

Could All Her?

Youth's Companion.

In a certain New England village there is a little Irish cobbler whose conversation is much esteemed by his fellow-citizens for the amusement which they are pretty sure to derive from it.

"Good morning, Mr. Mooney!" said a customer one day, going into the shop with a pair of shoes to be mended. "I hear your wife is ill. What is the matter?"

"It's meself that's tried to find a reason for Norah's being took sick yisterday morning," said Mooney. "Unless it's the heat, I don't know what the trouble is."

"Day before yisterday she was as well as iver she was. Ye mind it was a powerful hot day, day before yisterday? Well, thin, Norah took no notice av the weather, no more than usual. She picked blueberries all the morning; thin she made a blueberry pie for dinner, and she ate the half av that pie, and a quarter of a watermelon I'd bought, and she relished iver-moulful."

"Thin she made the rest av the blueberries into a nice cake for supper, and she ate the half av that—me eating the rest, same as I did av the pie—and the last quarter of the watermelon; and what wid fresh doughnuts and the last end of Mrs. Mulcahey's wedding-cake, she made out a fine meal. And in the evening, it being so terrible hot, she made a pitcher av lemonade, and drunk the whole av it."

"It's the quare thing her being took sick yisterday morning after being so well the day before," said Mr. Mooney. "She ate twice what I did, and I remember spaking to her about her fine appetite, and the heat and all; and here she is flat on her back since yisterday morning!"

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ANOTHER SMART WOMAN.

My husband is poor but proud and he does not want me to work; as I have nothing to do I get restless, and after reading in your paper Mrs. Russell's experience selling self-heating flat-irons I concluded I would try it. I wrote to J. F. Casey & Co., St. Louis, Mo., and they treated me so nicely that I felt very much encouraged. As soon as I got my sample iron I started out and sold 8 irons the first day, clearing \$12. I have not sold less than 8 any day since, and one day I sold 17. I now have \$225 clear money, and my husband does not know I have been working, but I am afraid he will be mad when I tell him. Have I done right or should I quit work and leave him to struggle alone?

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The best food for moulting hens is lean meat. To have hens lay in winter, the early moulting hens must be fed on food that will assist to renew the feathers.

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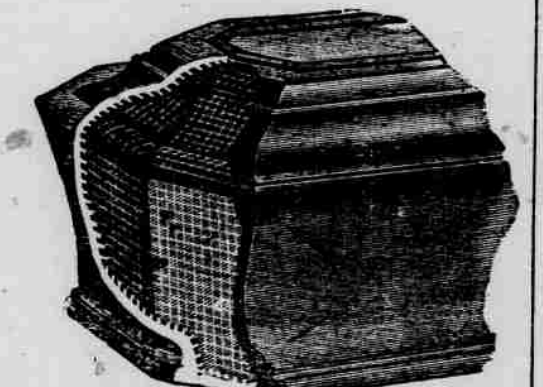
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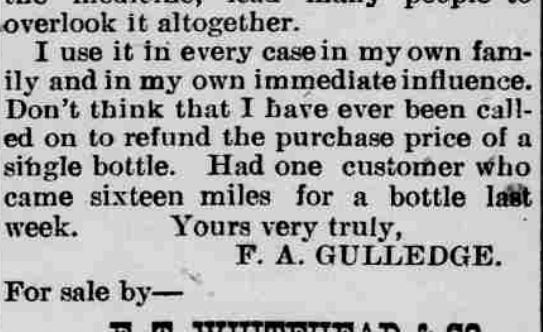
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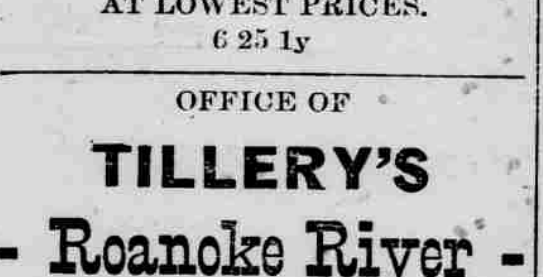
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