

# WOMEN CAN HARDLY BELIEVE

## How Mrs. Hurley Was Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Eldon, Mo. — "I was troubled with displacement, inflammation and female weakness. For two years I could not stand on my feet long at a time and I could not walk two blocks without enduring cutting and drawing pains down my right side which increased every month. I have been in the face and would walk the floor. I could not lie down or sit still sometimes for a day and a night at a time. I was nervous, and had very little appetite, no ambition, melancholy, and often felt as though I had not a friend in the world. After I had tried most every female remedy without success, my mother-in-law advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and gained in strength every day. I have now no trouble in any way and highly praise your medicine. It advertises itself."—Mrs. S. T. HURLEY, Eldon, Missouri.

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*Asen Wood*

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Can't Be Done. "Mrs. Giddy has invited all the members of the sewing circle to a luncheon and matinee party."

"Doesn't she know they have been gossiping about her something awful?" "Of course she does. That's the reason she's trying to square the circle."

More Important. "Fine feathers do not make fine birds," said the ready-made philosopher.

"No," replied Mr. Groucher; "their responsibilities are greater. They are depended on to make fine human beings."

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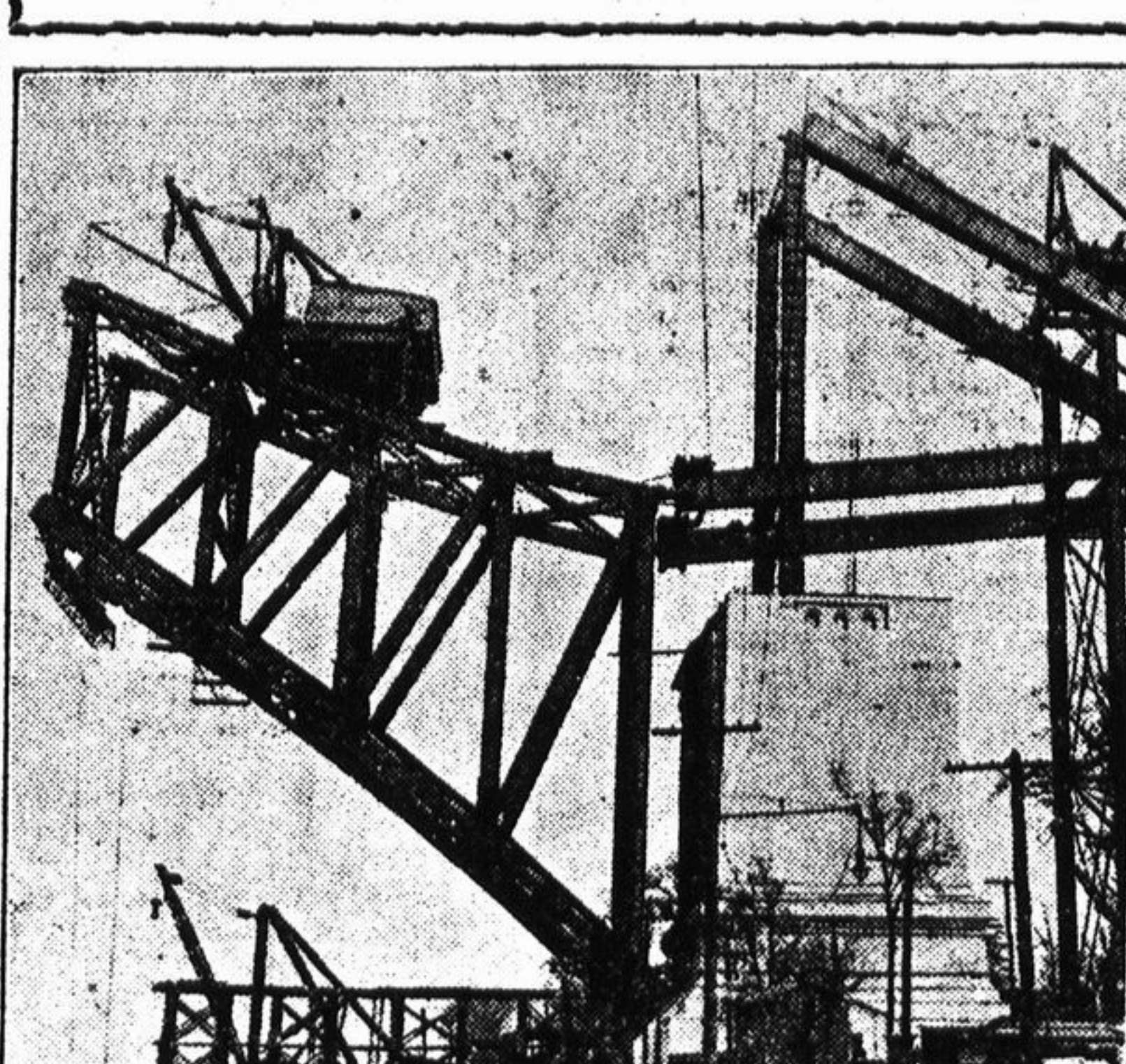
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# ARCHITECTURAL SKILL SHOWN HERE



