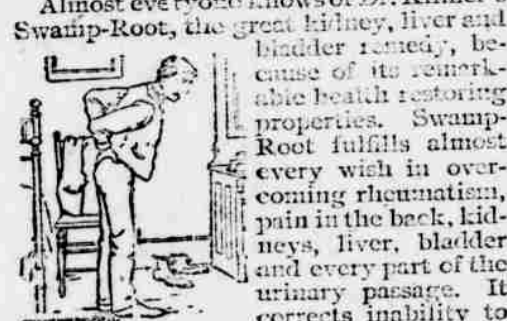


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Someone in the family may have a hard cold this winter; it may be in the head, perhaps in the chest. It matters not where; here is some advice and a prescription that will break up any cold in a few hours, and without taking harmful drugs or strong drinks into the stomach.

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Then try this economical treatment; into a bowl of boiling water pour a teaspoonful of HYOMEI (pronounce it High-o-me) cover both head and bowl with a towel, and breathe deep into the lungs the soothing, healing vapor.

Breathe this vapor for five or ten minutes until the head feels fine and clear, then go to bed and sleep soundly until morning.

A bottle of HYOMEI costs 50 cents at E. T. Whitehead Company and druggists everywhere. A complete outfit which includes a hard rubber pocket inhaler with which you can breathe it at any time or place, costs only \$1.00. It is guaranteed to cure catarrh, coughs, colds, sore throat and all croup, or money back.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, cause chronic constipation. Doan's Regulates operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation. 25c. Ask your druggist for them.

"He used to complain because he never got what he wanted to eat."
"Yes, but he's rich now."
"Yes, and now he complains because he never wants what he gets to eat."—Catholic Standard and Times.

How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

Judge—It seems to me I've seen you before.
Prisoner—You have Judge. I gave your daughter singing lessons.
Judge—Twenty years.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on to the effected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with lame back or pains in the side or chest give it a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. Sold by all dealers.

Gunner—"And now comes a professor who declares that fruit is just as healthy with the skin on as it is peeled."
Guyer—"Hm! I'd like to see somebody start him on a diet of pineapples."—Chicago News.

Tortured for 15 Years.
By a cure-defying stomach trouble that baffled doctors, and resisted all remedies he tried, John W. Modders, of Moddersville, Mich., seemed doomed. He had to sell his farm and give up work. His neighbors said, "the can't live much longer." "Whatever I ate distressed me," he wrote, "till I tried Electric Bitters, which worked such wonders for me that I can now eat things I could not take for years. Its surely a grand remedy for stomach trouble." Just as good for the liver and kidneys. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c at E. T. Whitehead Company.

Good Roads and Incomes.

In the educational campaign which is now being conducted in favor of good roads the very freest discussion of ways and means of attaining the desired end should be invited.

The issue of bonds for road purposes by any particular county is a subject which should be discussed with reference to local circumstances and not along the lines of glittering generalities. Advocates and opponents of such issues are rendering important public services when they give their neighbors the results of careful observation and sound reasoning.

In this connection an interesting communication appeared recently in the Lumberton Robesonian from the pen of a citizen who appears to endorse the plan of the Rural Letter Carrier's Association which contemplates the division of the road into short sections to be let to responsible bidders to maintain in first-class condition. The Robesonian's correspondent prefers this plan to that which calls for bonds, believing that such oversight would result in better roads and vastly less disturbance of labor.

In support of this contention it is argued that increases value of farm lands may be a burden rather than an assistance to the agricultural proprietor. "As to the increased valuation of farmers land, taxes are high enough now and if the value is doubled will not the tax be doubled? If a farm is now valued at \$1,000 and the value is increased to \$2,000 will not the owner have to pay on \$2,000? Will the doubling of the valuation increase the production any? Such an increase in valuation will increase taxes but not income."

