

A Poor Weak Woman

As she is termed, will endure bravely and patiently agonies which a strong man would give way under. The fact is women are more patient than they ought to be under such troubles.



Every woman ought to know that she may obtain the most experienced medical advice free of charge in absolute confidence and privacy by writing to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, R. V. Pierce, M. D., President, Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Pierce has been chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y., for many years and has had a wider practical experience in the treatment of women's diseases than any other physician in this country. His medicines are world-famous for their astonishing efficacy.

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Pale-Faced Women

You ladies, who have pale faces, sallow complexions, dark circles under eyes, drawn features and tired, worn-out expressions, you need a tonic. The tonic you need is Cardui, the woman's tonic. It is the best tonic for women, because its ingredients are specifically adapted for women's needs. They act on the womanly organs and help to give needed strength and vitality to the worn-out womanly frame.

Cardui is a vegetable medicine. It contains no minerals, no iron, no potassium, no lime, no glycerin, no dangerous, or habit-forming drugs of any kind. It is perfectly harmless and safe, for young and old to use.

After my doctor had done all he said he could for me," writes Mrs. Wm. Hilliard, of Mountairburg, Ark., "I took Cardui, on the advice of a friend, and it helped me so much. Before taking Cardui, I had suffered from female troubles for five years, but since taking it, I am in good health. I think there is some of the best advice in your book that I ever saw." Your druggist sells Cardui. Try it.

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LIGHT AND THE EYES

We Do Not Always See Things as They Really Are.

COLORS WE CANNOT DISCERN

Normal Vision is Not Able to Penetrate to the Regions Beyond the Violet—Some Results That Have Been Attained With the Camera.

Those of us who are fortunate enough to possess normal eyes are apt to feel instinctively that we see things as they are. This is a mistake! The appearance of the world at large is merely the result of the circumstance that the human eye perceives only a comparatively small part of the total radiation which comes from the sun or is given out by a lamp.

To make this a little clearer we may consider one of the oldest experiments in optics, the passage of a ray of light through a prism. When a beam of sunlight passes through a prism of glass such as is often found on old-fashioned chandeliers the rays are spread out, forming a spectrum, which we see as a rainbow colored band upon the wall.

The colors of the spectrum merge into one another by insensible gradations, though the older physicists were in the habit of recognizing seven—red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo and violet.

These colors which the eye perceives are by no means the only ones present in the spectrum. If we perform the experiment in a dark room and place a photographic plate in such a position as to receive the image of the spectrum we find that it extends to a considerable distance beyond the violet.

In other words, there is a region beyond the violet which the eye cannot see, but which the sensitive plate is able to photograph. This region is termed the ultra violet, and the light from virtually all sources contains a greater or less amount of this ultra violet light.

The only difference between this ultra violet light and ordinary visible light is in the length of the wave which is in fact the only difference between the different colors of the visible spectrum. If, instead of using a glass prism for forming our spectrum, we use one cut from a quartz crystal we find that the ultra violet spectrum is very much longer, which shows us that the shortest waves of light are not transmitted even by the clearest glass.

If your eyes were sensitive to this region of the spectrum instead of to the other the appearance of things would appear black; our windows would be as opaque as sheets of iron, and polished silver would resemble anthracite coal. In other words, things appear as they do merely from the circumstance that in the process of evolution our eyes have developed a sensibility to a certain region of the total spectrum of the light which comes to us from the sun.

If we have used an ordinary photographic plate in our experiment we shall find that it has received no impression from the red and yellow parts of the spectrum and very little from the green. The plate therefore suffers from the same defect as our eye. It is sensitive only to a limited region. Recently, however, means have been found of rendering plates sensitive to the entire visible spectrum and to a certain extent to the infra red or the extension beyond the red analogous to the one beyond the violet.

CURE YOUR KIDNEYS.

No Need to Take Any Further Risks.

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, back-ache, urinary disorders, lameness, head-aches, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic invalids, when a certain cure is offered them?

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use, because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work. If you have any, even one, of the symptoms of kidney disease, cure yourself now, before diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease sets in. Can Marion residents demand more convincing proof than the following:

T. C. Robbins, Main St. Lenoir, N. C. says: "For several months I suffered from kidney trouble. I had pains across the small of my back and felt dull and languid nearly all the time. My kidneys were weak and I had an almost constant desire to void the kidney secretions, the passages being attended with pain. I finally procured Doan's Kidney Pills and shortly after using them, was relieved of my trouble. My kidneys are now acting in a normal manner and I am entirely free from pain and distress."

