

SERVANTS IN ITALY.
An interesting experience with their Perquisites and Wages.
A New England family spent last year in Italy, keeping house that the daughters, who were studying art, might have the comfort of a real home. They were much pleased with Italian servants, whom they found full of a delightful friendliness, equally removed from servility and impertinence; but, alas, these charming servants were not strictly honest. They had mysterious arrangements with the tradesmen, commissions, perquisites, pickings, treats to innumerable cousins. The mistress was troubled, yet she knew her Marietta to be a treasure whom it would be folly to dismiss.
Instead she summoned her and suggested, with careful delicacy, a curtailment of these self-assumed privileges, offering increased wages in return. Marietta agreed, but at the end of a week withdrew her assent.
"I cannot—no!" she declared vehemently. "At first I thought but of the money. Now I have time to think of other things, and I find myself insulted. Twenty times I put out my hand to take what I must not and what I have always taken. Then I feel like a thief—I, who am an honest woman. If I am to serve the signora longer she will pay me as before and trust me. I have judgment and discretion. I do not forget her interests. A trifle here, a trifle there, what does it matter? If it is more one week it is less the next and always such a little. I cannot be tied to my wages as one ties a greedy boy to the leg of the table that he may not reach the jam. Surely the signora understands?"
Marietta remained and continued to be judiciously and discreetly honest in her own fashion.—Youth's Companion.

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Thomas Macriner, the popular conductor on the Oriental branch of the Norfolk Southern railroad, left yesterday for Wilmington where he will attend the Elks' Convention today.
Mrs. Heye, of New York, asks for \$6,500 a month alimony in order to live according "to her station in life," and that is Heye living all right.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Money kept at home is money that pays twice.

ULCERS AND SKIN TROUBLES.
If you are suffering with any old, running or fever sores, ulcers, boils, eczema or other skin troubles, get a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and you will get relief promptly. Mrs. Bruce Jones, of Birmingham, Ala., suffered from an ugly ulcer for nine months and Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured her in two weeks. Will help you. Only 25c. Recommended by all dealers. (Adv.)

Currency legislation will very ably demonstrate how money talks.

BEST LAXATIVE FOR THE AGED.
Old men and women feel the need of a laxative more than young folks, but it must be safe and harmless and one which will not cause pain. Dr. King's New Life Pills are especially good for the aged, for they act promptly and easily. Price 25c. Recommended by all dealers. (Adv.)

California and Chicago are both suffering from too much Johnson.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Now the issue is fairly drawn between grape juice and buttermilk.

QUICK RELIEF FOR RHEUMATISM.

George W. Koos, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detcheon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, and had to be lifted for two months. She began the use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast." Sold by Bradham Drug Co. (Adv.)

Never mind the 6 cents, think of the advertising the Colonel got out of it.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

The Colonel can now buy three of his famous 2-cent lunches, the lucky man.

GU RANTEED ECZEMA REMEDY.

The constant itching, burning, redness, rash and disagreeable effects of eczema, tetter, salt rheum, itch, piles and irritating skin eruptions can be readily cured and the skin made clear and smooth with Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Mr. J. C. Eveland, of Bath, Ill., says: "I had eczema twenty-five years and had tried everything. All failed. When I found Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment I found a cure." This ointment is the formula of a physician and has been in use for years—not an experiment. That is why we can guarantee it. All druggists, or by mail, Price 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis. (Adv.)

Former Postmaster-General Hitchcock will hardly care to frame and kiss that report of his successor.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Harvard students are to have a snowball banquet, to which high balls will doubtless be invited.

MOST CHILDREN HAVE WORMS.

Many mothers think their children are suffering from indigestion, headache, nervousness, weakness, costiveness, when they are victims of that most common of all children's ailments—worms. Peevish, ill-tempered, fretful children, who toss and grind their teeth, with bad breath and colicky pains, have all the symptoms of having worms, and should be given Kickapoo Worm Killer, a pleasant candy lozenge, which expels worms, regulates the bowels, tones up the system, and makes children well and happy. Kickapoo Worm Killer is guaranteed. All druggists, or by mail, Price 25c. Kickapoo Indian Medicine Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis. (Adv.)

Dr. Friedmann is going back to Germany, and he is taking more home with him than he brought over here.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Beware of cheap imitations.
Signature of *Wm. D. Hooper*

HER FRIEND'S GOOD ADVICE

The Results Made This Newburg Lady Glad She Followed Suggestion.

