

LIKE MANY OTHERS

Dear Mrs. Pinkham—I have seen many letters from ladies who were cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's remedies...

I think it is my duty to write a letter to you in regard to what Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me...

The union and confederate troops engaged in a severe battle on this hill on July 1, 1862, resulting in the defeat of the confederates.

Try Allen's Foot Ease. At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous, hot, and get tired easily.

Not Involuntary. Mrs. Brown—Did everybody in your society have to contribute to that fund?

Offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any copy of Catarrh that can be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Little salt added to an egg cools it, and the egg consequently beats into a froth more quickly.

Hoitt's School. Menlo Park, San Mateo County, Cal., with its new buildings, newly furnished and complete laboratories...

He—I believe I'll go to church with you this morning, Clara. She—Indeed you won't; you've got your new suit, and mine hasn't come home yet.

Percepsine—"I'm little, but if you think you can sit on me, you'd better try."

Swamp Angel. During the defense of Charleston, S. C., in the war of the rebellion, the union forces erected a rampart upon piles driven into the deep mud of the swampy ground surrounding the fortification...

Beliefs grow in action, but doubts in idleness.

PIMPLES

My wife had pimples on her face, but she has been taking CASCARETS and they have all disappeared.

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Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good. Do Good. Never Sickens, Weakens or Grips. 10c. Per Box.

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BRIDE IN A BOX CAR.

HERE'S A ROMANTIC DRAMA IN REAL LIFE.

Young Girl Reared in Luxury Now Makes Her Home in a Freight Car, While Her Husband Works Upward as a Railroadman.

"Love in a Box Car" is the title of the romantic drama in real life which is now occupying the attention of Kansas people.

Briefly it is the story of young Charles Hammond, who married a Miss Barrett, only daughter of a millionaire mine owner of Butte, Mont.

CLARA KOPF, Rockport, Ind., Sept. 27, 1898.



Memphis Railroad. The couple married without the consent of anybody who holds the Barrett-Hammond fortunes in charge.

"Hammond'll rise," say the men on the road. "He's got the grit and he's got the knack."

Meanwhile the families of both frown on the young people, and there is every evidence that Hammond will need all his pluck and his courage.

The box car in which the Hammonds are living has seen hard service. A coat of dull red paint has served to conceal some of its scars and patches.

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costing precisely \$6.70, made, fitted and laid on the floor.

Story of Romantic Marriage. The Hammonds were married at a fashionable hotel in Hot Springs, Ark.

was a board meeting on in a back room. I noticed all of the clerks in a bunch playing some game, and I went over to see what it was.

Skippping the Rope as a Cure. Skippping-rope exercise for middle-aged gentlemen affected with "liver" or indigestion is the latest alleged medical fad.

Mosaic Court in London. There is a Jewish court in Great Britain known as Beth Din, which is presided over by Rev. Dr. Adler, chief rabbi of England.

Oil as Fuel. Tests of oil as fuel, made in the navy, have not so far proved satisfactory.

By the time a practical joke is carried out, it is no longer funny.

nal authority. At first the couple took up their residence at Kansas City and spent a few weeks there. Then matters began to look dubious.

To the further astonishment of the 400 of Kansas City and Fort Scott, Mrs. Hammond accompanied her husband.

While this was apparently merely a caprice, it created a sensation locally, and the recent announcement in one of the newspapers that the Hammonds had gone to live in a box car was gratifying in the extreme to those who felt snubbed.

"My brother, who is a first-class dentist, was more than ordinarily careful on this job, and when he had mounted the teeth in a plate measured to a hair's breadth and slipped them into his patient's mouth they fitted as if they had grown there, as it were, and now there isn't one man in a thousand can tell that they are false—if, indeed, false they are.

From section boss young Hammond has already risen to the management of a train of thirty men. Promotion did not bring more extravagant habits.

Queer Device for Gambling. "The queerest gambling device that I ever saw was a check perforator," said J. H. Irons of the United States marshal's office.

Rebuking a Young Pulpiter. Old Scotch ministers had a keen sense of humor apart from the Doric altogether. One of the best stories that could be quoted in this connection is that told of Dr. Gilchrist, formerly of Greenock, but who was minister of Canonsgate, Edinburgh, when he died.

