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Going through the hospitals in our large cities one is surprised to find such a large proportion of the patients being operated on are women. It is not only the case with the snow-white beds of women and girls, either awaiting or recovering from serious operations.

Why should this be the case? Simply because they have neglected themselves. Ovarian and womb troubles are certainly on the increase among the women of this country—they expect upon them in the hospital because they are down feeling, pain at left or right of the womb, nervous exhaustion, pain in the small of the back, leucorrhoea, dizziness, flatulency, displacements of the womb or irregularities.

When these symptoms show themselves, do not drag along until you are obliged to go to the hospital and submit to an operation—but remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved thousands of women from surgical operations.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy.

"Mrs. Fred Seydel, 415 N. 5th Street, West Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

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Boys, Keep Yourselves Tidy.

Everything depends on what strangers think of you—much on what they think of you at first sight. The young man of twenty probably has not met a single one of the men with whom he will be most closely associated in his life-work. Some fine day when he is feeling well, and is at his best, he will attract the attention of some stranger with whom he is doing business. He may end in an offer to quit his present line of work and enter another line and he will accept the chance. This kind of thing is occurring every day in various places. When a young fellow gets a real, good opening in this way, people call it luck, and it looks very much like luck, but the person to whom it came was dressed becomingly and carried himself correctly. The stranger noticed him, saw that he looked like the kind of fellow he was hunting for, and, on chatting with him, found that the inside of his head appeared to be as sensible as the outside was pleasing.

It makes a boy's gorge rise to read about goody-goodies in the story books their maiden aunts sent them on their birthdays, but they turn too far in revolt against these unnatural little prigs. They model their speech and deportment too much on the "snazzy fellow" in the store or office, who doesn't care a snap for anybody alive, and who is going to secure another job when he gets discharged—as soon happens. When a young man has seen a few of these fellows get the medicine their disease calls for, he recovers without treatment. A young man does not need to be a dude nor a sissy, but he can depend on it that clothes count, and that the good-will of strangers is worth having.

Ninth Line, Euphrasia

Born, on the 8th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Fadden, a son.

We are glad to report that Mr. Lyons is able to move about after his serious accident.

Mr. Fred Boyle returned home from Beaverdale, Monday.

Miss Susie Cutting is spending a week or two with Mrs. W. Stephenson.

Mr. Louis Boales, while cutting wood in the bush, captured a raccoon. Was it, eh?

Mr. and Mrs. Brow, from England, arrived on the 8th and are now comfortably settled in R. J. McAfee's vacant house.

We are sorry to report Miss L. Boyd still under the doctor's care.

Mr. T. Hopkins is stormstayed at Mr. Leg's.

We are sorry to report Mr. T. Black under the weather.

Mr. Methinks I hear wedding bells.

Holland Council. A Decision

The council met in Holland Centre on Monday, February 14th, pursuant to adjournment. Present—all the members.

The minutes of the meeting held January 9th were read and confirmed. The reveue and auditors each reported no change in the treasurer's surties. The auditors' report of receipts and expenditure for 1904 were read and adopted.

The committee appointed to interview Glenelg council recommended that a committee from each council should examine the original road allowance as well as the deviation and decide which road to maintain. This was adopted and a committee composed of the Reeve, Mr. Wheaton and the Clerk, appointed on behalf of Holland.

R. T. McComb presented the petition of R. S. Lee and 92 others, asking council to open sideroad between lots 25 and 30, con. 2, E. G. R. Messrs. Wheaton and McIntosh were appointed to examine the proposed road and report thereon.

Richard Green presented the petition of himself and 67 others asking aid for George Baird, who is helpless as the result of an accident. The council granted \$25.00.

The ratepayers of the Holland portion of the Chatsworth school section asked council to take steps to remedy an injustice in the equalization of the assessments. The council agreed to do its share towards having a proper equalization made.

M. R. Howey was appointed assessor for 1905, and Dr. Ball was appointed M. H. O.

The council will meet again on Wednesday, 15th March, when pathmasters, etc., will be appointed.

James P. Hare, Clerk.

Berkley

The change of government does not appear to have had any beneficial effect on the weather as the past week has been one of the most severe this season.

James Montgomery who had an operation performed a short time ago is making favorable progress toward recovery.

William Crawford is seriously ill and confined to his bed with what at first acted like inflammatory rheumatism. We have not heard what the doctors have pronounced it.

Mr. R. J. Boyd is recovering from the effects of a broken arm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morin of Utica, New York was last week visiting the former's grandmother, Mrs. Virtue.

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We find some lines in Grocery department will offer some of the biggest kind of bargains through carefully. It will pay you to visit this store during the next ten days.

- 50 pounds Butter-Prunes, 60s and 70s, the large 10c kind, special sale price 5 lbs. for 25
- 36 Bottles Fowler's English Chow Chow Pickles put up in fancy glass bottle with glass stopper, regular value 20c bottle, sale price TWO bottles for 25
- 28 pint bottles "Royal City" Catsup, rich bright color, regular 10c kind, sale price 7
- 21 packages "Fowler's" English Baking Powder, one lb. size, the regular price of these were 35c a package, sale price 10
- 48 tins Kitchen Queen Baking Powder, the large 15c size, sale price 10
- 32 packages "Baker's Farina", regular 15c kind, sale price 8
- 144 packages "Corin Square Blue", 1 lb. packages, sold all over the country, sale price 3 for 5
- 44 packages McCoy's Klentzup Ammonia, large 10c packages, sale price 5
- 12 tins "York" Metal Polish. This is usually sold at 40c a tin, but we got a bargain. Sale price 3

How About Your Fruit Shelves?

This time of the year the preserved and canned fruits look scarce in many homes. Take a look through your shelves. It will be a good idea to buy some of these bargains now.

- 10 pint Sealers Goodwills Proferves, Strawberries, Raspberries, Red Cherries, Gages, and Peaches. Sale of the jars worth broken in, but the contents are all right. Regular value 25c bottle, sale price 12
- 30 pails Jam and Jelly, Plum, Peach, Apricot, Strawberry, and Currants in the lot. These are put up in 7 lb. tins, regular value 70c pail, sale price 39

How About Tea?

We have a few cases left of those Bargain Teas. Perhaps you might be interested in how low the prices are. It will be a good idea to buy some of these bargains now.

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