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THE INK SPREAD THAT COUNTS.

"It remains for the press of North Carolina to show how necessary and vital, for the State's best interests, that this State should be represented at St. Louis next year, and work towards this end should be, now," says the New Bern Journal. The press is willing, but from the way our State bond issue remains on our hands, even at 4 per cent., it looks like wasting ink.

The above from our esteemed friend the Greenville Reflector, is in no doubt half jest, and does not express its real sentiments, nor does the Reflector's record show that it believes in "quitting."

The Legislature's failure to provide an ample fund for a North Carolina exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition, was a weakness, a shortsightedness, which in a business house would have been a distinct set back in its management and probably injury to its trade.

While there is no real analogy, perhaps, yet could not a State's credit be injured, at least there be a hesitation to purchase its bonds, when those who seek to sell its bonds, refuse to advertise its resources and show its products to the world that is seeking investment?

Let the merchant keep his store filled with the choicest articles, yet if he does not make known what he has, there will be no demand or sale of his goods.

The same may be said of North Carolina. Its press boasts continually of its vast resources which will prove profitable to any one seeking their development, but outside of the press there is no effort made to "show the goods."

But the JOURNAL does not believe any printer's ink is wasted, because this same subject is oft brought up and as often reiterated.

The newspapers of North Carolina have never as yet been weary in well doing, and this making North Carolina get a good spirited move towards helping its credit at home and abroad by showing what its resources are, is an ink spread which means great legitimate results.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle Sold by all Druggists.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

His Social Repetitions.

"You say his wife had him arrested for repeating? I didn't know she took any interest in political elections?"

"In political elections?"

"Yes, didn't you say she accused him of repeating?"

"Yes. Bigamy!"—Catholic Standard and Times.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. In Use For Over Thirty Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought

A Fortune in a Clock.

A man in Vienna possessed as an heirloom an old clock made early in the sixteenth century. He thought it was worth about $10. One day a stranger came and offered him $400 for it. The owner suspected that if it was worth that it might be worth more, so he investigated the matter. He soon received an offer of $4,000 for it and finally sold it to the Kensington museum, London, for $20,000.

YOU KNOW WHAT YOU ARE TAKING When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic, because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

A Costly Bit.

"My wife found a poker chip in my pocket, and I told her it was a dyspepsia tablet."

"That was clever."

"Far from it! She swallowed the chip, and the doctor's bills cost me more than the jackpot."—Philadelphia Record.

YESTERDAY'S MARKETS.

Cotton, Grain, Provisions and Stocks. Range in Prices. Receipts and Shipments.

The following are the market quotations, received by private wire to J. E. Latham & Co. New Bern, N. C.

Chicago, April 17.

WHEAT:—	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
May	77⅞			77⅞
July	71⅞			71⅞
Sept	68⅞			68⅞
CORN:—				
May	43⅞			44
July	44⅛			44⅛
Sept				48⅞
OATS:—				
May	34⅞			34⅞
July	30⅛			30⅛
Sept	28			28
PORK:—				
May	1797			1800
July	1737			1740
Sept	1705			1707
LARD:—				
May	980			982
July	972			972
Sept	970			972
RIBS:—				
May				980
July	967			965
Sept				

New York, April 17.

STOCKS:—	Open.	Close
Amr. Sugar	125⅛	124⅞
Union Pacific	89⅞	90⅞
Mo. Pacific	107⅛	107⅛
do. Pacific	56⅛	56⅞
Manhattan	137⅛	138⅛
Great Western	22	22⅞
Money	4%	4%
Amr. Copper	63⅛	64⅛
Texas Pacific	33⅞	33⅞
Wabash pf	46	45⅞
Erie, 1st	65⅛	65⅞
Colorado So.	24⅛	24⅞
Anaconda Cop.	108	108
Southern Ry	30⅛	31
Southern Ry pf.	92	92
Louisville&Nash	116⅞	117
Brooklyn R. T.	65⅛	65⅞
Penn. R R	136	136⅞
Atchison	81⅛	81⅞
St. Paul	161⅞	162⅛
Erie	34	34
Atchison pf	97⅛	97⅞
U. S. Steel	35⅛	35⅛
Reading	54⅞	55
People Gas	109⅛	109⅞
C.&O.	44	44⅛
B. & O.	91⅛	92⅞
M. & W.	70⅞	71⅛
Tenn. Coal, Iron.	65	65⅛
N.Y Central	131⅞	131⅞
Rock Island	42⅛	42⅞
Western Union	85⅛	85
Ontario Western	29⅞	29⅞
A. C.		
Metropolitan	139	139⅛
Coal, Feel, Iron	59⅛	63⅞
Va. C Chemical	61⅞	61⅞
Canadian Pacific	130	130
C. & A.		
Amr. Otton Oil	41⅛	41⅞
U. S. Steel pf	86⅛	86⅞
Ill Central	136	136
Republic Steel	19⅛	19⅞
Am. Ice	7⅛	8⅛
Del.&Hudson	166	166
A. I.		
U. S. Leather	14⅛	14
Amr Car Found.	39⅛	39⅛
U S. Leather pf.		
Pac Mil		