Newburg, Ala.—"For more than a year," writes Myrtle Cothrum, of this place, "I suffered with terrible pains in my back and head. I had a sallow complexion, and my face was covered with pimples. Our family doctor only gave me temporary relief.
A friend of mine advised me to try Cardui, so I began taking it, at once, and with the best results, for I was cured after taking two bottles. My mother and my aunt have also used Cardui and were greatly benefited.
I shall always praise Cardui to sick and suffering women."

Cardui is a purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, tonic remedy for women, and will benefit young and old. Its ingredients are mild herbs, having a gentle, tonic effect, on the womanly constitution.
Cardui has helped a million women back to health and strength.
Have you tried it? If not, please do. It may be just what you need.

Write for Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, Home Treatment for Women, sent in plain wrapper, on request.

DR. E. G. HARGETT RETURNS
Veterinarian Has Recently Taken A Special Course.

Dr. E. G. Hargett, who formerly conducted a veterinarian's office in this city, but who last fall went to Washington, D. C., to take a special course in veterinary surgery, has returned to the city and will be associated with Dr. J. F. Foley who has held the position of city veterinarian during Dr. Hargett's absence.

Dr. Hargett is now in charge of the meat and milk inspection of the city and is also the city veterinarian and will devote much of his time to attending to these duties.

TAKE PLENTY OF TIME TO EAT
There is a saying that "rapid eating is slow suicide." If you have formed the habit of eating too rapidly you are most likely suffering from indigestion or constipation, which will result eventually in serious illness unless corrected. Digestion begins in the mouth. Food should be thoroughly masticated and insalivated. Then when you have a fullness of the stomach or feel dull and stupid after eating, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets. Many severe cases of stomach trouble and constipation have been cured by the use of these tablets. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Sold by all dealers. (Adv.)

It's hard for some people to stand success—in others.

Hope deferred giveth the promoter cold feet.

STOMACH TROUBLE.

Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price, 25 cents. For sale by all dealers. (Adv.)

That New York building that has enough wire in it to reach across the country must be Tammany Hall.

SORE NIPPLES.

Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale by all dealers. (Adv.)

Congressmen are having a trying time between the President who wants legislation and constituents who want the jobs.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY

Every family without exception should keep this preparation at hand during the hot weather of the summer months. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is worth many times its cost when needed and is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. It has no superior for the purposes for which it is intended. Buy it now. For sale by all dealers. (Adv.)

There is no proof that the cost of living is coming down in the fact that Rector's famous New York restaurant is "broke."

CAN'T KEEP IT SECRET.

The splendid work of Chamberlain's Tablets is daily becoming more widely known. No such grand remedy for stomach and liver troubles has ever been known. Sold by all dealers. (Adv.)

Judging from the questions proposed every Senator is his own lobbyist.

SHAKE OF YOUR RHEUMATISM.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. Try a twenty-five cent bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and see how quickly your rheumatic pains disappear. Sold by all dealers. (Adv.)

PREMIUM LIST BIG

Live Stock Show Will Be Feature of National Conservation Exposition

\$14,000 IN PRIZES OFFERED

Object of Manager of Live Stock Department is To Make Display Absolutely Clean and Stimulate Breeding of Better Class of Animals in South.

Some of the objects of the Live Stock Show to be held in connection with the National Conservation Exposition in Knoxville, as set forth by the director of that department, John A. Jones, are:

To show to the farmer and live stock man how much more economical, how much better, it is for him to breed a good animal than a scrub animal.

To show that successful farming depends, not only on the man behind the plow, but also on the weight of the team in front of the plow.

To show that agriculture and live stock breeding are closely related and can not be separated.

To prove that great opportunities—opportunities as great as exist anywhere—for the raising and breeding of live stock are being neglected and are going to waste in the South.

To make the show absolutely clean and high class.

To do everything possible to foster the breeding interests of the Southern country.

Fine Displays at Show.

The Live Stock Show that will be held at the big National Conservation Exposition, in Knoxville, from September 1 to November 1, of the present year, will be the greatest event of its



MISS JULIA C. LATHROP, One of country's noted women and head of Child Welfare Department of National Conservation Exposition.

kind probably ever held in the South. As the object of the National Exposition is to teach the lesson of the necessity of conserving the natural resources of the country, so, too, will the object of the Live Stock Show to teach a lesson—the lesson of conservation.