Mosses used to adjudicate upon the differences of the children of Israel.

Chess players are not the only ones who move once a year.

HIS TEETH, THOUGH FALSE.

One Man Who Retains the Masticators that Nature Gave Him.

Four or five traveling men around the hotel stove had been talking about teeth, when one of them got up and, saying "good-night," went off to bed.

"His teeth are his own, and at the same time they are false. You don't understand, so I'll explain. He always had unusually fine teeth, but about five years ago they showed signs of Riggs' disease, an infection which causes the gums to recede from the roots, leaving them exposed some distance down from the enameled surface.

"This man was of the sensitive kind, and although physicians and dentists tried their skill on him they could do nothing, and he suffered so that at last he told my brother to extract every tooth in his mouth and put false ones in for him.

"My brother, who is a first-class dentist, was more than ordinarily careful on this job, and when he had mounted the teeth in a plate measured to a hair's breadth and slipped them into his patient's mouth they fitted as if they had grown there, as it were, and now there isn't one man in a thousand can tell that they are false—if, indeed, false they are.

"So there," said Mrs. Henpeck, concluding her remarks, "A word to the wise is sufficient." "Yes, my dear," replied Henpeck, "and to the average married man a word in edgewise is sufficient."

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Newly Patented Automatic Device for Hot Weather Use. The picture shows a rocking-chair equipped with a newly patented automatic fan, designed by Frank J. Becker, of Hamilton, Ohio.

the side of the rocker, with a spring surrounding the rod to press against the knob at the end and maintain the rod in its lowest position until the chair is tilted forward, when the knob strikes the floor, and the rod is pushed through the sleeve to impart a rotary motion to the fans at the top.



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A Man Well Machines. In OHIO who had here made expense with a cheap Well Drilling Unit. It took our advice and bought one of our modern and best ones.

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HARD WORKING WOMEN. Can find quick and permanent relief for serious and strength destroying troubles in Moore's Revealed Remedy.

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Articles known to medical science are used in preparing Hood's Sarsaparilla. Every ingredient is carefully selected, personally examined, and only the best retained.

White grapes, asparagus tips and English walnuts, with whipped cream dressing, make a novel and dainty salad.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Tros. Bonners, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

A substituted forefinger was shown by a Koenigsberg doctor at a surgical congress in Berlin. He had cut off the patient's second toe and sewed it to the stump of the missing finger.

Girls employed in the crepe manufacture are under a curious contract now to engage in any housework after their hours of labor.

"How is it that Crimper did not have a penny last year, and now he is assessed on \$25,000 worth of property?" "None of his daughters had to prepare for graduation this summer."

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Dayton's Fly Killer. Used a few minutes evenings, will rid your house of Flies and Mosquitoes. No mark or stain left on the ceilings or walls. Works like magic. Price 25 cents. Write for booklet, Dayton Hardware Co., Portland, Oregon.

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MAIL ONE DOLLAR. We will mail you a pair of our \$4 gold spectacle eyes or eyeglasses and one, warranted two years, with our eye-testing machine.

JOHN POOLE, PORTLAND, OREGON, can give you the best bargains in general machinery, engines, boilers, tanks, pumps, plows, belts and windmills. The new steel I X L windmill, sold by him, is unequalled.

THE HAMMONDS' FREIGHT-CAR HOME.

WHILE THIS WAS APPARENTLY MERELY A CAPRICE, IT CREATED A SENSATION LOCALLY, AND THE RECENT ANNOUNCEMENT IN ONE OF THE NEWSPAPERS THAT THE HAMMONDS HAD GONE TO LIVE IN A BOX CAR WAS GRATIFYING IN THE EXTREME TO THOSE WHO FELT SNUBBED.

THE BOX CAR RUNS OVER THE DIVISION BETWEEN FORT SCOTT AND MEMPHIS WHEREVER THERE IS ANY REPAIRING TO BE DONE. THE HAMMONDS' MEALS ARE FURNISHED BY THE REGULAR COOK WITH THE WORK TRAIN, AND ARE VERY PLAIN.

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