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Sister Susy's showing shoes of slick leather.
Such skill in showing shoes our Sister Susy shows;
She shakes the slippers and the sloppy sneakers;
So short the skirts that Susy also shows.

She skips on skirts and scatters cash on footwear;
She saves her buttons; slyly sews them on;
She shyly sees the bootblack on the corner,
And then she wonders where her dime has gone.

Shoemakers owe a lot to Sister Susy;
And other girls of fashions that amuse;
Sometimes I wish that like the auto dealers,
They'd make a specialty of kidless shoes!
—Brooklyn Eagle.

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A Dog's Life.
"He leads a regular dog's life," sighed pertly Mrs. Wright as she fondled her Pomeranian's silver collar.
"What of it," snapped her friend, who lated dogs. "Some dogs get better treatment from women than their husbands do."—New York World.

A Hint to Chasing Himself.
Sapiently—Am I walking too fast for you, Miss Ethel?
Miss Ethel—Oh, no; you may run if you like.—Boston Transcript.

Heard in an Office.
"Blank complains of feeling sick."
"Yes; he smoked a cigar from the wrong pocket."—Boston Transcript.

But There's a Reason.
"I don't know why the men grumble. This soup is really excellent."
"They won't grumble, sir, if the cook would admit it to be soup. He insists that it is coffee."—Bystander.

WIDOW'S PENSION
CIVIL WAR
New law gives title when married prior to June 27, 1908. Remarried widows again a widow also benefited. Write for blanks. Ask about Confederate service. Brynston & Wilson, Washington, D. C. Established 1896.

A Delicate Instrument.
Two men were in the dining car ordering breakfast. The first one said to the waiter:
"George, you may bring me two fried eggs, some broiled Virginia ham, a pot of coffee and some rolls."
"Yassa."
The other said:
"You may bring me the same."
"Yassa."
The second man then called after the waiter and remarked:
"Just eliminate the eggs."
"Yassa."
In a moment the waiter came back. "Scuse me, boss, but just what did you say about dem eggs?"
"I said just eliminate the eggs."
"Yassa." And he hurried again to the tiny kitchen.

In another moment he came back once more, leaned confidently and pompously over the table, and said:
"We had a bad accident just after we leave the depot this mornin', boss, and de liminator done not busted off, right at de handle. Will you take 'em fried same as dis hyar gemmen?"—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

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Exhausted.
"St Hubbard told me that he got a heap of work out of you when you was workin' for him," said the farmer.
"Well, I allow he did," said the hired man.
"Yas. Fact is, I guess he flat about got it all."—Boston Transcript.

Many Like Him.
Hewitt—He's a pessimist, all right. Jewett—I should say so, he could see the dark side to a blond!—New York Times.

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CLASH NOT FEARED OVER FRENCH ACT
Seizure of Chinese Territory Does Not Alarm Washington.

LOCALITY IS MOST ROMANTIC
Tien-Tsin, With Practically No Trade, Develops Tremendously Under Influence of Foreigners.

Washington, D. C.—Seizure by French troops of an additional square mile of territory contiguous to the French concessions in Tien-tsin, in defiance of the Chinese foreign office, just reported in cable dispatches from Peking, brings to the front one of the most complicated and most romantic points of conflict between old China and the Western world.

Officials here indicated Monday that as an international affair little importance was attached to France's action. Tien-tsin, back in the days when foreign ambassadors sought admission to China in vain, merely was a small, dirty town, with practically no trade.

In 1860, after the British and French had forced their way over the Taku forts and humbled the Manchus at Peking, the right of residence was granted to the subjects of the two countries.

The United States, an interested on-looker, won the same right soon afterward, and Germany entered into the arrangement in 1867. Separate sections for the four nationalities were set aside and small local centers of residence and trade grew up. In a few years, however, the American government abandoned its settlement, first because it had no use for it, and no money to pay for it, and second, because, under the conditions it had become known as the "middle kingdom" between the German and British concessions, where all sorts of lawlessness prevailed.

Tien-tsin grew fast, and construction of the railroad in 1897 made Tien-tsin the premier city of that whole vast section of the north. In 1900 came the boxer rebellion, when Tien-tsin became the base for the march of the nation on the capital.

In 1894 Japan secured a settlement in the city, and after 1900, Russia, Belgium, Italy and Austria obtained concessions on the left bank of the river, making nine foreign nations holding and administering small slices of territory.

German Airman Shot Down in Sunday Raid on British Coast
London — A hostile aeroplane appeared Sunday over the fortified seaport of Sheerness, at the mouth of the Thames. Four bombs were dropped. No casualties have been reported officially.

