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ISSUED EVERY FRIDAY AT STERLING CITY, TEXAS.

Subscribers failing to get their paper on time, will confer a favor by reporting same to us.

It rained last Sunday.

Aero races are the newest out in the way of sports. It is now up to the inventors to devise something new to take the place of aero races when they become too real to be longer considered a novelty.—Brady Standard.

In most things the State of Texas has always enforced its public policies. It has ever been the policy of the State to educate its children. A princely domain was set aside for public education and a goodly rate of taxation is levied each year for the maintenance of public schools, yet it is left with the sweet will of the people whether they will send their children to school. Most of the people will gladly do it but there are few who will not. We say that the man who neglects to send his child to school should be forced to show cause why he does it.

Randall won't carry six counties in Texas against Joe Bailey. Now mark it.—Hamilton Herald.

Randall? Randall? Who in the Sam Hill is Randall anyhow? Are they going to try to beat Joe again with a fellow named Randall? There are about a dozen fellows after that job. There are C. J. o Thomas, T. Bawl, C. Johnson, Tee Em Campbell and the Right Reverend Mister Parson Rankin among the bunch of possibilities. Each one of these gents helped raised unshined shoe as well as taxes in Texas this summer and of course each expect to be rewarded for his efforts. The tracks of this bunch of agitators can be easily traced on our tax receipts this fall.

We hope that all the farmers will take advantage of the weather conditions and get something ready for the county and state fairs. Remember that there are some things that every man has on his farm that would look well if properly handled and cared for. Get these things ready and let us help you. Our help will cost you nothing. Space at the fair will cost you nothing. All that we ask of you is that you find something on your farm that is good, bring it in and we will do the rest for you. If you have a head of maize, corn, kafir corn, beans or any garden stuff that will perish, bring that in and let us preserve it for you. We want to see the finest chicken display in the history of the county. Do not forget this and wait for the other fellow to do it, get busy and all will help to place this county at the head of the column. Begin today and the task will be easier than you thought it would be.—Brady Standard.

The above applies to us as well as to McCullough county.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

No. 48.—In Re Estate of George Scharnberg, deceased. In Probate Court of Sterling County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given by Adolph Brauer, that he was appointed Executor of the estate in the above styled and numbered cause on the 8th day of August, A. D. 1911, and that his postoffice address is Sterling City, Sterling County, Texas, and all parties having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same within the time and in the manner required by law.

ADOLPH V. BRAUER, Executor of the Estate of George Scharnberg, deceased

SHEEP WANTED

We have two men in Lubbock county that want to go into the sheep business and will trade some of the finest land in Lubbock county for ranch or sheep, if your price is right, write us what you have to offer, our commission in case a trade is made through us is five per cent of total consideration.

Patterson & Son, Lubbock, Texas

SANTAFERAILWAY OFFICIALS IN ANGELO

Pettibone and Party View Local Situation and Go West

F. G. Pettibone, vice-president and general manager of the G. C. & S. F. railway in Texas, and a party of railway officials and friends, were San Angelo guests for a short time Saturday night, arriving here at 7:30 on a special train for an inspection trip and going to Sterling City. They will return this morning and expect to go over the Orient tracks to Sweetwater and then down the Coleman cut-off to Coleman, with a view of the operating department taking over that part of the road. Mr. Pettibone stated that the trip was merely one of the usual inspection tours, and that the Santa Fe's plans relative to San Angelo are not yet ready for publication.

That the Santa Fe intends extension work in this section in the near future is believed by those in touch with the situation, and announcement of the plans is expected almost any time. It was said last summer by a Santa Fe official that in the event of a good year in this section, the Sterling City branch would be extended this fall to the northwest. Whether this threat will be made good in 1911 has not yet been determined, but it is thought that the road has some plans in view as a result of the numerous inspection trips made to this section recently by both Santa Fe and G. C. & S. F. officials. With Mr. Pettibone are W. E. Maxson, general superintendent, and K. S. Hull, superintendent of the western division.—San Angelo Standard.

These officials, conveyed by a special train, in charge of conductor Jake Hollingsworth, arrived here about 10 o'clock Saturday night, and remained over until Sunday morning.

