



Mrs. Hughson, of Chicago, whose letter follows, is another woman in high position who owes her health to the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered for several years with general weakness and bearing-down pains, caused by womb trouble. My appetite was fitful, and I would lie awake for hours, and could not sleep, until I seemed more weary in the morning than when I retired. After reading one of your advertisements I decided to try the merits of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am so glad I did. No one can describe the good it did me. I took three bottles faithfully, and besides building up my general health, it drove all disease and poison out of my body, and made me feel as spry and active as a young girl. Mrs. Pinkham's medicines are certainly all they are claimed to be."—Mrs. M. E. HUGHSON, 347 East Ohio St., Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Pinkham Tells How Ordinary Tasks Produce Displacements. Apparently trifling incidents in woman's daily life frequently produce displacements of the womb. A slip on the stairs, lifting during menstruation, standing at a counter, running a sewing machine, or attending to the most ordinary tasks may result in displacement, and a train of serious evils is started. The first indication of such trouble should be the signal for quick action. Don't let the condition become chronic through neglect or a mistaken idea that you can overcome it by exercise or leaving it alone. More than a million women have regained health by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If the slightest trouble appears which you do not understand write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for her advice, and a few timely words from her will show you the right thing to do. This advice costs you nothing, but it may mean life or happiness or both.



Mrs. Lelah Stowell, 177 Wellington St., Kingston, Ont., writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—You are indeed a godsend to women, and if they all knew what you could do for them, there would be no need of their dragging out miserable lives in agony."

"I suffered for years with bearing-down pains, womb trouble, nervousness, and excruciating headache, but a few bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made life look new and promising to me. I am light and happy, and I do not know what sickness is, and I now enjoy the best of health."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound can always be relied upon to restore health to women who thus suffer. It is a sovereign cure for the worst forms of female complaints,—that bearing-down feeling, weak back, falling and displacement of the womb, inflammation of the ovaries, and all troubles of the uterus or womb. It dissolves and expels tumors from the uterus in the early stage of development, and checks any tendency to cancerous humors. It subdues excitability, nervous prostration, and tones up the entire female system. Its record of cures is the greatest in the world, and should be relied upon with confidence.

\$5000 FORFEIT If we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Workmen Install Officers. Valley Lodge No. 18.—Installed officers last evening, by G. E. Marsh. The new officers are as follows: Past master—Roy McIntire. Master workman—Emil Donaldson. Foreman—S. Friedman. Overseer—W. D. Albright. Recorder—A. E. Aufrance. Financier—Geo. P. Litchfield. Receiver—W. T. Rigdon. Guide—D. P. Wright. J. W.—J. J. Lencore. O. W.—Geo. A. Schulz.

Christian Church Convention.

Bozeman, Mont., July 19.—The 24th annual convention of the Disciples of Christ of Montana will be in session here during the next three days and numerous delegates and visitors have arrived. The formal opening takes place this evening. O. F. McHargue will welcome the visitors and Wiley Mountjoy, of Twin Bridges, will respond. The address of the evening will be delivered by R. H. Sawyer of Missoula.

WELCOME EXTENDED ELKS

State and City Officials Vie With Each Other in Program

Cincinnati, O., July 19.—Thousands of members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks are here from every prominent city in the country to attend the annual meeting of the grand lodge and reunion of that order, which began today and will continue throughout the week. Tomorrow there will be a grand parade, in which it is expected 15,000 Elks will participate.

The opening exercises were held today in Music hall, which was crowded with badge-bedecked Elks and their ladies when Walter D. Buckner, D. D., the grand chaplain, arose and offered prayer. Exalted Ruler August Herrman of Cincinnati Lodge No. 5 made the opening address of welcome. He was followed by Mayor Julius Fleischmann, who welcomed the Elks to Cincinnati. Governor Myron T. Herrick welcomed the visitors in behalf of the State of Ohio. Joseph T. Fanning, of Indianapolis, grand exalted ruler, responded. In the course of his remarks Mr. Fanning stated that the progress of the Elks in the last year had never been equaled in the history of the organization. This progress, he explained, had manifested not only numerically but internally, in the development and perfection of those ideals for which the organization stands. In the west the order has been especially progressive and energetic during the last twelve months, which energy has manifested itself in the formation of big lodges and the erection of many handsome lodge buildings.

Women in Contest.

St. Paul, Minn., July 19.—The Ladies Catholic Benevolent association a fraternal insurance society with a large membership and which enjoys the distinction of being managed entirely by women, began its triennial convention in St. Paul today. Previous to the opening of the business sessions the delegates attended high mass at the cathedral. An interesting feature of this part of the programme was the joint participation of Archbishop Ireland and Bishop McQuaid of Rochester, it being the first time that the two prelates have appeared together in public since their memorable controversy of several years ago growing out of Bishop McQuaid's criticism of the St. Paul prelate for the latter's political utterances. At the exercises in the cathedral this morning Archbishop Ireland preached the sermon and Bishop McQuaid took part in his capacity as supreme spiritual adviser of the Ladies Catholic Benevolent association.

