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NATURE'S OWN RESTORATIVES IN FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION.

Dr. Pierce Announces the Ingredients of the Family Medicine Which Have Made His Name a Household Word in the World.

With all the recent talk about patent medicines and the determined effort in certain quarters to cast discredit upon all household remedies which come under that head, the fact remains that some of these are so firmly established in popular favor and confidence, have so proved their worth and value, that all the denunciations of big game cannot destroy the people's faith in them.

One of the best known of these remedies is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, a medicine which for years has been accepted by the people as a standard preparation for the cure of those ailments to which women alone are subject and which has proved to be a certain cure in nine cases out of ten and a sure relief in the other one.

There is nothing so common about the Favorite Prescription. It is an absolutely pure medicine—made of roots and herbs, Nature's own restoratives. Dr. Pierce is perfectly willing to let every one know that his Favorite Prescription contains Blue Cohosh (Caulophyllum Thalicoides), Black Cohosh (Cimicifuga Racemosa), Lady's Slipper (Cypripedium Pubescens) and Golden Seal (Hydras Canadensis). Every doctor knows that such a prescription is beneficial in the diseases of women and when properly compounded is certain to effect a cure in practically all cases when a faithful trial. Hereafter every bottle of the Favorite Prescription will plainly tell of what the medicine is composed.

Thus Dr. Pierce will once more prove to the world his confidence in the remedy which for forty years has borne his name and which is known all over the world as a sovereign cure for those diseases which, unchecked, make our women old before their time.

There is no alcohol in the Favorite Prescription. Dr. Pierce never believed in using alcohol in the preparation of his famous household remedies. For it he substituted chemically pure glycerine, which has wonderful properties for extracting the medicinal principles of roots and herbs and preserving them at their full strength, without any deleterious effect whatever.

Your druggist sells the Favorite Prescription and also that famous alternative and blood purifier, the Golden Medical Dietetic. Write to Dr. Pierce about your case. He is a well-qualified physician and will treat your case as confidential and without charge for correspondence. Address him at the Invalids' Hospital, Buffalo, N. Y., of which he is Chief Consulting Surgeon.

Queen Alexandra Still Beautiful. Partly because of the time, but principally because she has discovered the secret of perpetual youth, it is said that Queen Alexandra divides honors with all the brides whose wedding she has attended this season. And unless the bride is uncommonly beautiful her majesty has a monopoly of attention. Besides, when King Edward gave his garden party at Windsor, where the queen is represented in rank, fashion, diplomacy, politics, actors and indeed pretty well all who constitute society in London, the queen in her favorite mauve tone of satin worked with silver was quite the center of all eyes. There were famous beauties there, too.

Some Good Salaries in Canada. If Elihu Root were lieutenant governor of Alberta or Saskatchewan, in western Canada, he would receive a bigger salary than he will get in Washington. Those lieutenant governors will receive \$9,000 a year each; their vice territories have a retainer of less than 100,000 whites, but their lieutenant governors will receive \$18,000, all told. Manitoba pays \$10,000 a year to its lieutenant governor, British Columbia \$9,000 and the Yukon commissioner gets \$6,000. This makes the Canadian west pay \$43,000 altogether for its chief officers, although the population is estimated at only 500,000. Ontario pays only as much as Manitoba. So far as salary goes, it will be agreed that the lieutenant governorship of a western territory of Canada is a prize well worth having.—Buffalo Express.

COMES A TIME

When Coffee Shows What It Has Been Doing.

"Of late years coffee has disagreed with me," writes a matron from Rome, N. Y.; "it's lightest punishment was to make me 'foggy' and dizzy, and it seemed to thicken up my blood."

"The heaviest was when it upset my stomach completely, destroying my appetite and making me nervous and irritable, and sent me to my bed. After one of these attacks, in which I nearly lost my life, I consulted a quack and try Postum Food Coffee."

"It went right to the spot! I found it not only a most palatable and refreshing beverage, but a food as well. All my ailments, my 'foggy' and dizziness, the unsatisfactory condition of my blood, my nervousness and irritability disappeared in short order and my sorely afflicted stomach began quickly to recover. I began to eat and have steadily continued until now. Have a good appetite and am enjoying in sound health, which I owe to the use of Postum Food Coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," found in each pkg.

GEN. W. W. BLACKMAR, HEAD OF G. A. R., DIES SUDDENLY



GEN. MILITARY W. BLACKMAR

Gen. W. W. Blackmar of Massachusetts, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., died July 17 in Idaho.

COMMANDER WAS ON TOUR.