GOLD FOUND NEAR ALPINE

A. J. Tippitt, Owner of Place Where Discovery Is Made Says Many Evidences of Ancient Town

Alpine, Tex., Sept. 3.—A. J. Tippitt, who owns the Templeton farm, where a gold discovery was made ten days ago, was in the city today but chose to be very reticent in regard to the developments on his farm.

He finally admitted that he had been asked by the discoverers of the old mine to keep their secret. He admitted the general details as published and added others of almost equal interest.

He says there are many evidences all over where his orchard now stands of the existence of an ancient city, and it is very evident the ruins mark the scene of former activity by a considerable population.

Nearby is a water hole of peculiar character. It is perhaps 100 feet in circumference. There is a shelving bench of rock and then of four feet to the water. No bottom has ever been found to this pool, and countless tons of rock dumped into it have made no perceptible difference in its character.

Immense caves and ancient rock-worn trails lead about in various directions. The Tippitt fruit farm and its vicinity is a place of keen interest to the historian, the miner, the antiquarian and the geologist. It is understood active working operations will begin on the old mine within fifty days. Mr. Tippitt in accordance with the agreement in the option granted the discoverers, will receive a percentage of the net proceeds.—San Antonio Express.

Cattle Raisers Want Their Share of Prices

The great meat packers have cause to tremble in their boots. If the powerful Texas Cattle Raisers' Association succeeds with its plans

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to refuse to sell to packers and market the product itself, there will either be a big drop in the price of meat products or a considerable rise in the price of cattle on the hoof.

It is no government play which this association is preparing to start its members own approximately 6,000,000 head of cattle. It is estimated that it takes 12 acres to graze one head of cattle upon the Texas range. On this basis the total acreage of ranches in this state is approximately 72,000,000 acres. The value of this land ranges from \$5 to \$30 per acre, with \$15 as an average. The aggregate value of the holdings to its members is almost \$1,000,000,000.

SCHOOL NOTICE

Work on the new catalogue for the Sterling City School is finished and the high school work will follow as closely as possible the work recommended by the State University. Up to and including the eleventh grade, students will have the opportunity of securing a thorough and complete course as is offered in any of the Texas colleges.

Patrons are urged to start their children at the beginning of school, so that they can finish the work required.

Unless your child has finished the course, you are urged to keep them in the Sterling City school as they will not only have an opportunity to do first grade high school work, but will also have a chance of studying music under first class teachers.

We most sincerely ask the cooperation of the Sterling people in making our school one of the very best in west Texas.

Frank Bennett.

STALLION FOR SALE

I have a fine, coal-black, half Steeldust and half Percheron stallion which I am offering for sale at a bargain. He is in prime condition, well broken, coming six years old and a sure breeder. Those wishing a good horse at the right price will please write A. F. JONES, Sterling City, Texas

PROGRAM OF THE STERLING COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

To be Held at Sterling City, September 29—30, 1911

Friday, 8 p. m. "What The Superintendent May Expect of The Sunday School."—D. C. Durham.

"What The School May Expect of The Superintendent."—B. F. Bennett Saturday 30th, 10 to 11:30 a. m.

"Importance of The Primary Department."—Miss Stella Brannan. "Use of The Lesson Card in The Primary Department."—Miss Ethel Foster.

"The Eye Gate."—Mrs. J. T. Redmon. 2:30 to 4 p. m.

"How to Secure Attendance."—H. Knight. "The Place of Reward in Sunday School."—Mrs. Douglas.

"Question Box."—H. Davis. 8:00 o'clock, p. m.

"The Value and How of The Adult Class."—Lowe Slaton and J. H. Boles "Plan and Scope of The Graded Sunday School Lessons."—(To be supplied.)

The singing will be in charge of W. V. Churchill. After each topic has been spoken to by the leader as mentioned above, time will be given for a general discussion.

J. T. Redmon } Committee W. V. Churchill } Manse Patton }

DISTRICT COURT

Meets Monday, October 2nd. Grand Jury Ainsworth, G. G. Askey, M. J. Allen, W. L. Boone, Virgil Copeland, J. L. Woods, J. W. Stewart, W. A. Reynolds, J. W. Brennaud, T. G. Foster, W. L. Emory, J. R. Bynum, W. A. Augstine, J. S. Hanning, J. F. Ratliff, Oscar Douglas, N. L.