One of the greatest pieces of engineering of modern times is slowly nearing completion in New York city. It is a giant steel arch bridge, with approaches and several miles of connecting raised track which will make possible the running of through trains from Boston and New England through New York city to the South and West without the necessity of ferrying as is now the case. The giant span is being erected over Hell Gate, and when completed will be the heaviest and longest single-span steel arch bridge in the world. Only five bridges will be longer, and they are not arch bridges. Eighty thousand tons of steel will go into the arch, which will be 1,000 feet long between abutments. Four tracks will run over it, and each foot will be capable of supporting 8,000 pounds more than either the Manhattan or Queensboro bridges, and 21,000 more than the famous Firth of Forth bridge in Scotland.

# PRESERVATION OF TIES

INDUSTRY IS CONSTANTLY ADVANCING IN IMPORTANCE.

Railroads Have Recognized the Importance of the Work, and Every Kind of Encouragement is to Be Given to It.

Statistics show that wood preserving is one of the most rapidly advancing industries in the country. In 1895 there were 15 plants in the United States; in 1914 there were 122 plants of all kinds, 100 being of the pressure-cylinder type. Ninety-four of these plants last year used more than 79,000,000 gallons of creosote oil, more than 27,000,000 pounds of dry zinc chloride and nearly 2,500,000 gallons of other preservatives, such as coal tar and crude oil, treating a total of nearly 160,000,000 cubic feet of timber, an increase of about 7,000,000 cubic feet over 1913 and of 35,000,000 cubic feet over 1912.

The most important consumers are the large plants in which railroad ties are treated. The preservatives materially lengthen the ties' period of service, lessen the labor cost involved by renewal and decrease the drain upon the forests due to tie-cutting. To some extent the treatment of fence posts and other forms of farm timber is being taken up, an inexpensive apparatus and method having been developed by the department of agriculture; but as yet the use of wood preservatives by farmers is on too small a scale to have any importance in the total, while the practice of treating telephone poles is in its incipency in this country.

"With the rapid advance of this industry as a whole," says the report, "the choice of preservatives has been fairly well established, but the kinds and classes of materials to be treated need development along certain lines. In Germany and other European countries practically all cross-ties laid by the railroads are treated with chemicals or preserving oils. In this country but 30 per cent of the ties purchased by the railroads are subjected to such treatment. The number of poles treated in this country is a very small per cent of the total in use."

# Quaker Japanese Minister.

A unique feature of the meeting of Quakers was the approbation given to the "recording" as a minister of the Gospel of Bunji Kida, a well-known Japanese mission worker in the church. This action is analogous to "ordination" in other denominations.

Bunji Kida is the first Japanese in America to be permitted to use "Rev." before his name in the Quaker church, and he is the only Quaker Japanese minister in America. He has been prominent in Friends' mission work among his own people under the auspices of California Friends for some years.—Exchange.

# Railroad Not to Blame.

A railroad company is held not liable in James vs. Atlantic Coast Line Railroad company, L. R. A. 1915B, 163, for killing geese on the track because of failure to sound an alarm unless they could have been seen by keeping a reasonable lookout in time to avoid the injury and the engineer failed to sound an alarm, which was the proximate cause of the injury.

# Globe Trotting.

The best time made so far by the "globe trotter" goes to the credit of John Henry Mears, who, in 1913, went around the world in 25 days 21 hours and 4 seconds. The next best time was made by Jaeger-Schmidt in 1911—29, 13, 42.

# ROSE FROM LOW POSITIONS

Heads of Great Railroads Who Have Made Their Way From Comparative Obscurity.

Only three of the twenty men who are at the head of the great railroad systems of America today held those positions ten years ago. There was a time when the list of railroad chiefs was a catalogue of Goulds, Huntingtons, Harrisons, Vanderbilts and millionaires generally. Now, with the exception of Stotesbury of the Reading, who is a banker, and L. W. Hill of the Great Northern, who is a son of J. J. Hill, nearly every man has worked his way up from a lowly position.

