

A CRITICAL PERIOD
INTELLIGENT WOMEN PREPARE

Dangers and Pain of This Critical Period Avoided by the Use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



How many women realize that the most critical period in a woman's existence is the change of life, and that the anxiety felt by women at this time draws near is not without reason? Her system is in a deranged condition, or she is predisposed to apoplexy of any organ, it is at this time likely to become active and, with a host of nervous irritations, make life a burden.

At this time, also, cancers and tumors are more liable to begin their destructive work. Such warning symptoms as a sense of suffocation, hot flashes, dizziness, headache, dread of impending evil, sounds in the ears, timidity, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inquietude are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period of life when woman's great change may be expected.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the world's greatest remedy for women at this trying period.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound invigorates and strengthens the female organism, and builds up the weakened nervous system as no other medicine can.

Madame Louis Belleau of 17 Ramsay St., Quebec, Que., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound assisted me to pass the change of life with but very little sickness and pain, and I am pleased to give it my endorsement, for I feel that it is the medicine which every woman should take. I am the mother of three children, and when I reached the age of fifty naturally my health was none too good, and I feel sure that if I had not taken your Vegetable Compound I should not have passed the climax safely. I took it off and on for two years and now find that I am in splendid health and strength and feel younger and better than I did ten years ago. Much praise to your medicine, and may all suffering women learn of its value.

For special advice regarding this important period, women are invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. She is a daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham and for twenty-five years has been advising sick women free of charge. Her advice is free and always helpful to ailing women.

CALL FOR AN INDEPENDENT INSPECTION OF BANKS.

To the Editor of The Globe: Through the press and from the platform the banking system of Canada is lauded as being the best in the world. In many particulars the system is admirable, our elastic bank currency and the readiness with which the banking requirements of new districts are met by branch extension being its strongest features. However, it is not without defects, some of them of vital importance. Of these the most prominent is the lack of external inspection, which experience in the western hemisphere has demonstrated to be essential. The public have been reminded of this necessity by the recent failure of the Ontario Bank and the leading papers of the country are almost a unit in demanding reform in this particular. The reasonableness of this demand is made clear by a review of Canadian banking history since 1880 and before, and is confirmed by the experiences of our near neighbors prior to the civil war. In 1880 there were in existence in Canada forty-one banks; since then seven have been incorporated and have commenced business, making a total of forty-eight banks. Of this total twelve have failed and some others have saved themselves by amalgamation. The failures are, therefore, twenty-five per cent within a period of twenty-six years, the last ten of which were years of unexampled prosperity, with steadily rising deposits, conditions under which even insolvent banks seldom close their doors. Most, if not all, of the above mentioned failures were fraudulent, and it is now plainly evident that a few hours' examination by a skilled banker would have disclosed an insolvent condition in any one of the banks, years before it collapsed. In each of the two most recent disasters a correct diagnosis could have been made ten or more

years ago. Some urge that the Government should call for special returns, but what value should attach to special returns from the Bank of Yarmouth, from the Ontario Bank, or from any of the other wrecks gone before? They would simply have enlarged the piles of incorrect and deceptive bank returns in the Finance Department. What is written by one having unusual facilities for observation is eminently true: "It is extremely rare to find a bank has failed without some of the officers committing fraudulent or illegal acts to hide it." There is at least sufficient truth in the above to dispose of the suggestion of special returns and to dispel faith in the returns of badly managed banks.

Some Canadian bankers, including one writer, whose words are entitled to great weight, contend that Government inspection has failed in the United States. Under the National Bank Act of that country there has been a somewhat imperfect system of bank examination, and a more imperfect system by some of the State Bank Departments, I say imperfect, for under the national system there were employed last year 78 examiners, whose duties required the making of no less than 11,516 inspections each year! For the forty-three years during which the National Bank Act has been in operation there have been established 7,966 banks. Of these 400 have failed, the failures being equal to 5 1/2 per cent of the whole number for the period. As for the banks other than national, with a more imperfect system of inspection, or no system at all, the failures reached 17 per cent. The comparison of the percentages appears as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Percentage. National banks failed in 43 years: 5 1/2 per cent. Other U.S. banks failed in 43 years: 17 1/2 per cent. Canadian banks failed in 26 years: 25 per cent. National banks failed in 26 years (same period): 5 per cent.

External inspection must not be regarded as an unfailing cure; it has its limitations, and the best that can be said of it is that it is a preventative that, if properly applied, will make bank failure almost unknown. An inspector cannot discover an embezzlement until after the act is committed; neither can he avoid a ruinously bad debt made before his visit, but the progress toward failure is generally slow and in the majority of cases a prudent inspector would, by his advice and authority, save the situation and direct the management into safe channels.

The subject of the establishment of an effective bureau of inspection is

one of the utmost importance, for unless it is founded on conservative lines, in which the interests of all sound institutions are carefully conserved, much more harm than benefit would ensue. Bank shareholders are the parties with the major interest at stake, and for the present the subject would be better be left to them and to their representatives, in the hope that a satisfactory solution of the problem may be reached. H.C. McLeod. Toronto, Nov 21.

TRY THIS FOR YOUR COUGH.