Petit Jury

Allard, J. H. Alsop, G. D. Ayers, J. H. Barton, Jno. T. Brown, M. J. Brown, D. M. Carper, A. C. Conger, G. W. Crawford, C. N. Philips, J. W. Daly, J. Dunn, H. K. Edwards, J. M. Jr. Foster, T. S. Glass, J. L. Hooker, H. H. Hodges, G. A. Jackson, T. M. Rutherford, A. A. Kennebrew, J. S. Layne, R. H. Mansker, Ben McEntire, G. H. Parramore, D. D. Pearson, A. C. Ray, H. K. Straley, T. J. Slaton, G. B. Tweedle, Harry Welch, J. R. Williams, G. Wood, L. Sherrod, T. J. Crain, W. Y. Cole, Frank Lane, L. A.

TRESPASS NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an person who shall hunt, fish, or haul wood, or otherwise trespass upon any of the lands owned or controlled by me will be prosecuted by the full extent of the law. 4-5-07 A. F. Jones

Notice to Hunters.—Posted.

My pasture is posted according to the law made and provided in such cases and all persons are hereby warned and forbidden to hunt, fish, or otherwise trespass upon any of the enclosed lands owned or controlled by me, under pain of prosecution to the full extent of the law. J. T. Davis 5-6-'02

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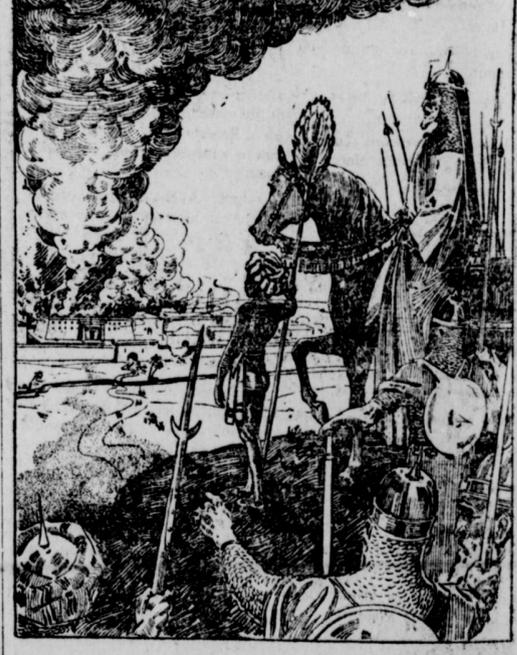
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Texas Needs Great Men

III. MISTAKES.

THE statement of China has fought back civilization for four thousand years and today it is the most benighted nation of the globe. The Mohammedan government ordered the world's greatest library at Alexandria burned and the followers of the prophet are to this day bound in fetters of ignorance. The dark ages were the result of nations fighting back the tide of civilization. Since the beginning of government, some of the leading statesmen of all countries have become badly frightened at the processes of civilization.



MOHAMED'S MISTAKE.

The smoke of a factory has been distorted into the visage of a terrible ogre; the whistle of a locomotive has been mistaken for the wail of an Indian and the approach of capital has scared many of our amateur statesmen into fighting a duel with civilization. Texas needs leaders who will not become frightened at the torch of knowledge or stampede at the forces of progress. Texas needs great men.

FAMILY FLORICULTURE.

George Marion, the stage manager, is a lover of nature and a lover of over-coats and umbrellas. Recently, during a violent rainstorm, he called on his mother, entering her presence wringing wet. "George," she said firmly, "you ought not to expose yourself in such weather. You will get pneumonia." "But, mother," exclaimed George, with a theatrical wave of his hand, "why should I fear the rain? Does it rot mature the grass? Is it not life to the flowers?" "It is a long time," said the good woman, closing a window, "since you were a flower."—Success Magazine.

HE WAS.

The reporter was interviewing the poet. "Do you ever find that your powers of invention are exhausted, and that you have no ideas left?" he asked. "Do you ever feel pumped dry, as it were?" "Yes," answered the weary bard, pointedly, "I feel that way right now."

GOING UP.