Ripley, the giant who pilots the Atchafalaya, began obscurely as a clerk. Underwood, who is evolving the Erie from a joke to a railroad, was a brakeman. Willard of the Baltimore & Ohio, chosen representative of the eastern group of railroads when difficult missions have to be undertaken, was a fireman. Elliott, savior of the New Haven, was a rodmann. Markham of the Illinois Central began as a section laborer. Bush, who is slaving night and day to put Missouri Pacific on its feet, did not have to work quite so hard when he received his railroad baptism as a rodmann. Rea of the Pennsylvania is a product of the engineering department. Earling, president of the St. Paul, was a telegraph operator. Smith of the New York Central, Hanna of the Northern Pacific, Mohler of the Union Pacific, Spruille of the Southern Pacific, Gardner of the Northwestern, Thomas of the Lehigh Valley, Mudge of the Rock Island, etc., have forged their way up from the lowest rungs to the ladder.

# BOUNTIFUL PROMISE FROM WESTERN CANADA

## Average Increase of Acreage in Wheat Over 22 Per Cent.

Province.	Wheat Acreage Increase.
Saskatchewan	.....25 per cent
Alberta	.....32 1/2 per cent
Manitoba	.....15 per cent
Average for prairies	.....22 1/2 per cent

The growth of the crop during the past week was very satisfactory. Rain fell in many places during the early part of the week, followed by warmer weather, which has been most beneficial to the grain. Breaking and summer-fallowing were well under way, and conditions generally were most promising.

The following reports have been received by the department from the various centers: Denholm—A little rain needed in the northern part to start late grain; remainder of district plenty of moisture. Davidson—Ideal growing weather; a few farmers harrowing grain to conserve moisture by breaking crust formed since last rain. North Battleford & Prince Albert—Good growing weather; crops looking well. Slight damage near North Battleford from cutworms; recent rains beneficial. Kindersley—Crops looking fine and prospects good; plenty of moisture, with prospects of more rain. Every slough in this country is full. Prince Albert—Crops in fair condition, though cutworms and light frosts have done damage in some sections. Have had moderate quantity of rain.

Owing to prompt marketing of the harvest of 1914, the farmers were enabled to devote more time than usual to cultivation in the autumn, under conditions which were decidedly favorable, and that, combined with the opportunities for soil preparation presented by an early spring this year, has resulted in the seeding of a wheat area estimated at twenty-five per cent greater than last year. Areas sown to oats and flax may be less than last year, because of the concentration upon the cereal in greater demand for export. Wheat seeding was completed eight days earlier than the average, under almost ideal conditions.

# ALBERTA.

"Prospects excellent. Abundant moisture throughout the province, following rain. Area thirty to thirty-five per cent greater. Crop generally two weeks earlier."

Attention is drawn to the fact that the land has not been in such fine condition to work for years; neither has there been as much moisture as there was last autumn. This was protected during the winter by a little more than the average snowfall, which remained on the land, not being removed by the warm chinook winds, as is usually the case. There never has been a more optimistic feeling than exists today, judging by the information received from various parts of the province. We feel justified in saying that the crop never went in under more favorable circumstances; weather splendid and land particularly well worked.

While it is true that the acreage will be greatly increased, it is pleasing to learn that, despite the high price of feed, the receipts of milk and cream at the dairies continue to keep up, and that the output of the creameries has increased in quantity.

One of the most encouraging things in last year's work was the increase of practically thirty per cent in the output of cream and butter south of Calgary.

# MANITOBA.

Owing to the exceptionally early harvest last year and favorable fall weather, a much larger acreage of land was prepared than usual, and partly for the same reason and the prospects of high prices for all kinds of grain, farmers took more pains in the preparation of land, so that the spring opened up with 1,235,000 acres of fully prepared land above the previous year. Seeding was general by the 7th of April, some days in advance of the average. Since that time the weather has been exceptionally favorable for the sowing of wheat, and the farmers have taken full advantage of it. Much of the crop is now above the surface. There has been a very general and liberal rainfall; this will hasten the germination of the recently sown wheat, and will prevent the soil from drifting off the later sown crop. The area sown in wheat is fully 15 per cent greater than last year.

To sum up the agricultural situation generally, the Department of Agriculture says: "The area is larger than usual, the land has been well prepared, and the wheat has been sown at the right time; not so early as to run the risk of being killed off by frost, but sufficiently early to insure its ripening in the fall."—Advertisement.

# SHOCKING AND INEXCUSABLE WASTE.

"The plaintiff in a recent suit for divorce," related the simp, "declared that he awoke in the night to find his bed soaked with alcohol and his wife hunting for a match!"