Death Ended Gen. Blackmar's Visit to Grand Army Posts.

Gen. W. W. Blackmar, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., succumbed to intestinal nephritis. The general arrived at Boise, Idaho, on July 10 on a tour, during which he intended to visit Grand Army posts throughout the Northwest. He was ill when he arrived and gradually failed. The seriousness of his condition was kept from the public at the request of his wife.

Gen. W. W. Blackmar was born in July, 1841, in Pennsylvania. His father was a clergyman and moved to Boston when he was a small boy. He went through the Brimmer school of Boston and the Bridgewater normal school. He was fitting for college at Exeter, N. H., when he was broke out. He discarded his books and took up a saber. He enlisted as a private in the Fifth Pennsylvania cavalry, and was promoted through all the noncommissioned grades until he became orderly sergeant of his company.

He was then promoted to a lieutenant and transferred to the First West Virginia veteran cavalry, one of Custer's famous regiments. He was promoted to a captaincy on the field at Five Forks by Gen. Custer, after he had taken the colors across a deep gully under a heavy fire of the enemy.

CHICAGO MAN ON SPECIAL MISSION TO VENEZUELA



MR. J. CALHOUN

William J. Calhoun of the Chicago firm of Calhoun, Leiford & Sheehan has received official notice of his appointment by President Roosevelt as special commissioner to Venezuela to investigate the controversy between President Castro and the American Asphalt Company. Mr. Calhoun's report is expected to be made the basis of the chief executive's policy in dealing with the case.

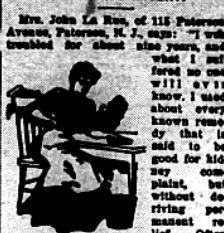
Triumph for Beauty.

The first prize in a cookery competition held at Vienna in the early eighties was a young man, the owner of a pork butcher's establishment, in whose detailed opinion good household management was an indispensable necessity in married life. Some score of more upstart and widely displayed their culinary skill, that of a professional cook being accounted worthless of the prize, who, however, stultified the decision of the judges by sloping with the prettiest of the competitors.

Alphabetical Attributes.

In a recent competition as to who could offer the most novel list of qualities desirable in a wife one contestant offered a catalogue of virtues in which only the letter X was found to be missing. According to these requirements a wife should be amiable, beautiful, chaste, dignified, entrancing, fair, gentle, handsome, intelligent, joyous, kind, loving, musical, nice, obedient, pretty, quiet, rich, sedate talented, upright, virtuous, witty, young and zealous.

A WOMAN'S MISERY.



Mrs. John La Rue, of 115 Patterson Avenue, Paterson, N. J., says: "I was troubled for about nine years, and suffered so much that I could not get on my feet. I know, I used about every known remedy, but nothing did me any good for a long time. I was told to get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, and I bought a box. I took them without deriding permanent relief. After a few days when alone in the house the back aches has been so bad that it brought tears to my eyes. The pain at times was so intense that I was compelled to give up my household duties and lie down. There were headaches, dizziness and blood rushing to my head to cause bleeding at the nose. The first box of Doan's Kidney Pills benefited me so much that I continued the treatment. The stinging pain in the small of my back, the rushes of blood to the head and other symptoms disappeared."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. 50 cents per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

What Koelschko Wanted. Count Koelschko, while in command of the revolutionary forces in the vicinity of Great Egg Harbor, Burlington county, N. J., happened one day into a pasture where a young lieutenant was drilling the "awkward squad." At sight of the straggling, slouching rustics, the count spat with disgust and swore some fearful oaths to his native tongue.

Calling upon the men to halt, he seized a musket, and, brushing the lieutenant aside, went through the exercises himself. Then he bade them to halt, and the squad, now thoroughly frightened and somewhat more awkward and sheepish looking than before.

The old general was bristling with rage. Drawing himself up to his full height, he stamped his foot and shouted:

"You men! look like soldiers! Look fierce—look like de debil!—look like me!"

Eggs to Sell the World.

"If all the eggs hatched in St. Louis last year were strung like pearls on a line, it would be a most poultry enthusiastic," they would encircle the earth seven times at the equator." Conceive, if you can, this dignified member of the solar system sweeping through the celestial vastness of the nebular hypothesis as a seven-league stride and wearing a seven-strand belt woven of Missouri hen chick packed last year! Such an excursion would cause a cataclysm that would turn comets back into clappers; the Milky Way would curdle and chatter; Saturn would draw his rings closer in a shivering shrug; Venus would drop her hair and panic; Mars would Jupiter; the planets heavy weight, would call upon the comets and the meteorites and the shooting stars to hit anywhere above or below the belt, but—for heaven's sake not to hit on the belt.—Portland Oregonian.