An official communication issued here says:
"A hostile seaplane was shot down and destroyed Sunday afternoon by one of our naval aircraft. The machine fell into the sea. Judging by the time, it probably was the seaplane which visited Sheerness Sunday."

The following official account of the attack was given out:
"A hostile aeroplane approached Sheerness at about 1:45 p. m. Sunday, flying very high. Four bombs were dropped, three of which fell into the harbor. The fourth fell in the vicinity of a railway station and damaged several railway carriages.
"British aeroplanes went up and the raider made off in a northeasterly direction. No casualties have been reported."

Armed Steamer Departed.
Philadelphia — The departure of the British steamship Missouri from this port to Baltimore was delayed Monday owing to the fact that the vessel, being engaged in a coastwise trip, carried a gun on her after deck. Clearance papers which were held up on orders from the Treasury department at Washington, were later granted when formal assurances that the vessel was armed for defense purposes only were made to the State department. The Missouri arrived at this port from London, carrying merchandise.

Unfair Election Charged.
Managua, Nicaragua — Representatives of the Liberal party have sent a protest to President Wilson against the recent elections, in which General Emiliano Chamorro was elected president of the republic, accusing President Adolfo Diaz of not complying with his promise to permit an absolutely fair ballot. The protest says also that the American minister, Benjamin L. Jefferson, imposed on the Liberals conditions which amounted to the exclusion of the party from the participation in the government.

Sheriff Sent to Jail.
Columbus, O. — Sheriff Alonzo T. Sweeney, of Ross county, vice president of the American Sheriffs' association and president of the Ohio Sheriffs' association, was sentenced to 40 days in the Delaware county jail by United States Judge John E. Sater here for permitting federal prisoners in his custody to take long automobile rides and have other liberties. He was released on \$500 bond pending a hearing of the case on error.

World Crop Falls Short.
Rome, via Paris — The total wheat harvest of the world is estimated by the International Agricultural Institute as 7 per cent below the average and 25 per cent below that of last year. The institute's report includes, for the first time, the crop of European Russia, which it estimates to be 20 per cent less than that of last year.

TAKE GOOD CARE of the Stomach
IT WILL PAY YOU
When weakness develops REMEMBER —

HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters
STRENGTHENS—INVIGORATES
The genuine has Private Stamp over the Neck of Bottle. Insist on having it

Spurned His Money.
A judge, who used to wear very long, wavy hair and a heavy beard, one day was on his way to court when he was accosted by a little street boy black, with an exceedingly dirty face and the customary "Shine, sir!" He was very importunate, and the judge being impressed with the terrible state of the boy's face, said:
"I don't want a shine, but if you'll go and wash your face I'll give you sixpence."
"All right, sir."
"Well, let me see you do it."
The boy went to a neighboring fountain and made his ablutions.
Returning, he held out his hand for the sixpence. The judge said:
"Well, you earned your money. Here it is."
But the boy said:
"I don't want your money, old fellow. You can take it and have a haircut," and forthwith scampered off.—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Had Terrible Pains in Kidneys and Back.
Dear Mr. Editor—I want to write you about "Anurio." I was very sick, could hardly be up; I was in bed most of the time. Had terrible pains in my kidneys and back, so much so that I had to scream sometimes when I was sitting down and wanted to get up, the pain was so great. I had tried a well-known kidney medicine but it didn't help me. I heard of Dr. Pierce's Anurio Tablets so I thought I would try them. I took only one box of the Tablets, and my back is now free from pain and I can work and take care of my family. I feel I cannot say enough for this medicine. Sincerely, Mrs. W. M. KELLER.

Note: This "Anurio" is adapted especially for kidney complaints and diseases arising from disorders of the kidneys and bladder, such as backache, weak back, rheumatism, dropsy, congestion of the kidneys, inflammation of the bladder, scalding urine and urinary troubles. The physicians and specialists at Dr. Pierce's great institution, at Buffalo, N. Y., have thoroughly tested this prescription and have been with one accord successful in eradicating these troubles, and in most cases absolutely curing the diseased kidneys. Patients having once used "Anurio" at Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, have repeatedly sent back for more. Such a demand has been created that Dr. Pierce has decided to put "Anurio" in the drug stores of this country, in a ready-to-use form. If not obtainable send one dime by mail to Dr. Pierce for trial package or 50 cents for full treatment.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a blood cleanser and alterative that starts the liver and stomach into vigorous action. It thus assists the body to make rich, red blood, which feeds the heart, nerve, brain and organs of the body. You feel clean, strong and strenuous.

