

**Patrol.**

Little Dorothy's uncles are both at the war, and she has a great admiration for soldiers. The other day in a crowded street car she was sitting on her mother's lap when a wounded soldier entered. Dorothy immediately slipped to the floor.

"Here, Soldy," she offered, "you can sit on mamma's lap."—Harper's Magazine.

**Decentful Biddies.**

Fogg is rather disgusted with poultry farming. He says that when he left home yesterday morning forty of his hens were bragging about what they were going to do; but on his return he found that only eight had laid—the rest of the bunch had simply lied.—Boston Evening Transcript.

**Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic** destroys the malarial germs which are transmitted to the blood by the Malaria Mosquito. Price 60c.

Cornet players soon get wind of a new tune.

Philadelphia wants to continue daylight saving plan for duration of the war.

**Don't Poison Baby.**

**FORTY YEARS AGO** almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death." The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without your or your physician's knowledge of what it is composed. **CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS**, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

**Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of** *Chas. H. Fletcher*

**Disasters.**

"How is your son getting along in the army?"

"First rate now. But in his ignorance the poor boy made a mistake when he first reached the cantonment that came very near spoiling his career as a soldier."

"He didn't commit an offense involving moral turpitude?"

"No. He called his colonel 'Old Top.'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

**Work or Fight.**

Dey's liable for her trouble 'twixt Mandy and Rastus; kaze Mandy done lay holt er rollin' pin en' she say when dat good-fer-nuthin' Rastus come home she gwine plinted tell him he got ter work or fight.—Dallas Times-Herald.

**The Exception.**

"Now we have whineless bread."

"Yes, everything but taxless incomes."

**GOOD-BYE BACKACHE, KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLES**

For centuries all over the world GOLD MEDAL Haarem Oil has afforded relief in thousands upon thousands of cases of lame back, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatism, gallstones, gravel and all other affections of the kidneys, liver, stomach, bladder and allied organs. It acts quickly. It does the work. It cleanses your kidneys and purifies the blood. It makes a new man, a new woman, of you. It frequently wards off attacks of the dread and fatal diseases of the kidneys. It often completely cures the distressing diseases of the organs of the body allied with the bladder and kidneys. Bloody or cloudy urine, sediment, or "brickdust" indicate an unhealthy condition.

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Do not delay a minute if your back aches or you are sore across the loins or have difficulty when urinating. Go to your druggist at once and get a



**Packers' Profits—Large or Small**

**Packers' profits look big—** when the Federal Trade Commission reports that four of them earned \$140,000,000 during the three war years.

**Packers' profits look small—** When it is explained that this profit was earned on total sales of over four and a half billion dollars—or only about three cents on each dollar of sales.

**This is the relation between profits and sales:**

**Profits** █  
**Sales** █

If no packer profits had been earned, you could have bought your meat at only a fraction of a cent per pound cheaper?

Packers' profits on meats and animal products have been limited by the Food Administration, since November 1, 1917.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

**OLD CERTIFICATES ARE GOOD**

Attorney General Decides That Old Registration Tickets Are Good in Certain Cases.

Columbia.—Attorney General Peoples has written the following letter to C. D. Seay, county superintendent of education:

"Dear Sir: In reply to your verbal inquiry as to what registration certificates should be used during the special school elections, the supreme court held that only those electors who had procured their registration certificates 30 days prior to any special election could vote in such special election.

"Following this line of reason it would seem to this office that to require the use of the new registration certificates which have been issued since the first day of July, 1918, instead of allowing those who had qualified as electors during the past ten years to use their old registration certificates would be a discrimination against a large number of voters, as you will see that if the new registration certificates were required only those who had secured them during the first two days during the month of July would be allowed to vote.

"The courts in this State, and of all other States so far as that is concerned, always take a favorable view to permitting every voter to exercise the right of suffrage.

"Under the provisions of our constitution and the statutes of this State a new enrollment of the voters is required every ten years and this is the year a new enrollment is being made up for the next ten years.

"Under the statute the books opened on the first day of July and are to remain open until 30 days prior to the general election in November of this year, therefore, in order to protect the electors who have been qualified and hold their registration certificates prior to the first day of July, I am of the opinion that the old registration certificates, as well as those procured under the new registration 30 days prior to the said special election up to the completion of the new enrollment, as provided for in act No. 22, page 49, of the Acts of 1911."

**State's Low Percentage.**

Columbia.—Although the demand for men to serve overseas under the Red Triangle has in no measure been met and while many more, especially those endowed with the gift of leadership, are needed, Dr. W. W. Alexander, director of the Southeastern department war personnel board, reports that 86 men from the seven States within that department have enlisted in the army and navy Y. M. C. A. from July 22 to 27, inclusive:

Of this number, 54 have been approved for service overseas and others recommended for home training camp war work. Those who go across will be trained at Columbia University, New York City, and the others take in the three weeks intensive training school at Blue Ridge, N. C. They are from all walks of life, ranging from university heads to auto mechanics.