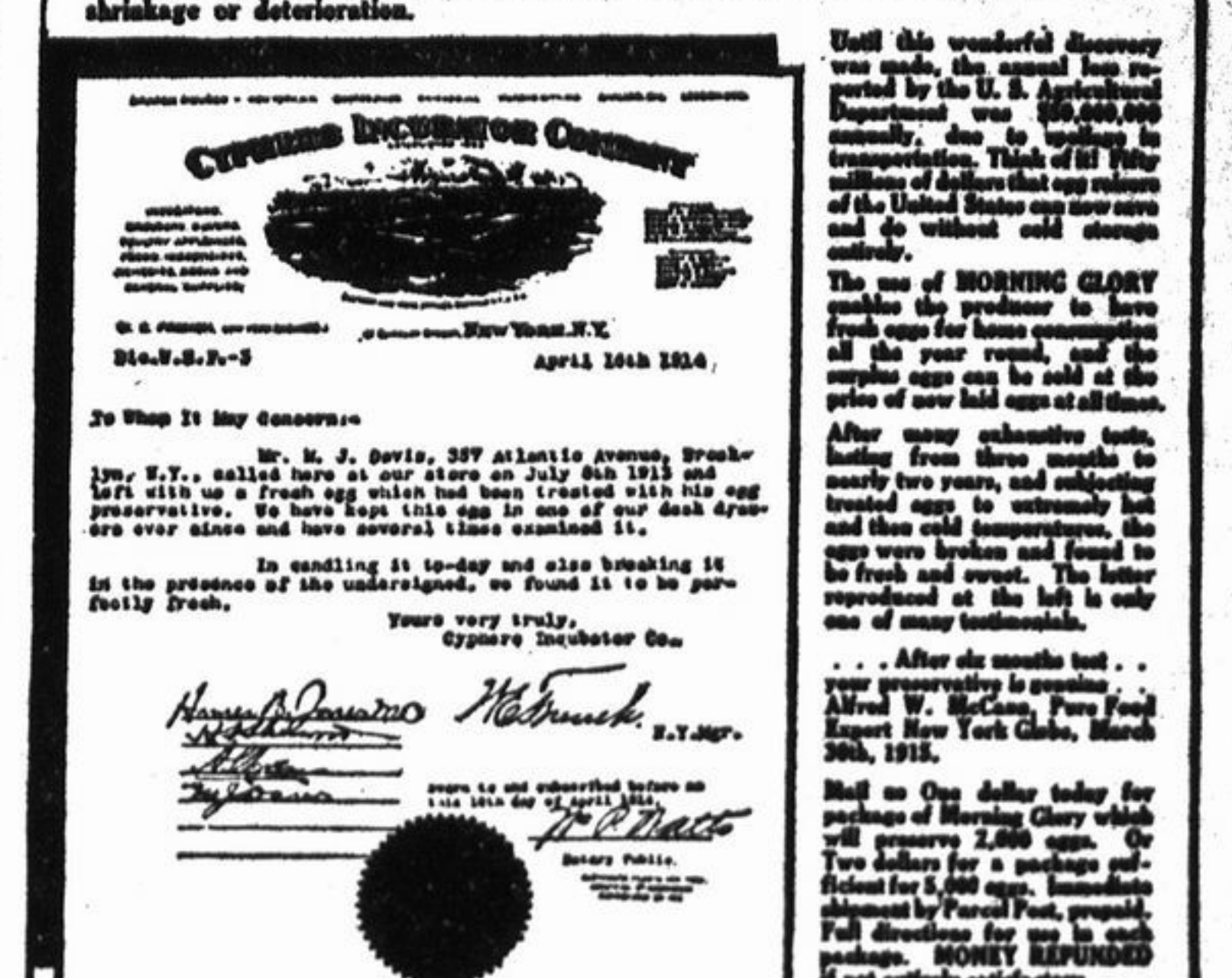
"Ar-r-r!" grumbled DeLeary M. Trimmings, "that was a heck of a way to waste alcohol, wasn't it?"—Kansas City Star.

Few women would care to be angels if they couldn't talk out loud to each other while the heavenly choir is singing.

If you want to study human nature don't patronize a correspondence school. Watch your neighbors.

# Fresh Eggs One Year Old

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# His Excuse.

In his Savannah camp Bill Donovan, baseball manager, had a dusky hued waiter at the hotel by the name of Sutton. Bill had to reproach Sutton more than once for a lack of agility in arriving with the food. Sutton promised to improve. One morning he brought in a consignment of grid-diecakes that had gone cold.

"What do you mean," said Bill, "by bringing me in cold cakes?" "Well, I tell you, boss," said Sutton, "I bring them cakes in so fast for you that I guess they hit a draft."

# Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher* In Use For Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

# Conflicting.

"What is the matter with the parson and the doctor that they cannot agree?" "The parson says the doctor is so contrary. Just as soon as he gets a man properly prepared for the next world the doctor goes to work and cures him."

Drink Denison's Coffee. Always pure and delicious. But a poet doesn't necessarily dwell in an attic for the sake of the view. Ready money is seldom ready when you want to borrow some.

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