Serious Daughter (reading)—Pa, what does Tolstoy mean by this? "The acquisition of vast riches entails dangers greater than those of poverty." Pa.—Simply that it removes one from the bomb-throwing to the bit-up class, I guess.

General

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Resinol Ointment is the one recognized safe and sure remedy for every kind of skin trouble, from the common pimples or scratch to eczema, tetter, shingles, milk-crust, dandruff, psoriasis, boils, burns, scalds, carbuncles, felons and sores. It cannot irritate the most delicate skin. It does not contain a particle of lead or mercury, or other poison. It is as harmless and as easy to apply as cold cream. Resinol Ointment is put up in screw-top opal containers, retailing at fifty cents and a dollar.

Resinol Soap similarly medicated, is in many respects the finest toilet and bath soap possible of production. It is delightfully refreshing and is thoroughly antiseptic. It prevents blackheads, pimples and many other skin troubles, and for shampooing and cleansing the scalp there is nothing better. It is especially recommended for children and infants for its exempt from many of the common skin troubles. It is pleasant, refreshing, soothing and preventive. The Resinol preparations are sold by all druggists and dealers in fine toilet articles.

Resinol Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md.

Reckoning by Degrees.

"It was one of those warm spring days when the temperature suddenly seems unbearably torrid. Thelma, four years of age, broke off her play to plead thus with her mother: 'Oh, mother, please let me take off some of my clothes! I'm a whole petticoat too hot!'"

A Gleam of Hope.

"I hear that Bitter's daughter eloped with his chauffeur. 'Yes, and Bitter wired his forgiveness.' 'What did he do that for?' 'He said he thought now there might be a chance for him to use his car.'"—Puck

TO DRIVE OUT MALARIA AND BILIOUS SYSTEM
Take the Old Standard GIBBER'S CASTLESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are having. The formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing the complete list of ingredients in plain form, and the most effective formula. For grown people and children, 50 cents.

"A Million for Tuberculosis."

This will be the third year that Red Cross Christmas seals have been sold on a national basis. In 1908 over \$135,000 was realized from the sale; in 1909, nearly \$225,000, and in 1910 nearly \$310,000. The slogan for this year's sale is "A Million for Tuberculosis from Red Cross Seals." New York state led the sale last year with 5,955,872 seals, Ohio coming next with 3,743,427, and Wisconsin third with 2,770,112. In addition to these, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Connecticut, California and Rhode Island sold over a million each. Nashville, Tenn., selling 200,000, was the only city receiving over 100,000 seals which sold every one of them.

BABY'S FUTURE.

Mrs. Justwed—Did you ever notice how much baby hollers and kicks about? Mr. Justwed—Yes; I think he'll be a baseball player when he grows up.

FOUND RIGHT PATH After a False Start.

"In 1890 I began to drink coffee. 'At that time I was healthy and enjoyed life. At first I noticed no bad effects from the indulgence but in course of time found that various troubles were coming upon me. 'Palpitation of the heart took upon itself sick and nervous headaches, kidney troubles followed and eventually my stomach became so deranged that ever a light meal caused me serious distress. 'Our physician's prescriptions failed to help me and then I dosed myself with patent medicines till I was thoroughly disgusted and hopeless. 'Finally I began to suspect that coffee was the cause of my troubles. I experimented by leaving it off, except for one small cup at breakfast. This helped some but did not altogether relieve my distress. It satisfied me, however, that I was on the right track. 'So I gave up coffee altogether and began to use Postum. In ten days I found myself greatly improved, my nerves steady, my head clear, my kidneys working better and better, my heart's action rapidly improving, my appetite improved and the ability to eat a hearty meal without subsequent suffering restored to me. And this condition remains. 'Leaving off coffee and using Postum did this, with no help from drugs, as I abandoned the use of medicines when I began to use the food drink.' Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

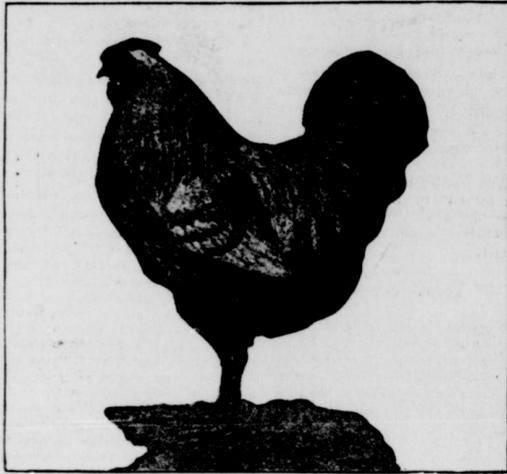
FANCY UTILITY FOWL

Poultry Shows of Great Advantage to the Fanciers.

