

5 Women Avoid Operations

For years we have been stating in the newspapers of the country that a great many women have escaped serious operations by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it is true.

We are permitted to publish in this announcement extracts from the letters of five women. All have been recently received unsolicited. Could any evidence be more convincing?

- HODGSON, ME.**—"I had pains in both sides and such a soreness I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached and I was so nervous I could not sleep, and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation, but I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman."—Mrs. HATWARD SOWERS, Hodgdon, Me.
- SHELBYVILLE, KY.**—"I suffered from a severe female trouble. My right side hurt me badly—it was finally decided that I must be operated upon. When my husband learned this he got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me, and after taking it a few days I got better and continued to improve until I am now well."—Mrs. MOLLIE SMITH, R.F.D., Shelbyville, Ky.
- HANOVER, PA.**—"The doctor advised a severe operation, but my husband got me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I experienced great relief in a short time. Now I feel like a new person and can do a hard day's work and not mind it."—Mrs. ADA WITZ, 303 Walnut St., Hanover, Pa.
- DECATUR, ILL.**—"I was sick in bed and three of the best physicians said I would have to be taken to the hospital for an operation as I had something growing in my left side. I refused to submit to the operation and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—and it worked a miracle in my case, and I tell other women what it has done for me."—Mrs. LAURA A. GRISWOLD, 2437 East William Street, Decatur, Ill.
- CLEVELAND, OHIO.**—"I was very irregular and for several years my side pained me so that I expected to have to undergo an operation. Doctors said they knew of nothing that would help me. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I became regular and free from pain. I am thankful for such a good medicine and will always give it the highest praise."—Mrs. C. H. GRIFFITH, 1868 Constant St., Cleveland, O.

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Economical Pat.
Pat had just arrived from the Emerald Isle and he was feeling very hungry, as he had not eaten anything since four o'clock last evening and it was now eight o'clock in the morning. So he went into a restaurant close by and asked the waiter how much would he charge him for breakfast. "A quarter," replied the waiter. "Well, how much will ye charge me for my dinner?" said Pat. "Thirty-five cents," replied the waiter. "Well, what will ye charge me for my supper, then?" "Twenty cents," was the reply. "Then, if ye please, will ye give me my supper?" said Pat.

From Quill to Steel.
Writing implements changed considerably for the better during Sir Walter Gilbey's long spell of life. "Though quill pens are still in use," he remarks in his "Recollections of Seventy Years." "I remember the time when one seldom saw any other kind. Steel pens in their early days were expensive and ill made, and few people used them. The paper we had seventy years ago may have been partly to blame; it had neither the substance nor the surface we take as a matter of course nowadays. I remember when envelopes came into use, and what a boon they were considered after the old system of closing letters with water or seal. Before envelopes were invented letters were always written with an eye to the position of the water or seal, a blank space being left to correspond with the space where this would be put on the outside, lest the written portion should be torn in opening."

"Matrimonial Aphasia."
Are we about to bid good-by forever to bigamy? When a gallant in Los Angeles was caught with too many wives, his lawyer put up the picturesque defense that he was not guilty of bigamy or trigamy or anything of that commo-place kind; he was merely afflicted with "matrimonial aphasia." Let philologists and psychologists discuss the more profound question as to whether a man, having once knelt at Hymen's altar, can allow the incident to escape his mind to such an extent as to go and do it again; the fact remains, now the law has been broken by this Los Angeles legal mind, that we shall hear more and more of this novel marital disorder. There are too many astute jurisprudes in this country for an opportunity like this to slip by unembraced. It requires no imagination whatsoever to see the chances courts of the future filled with mighty experts learnedly disagreeing as to whether a man is a bigamist or merely an unfortunate matrimonial aphasic.

Fortunes Paid for Poems.
There was born at Naples, on July 23, 1428, Jacopo Sannazaro, who was to live to receive one of the greatest sums ever paid for a poem. He wrote six lines of eulogy upon Venice, which Evelyn thus translated:

Naples saw Venice on the Adriatic stand Firm as a rock, and all the sea command.
"Think'st thou, O Jove!" said he, "Home's walls excel? Or that proud cliff, whence falls Tarpeia's fall? Grant Tyber best, view both; and you will say That men did those, gods these foundations lay."

The Venetians were delighted, and granted him 6,000 golden crowns. Which seems even better pay than Horace Smith got from the king's brewer Strahan. In a jeu d'esprit of eight lines he suggested that the weakness of the brewer's legs was due to all the body's strength settling in the head. The brewer was delighted, and by his will paid Smith \$10,000, which works out at \$1,250 a line.—London Chronicle.