New York, April 17.

COTTON:—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Apr.		10.26	10.22	10.22
May	10.32	10.35	10.24	10.35
June		9.87	9.85	9.87
July	9.93	9.96	9.84	9.86
Aug	9.45	9.49	9.42	9.44
Sept	8.77	8.80	8.75	8.78
Oct	8.80	8.84	8.49	8.48
Nov	8.38	8.38	8.37	8.37
Dec	8.36	8.41	8.35	8.37
Jan				

Liverpool

Liverpool cotton market closed today.

Mid. 5.42
Sales 8000
Receipts 14000

	Open	Close.
April	5.22	
Apr-May	5.22	5.24
May-June	5.22	5.23
June-July	5.22	5.23
July-Aug	5.22	5.23
Aug-Sep	5.14	5.15
Sept-Oct	4.78	4.79
Oct-Nov	4.50	4.50

Total ports estimated today 9,000 vs 12,000 last year.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow.

Galveston 4,000 to 5,000 against 3,814 last year.

New Orleans 5,000 to 6,000 against 3,536 last year.

Houston 2,000 to 2,500 against 1,017 last year.

FIRST MORTGAGE.

	This week	Same week last year.
Last week	100,000	64,000
This week.		
Sat.	11000	12000
Mon.	18000	18000
Tues.	11000	10000
Wed.	9000	9000
Thurs.		18000
Fri.	2000	20000
		97000

Lunative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25c. E. W. Grove on every box.

SENATOR SUTTON

of Burlington, Vt., Does Not Wait for Sickness.

HE USES

Paine's Celery Compound

The Spring Health Giver, Whenever He Feels Out-of-Sorts, and Thus Maintains Regular Health and Vigor.

Paine's Celery Compound is more talked of in the springtime in each state, city, town and village, than any other medicine now before the public. It has a place in the homes of the wealthy, influential and intellectual; it is the disease banisher that has the entire confidence of our men and women who toil daily in

E M SUTTON.

workshops, stores, offices and homes. When the first warning symptoms of physical weakness and disease are experienced, wise and prudent men and women invariably seek new vitality, health and strength in nature's health builder, Paine's Celery Compound. If the reader of this article finds it difficult to obtain restful sleep, if nervousness and weakness are causing alarm, if the blood is impure and sluggish, if rheumatism, neuralgia, dyspepsia, kidney and liver troubles are commencing to annoy, follow the safe and wise example of Ex-Mayor Sutton, of Burlington, Vt., use Paine's Celery Compound and promptly banish the little ills; do not wait till you are sick. One bottle, as a rule, will brace the nerves, correct impaired digestion, cleanse the blood, and make you robust and strong. Read Senator Sutton's cheering testimony:—

"People have often asked me how I managed to keep so well, for although out in nearly all kinds of weather, and travelling considerably, I have no aches or sickness. My one answer has been, that instead of waiting until I am sick in bed and forced to stop work for a while, whenever I feel out-of-sorts the least bit, I take Paine's Celery Compound, which keeps me well and strong. It is a great deal better, in my opinion, to take a medicine that keeps one well, rather than to wait for sickness and then hunt around for a medicine or a doctor. I have been a hearty advocate of Paine's Celery Compound since it was first made a great many years ago, and have yet to hear of a case in which it has failed to fulfill its promises."

The Newspaper.

Your great man shines before the populace in vain—without the newspaper. He spread eagles the constitution in vain—without the newspaper. His clarion voice wakes up the universe in vain—without the newspaper. His most astounding financial enterprises serve him in vain—without the newspaper. His scientific researches and achievements are in vain—without the newspaper. His success in every walk of life is in vain—without the newspaper. The newspaper is the famemaker of the age. Of course, some of the fame is cheap, but it satisfies the living wearer of the cloak even though posterity change it.—New York Press.

