

PAIN IN THE JOINTS

Is An Indication That the Blood is Thin and Watery.

The first sign of rheumatism is frequently a pain and swelling of one of the joints. If this is not treated through the blood, which is the seat of the disease, the poison spreads, affecting other joints and tissues—sometimes rheumatism attacks the heart and is fatal.

A remedy that has corrected many cases of rheumatism is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills enrich and purify the blood so that the poisonous rheumatic matter is driven out of the system as nature intended. Miss Gerie Denne, Washago, Ont., was attacked with rheumatism and found relief through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She says:—"About a year ago I was attacked by rheumatism and for two weeks was confined to my bed. The trouble was so painful, affecting the joints of my limbs so that I could not stand alone. Mother had a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the house and thought they might help me. I began taking them, and when I had taken these pills got a further supply, with the result that the rheumatism vanished and I was a well girl. I may add that my mother and two of my sisters have also used the pills for various ailments with equal success, and now we are never without them in the house."

If you are suffering from any condition due to poor, watery blood, or weak nerves, begin taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills now, and note how your strength and health will improve. You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail, at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

EASY TRICKS

No. 50

Brush It Off



A travelling salesman, so the story goes, discovered this little stunt. Perhaps you can try it on your friends. You'll need a coin and a whisk broom.

Hand the whisk broom to a friend and put the coin on the palm of your right hand. Extend the palm—and coin—toward your friend and say:

"Brush it off."

He won't be able to do it.

It is not necessary for you to prepare the coin and there is no trick about it. All that you have to do is to place the coin in the centre of the palm. Of course, your friend can shove or drag the coin off—but he can't brush it off.

The trick can also—or can't also—be done with a clothes brush.

(Clip this out and paste it, with other of the series, in a scrapbook.)

When Italics Are Used.

We are all familiar with words written in italics.

In 1521 a printer of Venice invented the type when printing an edition of Virgil. It is supposed that he attempted to copy the handwriting in which the translation was written. The style came to England in the following year and was known as Venetian. It was, however, confined chiefly to proper names and prefaces of books.

Italics are used in the Bible for words inserted to make the sense of the translation clearer.

Nowadays italics are used almost solely for emphasizing a word or sentence, and if it is desired for a printer to put any portion of a manuscript into this type the words are underlined.

Names of periodicals and ships should be in italics, but the rules regarding ad hoc, e.g., i.e., et seq., and so on, are varied, and italics may or may not be used.

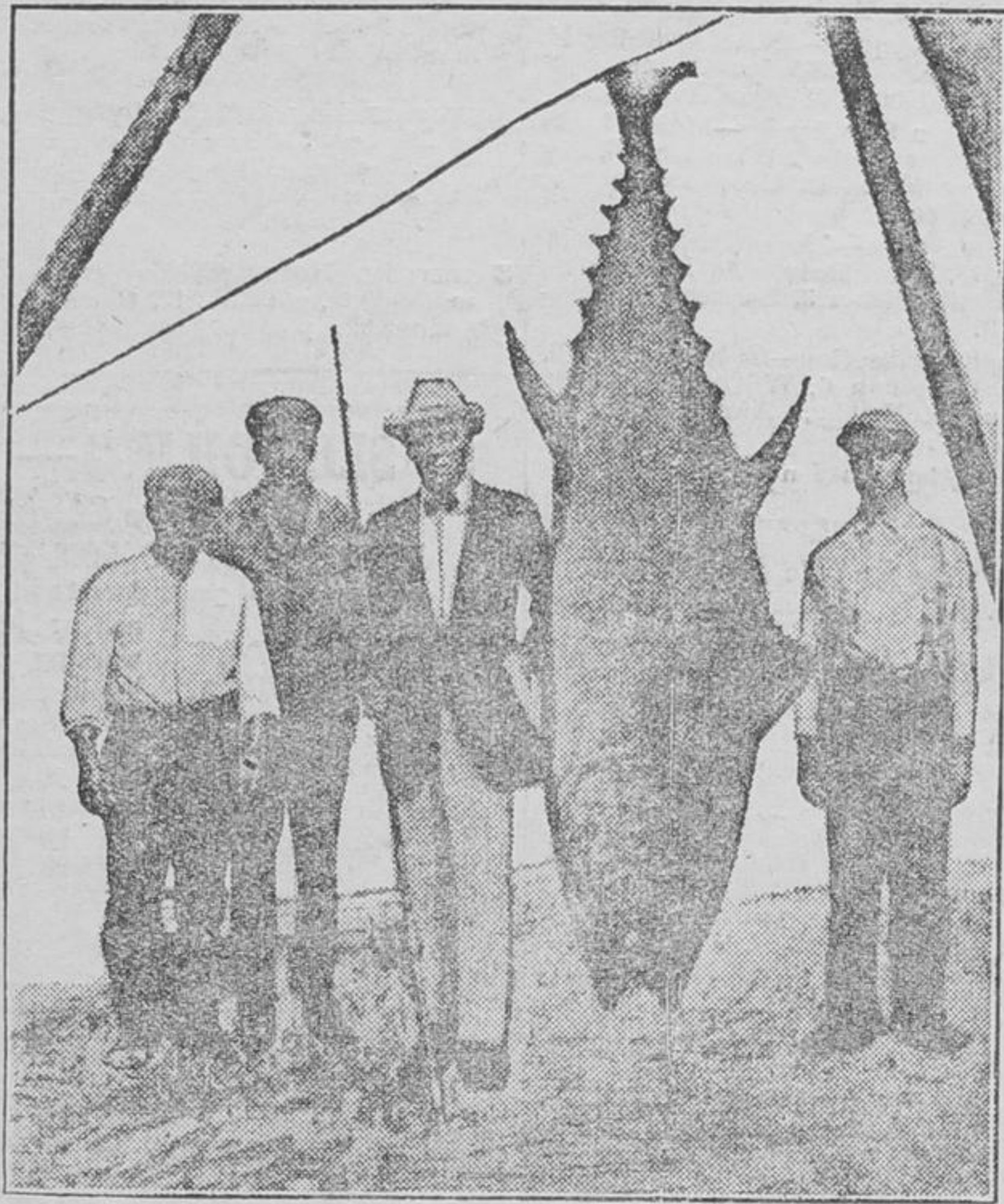
Baby's Color.