Laying Qualities of Chickens Lost Sight of in Order to Bring Out Fine Points of Marking and Color—Done for Sport.

(By W. L. THOMAS.) Unfortunately for farmers, the standing of a poultry breeder is not determined by the fat stock shows and fairs, but by a series of poultry shows. These shows devoted to poultry should be to the advantage of poultry keepers, and they are a great advantage to fanciers.

The disadvantage to farmers lies in this: The fancy is primarily a sport on the same order as a horse race. The interest in fancy fowl is like the interest taken in a horse race, in each case the high price paid is due to the intensity of the struggle for supremacy among the owners and not at all to the intrinsic value of the animals. When a race-horse sells for thousands of dollars, it is because he can beat the other fellows with long purses. When the Rose-combed Black Minorca cockerel which took first place in the Madison square poultry show a year or two



Golden Laced Wyandotte.

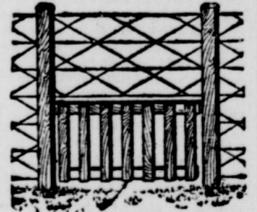
ago was sold for an even thousand, it was because he took the lead in a very hot competition between fanciers who cared nothing at all about the utility qualities of the fowls they bred. No fault whatever should be found with the fanciers' art as a sport. Men engaged in an occupation which requires intense application need something by way of diversion which is intensely interesting, even exciting to a certain degree. Recreation is of little value if one must force himself to it. I was once passing a fine residence in the suburbs of a large city and noticed a poultry plant on the premises which could not have cost less than \$5,000. I went in to look at the fowls. Besides the attention given them by the proprietor, they were cared for by a man hired to give his whole time to them. I asked the owner if the plant paid well. He laughed. "Pay!" he said, "I make money practicing law; I raise chickens for fun." He took me through the building and showed me fowls that were

breeding, but I have been reluctantly forced to the conclusion that that is a mistake, not only from my own experience, but because I find that invariably when an attempt is made to increase the laying performance of a flock of hens by breeding sires of high record layers in the same strain, the yearly average increases for the first few years and then decreases. Of course, it could not increase indefinitely, but instead of reaching the maximum and retaining it, they begin to decrease after a few years and become less vigorous and harder to raise. Of course it would be impracticable to attempt to establish separate standards for fanciers and farmers, but it seems to me that farmers would do well to keep in mind that the fancier as a sport produces fowls just as different from a purebred farmer's fowl as a racehorse is different from a farm horse, and buy breeding stock from breeders who out-breed and produce utility pure-breds.

CONVENIENT GATE FOR DOGS

Contrivance Allows Animal to Go in and Out as He Pleases and Keeps Chickens In.

I used to have considerable bother in keeping my dog satisfied. He would get inside of the yard fence and when I would start to the field of course



Dog's Gate.

he would want to get out, says a writer in the Farm and Home. I did not like to leave the gate open, because then the chickens might get into the yard, so I devised a self-opening gate for him that would keep out the chickens, but still let him in and out as often as he pleased. The contrivance is here illustrated. It is a light, swinging gate and it did not take Shep long to learn how to work it.

Brainless Farming.

Whatever there is of the unprofitable state of farmers is due largely to a lack of the use of brains. Brainless farming, contempt for what science can teach, will rapidly reduce the farmers in any section to poverty.

Keep Good Brood Sows.

While there is considerable investment in the brood sows, still it pays better to keep the good ones because they will produce more uniform pigs, more of them and will raise the better.

Hot House Lamb.

Hot house lamb is now a popular as baby-beef and an up-to-date flockman does not keep his lamb until they are fully matured unless for breeding purposes.