WEAK LUNGS

Weak lungs are mostly due to a neglected cough. Only a small per cent. of the million people who have consumption inherit it. A slight cold, a tickling or hacking cough is the beginning, and after it has reached a certain advanced stage there is no ending except the grave.

Any case of consumption that is curable; that is, any one having consumption whose family or friends still hold on to a ray of hope, may take comfort in the knowledge of the fact that One Minute Cough Cure will give instant relief and finally cure.

This famous remedy does not pass immediately into the stomach, but lingers near in the throat, chest and lungs, producing the following results:

(1) Relaxes the cough.
(2) Makes the breathing easy.
(3) Cuts out the phlegm.
(4) Cures all the inflammation.
(5) Kills the germs (microbes) of disease.
(6) Strengthens the tissues throughout.
(7) Clears the head.
(8) Relieves the feverish conditions.
(9) Removes every cause of the cough and the cause on the lungs.
(10) Builds up the lungs to enabling them to fight germs and life-sapping tissues in the lungs. Cures Croup and all Cough, Lung and Bronchial Affections.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

"My physician told me one year ago that I would die of consumption inside of a year. I commenced taking One Minute Cough Cure for my lung trouble and it cured me. I have gained 20 pounds and I am a healthy man. Send my photo to Dr. King's Cough Cure never fails."—Henry F. Simmons, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Pleasant to the taste. Good for Children. Good for every body. For Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping-Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma, Pneumonia and all Throat and Lung troubles no remedy is as good as

ONE MINUTE COUGH CURE.

Prepared by E. C. DEWITT & CO., CHICAGO.

F. S. DUFFY.

BELLAIR.

April 15.—The public school at Bellair will close next week and Miss Edna Lineberry, the teacher, has done very acceptable service. She is a faithful, patient worker. We would be glad to secure her services for next fall term.

On Friday evening, April 24th, there will be a concert at Bellair school house by the school and young people of the community. Public are cordially invited to attend. We do not hear of any admittance fee, but it will be safe to bring a little cash for when you learn that the school room needs seats and desks you will desire to help them.

The full moon in April has passed and the predicted frost has not come, so the truckers are rejoicing that what few peas they have will not likely be killed this time.

The pea crop is very poor, poor stand and not full of fruit. Cabbage generally far behind the average, they died out badly and run to seed, and a few headed up so small that they could have been mailed in good size envelopes. The heavy rain did some damage in a few bottoms where potatoes are planted, consequently there is not a good stand in wet places.

Early planted corn is coming up nicely, and cotton planting will soon begin, if these beautiful spring days continue to dispense their bounties of sunshine and gentle zephyrs. The strawberry crop will soon be in its prime, a few shipments have already gone forward.

Our fruit crop is thus far safe and promises to be a bountiful one. Nearly all kinds of fruit in our midst seems to be in abundance and prospects good thus far.

The absence of much wind has marked March this year, and thus far April has not done much borrowing.

Next Saturday and Sunday 18, 19, the Second Quarterly meeting for Craven circuit will be held at Beech Grove.

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Cures Blood Poison, Cancer, Ulcers, Eczema, Carbuncles, Etc. Medicine Free.

Robert Ward, Maxey's, Ga., says: "I suffered from blood poison, my head, face and shoulders were one mass of corruption, aches in bones and joints, burning, itching, scabby skin, was all run down and discouraged, but Botanic Blood Balm cured me perfectly, healed all the sores and gave my skin the rich glow of health. Blood Balm put new life into my blood and new ambition into my brain." Geo. A. Williams, Roxbury, face covered with pimples, chronic sore on back of head, suppurating swelling on neck, eating ulcer on leg, bone pains, itching skin cured perfectly by Botanic Blood Balm—sores all healed. Botanic Blood Balm cures all malignant blood troubles, such as eczema, scabs and scales, pimples, running sores, carbuncles, scrofula, etc. Especially advised for all obstinate cases that have reached the second or third stage. Improves the digestion; strengthens weak kidneys. Druggist, $1. To prove it cures, sample of Blood Balm sent free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice sent in sealed letter. For sale in New Bern by F S Duffy and C D Bradham.

Two of a Kind.

Jenkins—What an egotistical fellow Jasper is!

Hawleigh—Not more so than Blarp. When the two get together, it reminds me of the law of retaliation; an I for an I, you know.—Boston Transcript.