This argument overlooks the fact that income may be increased by a diminution of expenses as well as by an actual increase in the crops. Pushed to its logical extreme it would offer a barrier to all improvements which might increase taxable values. The crops raised upon the farm may not vary greatly in size whether its money value is \$1,000 or \$2,000 but cost of production and cost of marketing will influence net income quite as materially as the number of bushels raised. With modern high ways, we believe that such an increase in taxable values would result in benefit to the farmer rather than the contrary. The initial cost of raising the crop would be lowered by the greater facility with which his necessary traveling would be done. His net profit from its sale would be enhanced by the lessening of the expense of marketing.—Charlotte Observer.

Are You A Woman?
Baltimore, Md.—Mrs. W. H. Ison, at 1419 East Madison street, writes, "For several years, I suffered off and on, from womanly troubles, until finally I was taken down and could do nothing. The pains I experienced, I shall never forget. I lost weight until I was only skin and bones. I believe I would be in my grave if I had not tried Cardui. Are you like Mrs. Ison, weak and discouraged because of some painful ailment? Cardui will help you. Try it today. Any druggist will be glad to sell you a bottle.

Hostess—"It's beginning to rain, you'll get wet. I think you'd better stay to dinner."
Departing Guest—"Oh, dear, no! It's not raining so badly as all that."—Sidney Bulletin.

Accidents will happen, but the best regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the hurts.

WHEN HER BACK ACHES.

A Woman Finds all Her Energy and Ambition Slipping Away.

Scotland Neck women know how the aches and pains that come when the kidneys fail make life a burden. Backache, hip pains, headaches, dizzy spells, distressing urinary trouble, all tell of sick kidneys and warn you of the stealthy approach of diabetes, dropsy and bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills are for these disorders. Here's proof of their merit in a Scotland Neck woman's words:

Mrs. T. F. Gray, E. Main St., Scotland Neck, N. C., says: My experience with Doan's Kidney Pills has convinced me that they are a remedy of merit. My back and head ached severely and I had dizzy spells and other symptoms of kidney complaint. Finally I procured a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills at E. T. Whitehead Company's Drug Store and it did not take them long to correct my trouble."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Company, Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

"Have you joined the More Daylight Club?" he asked.
"I should say not. It's all I can do now to get home before daylight," replied the old rounder.—Detroit Free Press.

Caught in the Rain.
Douglasville, Tex.—"Five years ago I was caught in a rain at the wrong time," writes Edna Rutherford, of Douglasville, "and from that time was taken with dumb chills and fevers, and suffered more than I can tell. I tried everything that I thought would help, and had four doctors, but got no relief. I took Cardui, the woman's tonic. Now I feel better than in many months." Cardui does one thing and does it well. That's the secret of its 50 years of success. Try Cardui.

Guest (in restaurant)—You may bring me a spiritualistic steak.
Waiter—Beg pardon, sir?
Guest—A spiritualistic steak—medium. See?—Chicago News.

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters build up sound health—keeps you well.

"What kind of a man would you like for a husband?"
"Oh, either a bachelor or widower; I'm not particular which."—Universalist Leader.

When her child is in danger a woman will risk her life to protect it. No great act of heroism or risk of it is necessary to protect a child from croup. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and all danger is avoided. For sale by all dealers.

"Pa, what's a joint bank account of man and wife?"
"That's an account, my son, where the husband does the depositing and the wife the withdrawing."—Judge.

You are probably aware that pneumonia always results from a cold, but you never heard of a cold resulting in pneumonia when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. Why take the risk when this remedy may be had for a trifle? For sale by all dealers.

Too many candidates for office ran in the wrong direction.
Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently.—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala.

It's difficult to get more than 10 cents for a hard-luck story.
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If you have pains in the back, urinary, bladder or kidney trouble, dizziness and lack of energy, try Mother Gray's AROMATIC-LEAF, the pleasant herb remedy. As a System regulator it has no equal. At Druggists, or by mail, 25c. Ask to-day. SAMPLE FREE. Address: The Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

Bosom friends may be chums, or they may be chumps.
Wife Got Tip Top Advice.
"My wife wanted me to take our little boy to the doctor to cure an ugly boil," writes D. Frankel, of Stroud, Okla., "I said put Bucklen's Arnica Salve on it." She did so, and it cured the boil in a short time." Quickest healer of Burns, Cuts, Corns, Bruises, Sprains, Swellings. Best Pile cure on earth. Try it. Only 25c at E. T. Whitehead Company.