Effective Punishments.
One of the first judges—real judges—of Deadwood put in operation many odd ideas of corrective punishment. If a man was brought before him charged with shooting up a peaceful place without provocation this judge used to delight in toiling off half a dozen good shots, whose business it was to fire all around the accused, who was made to stand up against a wall. The closer the shots and the more scared the accused the better the judge liked it. If the accused demurred against this little tit-for-tat punishment he was formally ordered to stand up and the maximum sentence under the code was meted out to him. In the case of a prisoner who might not be impressed with the target practice sentence there were other penalties, such as a five mile gallop on a frisky horse, with the legs of the accused tied under the horse's belly and a saddle made of fair sized stones wrapped in a blanket for his seat. Protest against this meant again the extreme code punishment.

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FIELD DAY

The following program for Field Day has been adopted by the Teachers' Association of Clarendon County.

Field Day in nearly all counties of the State has come to be recognized as a very important day. Clarendon County has enjoyed these features annually for the past three years.

In order to vary these features somewhat, and to extend the benefits and pleasures as widely as possible among all our people, it has been deemed advisable to have smaller features of a like kind conducted at the following places at some date the last of March, or the first of April, preceding the general Field day to be held at Manning on Friday, April 16th, 1915.

- Local arrangements to be left to the Principals of the schools in each of the following school groups, or to committees arranged for by them.
- Paxville Group—Consisting of Paxville, Pinewood, Big Branch, Home Branch, Silver, Grange Hill, and Pineland.
 - Summertown Group—Consisting of Summertown, Davis Station, Oak Grove, Cross Roads, Panola, Richbourg, St. Paul.
 - Sardinia Group—Consisting of Sardinia, Enterprise, Harmony, Oakdale, Salem, New Zion, Barrow, Clarendon.
 - Manning Group—Consisting of Manning, Jordan, Alcolu, Trinity, Harvin, Foreston, Wilson, Deep Creek, Rehoboth, Lane, Holladay, Baywood, Thigpen, New Harmony.
 - Turbeville Group—Consisting of Turbeville, Coker, Gamble, Hicks, McFaddin, Brindeman, and the line schools if they care to enter. (Sunny side and Central.)

Each group of schools should plan its own literary features in addition to the ones outlined for the general field day on April 16th.

The County Board of Education offers each group of schools Five dollars to be used towards the prize money fund, provided that the teachers, trustees, pupils, and patrons supplement this amount with enough to make up what amount may be deemed necessary. All these prizes to be arranged for by each group of schools in whatever manner each may adopt.

Feeling that the art of public speaking should be encouraged among our pupils, particular stress is laid upon that feature, and to this end, each school is earnestly requested to "try out" its pupils in the speaking of pieces at some time the last of March.

These pieces may be either original or selected. On these occasions, the patrons and friends of each particular school should be invited to attend. Representatives should be chosen at this time to represent your school at the group contest event.

The following classification of pupils has been decided upon for the general field day April 16th, and is suggested for each school, as well as for the occasion of the group contest features.

- Class A—Boys and girls under 12 years of age.
- Class B—Boys and girls from 12 to 15 years of age.
- Class C—Boys and girls from 15 to 18 years of age.

Each school should send three representatives, one from each class, to the group contest feature. (Dates to be arranged for by each group.)

Each group will be entitled to three representatives, one from each class, to take part in the county field day contests. It should be noted that there are five school groups, and three classes of contestants, will make up fifteen entries for the general field day.

This gives five entries for each class. The prize for each class will be either a gold medal, or some other prize of equal value.

Pupils who by merit shall be selected as the representatives, either from your school to the group contest, or at the group contest for the county contest, may speak the same piece, or prepare an entirely different piece. (Original or selected.)

Another special feature for the county field day will be a spelling contest in which the best speller wins. This is open to any and all pupils. Send to E. J. Browne, County Supt. for a printed list of fifteen hundred words which will be used.

ATHLETIC CONTESTS.
Teachers should encourage their pupils to engage in the following exercises: Running high jump, running broad jump, standing high jump, standing broad jump, and racing contests, all of which contests should be divided by age as per the speaking contests.

Each school group may select both a boy and a girl representative for each of the above contests, and divided by age as above suggested.

Vacancies may be filled at any time, both for the speaking contests, and the athletic contests, so that there may be no features without the proper number of contestants. This is especially desirable in the contests for the prizes for the speaking.

Small prizes will be given the winners in the athletic contests on the occasion of the general field day.

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Lv. Columbia	12:55 P. M.
Ar. Cincinnati	10:55 A. M.
Ar. Chicago	9:00 P. M.

—EASTBOUND—

Lv. Chicago	8:55 A. M.
Lv. Cincinnati	6:35 P. M.
Ar. Columbia	4:45 P. M.
Ar. St. Matthews	6:05 P. M.
Ar. Orangeburg	6:35 P. M.
Ar. Branchville	7:15 P. M.
Ar. Summerville	8:48 P. M.
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