Take a bath in Hancock's Liquid Sulphur. They are superior to those of the most celebrated Sulphur Springs, having the additional advantage of being made any desired strength. They will cure Prickly heat, Eczema, and all skin dis cases. For sale by F. S. Duffy.

The Louisiana Purchase.

The Louisiana Purchase cost our nation $15,000,000 in the time of President Jefferson. The Louisiana Purchase exposition to celebrate this purchase to be held at St. Louis in 1904 will cost about $40,000,000. The ground on which the fair will be held is counted worth $15,000,000.

Prickly heat cured in one application by using of Hancock's Liquid Sulphur. It will also cure Eczema, Tetter, Pimples, Ringworm, Dandruff, Cuts, Burns, Old Sores, and all skin troubles in a short time, when used as directed. For sale at F. S. Duffy's Drug Store.

Food For Nervous Individuals.

As a rule salt meat is not adapted to the requirements of nervous people, as nutritious juices go into the brine to a great extent. Fish of all kinds is good for them. Raw eggs, contrary to the common opinion, are not as digestible as those that have been well cooked. Good bread, sweet butter and lean meat are the best food for the nervous. People troubled with insomnia and nervous starting from sleep and sensations of falling can often be cured by limiting themselves to a diet of milk alone for a time. An adult should take a pint at a meal and take four meals a day. People with weakened nerves require frequently a larger quantity of water than those whose nerves and brains are strong. It aids the digestion by making the food soluble, and seems to have a direct tonic effect.—Science News.

A Great Sensation.

There was a big sensation in Louisville, Ind. when W H Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption. He writes: "I endured inconceivable agonies from Asthma but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure. Similar scenes of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Grip are numerous. It's the positive remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c. and $1.00. Guaranteed by C D Bradham, Druggist. Trial bottles free.

HARLOWE AND N. HARLOWE.

April 16.—Tuesday's rain storm was very severe, the wind leveled many of our fences, blew off the blades of the barn of Mr J W Hardesty and stripped the top from a shed and did other damage to him.

Mrs Jane Harmers left Friday last for Newport where she goes to visit relatives and friends.

Rev Mr Poole has been spending a few days in Harlowe taking orders for pictures to be enlarged. He spent last Sunday with us and filled Rev J H M Giles' pulpit by request of the pastor, who was also present.

The following is the roll of honor of Miss Madie Bell's school for the past month:

Misses Ada Becton, Ola Long, Lillian Bell, Hattie Bell, Lizzie Bell, Alberta Bell, Marie Long, Myrtle Hancock, Lauretta Hancock and Arlies Taylor, Masters Linwood Ward, Willie Becton and Carlyle Taylor.

Mr and Mrs F E Dickinson and children of Blades Mill, were in New Bern Tuesday, we suppose to take in the pony and dog show.

Miss Pearl Taylor who has a position with Mr Holton at Winthop, to the great delight of her many friends, spent last Saturday and Sunday at home. Her presence at Sunday School and church gave much pleasure to her friends who were glad to shake her hand after her few months absence.

Mr Alfred Cheney Jr, who has made many friends here while on the State survey in this section, paid us a flying visit one day last week.

Messrs N H Taylor and Harry Bell left by boat Monday for New Bern on business.

Messrs C F D Bell and J R Bell, two of our merchants were in New Bern Tuesday on business.

Mr Harman, the popular representative of Gilbert Bros & Co, spent a few days with us on his round this week.

A few small shipments of peas are going off.

Only Place For His.

Some one said to Brother Dickey:

"Here's a story of a man who has five wives."

Brother Dickey didn't reply for a second or two. Then he said:

"I s'pose dey'll keep him dar all de time now?"

"Keep him where?"

"Why, in de asylum, of co'se!"—Atlanta Constitution.

The Place For It.

"What are you snorting about?" asked the young walrus of the old one, who was perusing a scrap of newspaper.

"Here's a doctor who says it's unhealthy to go into the water after a meal. How would we get it if we didn't?"—Philadelphia Press.

Happiness.

He—There is one woman in this world who can thank me for rendering her happy for life.

She—Why, I didn't know you were married.

He—I'm not. I broke the engagement.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

No Elapsing Years.

Claude—Miss Thirtyodd seems to hold her age well.

Maud—Hold her age! Why, she hasn't let go of a single year since she's been twenty-five!—Baltimore Herald.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at C D Bradham's drug store.

Treasures of the Kremlin.