This is a comparative list of enlistments in the Y. M. C. A. ranks from States in the Southeast during the one week period ending July 27: Tennessee, 22; Georgia and Alabama, each 19; North Carolina, 13; Florida, 6; South Carolina, 3; Mississippi, 2; miscellaneous, 2.

**No Hoarding Here.**

Special from Washington.—The cotton situation was discussed at a conference between President Wilson and Senator Smith, of South Carolina. Assertions that cotton farmers and others are hoarding 3,000,000 bales of cotton this year were denied by the senator, who declared that in reality there is an 8,000,000 bale shortage. From 1914 to 1917, inclusive, the world consumed 42,000,000 bales, he declared, while during that period only 34,000,000 were produced. War that only certain grades of cotton can be used in the manufacture of government contracts have been modified, Senator Smith declared, so that cotton of certain tensile strength can be used. This will permit many grades being used which otherwise would have to be discarded and will also result in prices for all grades being more nearly standardized.

**Tobacco Sales Satisfactory.**

Sumter.—Tobacco sales at the Sumter warehouse continue satisfactory. There will be about twice as much of the weed sold on this market this year as there was last year, but plans are on foot to double this amount for next year. Competition seems to be the life of trade with tobacco and the farmers do not care to go where there is only one warehouse, so a second warehouse for Sumter is to be provided by the next season. Stock is now being subscribed for the second house.

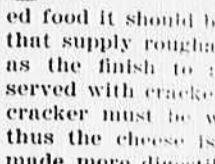
**New President State. Bar. Ass'n.** Spartanburg.—John P. Thomas, Jr., of Columbia, was elected president of the South Carolina Bar Association for the coming year; Colin S. Monteth of Columbia and Walter M. Scott of Greenville were re-elected secretary and treasurer, respectively. A. M. Lumpkin and Frank G. Tomkins, of Columbia, were elected members of the executive committee. Vice presidents from each of the fourteen circuits of the state were also elected. Sumter was selected as the next meeting place.



He only will please long, who by tempering the acidity of Sature with the sugar of Civility, and allaying the heat of Wit with the frigidity of Humble Chat, can make the true Punch of Conversation.—Johnson.

**CHEESE A MEAT SAVER.**

Cheese is best uncooked, but when served in dishes that are to be cooked the heat should never be very high, as intense heat toughens the protein and makes it stringy and difficult of digestion. Since it is such a highly concentrated food it should be served with foods that supply roughage or bulk. Cheese as the finish to a dinner is always served with crackers because the hard cracker must be well masticated and thus the cheese is finely divided and made more digestible.



**Cheese Pudding.**—Take one cupful of stale bread crumbs, one cupful of grated cheese, two cupfuls of milk, two eggs well beaten, two tablespoonfuls of melted fat, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of mustard, salt and paprika to taste. Mix the ingredients as for custard, turn the mixture into a greased baking dish and set in a pan of hot water to bake in a slow oven. Bake until firm.

**Scalloped Cabbage With Cheese.**—Cook the cabbage with leaves separated, uncovered in as little salted water as possible. As soon as the cabbage is tender, drain and add cheese sauce; bake 25 minutes in a moderate oven.

**Cheese Sauce.**—Make a white sauce using one cupful of milk, two tablespoonfuls of flour, a tablespoonful of butter or fat, a half teaspoonful of salt, a few dashes of paprika and four tablespoonfuls to a cupful of grated cheese.

**Cottage Cheese Loaf.**—Take a cupful each of cooked kidney beans, cottage cheese, ground peanuts, bread crumbs and hulled rice, one tablespoonful of chopped onion, one tablespoonful of fat, a cupful of tomato juice. Mix all the ingredients and form the mixture into a roll. Brush it with melted fat and bake in a moderate oven 25 minutes. Serve with a thick white sauce in which two tablespoonfuls of chopped red peppers have been added.

A cupful of cottage cheese added to a potato salad makes a much more nourishing and savory salad.

Let us be content to work  
To do the thing we can, and not presume  
To fret because it's little.  
—E. B. Browning.

**SOMETHING DIFFERENT.**

A new dish is always welcome, and she who originates a new and appetizing dish is deserving of much credit in these days of substitutions and economies.

**Curry of Rabbit.**—Select a fat young rabbit which, if fresh, will have no unpleasant odor. Skin and clean it and split down the back. Disjoint and cut into convenient-sized pieces for serving; wipe each with a damp cloth and parboil it in a little vinegar water if the gamey taste is at all objectionable. Season with salt and pepper, roll in barley or corn flour and brown in a little salt pork fat. In the fat left in the pan put one sliced onion and cook until slightly colored. Mix two teaspoonfuls of curry powder with one teaspoonful of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of flour, and brown this mixture in the fat. Add slowly one pint of water and a cupful of strained tomato, six chopped raisins, one cupful of chopped sour apple, a few dashes of cayenne and salt to taste. Turn this sauce over the rabbit and let it simmer until the flesh is tender. When ready to serve, add a cupful of hot milk and a quarter of a cupful of chopped olives. Have ready a cupful of cooked rice, turn the rabbit into a platter and pile the rice around the edge.