A Wish.
"I wish success were a woman."
"Why?"
"Then everybody would know its secret."—Detroit Free Press.

A Home Strike.
Biggs—People are striking every where.
Diggs—Gosh, yes! My wife has just struck me for a new fall outfit.—Boston Transcript.

Just The Thing.
"You'll like this refrigerator, sir."
"Why so?"
"It has a secret drawer for a pint bottle."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

WIFE TOO ILL TO WORK

IN BED MOST OF TIME
Her Health Restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.
Indianapolis, Indiana. — "My health was so poor and my constitution so run down that I could not work. I was thin, pale and weak, weighed but 109 pounds and was in bed most of the time. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and five months later I weighed 139 pounds. I do all the housework and washing for eleven and I can truthfully say Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been a godsend to me for I would have been in my grave today but for it. I would tell all women suffering as I was to try your valuable remedy."—Mrs. W. M. GREEN, 322 S. Addison Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

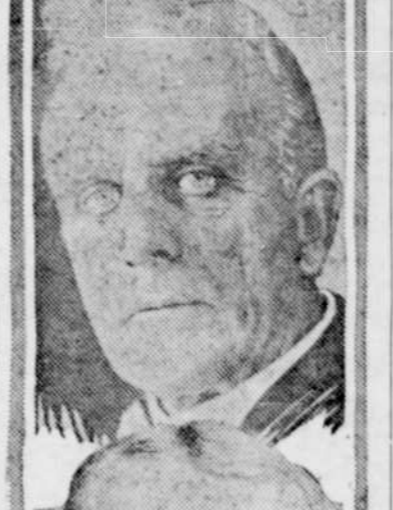
There is hardly a neighborhood in this country, wherein some woman has not found health by using this good old-fashioned root and herb remedy.
If there is anything about which you would like special advice, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

GREAT INFUX OF GOLD PROMOTES EXTRAVAGANCE BY AMERICAN PEOPLE

Chicago—There is a marked contrast between the tendency of the American people and those of the Old World at this time in the matter of thrift. In America business has been so active and profits in many instances so large that the American people appear to be spending money in a reckless manner and to be indulging in extravaganzas, which, a few years ago, would have spelled ruin.

The whole world is spending money recklessly, but across the Atlantic the expenditures are confined chiefly to governmental agencies, while the people are paying the bills. It is this supply of money that has forced inventors to dig deep into their strong boxes and bring forth certificates of American investment-bearing dates of a quarter century or more ago.

The tremendous influx of gold into this country, following the enormous pouring of foreign trade together with the inability of the American



Three New Generals.
The American army, which has the best educated officers in the world (with the possible exception of the German army), now has three new generals, Colonel Francis H. French of the Twenty-first infantry, has been promoted and will succeed General Granger Adams as chairman of the board to investigate rapid-fire guns, of which the United States will purchase \$12,000,000 worth. Colonel Eben Swift, stationed at the army service school at Fort Leavenworth, will succeed General John J. Pershing, who becomes major general in succession to the late Major Albert L. Mills. Colonel Charles G. Treat, of the field artillery, will become a brigadier to succeed General F. W. Sibley, retired. He is now of the general staff and vice president of the war college.

banking and currency system to adjust itself to these abnormal conditions, has tended to make money cheap.

Henry Baker, the special commercial attaché of the American legation at Petrograd, gives the information that little or no gold or silver is circulating in Russia.

There is a tendency abroad, however, to conserve resources, while the tendency in America is to be more lavish in expenditures.

There is an element of thrift among the more conservative business men. Many large corporations have been buying bonds as the means of employing their accumulations of profit rather than allow these funds to remain in banks drawing the interest of the daily balance.

Railroads Are Helpless.
Washington, D. C.—The Interstate Commerce Commission made public Monday a report of its inspectors on the car famine in Nebraska, saying that the railroads are furnishing all the cars they can supply to meet an unprecedented demand, but that it is impossible for them to furnish a sufficient number under the circumstances. The only way the situation can be improved is to provide considerable locomotive and car equipment and to increase the capacity of railroad facilities by several hundred per cent.

Bias Charged by German.
San Francisco—Franz Bopp, consul general for Germany in this city, asked the United States District court here in an affidavit read by his attorney to take judicial notice of alleged prejudice against and antipathy toward German consular representatives in the United States, due apparently to the European war. The affidavit was offered during argument of a motion to consolidate for trial several of the Federal grand jury indictments against Bopp and others on charges of conspiracy. The defense demanded separate trials.