All the czars of Russia have been crowned in the Kremlin, in Moscow, and in the treasury there are the thrones of all the emperors of the past and the historic jewels and the choicest plate now owned by the Russian Crown. There is £120,000,000 worth of gold and silver and precious stones in that treasury, and there are basins of gold there which are as big as a baby's bathtub and two card tables of solid silver which are worth a king's ransom.

RECORD OF THE PAST

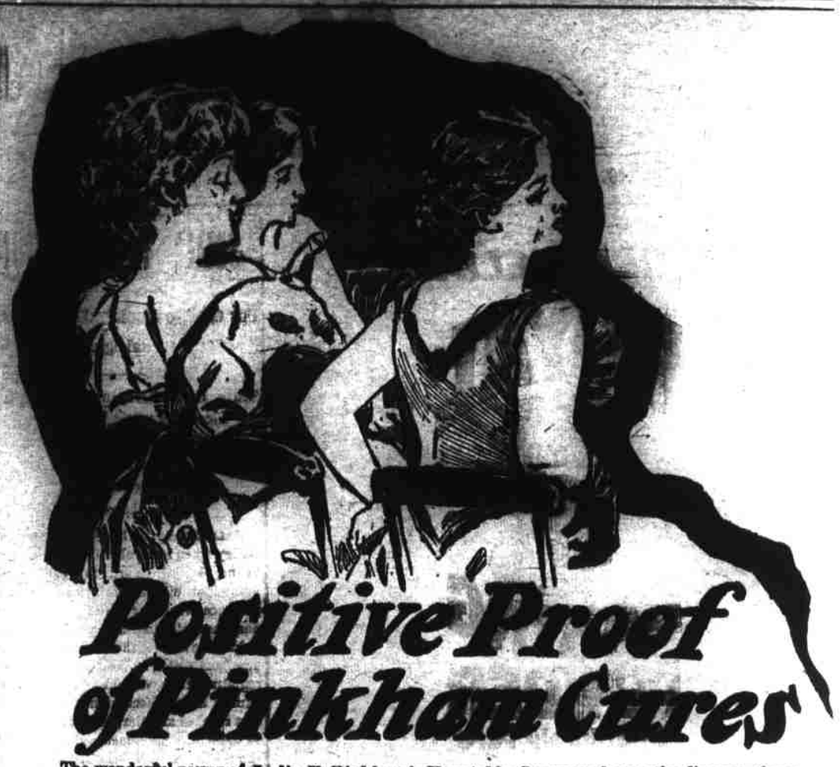
No Stronger Evidence Can Be Produced.

Look well to their record. What they have done many times in years gone by is the best guarantee of future results. Any one with a bad back, any reader suffering from urinary troubles, from any kidney ills, will find in the following evidence proof that relief and cure is near at hand.

Mr. G. M. Myers, the well-known shoemaker of Winchester avenue and 16th street, Ashland, Ky, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are like true friends, the longer you know them the better they are appreciated. I can add nothing to the statement I first made in 1886 after I procured the remedy at the Ventures Drug Co., and took a course of the treatment, which cured me. I was absolutely free from all backache for nearly three years, then I noticed a slight ache as the result of a cold, in my back. A box of Doan's Kidney Pills disposed of it. I have recommended this remedy to many and have never heard of one who did not endorse the claims made for it."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.



Positive Proof of Pinkham Cures

The wonderful power of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** over the diseases of womankind is not because it is a stimulant,—not because it is a palliative, but simply because it is the most wonderful tonic and reconstructor ever discovered to act directly upon the whole uterine system, positively CURING disease and restoring health and vigor.

Marvelous cures are reported from all parts of the country by women who have been cured, trained nurses who have witnessed cures, and physicians who have recognized the virtue in **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** and are fair enough to give credit where it is due.

One of Many Women Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, Without Submitting to an Operation, Writes:—

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I was a great sufferer for three years, had some of the leading physicians, and they all said nothing but an operation would cure me, but to that I would not submit.

"I picked up a paper and saw your advertisement and made up my mind to try your medicine. I had falling and inflammation of the womb and a flow of whites all the time, pains across small of back, severe headache, did not know what it was to be without a pain or an ache until I used your medicine. After three months' use of it, I felt like a new woman. I still sound the praise of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**"—MRS. WM. A. COWAN, 1804 Bainbridge St., Philadelphia, Pa.