**Malabar Rice.**—Cook together one tablespoonful of finely chopped onion and two tablespoonfuls of sweet fat; when well cooked, add one cupful of well-washed and drained rice. Stir it often until a light brown. Mix a quart of strong beef stock and one pint of strained tomato. Season highly with salt and cayenne. Add these to the rice and let it cook very slowly on the back part of the stove or in the fireless cooker. Just before serving, add more seasoning, if needed, and pour over it two tablespoonfuls of melted butter; add two large cardamom seeds split, and turn into a hot dish.

A cupful of grated cheese stirred into hot mush makes a nourishing and wholesome dish.

*Nellie Maxwell*

**New Pleurisy Treatment.**

Doctor Auld tells in the British Medical Journal of a chill and fever resembling malaria which he brought on by administering a platinum compound, and which upon subsiding left the patient in a markedly improved condition. He tried the treatment in cases of pleurisy with good result. It is especially adapted to sluggish cases of localized infection with low fever,

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**Better Than Calomel For Liver**

Calomel sickens! If bilious, constipated and head-  
achy read my guarantee.

Listen to me! Take no more sickening, salivating calomel when bilious or constipated. Don't lose a day's work!

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver, which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile, crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you are sluggish and "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour, just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents. Take a spoonful tonight, and if it doesn't

straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous by morning, I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not sallowate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.—Adv.

**Confused.**

Gen. Leonard Wood said at a luncheon:

"There are so many rewards for bravery and devotion on the other side that a poor soldier naturally gets confused among them.

"There's the V. C., or Victoria Cross; the M. M., or Medaille Militaire; the D. S. O., or Distinguished Service Order; the C. G., or Cross de Guerre, and so on almost indefinitely.

"A doughboy had a grudge against his captain, who was a bit of a martinet. Well, in the Y. M. C. A. one night a waitress said to the doughboy:

"Did you know they've given your old captain the C. G.?"

"The doughboy laughed aloud.

"Served him darn well right," he said. "How many days?"—Washington Star.

**A Meadow Stunt.**

Nebuchadnezzar was cutting grass. "I hope to make a hit with Maud Muller," he explained.

**When Baby Is Teething**

GROVE'S BABY RHYTHM TABLETS will correct the Stomach and Bowel troubles. Perfectly harmless. See directions on the bottle.

Divorce pulls the feathers from the wings of love.

**Squeezed Small.**

"What's this?"

"That's your condensed milk."

"But I ordered a quart. That's no quart."

"Yes, it is. It's a condensed quart."

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**Watch Your Stomach In Hot Weather**

**A Cool, Sweet, Strong Stomach Your Best Safeguard Against Summer Sickness**

"Keep your stomach in good working order during the hot summer months and you will have little to fear in the way of sickness," the advice many physicians give as hot weather approaches.

Good, sound, common sense advice, too. For very frequently, and especially in hot weather, these common stomach disorders which so many people seem to regard as of minor importance, do open the way for serious illness.

So keep your stomach sweet, cool and comfortable all summer long. The extra war work—change of diet—poisons that come with hot weather—all hit us in the stomach. The strongest stomach will need help this summer as never before.

The one easy way if you should have the right remedy is to rid the stomach of too much acid. Because it's superacid-ity that interferes with digestion and assimilation, and this causes about all those stomach miseries you are so familiar with—heartburn, food-repeat-

ing, indigestion, sour, gassy stomach and that miserable, bloated, puffed-up condition after eating.

Now here is good news. An easy, sure relief has been found to get rid of the harmful acidity and gases in the stomach. It is called EATONIC, a good tasting compound that you eat just like candy. A tablet or two of EATONIC after meals will work wonders. You can have no idea of what sure, quick comfort EATONIC brings until you do try it. Use EATONIC after your meals, enjoy a good appetite and get full strength from the food you eat. At the same time protect yourself from summer stomach and bowel miseries.

Get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist today. He will tell you that people who have used EATONIC say that they never dreamed that anything could give such quick and wonderful results. It costs only 60c a box and if it fails in any way, your druggist, who you know and trust, will return your money.

**What Makes You Feel Tired?**

If it isn't hard work or exercise, then it's your blood. Your blood has been poisoned by the bite of a malaria mosquito or by stomach and liver disorders. In some cases low vitality and lack of energy is due to thin, weak blood.

**Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic**

Enriches the Blood and Purifies the Blood; by this means it Strengthens the body from head to toe and you can soon feel its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. It contains just what the blood needs, Iron and Quinine, in a form acceptable to the most delicate stomach.

GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC is an exceptionally Good General Strengthening Tonic for the Child, for the Mother or any of the Family, young or old. Pleasant to take. Price 60c.

**Perfectly Harmless. Contains no Nux-Vomica or other Poisonous Drugs.**

**Grove's chill Tonic Tablets**

You can now get Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic in Tablet form as well as in Syrup, the kind you have always bought. The Tablets are intended for those who prefer to swallow a tablet rather than a syrup, and as a convenience for those who travel. The tablets are called "GROVE'S chill TONIC TABLETS" and contain exactly the same medicinal properties and produce exactly the same results as Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic which is put up in bottles. The price of either is 60c.