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. To Keep Germs Off Stamps. As a precaution against the spreading of disease germs, the New York postoffice employees are delivering all postage stamps face down on the counter.

The postoffice authorities received orders to this effect from Washington February 4. The measure is taken because of the many complaints from health boards and from individual physicians that when stamps are pushed across the counter with the gummed side down they pick up many germs, which are licked off by the person who puts the stamps on the envelopes.

It is stated by the clerks in the postoffice that many persons moisten their fingers with their lips before they pick up the stamps, and this the postal authorities said, was a direct way of carrying germs to the counters.

Rings Little Liver Pills are small, easy to take and pleasant. A healing, cooling, cleansing and soothing salve is Pinesolve Carbolyzed. It is good for cuts, burns, bruises and scratches. They are sold by M. F. Morphew.

A couple of young men were out fishing one day and on returning were going past a farmhouse and felt hungry. They yelled to the farmer's daughters, "Girls, have you any buttermilk?" The reply was gently wafted back to their ears, "Yes but we keep it for our own calves." The boys calculated that they had business away, and they went.

Senator Overman has introduced in the Senate a bill to reimburse the State of North Carolina in the sum of \$42,522 for cotton taken from the State authorities by federal force immediately following the Civil War.

200,000 Tubes Of Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve were sold in 1908 and not one word of complaint, though every tube was sold under a positive guarantee. It is good for nothing but the eyes. Ask your druggist.

The Waltham watch factory, of Waltham, Mass., closed Saturday. This factory, the largest of its kind in the world, employs nearly 4,000 people, and turns out from 3,000 to 3,300 watches every day. Over production is said to be the cause of the shutdown.

Consumption of Tea, Coffee and Spirits.

Washington Dispatch. Americans must be a thirsty nation, judging from the imports of drinkables set forth in a statement just issued by the bureau of statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor.

The United States drank the essence of more than a billion pounds of coffee in 1909 valued at \$86,000,000. That was about a dollar's worth of coffee for every person in the United States. Tea is not such a favorite. Only a little more than a hundred million pounds, valued at about \$16,000,000, came in.

But in spirits, wines and malt liquors the nation touched its highest record for importation in 1909 and consumed foreign products of that kind to the value of more than \$26,000,000, more than twice as much as was imported in 1899.

South America supplied most of the coffee, Asia most of the tea and Europe most of the wines and liquors. The United States is the world's largest coffee drinker and Great Britain is the world's greatest consumer of tea. Every person in the United States used on the average of eleven pounds of coffee during 1909, but the use of tea remained about unchanged from the previous year.

Dr. Bell's Pine Tar-Honey is the best known remedy. It is not a stimulant, but the genuine Dr. Bell's Pine Tar-Honey.

In order to show that spitting on the sidewalks is dangerous to health, an investigation has been made by Dr. John Robertson, Medical Health Officer of Birmingham, England, which shows that seven per cent of the "spits" collected in public places contained consumption germs. On the other hand the dust collected from the floors of the cottages of the Addonck Cottage Sanitarium has been found to be free of tuberculosis germs, showing that a careful consumptive is not dangerous.

"Generally debilitated for years. Had sick headaches, lacked ambition, was worn out and all run down. Burdock Blood Bitters made me a well person." —Mrs. Chas. Priestley, Moonson, Conn.

A girl graduate thus described in a manner in which a goat butted a boy out of the yard: He hurled the previous end of his stationery against the boy's afterwards with an earnestness and velocity which, backed by the pomposity of the goat's avowals, imparted a momentum that was not relaxed until he had landed on terra firma beyond the pale of the goat's jurisdiction.

There is nothing so annoying or so disagreeable as piles. We know of nothing so effective in their removal as Pilesol. It is a gentle and easy laxative, by which it drives the cold from the system and at the same time heals irritation of the throat and stops the cough. Sold by M. F. Morphew.

Nine of the largest wholesale bakeries in New York have formed a combine with a capital of \$6,000,000. These bakeries use 11,400 barrels of flour a week. The managers of the combine deny that it is the purpose to raise prices, but say they can reduce expenses. That is the alleged purpose of all trusts but the actual purpose is something different.

Are you frequently hoarse? Do you have that annoying tickling in your throat? Does your cough annoy you at night, and do you raise mucus in the morning? Do you want relief? If so, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you will be pleased. Sold by Marion Drug Co. and all druggists.

Keeping It Dark. Miss Kidder—Sub! Carrie has dyed her hair black! Don't tell anybody. Miss Ashitt—Is it a secret? Miss Kidder—Yes. She wants to keep it dark. Boston Globe.