A Graduate Nurse, Convinced by Cures, Endorses Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She Writes:—

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Ministering to the sick I have had numerous chances to compare **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** with other medicines in cases of diseases of women, and the number of cures recorded where your medicine was used convinced me that it is the safest and surest medicine for a sick woman. Doctors certainly must know the value of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.** I am convinced that you deserve the splendid record you have made.—Yours very truly, MRS. CATHERINE JACKSON, 769 Beaubien St., Detroit, Mich." (Graduate Nurse and President Detroit Emergency Association.)

Many Physicians Admit that no Medicine Known to the Profession Equals Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound for the Cure of Woman's Ills, and We are Permitted to Publish the Following:—

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—It gives me great pleasure to state that I have found **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** very efficacious, and have often prescribed it for female difficulties.

"My oldest daughter found it very beneficial for uterine trouble some two years ago, and my youngest daughter is using it for female weakness, and as a tonic, and is slowly but surely gaining strength and health.

"I freely advocate it as a most reliable specific in all disorders which women are subject to, and give it honest endorsement.—Yours very truly, SARAH C. BRIGHAM, M.D., 4 Brigham Park, Fitchburg, Mass."

If physicians dared to be frank and open, hundreds of them would acknowledge that they constantly prescribe **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** in severe cases of female ills, as they know by experience that it can be relied upon to effect a cure.

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular menstruation, backache, bloating (or flatulence), leucorrhœa, falling, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus, ovarian troubles, that "bearing-down" feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration or the blues, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences, and be restored to perfect health and strength by taking **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** and then write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for further free advice. No living person has had such a vast and successful experience in treating female ills. She has guided thousands to health. Every suffering woman should ask for and follow her advice.

The Victims.

"Did Arrekastil take in a partner when he started his newest get rich scheme?"

"No; only the people who bought the stock."—Cincinnati Tribune.

Enemies.

Blobbs—Wigwag boasts that he has never made an enemy.

Slobbs—Perhaps enemies are born, not made.—Philadelphia Record.

For liver troubles and constipation. There's nothing better in creation Than Little Early Risers, the famous little pill They always effect a cure and save doctor bill.

Little Early Risers are different from all other pills. They do not weaken the system, but act as a tonic to the tissues by arousing the secretions and restoring the liver to the full performance of its functions naturally. For sale by F. S Duffy.

A Believer, But—

"Bijinks is a firm believer in the theory that the office should seek the man."

"Yes?"

"Sure. But he always takes care to leave his address where it can be found."—Baltimore News.

Due Notice is Served.

Due notice is hereby served on the public generally that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the only salve on the market that is made from the pure, unadulterated witch hazel. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has cured thousands of cases of piles that would not yield to any other treatment, and this fact has brought out many worthless counterfeits. Those persons who get the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are never disappointed, because it cures. For sale by F. S. Duffy.

Following a Prescription.

Larry—How did Murphy break his arm?

Denny—Following the doctor's prescription.

Larry—Thrust?

Denny—Yis; it blew out av th' window, and Murphy went after it.—Philadelphia Record.

Good For Children.

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough, Croup and La Grippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. For sale by F. S. Duffy.

A Lost Necklace.

Quantities of ornaments are lost each year at the drawing rooms or courts at Buckingham palace, and only a very small proportion is recovered.

A very strange story is still told about a diamond necklace which was found at one of the state balls some years ago. It happened that one of Queen Victoria's ladies in waiting picked up a diamond necklace from the floor. As she stood with it in her hand a lady came quickly forward and claimed it.

The finder was very firm, however, and declared it was her duty to give it to the lord chamberlain's office, as this was the rule with regard to anything found in the palace. The lady protested in vain, but the oddest thing was that this necklace never was claimed and is probably still at the lord chamberlain's office.

The Generals Recommend Mystic Cure For Rheumatism.

Gen. John Ludwig, of Winona, Minn., says: "I contracted Rheumatism during the Civil war, and have used almost every preparation known for its cure and have also taken treatment at different hot springs. I am pleased to say Mystic Cure for Rheumatism is the only medicine that has given me immediate relief. I gladly recommend it to all sufferers from Rheumatism, Sciatic or like ailments. No medicines that I have tried are anywhere near its equal."

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"Who's de ole guy w'st just went by?" asked the telegraph messenger.

"De ole guy wid de dinky whiskers?" replied the office boy. "Aw, he's de owner of de paper."

"An' who's de guy wid 'im?"

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Orlando, Fla., Oct. 2, 1901.

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