. You merely squeeze a little of it into the aching spot—when, presto! the pain disappears. This is magic. This is the fact that PANGALAY is made from some new ingredients which penetrate right through the skin and the entire system, like rain goes through one's tire system, like rain goes through the seat of the pain coat. It reaches the seat of the pain and corrects the trouble. You'll never know the real joy of suddenly having your suffering disappear. But have the acquaintance of this wonderful new product of science. It is perfectly harmless and guaranteed safe for man, woman or child. Get it at any drug store for 25c from Curtis Chemical Co., 111 East 24th Street, New York.

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Irrigation Conference Arouses Bitter Feeling; Harsh Words Used

Denver, Col., April 13.—After the most exciting session of the week, the irrigation conference, called by Secretary of the Interior Lane was still in session here Saturday, adopting resolutions and endeavoring to wind up its affairs.

There was still considerable feeling among certain delegates as the result of a heated debate earlier in the day when the conference, by a vote of nine to six, rescinded its unanimous action of Friday night, endorsing the Newlands-Broussard river control bill, pending in congress.

Governor Carey, of Wyoming led the movement to rescind the endorsement. The today's session opened after the conference had adopted a rule providing for voting by states on all questions. Governor Spry, of Utah, called up the Newlands-Broussard endorsement. A motion to reconsider that action precipitated a heated debate. Governor Carey charged that Geo. H. Maxwell, representing Arizona in the conference had come from New Orleans, to "steal a western conference for a southern measure." He declared the bill provided for the expenditure of \$600,000,000 which would tie up enormous sums and leave little for western reclamation. The funds would be devoted to drainage of privately owned swamp lands in the South, he declared.

"Mr. Maxwell," shouted Carey, "you fought reclamation in years past. You admitted before a congressional committee that you represented railroads trying to sell land."

"I cannot let that remark go unchallenged," said Maxwell. "It is false." Carey declared that for ten years \$20,000,000 a year would go to the reclamation service. Maxwell hotly denied the charge that he fought the reclamation act, insisting he had advocated that act for years.

Other speakers discussed the matter from both sides. Governor Ammons, of Colorado declared that the whole subject was not germane to this conference and the conference reconsidered the endorsement of the bill nine to six. By the same vote it rescinded that endorsement.

UNDERGROUND WIRES MUST COME.

(New York Evening Post.)

News of the telegraphic isolation of New York on March 13, in consequence of the severe storm, gave English newspapers a chance to do a little boasting. They pointed out that no blizzard could cut London off from the outside world, since England now has many blizzard-proof telegraph lines. They now reach northward from London to Glasgow and Edinburgh, and westward to Land's End. Moreover, the work of putting the wires in conduits underground is being pushed along all the trunk lines, so that the chief cities of the country will soon be linked up in this way. The cost thus far is stated to be about \$10,000,000. But as the telegraph and telephone are government owned, the enterprise can be carried out with the motto of "Hang the expense." At worst, the chronic deficit would be made only a little larger. Such pecuniary lightheartedness is, of course impossible for private companies. Yet it is reported that the underground lines from New York to Washington cost something like \$7,000,000. In the end, undoubtedly, telegraph companies will have to spend more money to guard against such an interruption of the service, and such losses, as occurred some weeks ago.

WANTED—A bright person—age important—to "earn" \$300 in Gold for a few hours spent in playing a telegraph company will have to spend more money to guard against such an interruption of the service, and such losses, as occurred some weeks ago.

PROGRAM FOR NATIONAL DRAINAGE MEET

Columbia, S. C., April 13.—Col. E. J. Watson, commissioner of agriculture of South Carolina and chairman of the program committee of the National Drainage Congress at Savannah April 22-25, has announced that the program has been arranged with a view to the expression of the people of the nation for decisive action by the federal government.

Secretary Lane, of the interior department, has been designated by President Wilson as his personal representative and the program includes men of national reputation from practically every section of the United States. Among the speakers are: Vice President Marshall, Speaker Champ Clark, Sir William Wilcox, English engineer who built the Ascharwan, dam in the Nile valley; Charles Jameson, in charge of Red Cross Society flood work on the river Whawai, China, a twenty million dollar project; Congressman Henry T. Rainey, of Illinois; James T. Lloyd, of Missouri; Senator Joseph D. Ransdell, of Louisiana; J. H. Nolan, commissioner of land reclamation, Jefferson City, Mo.; United States Senator F. M. Simmons, North Carolina; M. C. Grover, chief hydraulic engineer, United States geological survey; Charles H. Davis, of Massachusetts, president of the national home-ways association; Morris Kowles, Pittsburgh, food commissioner; Hon. W. S. Jennings, former governor of the state of Florida; Congressman Ragsdale, of South Carolina; Senators Hoke Smith, Georgia, and E. D. Smith, of South Carolina; Dr. Clarence J. Owens, managing director Southern Commercial Congress, and many other prominent men in public life.

RHEUMATISM MEDICINE FREE

We want the name of every person everywhere who is suffering with rheumatism, so we can send him a free sample bottle of Hill's Rheumatic Remedy. We don't care how long or how severe he has had it, as there are very few cases that have not yielded and been thoroughly cured with it. It works at once. In twenty-four hours it stops the pain. Don't take our word for it—test it at our expense. This is not a new untried thing. For twenty-five years it has been regarded by physicians as practically the only certain treatment for this terrible disease.

Over 10,000 testimonials like these: Mr. E. M. Ehlers, Secty. Grand Lodge of Masons, of New York City writes that: "Although a sufferer from rheumatism for many years, two doses stopped all pain and one bottle cured me."