NORTHWEST MARKET REPORTS: GENERAL CROP CONDITIONS

Wheat—Bluestem, \$1.41; fortyfold, \$1.35; club, \$1.32; red fife, \$1.34, red Russian, \$1.29.
Oats—No. 1 white feed, \$29.75.
Barley—No. 1 feed, \$35.00.
Flour—Patents, \$7.20; straights, \$6.40@6.80; exports, \$6.40; valley, \$6.50; whole wheat, \$7.25; Graham, \$7.10.
Milfeed—Spot prices: Bran, \$22 per ton; shorts, \$24 per ton; rolled barley, \$35@36.
Corn—Whole, \$42.50 per ton; cracked, \$43.50 per ton.
Hay—Producers' prices: Timothy, eastern Oregon, \$16.50@18 per ton; timothy, valley, \$15@16 per ton; alfalfa, \$14.50@15.50; wheat hay, \$13.50@14.50; oat and vetch, \$13@13.50; cheat, \$11; clover, \$10.
Butter—Tuba, extras, 35½¢ bid. Jobbing prices: Prints, extras, 37½¢@39¢; butterfat, No. 1, 37¢; No. 2, 35¢, Portland.
Eggs—Oregon ranch, current receipts, 35¢@36¢ per dozen; Oregon ranch, candled, 40¢@42¢.
Poultry—Hens, 14½¢; springs, 15¢@16¢ per pound; turkeys, live, 24¢@25¢; ducks, 12¢@13¢; geese, 10¢@11¢.
Veal—Fancy, 10½¢@11¢ per pound. Green and salted calf skins, 25¢; green hides, 15¢; green stags, 12¢; dry hides, 30¢; dry calf skins, 32¢; dry salt hides, 25¢; dry horse hides, 75¢ to \$1.50.
Fats—Dry long-wooled pelts, 21¢; dry short-wooled pelts, 17¢; dry shearing, 19¢@25¢ each; salted long-wooled pelts, 75¢@81.25; salted short-wooled pelts, 50¢@51.
Tallow—No. 1, 8¢; No. 2, 7¢; grease, 5¢.
Mr. Eastern Oregon, fine, 23¢@26¢; coarse, 30¢@32¢; valley, 30¢@32¢.
Mohair—40¢ per pound.
Casaca Bark—Old and new, 5¢ per pound.
Cattle—Steers, prime, \$6.35@6.75; good, \$6.00@6.25; common to fair, \$4.50@5.75; cows, choice, \$5.00@5.75; medium to fair, \$4.00@4.50; ordinary, \$3.50@4.00; calves, \$4.00@5.75; bulls, \$3.00@4.25; heifers, \$3.00@6.00.
Hogs—Prime, \$9.25@9.50; good to prime mixed, \$9.00@9.25; rough heavy \$8.40@8.50; pigs and skips \$8.00@8.25.
Sheep—Lambs, \$5.50@8.75; yearlings, weathers, \$5.75@7.75; old weathers, \$5.50@7.25; ewes, \$3.50@5.50.

Wheat Sets New High Record.
The 7-cent bulge in the Chicago wheat market this week met with a quick response in the northwest. Higher bids were at once sent into the country and the scramble to buy began. Details were lacking as to the amount of business done, but it was believed that well over 1,000,000 bushels changed hands.

The advance put bluestem 2 to 4 cents above the high point reached just before the submarine raid and raised the cheaper grades of wheat to the level that prevailed then. Bluestem sold locally at \$1.42 and there was considerable buying in the interior on the basis of \$1.43 Coast, with reports of as high as \$1.45 also paid.

At the Merchants' Exchange five thousand bushels of November bluestem were sold at \$1.42. Fortyfold and club bids were raised 2 to 3 cents, 3 cents and red Russian 3 to 4 cents.

The Chicago advance was ascribed to short covering, following recent heavy sales to foreigners. More disquieting reports from Argentina and increased demand from the British and French governments for North American wheat accompanied the rise. It was said that of the Canadian crop, 25 to 30 per cent has been found to be unfit for milling.

The local oats market also gained in strength. Bids for all deliveries were advanced 75 cents at the exchange. Browning barley was unchanged in the country, but feed barley was quoted \$1 higher here.

Local millers announced a 20-cent advance in patent and valley flours. Domestic and export straights were not changed. The new flour quotation of \$7.20 equals the highest point ever recorded here, which was in February, 1915.

Bradstreet's estimates the world's visible wheat increase at 11,500,000 bushels.

The Canadian visible wheat supply is 15,317,000 bushels, the oats supply 1,450,000 bushels.