By displays and exhibits of finely-bred animals—horses, cattle, sheep and swine—and also by comparisons between these well-bred beasts with scrubs will the lessons of the Live Stock Show be taught. Noted men of the live stock world will deliver lectures from time to time. There will be other features forming a part of the show that will be new and novel and of a character never seen at a similar show in the South before.

The premium list is large. The total amount offered in premiums in all departments of the show is \$14,000, and these premiums are so arranged that every owner of a well-bred animal will have a chance of being declared a winner in some of the classes.

Many Other Big Prizes.

There is a stake of \$1,000 offered for the best saddle horse to be shown in the ring at the Night Horse Show.

There is an offer of an \$800 award for the best pair of heavy brood mares to be shown. This offer, it is expected, will result in a better class of heavy draft animals being raised in the South.

There is also a special prize of \$1,000 for the best exhibit of live stock from any county in any Southern state. This is the first time that such a premium has been offered for an event of this kind. The total premium list in connection with this one event alone totals up to \$2,700.

A commodious, well-ventilated building will house the live stock exhibits at the Conservation Exposition. The ring in which the animals will be shown has been pronounced to be one of the best in the country. A Night Horse Show will be held, and this will be made much of. It is expected to attract large crowds and also a fine line of exhibits.

Malaria or Chills & Fever
Prescription No. 666 is prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Colomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c

NEW HOSPITAL IS NOW OPEN

DRS. G. A. CATON AND H. M. BONNER TO CONDUCT INSTITUTION.

The private hospital located in the new Caton building, corner Queen and Grill streets, and which is to be operated by Dr. G. A. Caton and Dr. H. M. Bonner, was yesterday opened to the public. All the wards have not been completely furnished but this work is now in progress and will be completed within a few days.

It is believed that there is room here for another hospital and that the new institution will prove a successful venture for its owners. One patient was received on the first day and is now receiving treatment.

The upper part of the building, in which will be located a drug store and a sanitary grocery store, has not been completed but the finishing touches are now being added and this will be in readiness for occupancy within a few days.

The offices of Drs. Bonner and Caton will in the future be located in the building.

TAKES BICHLORIDE BY MISTAKE

Charlottesville, Va., June 1.—Robert Tally, a clerk in the offices of the Adams Express Company at this place, took by mistake a bichloride tablet Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. M. Smith on West Market street. Mr. Tally had cut his head slightly and asked for something to stop the pain.

The tablet was sent up to his room and one of the little girls saw him swallow it. Medical aid was immediately sought, but no physician could be found. He was driven rapidly to the University Hospital and his stomach emptied of the poison with a stomach pump.

He was so improved later in the day that he was allowed to return to his boarding house.

VISITING LADY STRICKEN WITH APPENDICITIS.

Coming to New Bern to give demonstrations of O-Cedar mops which are handled locally by M. E. Whitehurst & Company, Mrs. Fletcher, who is employed as a demonstrator by the manufacturers of this household commodity, was on Tuesday stricken with an attack of appendicitis and is now confined in Stewart's sanitarium undergoing treatment.

The French would probably regard as murderous that Georgia duel in which each man fired six shots and neither missed inflicting a wound with such ballet.

Tombs' inscriptions are generally too good to be true.

It's perfectly plain that no woman ever thinks she is.

More push than ambition is needed to operate a wheelbarrow.

A man's sins find him out eventually but his wife usually beats them to it.

When starvation stares a woman in the face she may start a boarding house.

No man can arrange the furniture in a room to suit a woman.

It takes a romantic girl to write a love letter that means the same thing over and over again.

A man may be said to have horse sense if he declines to mortgage his home to buy an automobile.

Railroad engineer, 8 years at the throttle, had invested his savings in a printing business.

Business, ill-managed was on the verge of ruin. The engineer left his engine one day and stepped in as superintendent. Never had seen the inside of a printing plant.

Today it is one of the most successful catalog houses in his section, and he's rich.

He was a born executive, not an engine driver, and he found himself.

A want ad will also find your place, old fellow.



Don't neglect the baby's health by keeping it cooped up at home—he will thrive wonderfully if you will give him a daily outing in the bright sun and what you save in medicine and doctor's bills will more than pay for one of these dainty go carts or carriages. We have just received an assorted shipment of Reed body carriages, made of selected German reed, with hair filled seats. Every carriage is made with the best steel gears and cushion frames—the most substantial made. We have them ranging in prices from \$35.00.

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