Mr. A. Goldman, Victoria, Texas, says: "I am very well pleased with your medicine; am recommending it very highly. It has done more for me than anything I have ever tried."

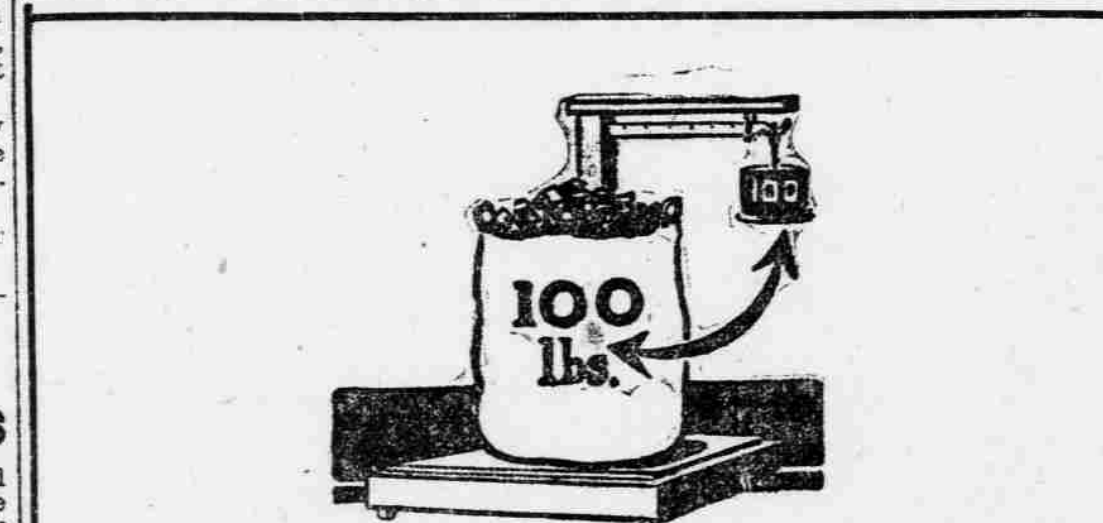
Mr. Marshall F. W. Geraty, of 70 Manhattan St., New York, says: "I have suffered with rheumatism for many years, have tried almost every known remedy but got no relief or cure until I took yours. In forty-eight hours, I was entirely cured and free from all pain. I send this unsolicited."

Hill's Rheumatic Remedy is on sale at most drug stores at \$1.00 per bottle. One bottle generally effects a complete cure. Call or send for free sample bottle and booklet at once. There is no greater service you can perform for humanity than to tell any rheumatic sufferer about this wonderful preparation. Address: Hill Medicine Co., 117 East 24th St., New York, N. Y.

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PRESIDENT WAS HOST TO CHILDREN

By Associated Press.

Washington, April 13.—President Wilson was host today to the children of the Capital at their annual frolic and egg rolling in the White House grounds. The president and members of the cabinet planned either to view the children at play from the south portico of the White House or else to go into the throng and see the fun at close range.

Ideal weather favored the little guests and thousands of them gathered on the spacious lawns for the day's merrymaking. The big folks were there, too. But the admissions were restricted to children and accompanying parents, guardians or nurses. Adults unaccompanied by children were not admitted. Thousands of grown ups, however, watched the frolic from nearby.

Hundreds of children laden with

baskets filled with vari-colored eggs were on hand early today waiting for the White House grounds to be thrown open. Among the children from the homes of administration members participating were:

Sally and John McAdoo, children of the Secretary of the Treasury; the seven youngsters of Secretary Tamm; John Bryan, grandson of the secretary of state; Elizabeth Howe Wilson and her sister, Virginia Wilson, both daughters of the Secretary of Labor; Ned and Nancy Lane, children of the Secretary of the Interior, and David Houston, son of the Secretary of Agriculture.

Invitations Issued. Special to The News.

Chester, S. C., April 13.—The following wedding invitations have been received here:

Mr. and Mrs. James Madison McDonald request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Alfred Cunningham McDow, Thursday afternoon, April sixteenth at four o'clock at their home at Blackstock, South Carolina.

These Puzzle Pictures Can Be Solved

A Few Minutes Time Spent Working Over Them May Win The First Prize.

Catalogue and Listing Book Give Players Fifteen Answers Free.

A picture can tell a story that would take a page of print to tell. So it is with the puzzle pictures in The Game of Song and Story. These pictures tell at a glance what book or song titles the artist had in mind when he drew the pictures. With a few strokes of the pen the artist conveys an idea, and when you grasp his idea you have picked the title to a song or book—that's all there is to this big prize game.

Here is a game that is not hard to play. If you can see the meaning in a newspaper cartoon, you can successfully play "Song and Story". In every one of these pictures the meaning is clearly brought out—there is nothing in a picture to trip or confuse. They are puzzle pictures of the simplest kind, just hard enough to solve to make the pastime worth while.

It is not to be expected that you pick the right titles to everyone of these pictures and the prizes are not awarded on this basis. It will be the ones who submit the largest number of correct titles who will share in the prizes. By this we mean if he largest list was only 25, that list would be entitled to the first prize. So don't give up if a few of the pictures seem hard; remember if they are difficult for you they will be for other players, too. Keep in mind that you are allowed SEVEN answers to each picture. Surely with this leeway you should pick the right one.

The Catalogue and Listing Book will help you find the RIGHT title to 15 of the "hard" pictures.

Why not take the start they give you—it will put you just so much nearer the golden goal.

Feel Grouchy?

It is not your fault—it is your liver. No one can be in good spirits when their system is not carrying off the waste products.

Tutt's Pills

regulate the bile ducts and put you in a good humor with yourself and the world. At your druggist—sugar coated or plain.

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