Tickling in the Throat

"Just a little tickling in the throat!" Is that what troubles you? But it hangs on! Can't get rid of it! Home remedies don't take hold. You need something stronger—a regular medicine, a doctor's medicine. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral contains healing, quieting and soothing properties of the highest order. Ask your doctor about this. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Land For Sale. TAKE NOTICE. That the undersigned, under and by virtue of power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed from M. C. Sigmon and wife to the undersigned, as security for an indebtedness named therein, which mortgage deed may be found of record in Book No. 12 at page 223 of McDowell County Deed Records, will offer for sale at public outcry at the court house door in Marion for cash to the highest bidder, on the 15th day of March, 1910, that certain tract of land in McDowell County, in Finley's township, described as follows to-wit: Beginning on a stake the N. W. corner of the T. E. Sulper lot, and run north 50 feet to a stake the southwest corner of J. E. Craig's lot; thence east 270 feet to a stake the southeast corner of J. E. Craig's lot; thence south 50 feet to a stake, the northeast corner of T. E. Sulper lot; thence west with said line 270 feet to the beginning, containing about 1.4 acres of land with one store house and one warehouse situated thereon.

Notice. The defendants, Mary Branch and her husband, David Branch, above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced before the Clerk of the Superior Court of McDowell County to establish and settle the dividing lines between the lands of the plaintiffs and the defendants in McDowell County, and the said defendant will further take notice that they are required to appear before the Clerk of said Court at his office in the Court House in McDowell County on the 15th day of March, 1910, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

Notice. The defendants above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of McDowell County to sell the real estate belonging to the estate of the said John C. Brown, deceased, to make assets to pay the debts against the estate of said deceased; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of McDowell County on the 15th day of March, 1910, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

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Notice. The defendants, Agnes Chapman and her husband, David Chapman, J. E. Bryant, David Bryant and his wife, above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of McDowell County, before the Clerk, for the division of the said John Bryant land, of which said John Bryant, deceased, died seized, in Dryden's Township, McDowell County, and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County on the 15th day of March, 1910, in the court house in said County, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition or complaint.

Notice. This is to certify that S. D. Halliburton has filed location in his office for 30 acres of land in McDowell County, N. C., on the water of Sutherland's report, situate in the town of Sutherland, South Halliburton, and Taylor Subdivisions, being on South Halliburton's southeast corner and running south with Walkers line 30 poles to a stake, his corner, then west 18 poles with his line to a gum, then running between said gum and tract of land known as the Mrs. M. L. Shigler farm, and formerly known as the Walt Nichols farm, containing 125 acres more or less, which is fully described by map and bounds in a deed from J. W. Nichols and wife to Mrs. M. L. Shigler and Annie Macdonald in the office of the Register of Deeds for McDowell County in book 21 p. 120, and also in a deed from Don Shigler and wife Anna Mayo-Shigler to Mrs. M. L. Shigler registered in said office in book 21, page 201.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS WITH DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES. GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.

PATENTS D. SWIFT & CO. Notice of Dissolution. Partnership formerly entered into by and between S. E. Whitten and S. C. Little for the conduct of the Marion Progress, formerly the McDowell Democrat, and the McDowell Publishing Company, is dissolved by mutual consent.

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Notice of Land Sale. By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of McDowell County in a special proceeding entitled, Ella Shigler, Plaintiff, and her husband, George Marston, Co-Defendants, against George Marston, Co-Defendant, and her husband, J. L. English, Joint Defendants, and her husband, Gordon Harvey and her husband, George Ashworth and her husband, J. Ashworth, and Walter Shigler, Shigler, and Don Shigler, minors, rendered on the 31st day of Jan. 1910, the undersigned commissioner appointed by the court will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1910, all that certain farm and tract of land known as the Mrs. M. L. Shigler farm, and formerly known as the Walt Nichols farm, containing 125 acres more or less, which is fully described by map and bounds in a deed from J. W. Nichols and wife to Mrs. M. L. Shigler and Annie Macdonald in the office of the Register of Deeds for McDowell County in book 21 p. 120, and also in a deed from Don Shigler and wife Anna Mayo-Shigler to Mrs. M. L. Shigler registered in said office in book 21, page 201.

Notice. Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Clyde Bryant, deceased, all persons having claims against the said estate are required to present them to the undersigned within the month from this date, or this notice will be placed in full of same. All persons indebted on said estate will please make immediate settlement to the undersigned.

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