HOUSE FLY WITHOUT FRIENDS

One Reason for Universal Dislike is Because Insect Loves Dirt and Filthy Odors.

By G. N. ALFORD

The house fly is hated by everybody. He is without friends. There is a reason for the universal hate. The fly loves dirt and filthy odors. He dislikes sweet perfumes, sweet-smelling flowers, and so on. He distributes the disease germs found on all kinds of filth. He is the cause of a number of diseases.

Every kitchen and dining room in the land should be screened to keep out the flies and other insect pests. The wire gauze costs very little money and will likely save the life of some one in the family. Keep the flies off the baby in the cradle.

GENERAL FARM NOTES

Turning cattle on the grass when it is wet with dew will generally cause bloat.

The weeks following weaning are a critical time in the development of the eye lambs.

An old muslin blanket on the cow at milking time will save many a disagreeable swipe.

If all birds do not recover within two or three days, off with their heads and burn the bodies.

If the old horse does not seem to be thriving and mumbles his feed examine his teeth—they may need filing.

If the poultry house is an old one why not burn it down and build a new one? Better now than in November.

Skim milk is worth about 50 cents per hundred pounds when fed to the pigs and more than that when to the chickens.

A heavy foretop may be all right on a wild horse that runs the range, but it is no use to the horse that works every day.

Generally a little planning will enable one to move the poultry house to a new spot of ground and plow up the old. Excellent plan.

Why Suffer the tortures of indigestion, constipation, biliousness and the hundred and one ills that spring from a disordered stomach when you can

Use Grandma's Tea and in a short time rid your system of all poisonous matter and make yourself feel like a new person? It costs only 25 cents a package, is pleasant to take, so that children like it. Go to your druggist today and get a package of Grandma's Tea

If Your Child's Eyes are Sore or Weak Apply Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water. It don't hurt but will cool and soothe the sorest eye.

CANCER GARY ACT

YOUR FORTUNE TOLD WAS NOT THE WHOLE THING

Sweet Girl in Error When She Imagined Herself Sole Empress of "His" Heart.

She imagined his room with her photograph smiling down at him from over the mantel, while another of her photos looked down at him from a leather case on the dressing table.

Hands would crack open

About two months ago my hands started to crack open and bleed, the skin would scale off, and the good flesh would burn and itch dreadfully.

A Worry, Even in Eating.

Not Much of a Water User.

Pat Was More Than Willing.

Good Reason.

Take care of the tomorrow; yesterday will take care of themselves.

GENEROUS. The Pedestrian—That brick you just dropped hit me on the head. The Bricklayer—(on the scaffold)—That's all right—you can keep it.

HUBBY QUICK TO SEE POINT Most Married Men Will Understand Just Why That Particular Hat Was So Becoming.

Mrs. Jones came downstairs one evening, after dinner, and displayed herself to her husband, embellished with the result of her all-day "mishmish" in the milliners' shops.

SPUR FARM LANDS.

A wonderful new farming country of rich valleys and uplands is being opened to actual home-seekers in the upper Brazos country, at prices from \$12 to \$18 per acre, one-third down, the balance distributed over six years, payable on or before maturity.

Risked Punishment for Dog.

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Woman's Danger Periods Made Safe

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound The Change of Life is the most critical period of a woman's existence, and neglect of health at this time invites disease.

Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to medicine that will so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs. Here is proof:

Natick, Mass.—"I cannot express what I went through during the Change of Life before I tried Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was in such a nervous condition I could not keep still. My limbs were cold. I had creepy sensations and could not sleep nights. I was finally told by two physicians that I had a tumor. 'I read one day of the wonderful cures made by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and decided to try it, and it has made me a well woman. My neighbors and friends declare it has worked a miracle for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is worth its weight in gold for women during this period of life. If it will help others you may publish this letter.'"—Mrs. Nathan B. Groaton, 51 No. Main St., Natick, Mass.

Cornwallville, N. Y.—"I have been taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for some time for Change of Life, nervousness, and a fibroid growth. 'Two doctors advised me to go to the hospital, but one day while I was away visiting, I met a woman who told me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and I know it helped me wonderfully. I am very thankful that I was told to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.'"—Mrs. Wm. Boughton, Cornwallville, N. Y., Greene Co.

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