Do your own thinking, but do your worrying by proxy.
Life Saved at Death's Door.
"I never felt so near my grave," writes W. R. Patterson, of Wellington, Tex., "as when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 100 pounds, in spite of doctor's treatment for two years. My father, mother and two sisters died of consumption, and I am alive today is due solely to Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. Now I weigh 187 pounds and have been well and strong for years." Quick, safe, sure, its the best remedy on earth for coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by E. T. Whitehead Company.

RACER DARES DEATH

GRIM NERVE OF MECHANICIAN AT RIVERHEAD CONTEST.

When the Steering Gear Becomes Disabled He Climbs Out Over Auto's Hood and Rides on Cranking Shaft.

One of the nerviest spectacles ever seen on an auto raceway, says Hampton's Magazine, occurred in the Long Island stock car Derby at Riverhead. Herbert Bailey, mechanic for Louis Disbrow and his No. 1 literary shook hands with death.

When the car had passed the stand on its fourth lap and was two miles from the repair pits the pin fell out of the reach rod, disabling the steering gear. The machine threatened to become unmanageable.

What did Bailey do but climb out over the hood, lower himself down on the little cranking rod and sit facing the radiator with his feet propped against the front axle. With one hand he prevented himself from being dashed under the wheels by holding on to the little water cap on the top of the hood.

The other hand held the disabled steering gear together. Bailey rode twenty miles in that manner, with the car going full speed, until the circuit was completed and the repair pits made.

George Robertson had an experience in the famous backstretch of the Merrimac Valley course which might have had pretty serious consequences. "We were making seventy miles an hour," said Robertson in telling the story, "when suddenly I heard a crack. The next second I fell through to the floor of the car. The seat had broken under me. There I lay with my hands on the wheel and my feet sticking up in the air.

"I could not see the road in front of me, and did not know where the car was going. Just before Glenn Ethridge, my mechanic, grabbed me by the shoulders and pulled me up, the car tilted perceptibly. It almost tipped over. I tell you, I thought we were gone!" No, I haven't said anything about it. Why should I?

Smiling George they call him, and his sunny countenance certainly bears out the nickname. Robertson is a big, solid, good looking youth, who gives the impression that nothing could move him. He fairly radiates vitality. In everyday life he is an easygoing, merry, careless chap.

In a race he is another man. At times he acts like a maniac. He has been known to strike the men in the repair pits when they did not work fast enough to suit him. On the road he is absolutely fearless. The other drivers "turn out" for him. On more than one occasion Robertson has scraped the paint off a car that was slow in giving him leeway.

A story is told of Robertson's behavior during the Emerald race. It was said that he had hurled a monkey wrench at another driver who deliberately tried to block him. When Robertson was asked about this he appeared high incensed.

"Honestly, do you think I'd throw my wrench at any one? Why, it's absurd! Suppose I should need that wrench during the race! If I threw anything, I throw spare nuts."

One With Authority.
Knicker—Where was Jones going when arrested for speeding?
Bocher—To deliver a speech on the extravagance of automobiles.
No Slavery to Work.

Deskins, Va.—Mrs. Mary A. Vandylke, in a letter from Deskins, says: "I had serious female troubles, lasting 40 days at a time. I was so weak I could hardly walk, so I tried Cardui. Soon I was better. Now I am well." If you suffer from any womanly pain or weakness, take Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui will lift you out of the misery and weariness, caused by womanly weakness, and help you to see the bright side of life. Try it. Your druggist sells it.

Sale of Personal Property.
By virtue of power vested in me by law as administrator of M. D. Joyner, deceased, late of Halifax county, North Carolina, I will on the 11th day of February, 1911, at the home place of the said M. D. Joyner, in Rosemeath township, said county and state, sell for cash at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described Personal Property, to-wit:

All Horses, Cows, Hogs, Poultry, Buggies, Carts and other Farming Utensils, one Organ, one Sewing Machine, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Meat, Corn, Fodder, Pen Vines, etc., being all the Personal Property belonging to the estate of said M. D. Joyner.

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