The convention was regularly opened in the People's church this afternoon with the president of the association, Mrs. E. B. McGowan of Buffalo, presiding. Addresses were made by Archbishop Ireland, Governor Van Sant and Mayor Smith. Following the formal opening the convention went into session behind closed doors for the consideration of business connected with the affairs of the association. A spirited and almost acrimonious contest has developed for the presidency of the organization. Mrs. McGowan, the incumbent, has announced her candidacy for re-election and is opposed by a large element who favor the candidacy of Mrs. Mary E. Costello of Brooklyn. Mrs. McGowan has come in for considerable criticism in connection with her efforts to hold on to the office of president. In the last convention of the order, held at Detroit three years ago, Mrs. McGowan defeated Mrs. Popp of Pittsburgh by 200 votes. In accepting the office she declared to the delegates present that she would never again allow her name to be presented for re-election.

Harmony in Iowa G. O. P.

Des Moines, Ia., July 19.—Harmony will be the distinctive features of the Republican state convention which meets here tomorrow to name candidates for secretary of state, treasurer, auditor and other state officers to be chosen at the next election. Talks with the delegates already arrived in the city indicate that the entire ticket will probably be named by acclamation, with the exception of railroad commissioner, for which place there are several aspirants. For the remaining offices the present incumbents will be renominated. The convention will adopt resolutions strongly endorsing Roosevelt and Fairbanks for reelection and commending the platform of the Chicago convention.

RAIN HELPED CROPS

Yield of Wheat Will Be Increased According to Official Report

Nearly half an inch of water fell in the Willamette valley during the latter part of the week, and greater amounts are reported in the coast counties. Frequent rains also occurred in the eastern sections of the state. The rains west of the Cascades have done an immense amount of good. They will help all growing crops, especially potatoes, corn, oats and late spring wheat. Hops also will be benefited, as well as gardens and pasturage. The grain harvest has been interrupted by the wet weather, and in the coast counties and plateau section some cut hay will be more or less damaged, but these losses are insignificant compared with the great good the rains have done. A sharp frost occurred Wednesday morning in portions of the Willamette valley, and in some of the coast counties, but the damage was confined to tender vegetation, and it was not serious, notwithstanding the lateness of the season.

Fall wheat is filling nicely, the heads being large and the berry plump. Although very little wheat has yet been threshed, correspondents generally report the yields to be better than expected. In Sherman county some complaint of smut is made, but generally the quality of the wheat is reported above the average. Hops are doing nicely, but it is not expected that the yields will be quite so heavy as last year, on account of the long spell of dry weather.

Stock continues in excellent condition, but pasture is getting short, as is usual at this season of the year, and the milk supply in the dairy herds has decreased slightly during the week.

Peaches are ripe and plentiful, but apples have dropped badly during the week, although the prospects still continue favorable for a good crop of apples.

Atlantic City Horse Show.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 19.—Boating and bathing and even the pleasures of promenading on the boardwalk were largely abandoned today while society and the resorters in general flocked to Inlet Park for the opening of the sixth annual exhibition of the Atlantic City Horse Show association. To use a hackneyed expression, the show this year surpasses all its predecessors. This is especially true as regards the entries in a large number of classes, including the tandems, four-in-hands and saddle horses. The show will continue until the end of the week.

Foley and Barry to Fight.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 19.—Harry Foley and Dave Barry, who returned from Honolulu recently with the title of champion are to fight 20 rounds to-night before the Century club of this city. Considerable interest is manifested in the contest.

My Life

Hung On a Single Thread With Heart Disease.

You should never wait until your life hangs in the balance before you give the necessary aid to your sick heart. A weak heart is always serious, for it affects every organ of your body through its inability to purify and keep the system supplied with pure, rich, life-giving blood.

Any indication of heart trouble, such as shortness of breath after exercise, redness of face, hot flushes, oppressed feeling in chest, weak, hungry spells, palpitation, dizziness, sudden starting in sleep, irregular pulse, is serious, and should be cured at once.

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My Stomach "It feels so uncomfortable. Food distresses me. I get blue and despondent. My doctor says it's my stomach." And what did your doctor tell you to take? Ayer's Sarsaparilla. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

DARE DEVIL DIAVOLO.

Loops the Loop With the Loop Open At the Top.

On a wheel in thin air, head downward, he loops the loop with the loop open at the top whirling through space from dizzy rim to dizzy rim his feet pointing to the stars, the wheel upside down, churning the air. Nothing like it ever dreamed of by the most extravagant human imagination.

It is the limit of dare devilry. Diavolo rides down the dizzy inclined plane on his wheel, mounts the circle of the loop, and as he skims to the apex head downward comes to the gap of fifteen feet. In the hundredth part of a second, Diavolo must point the wheel in midair to catch the inner side of the opposite segment of the loop.

Can the human mind and body act as quickly as a shot flies from a gun? The multitude holds its breath as Diavolo, the prince of dare devils, leaps head downward across the very jaws of death. Only with Floto shows.

Will exhibit at Salem on July 27, afternoon and evening.

Meeting of Telegraphers.

St. Paul, Minn., July 19.—The Commercial Telegrapher's Union of America, which is an amalgamation of the two organizations of commercial telegraphers in existence a year ago, began its national convention in St. Paul today. Several hundred delegates are in attendance from various parts of the United States and Canada.

Accident Underwriters.

Portland, Me., July 19.—The International association of Accident Underwriters met in annual convention in Portland today with a good attendance.

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