To relieve a cough or break up a cold in twenty-four hours, the following simple formula, the ingredients of which can be obtained at any good prescription druggist at small cost, is all that will be required: Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) one-half ounce; Glycerine, two ounces; good Whiskey, a half pint. Shake well and take in teaspoonful doses every four hours. The desired result can not be obtained unless the ingredients are pure. It is therefore better to purchase the ingredients separately and prepare the mixture yourself. Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) should be purchased in the original half-ounce vials, which druggists buy for dispensing. Each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case which protects the Oil from exposure to light. Around the wooden case is an engraved wrapper with the name "Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure)"—plainly printed thereon. There are many imitations and cheap productions of Pine, but these only create nausea, and never effect the desired results. 131-45.

Speaking of Conventions, "The Leader" says the number of delegates from each parish should be based upon the population, or upon the party vote at the last election. This would give the proper weight to the voice of each section of a county, and would avoid the packing of conventions. A packed convention, in which any district is allowed to vote by a disproportionate number of delegates, does not properly represent the party, and the choice of such a convention is sure to receive a lukewarm support, or none at all, from many Liberals who would strongly support a man who they felt had been fairly and openly chosen by the majority of the party supporters in the county. Yes, this is true. There is an open sore behind what "The Leader" has to say, however.

Catarrh of the nose and throat, should lead you to at least ask us for a free trial box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure. Nothing so surely proves merit as a real, actual test—and Dr. Shoop, to prove this, earnestly desires that we let you make that test. This creamy, Snow White healing balm, soothes the throat and nostrils, and quickly purifies a foul or feverish breath. Call and investigate, GARDEN BROS.

More Candidates.

They do say that the woods are full of candidates for the Town Council. Wm Lillie, Wm Balmain, R B Jones, Capt Thomas Duncau, James Drysdale and half a dozen others are said to be urged to run. The more the merrier.

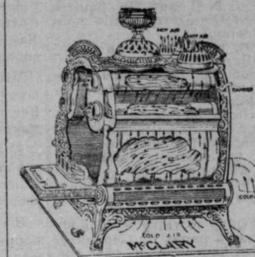
Piles get quick relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Remember it's made alone for Piles—and it works with certainty and satisfaction. Itching, painful, protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Try it and see! GARDEN BROS. 1m



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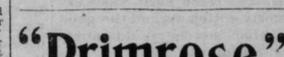
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Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Insurance in force Dec. 31st, 1905, over \$42,270,272.00. Applications received during 1905: 8,666,355.00. Net Premium Income: 1,945,385.58. Total Income: 1,945,840.31. Increase in Insurance in force: 4,801,804.31. Increase in Assets: 1,972,337.09. Making Total Assets: 7,184,681.45. Increase in Surplus: 130,086.94. Making Total Surplus: 901,956.06 (Including \$300,000.00 Capital Stock).

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If a fly drops into a beer glass, one who has made a study of national characteristics can easily tell the drinker's nationality by his action.

A Spaniard pays for the beer, leaves it on the table, and goes away without saying a word.

A Frenchman will do the same except that he swears while he goes.

An Englishman spills the beer and orders another glass.

A German carefully fishes out the fly and finishes drinking his beer as if nothing had happened.

A Russian drinks the beer and fly.

A Chinaman fishes out the fly, swallows it, and then throws away the beer.

Arthur S Estabrooks of Rockland has been doing business at that place for a number of years and is well pleased with his success and finds a steady increase especially in his cash sales. There are many who go by his store to larger centres to trade who if they would take the trouble to figure up and compare quality and price could have saved at least five per cent had they done their trading with him. (11-47)

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Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

THOMAS LAWSON.

The very sudden death of Thomas Lawson, the Andover lawyer and politician came as a severe shock to his large circle of acquaintances.

He was stricken with pneumonia on Thursday of last week, and lived but a day thereafter. He was a big hearted, genial and eloquent gentleman. He was a native of Fredericton and leaves a wife and four children. For a time he sat in the Assembly, and filled the position as deputy speaker. A strong liberal, he was looked upon as a coming man in political affairs. He was a good lawyer and a good citizen.

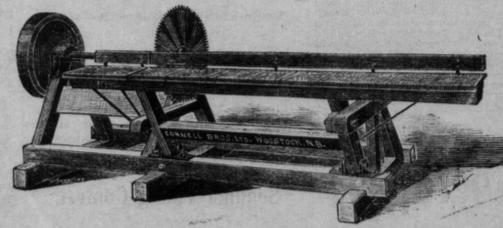
Reprint, News-Herald: "There is at least one effective, safe, and reliable Cough Cure—Dr. Shoop's—that we regard as suitable, even for the youngest child. For years, Dr. Shoop bitterly opposed the use of opiates or narcotics in medicine, offering \$10 per drop to any one finding Opium Chloroform, or any other poisonous or narcotic ingredient in Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And the challenge is as yet unanswered. Here is one manufacturing physician, who welcomed with much satisfaction, the new Government Pure Food and Drug Law. The public can now protect itself at all times by insisting on having Dr. Shoop's, when a cough remedy is needed." Sold by GARDEN BROS.

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