FROM SAME BOX

Where the Foods Come From. "Look here, my dear fellow, now, don't you dip every one of these faked breakfast foods out of the same box?" "Well, yes, boss, we do, all 'cept Grape-Nuts, cause that don't look like it." "But the name 'katie' on each of those Grape-Nuts look like. But there's 'bout a dozen different ones named on the bill of fare and they are all thin rolled flakes so it don't make any difference which one a man calls for, we just take out the order from one box."

"This talk led to an investigation. Dozens of factories sprung up about three years ago, making various kinds of breakfast foods, seeking to take the business of the original prepared breakfast food—Grape-Nuts. These concerns after a precarious existence, nearly all failed, leaving thousands of boxes of their foods in mills and warehouses. These were in several instances bought up for a song by speculators and sold out to grocers and hotels for little or nothing. The process of working off this old stock has been slow. One will see the names on menus of faked foods that went out of business a year and a half or two years ago. In a few cases where the speculators have been bought up, there is an effort to resuscitate the defunct, and by copying the style of advertising of Grape-Nuts, seek to influence people to purchase. But the public has been educated to the fact that all these thin faked foods are simply soaked wheat or oats rolled thin and dried out and packed. They are not prepared like Grape-Nuts, in which the thorough baking and other operations which turn the starch part of the wheat and barley into sugar, require many hours and result in a food so digestible that small infants thrive on it, while it also contains the selected elements of Phosphate of Potash and Albumen that unite in the body to produce the soft gray substance in brain and nerve centers. There's a reason for Grape-Nuts, and there's a reason for imitations, a few of the article itself, but many more of the kind and character of the advertising. Imitators are always counterfeiters and their printed and written statements cannot be expected to be different than their goods. This article is published by the Postum Co. at Battle Creek. Additional evidence of the truth can be supplied in quantities.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy **Defiance Cold Water Starch** for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 14 lbs.—one full pound—while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in 8 pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because **Defiance Starch** is free from all injurious chemicals, if your grocer tries to sell you a 15-cents package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in **Defiance**. He knows that **Defiance Starch** has prevailed on every package in large letters and figures "14 lbs." Demand **Defiance** and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. **Defiance** never sticks.

Are you going to the Pacific? There is a new railroad reaching that favorite region, the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake Railroad, popularly known as the "Salt Lake Route." It is operating via the Great Northern Pullman train out of Salt Lake City for Los Angeles every evening at 8:30 o'clock. Your ticket agent has coupons ready to give you the new line and be sure to insist upon this routing when buying tickets to the Pacific Coast. Ask for the Salt Lake Route, or the San Pedro Line, and take no other, because it is the best route to the best part of the Pacific Coast. Write for illustrated booklet to J. L. Moore, D. P. A., Salt Lake City.

The man who doesn't know a woman until after he marries her is very apt to regret the acquaintance. Do Your Clothes Look Yellow? Then use **Defiance Starch**. It will keep them white—14 lbs. for 10 cents.

It is hard to tell where an orderly woman will put things.

Pierce's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. SANBORN, Donna Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1906.

The height of folly is sometimes the depth of wisdom.

Defiance Starch is put up 14 ounces for 10 cents. One-third more starch for the same money.

The seeds that speak loudest are born in silence.

REAL ESTATE.

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For some time; head has ached and back aches; has slept poorly, been quite nervous, and nearly fainted once or twice; head dizzy, and heart-beats very fast; then that bearing-down feeling, and during her menstrual period has been exceedingly disagreeable. Nothing pleased her. Her doctor says: "Cheer up; you have dyspepsia; you will be all right soon."

But she doesn't get "all right" and hope vanishes; then come the brooding, morbid, melancholy, everlasting **BLUES**. Don't wait until your sufferings have driven you to despair, with your nerves all shattered and your courage gone, but take **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**. See what it did for Mrs. Rosa Adams, of 819 1/2 St. Street, Louisville, Ky., niece of the late General Roger Hanson, C.S.A. She writes: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham: I have told you with pen and ink what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered with female troubles, extreme nervousness, 'the blues,' nervousness and all that goes with it. I was driven to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it not only cured my female troubles, but it has restored me to perfect health and strength. The buoyancy of my younger days has returned, and I do not suffer any longer with despondency as I did before. I consider Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a boon to sick and suffering women."

If you have some despondency of the female organism, write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice.

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