Highest Egg Price of Season.
Portland—Eggs sold at the Produce Exchange this week at 39 cents for current receipts, the highest price of the season. On the other hand, sales were reported at 28 cents. Receipts were small and the demand by no means active. Aprils were offered at 33 cents with 31 cents bid. The butter market was firm. Extras in the open market brought 25 cents. At the exchange 35½¢ cents was bid and 35½¢ cents was asked. Dressed meats were in large supply and veal was weak with 11 cents the top and 10½¢ cents a clean-up price. Pork steady at 12@13½¢.

Hop Market Is Again Strong.
Hop buying has again become active in the Pacific Coast markets. Prices, which showed a tendency to sag recently, have recovered, and the market is again strong. A number of Oregon lots have changed hands in the past two days at 11 to 12 cents. In the Yakima section there were bids out at 13 to 13½ cents, and it was reported that one lot was sold at 14 cents. There was also fairly large buying in western Washington at 11½ to 12 cents.

Sonomas were sold at prices ranging from 12½ to 13½ cents.

Portland—Fresh receipts at the stockyards were limited, but a considerable quantity was carried over from last week, and this furnished material for an active market. The bulk of the hog season were at \$2.25, as was the case the first of the week. Most of the hogs available this week have been of only average quality and buyers have acted accordingly. Cattle sales indicated a steady market.

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It Swings Clear of the Mine.
The supreme court is a great conservative force and the judicial ermine seems to be about the only thing of the kind that isn't from 12 to 15 inches shorter in the skirt than it used to be.—Ohio State Journal.

Starvation Diet.
First Dittio—Why so thin and emaciated this spring, brother?
Second Dittio—I was shut up all winter with a young lady's bathing suit. Not another bite to eat in the closet!
—Funch Bowl.

Lets Georgiana Do It.
Mrs. Exe—I make it a rule never to ask another to do what I would not do myself.
Mrs. Dyer—But you would not go to the door yourself and tell a caller you were not at home.—Boston Transcript.

Progressive Farmer, Listen to this argument:
If you want all the money you can possibly get for your Cream, Eggs, Dressed Meats and Poultry, ship where they pay according to grade. We started this plan and find that the producer likes this method. Let us have your next shipment and see for yourself.

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PORTLAND, OR.

Crude Musical Sense.
"That boy of yours is constantly whistling."
"Yes. He carries a tune much better than his sister, who is learning to play the piano, and doesn't cost me a cent for lessons."—Washington Star.

To Be Expected.
"What did you get for your birthday, little girl?"
"I got candy."
"What else did you get?"
"I got sick."—Baltimore American.

For any sore use Hanford's Balm.
Adv.

Indirectly.
"Do you ever wake yourself up snoring?"
"It amounts to that. I frequently wake up the baby."—Boston Transcript.

To cool a burn apply Hanford's Balm.
Adv.

Progressive Have.
A militia captain whose company was about to march against an invading enemy thus depicted the awful consequences of the foe's success: "Gentlemen, they will lay your towns in waste, murder your wives and children and pull down your fences."—Boston Transcript.

Resources.
"Kitty is such a resourceful girl."
"Is she?"
"Why, the other day when she'd left her reticule at home she powdered her nose with a marshmallow."—Boston Transcript.

Have Hanford's Balm on hand for accidents.
Adv.

A Grouchy Remark.
"I see somebody has perfected a bronze paint. I wonder what that is intended for?"
"For women with iron jaws, I s'pose," suggested the other man.

At Last.
Grubbs—Binks says that at last he is the undisputed master of his house. Stubbs—He is, too. His wife and family are quit on a visit and the cook has quit.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Every Household Needs It.
For cuts, burns, sprains and bruises Hanford's Balm of Myrrh should give quick relief. There may happen any day in any home and the prudent housewife will always keep a bottle on hand. Adv.

Cause and Effect.
"It is said that the taste for frog-eating is increasing in this country."
"Maybe that is the reason why so many people are croaking."—Baltimore American.

Getting the Story.
"My father enjoys the movies."
"Thought his eyesight was getting poor."
"He can follow the piano perfectly."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

All Growing Children
are dependent on nourishment for growth. Their health as men and women is largely established in childhood.

If your child is languid, bloodless, tired when rising, without ambition or rosy cheeks, Scott's Emulsion is a wonderful help. It possesses nature's grandest body-building fats so delicately predigested that the blood absorbs its strength and carries it to every organ and tissue and fibre.

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No alcohol or narcotic in Scott's Emulsion, just purity and strength.

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