

Christian Life Column.

It is so sweet to trust Thy word alone; I do not ask to see The unveiling of Thy purpose, or the shining Of future light on mysteries untwining.

More things are wrought by prayer Than this world dreams of. Wherefore let thy voice Rise like a fountain for me night and day.

For what are men better than sheep or goats, That nourish a blind life within the brain. If, knowing God, they lift not hands of prayer,

A BEAUTIFUL INCIDENT IN THE LIFE OF QUEEN VICTORIA.

The recent death of England's beloved Queen calls to mind many incidents of her early reign which at that time showed the unusual quality of heart and mind possessed by the woman who was destined to become England's greatest ruler.

William IV. expired about midnight, if we remember right, at the Windsor Palace. The Archbishop of Canterbury, with other peers and high functionaries of the kingdom, were in attendance. As soon as the "sceptre had departed" with the last breath of the king, the archbishop quitted Windsor Castle and made his way, with all possible speed, to Kensington Palace.

THE MORAL VALUE OF GOOD TEMPER.

A reader of Robert Louis Stevenson's "Letters" says they show how well he practiced in every-day life the gospel of courage, of the high moral value of good temper, and of the crime of gloom and despondency.

When it comes to be recognized more generally, as it ought to be, that good temper is not only cultivatable but a Christian duty, and that one has no moral right to inflict gloom and despondency upon the home members or the community,

Children's Column.

HER TRIALS ARE O'ER. BY MILDRED MERLE. "You naughty, cruel, wicked boy! To rob birds' nests for pleasure; How could you steal the old bird's joy, The mother's dearest treasure?"

A SOUTHERN HEROINE OF THE REVOLUTION.

Emily Geiger was a young girl of eighteen years of age and her home was in South Carolina. Gen. Nathaniel Greene was in command of the army of Upper Carolina at that time (1781), and was anxious to capture an important post occupied by the British. He heard of the approach of Lord Rawdon and withdrew across the Saluda river, but he was pursued by the British forces to the Emoree river, where he made a stand.

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Miscellaneous.

BORAX A DOMESTIC REMEDY. A simple domestic remedy is borax. My mother kept a solution of salt water and borax constantly on hand, and if the slightest irritation or sore throat developed among us she had us gargle three times a day and lave our mouths and tonsils freely.

LEFT OVER PIE CRUST.

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he keeps. This applies equally to a woman. In taking soup, place the extreme edge of the spoon to your mouth, and be careful not to make the slightest sound in swallowing.—Selected.

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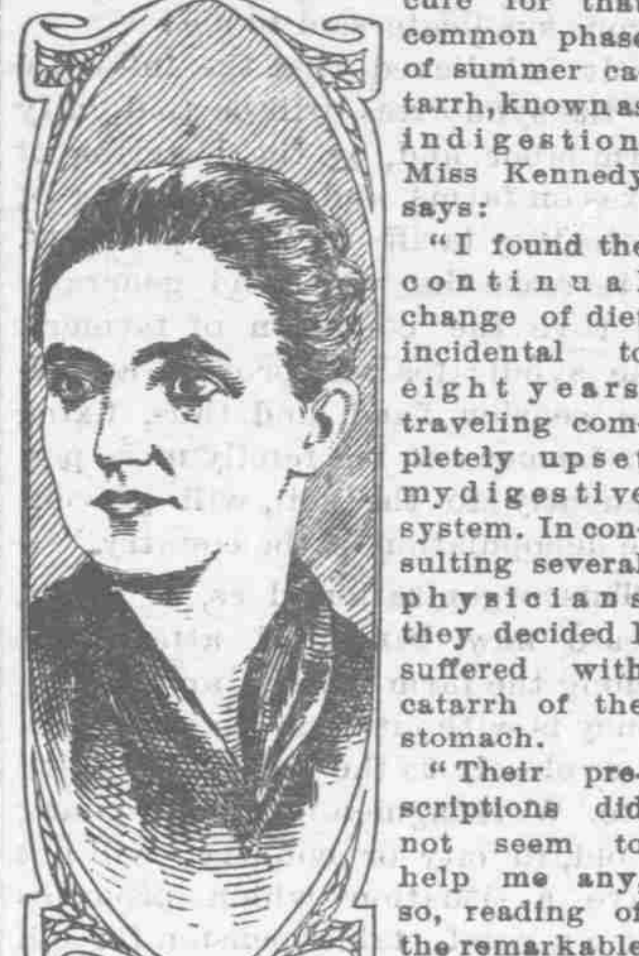
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HEALTHY WOMEN.

Mary J. Kennedy, manager of Armour & Co.'s Exhibit at the Trans-Mississippi Exposition at Omaha, Neb., writes the following of Peruna, Neb., as a cure for that common phase of summer catarrh, known as indigestion.



"I found the continual change of diet incidental to eight years' traveling completely upset my digestive system. In consulting several physicians they decided I suffered with catarrh of the stomach. Their prescriptions did not seem to help me any, so, reading of the remarkable cures effected by the use of Peruna I decided to try it and soon found myself well repaid."

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