The young mother had just read in a new-thought paper that everyone is surrounded by a halo, the color of which is determined by the temperament of the person. When her husband came home she tackled him on the subject. After settling the color of her neighbors' halos to her entire satisfaction, she remarked:

"And what about baby, Alfred? What color is he, do you think? Pink, I imagine, because he's the pink of perfection."

"Well, my dear," replied her husband, caustically, "he may be pink when I'm away, but when I'm home he's the most startling yellor!"

Ask for Minard's and take no other.



WORLD'S RECORD FISH

Captured off St. Ann's Bay, N.S., by Mr. J. K. L. Ross, Director of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and well-known sportsman and race-horse owner, this tuna weighed 712 pounds, a world's record fish via the rod and reel. Using a Von Holt tuna rod and reel, No. 39 thread line and mackerel for bait, Mr. Ross landed the big fellow in three and a quarter hours. It was 9 feet 2 inches in length, and 6 feet in girth.

Mr. Ross for many years has been an ardent tuna hunter. He has landed many large ones, some weighing over 600 pounds, but until this summer he was unable to beat the record of Captain Laurie Mitchell, who caught a 710 pound tuna off the Nova Scotia coast many years ago.

THE FALL WEATHER HARD ON LITTLE ONES

Canadian fall weather is extremely hard on little ones. One day is warm and bright, and the next wet and cold. These sudden changes bring on colds, cramps and colic, and unless baby's little stomach is kept right the result may be serious. There is nothing to equal Baby's Own Tablets in keeping the little ones well. They sweeten the stomach, regulate the bowels, break up colds and make baby thrive. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Gift of the "Gamp."

Brussels appears to be the only city which has a well-organized umbrella-borrowing bureau. The annual subscription is low, but if every umbrella user were to join such a society, its income would be enormous.

The idea is rather similar to that in force at the British Museum, National Gallery, and other public institutions, where you are required to deposit your "gamp" before being allowed to go round the galleries. You get a ticket of metal or a bone disc, which will redeem your umbrella at any time; only in the case of the umbrella exchange, the umbrella is not your own but the property of the society.

Each member on paying his subscription, receives a token, usually of metal stamped with an index number, which he carries in his pocket instead of an umbrella in his hand. When caught by the rain, all he has to do is to go to one of the society's agencies, which are tobacco shops, restaurants, and big stores, and hand over the token, to be immediately provided with an umbrella.

When the rain ceases the borrower deposits his umbrella in the next agency he happens to pass, and in exchange receives another counter.

That nasty, irritating, tickling cough that keeps you awake at night, makes life miserable, will not stay when Dr. Howard's Gum Balsam is used. The first dose relieves. Every 50c bottle guaranteed satisfactory or money refunded. Refuse substitutes and avoid disappointment. All Drug Stores. Manufactured Taylor Pharmacal Co., Birchcliffe, Ont.

The largest talking machine needle in the world measures 6 feet 7 inches in length, and was built for window display alone.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

In Stormaway, the chief town of Lewis, one of the Hebrides, there are pleasant villas, and the ladies dress in the latest style. Yet in the interior of the island are to be found people who do not understand English, and eye "foreigners" with suspicious reserve.

The long-familiar colored globes in chemists' windows were first displayed by the Moorish druggists of Arabia and Spain.

Trains That Never Stop.

A never-stop railway, the trains of which require neither driver, conductor, nor signals, is being experimented with at the Kursaal, Southend, England, where yards of track have been laid for testing purposes.

The speed of the train is automatically increased and decreased. When it arrives at a station the train slows down to about one mile and a half an hour, so that passengers can step to a "landing-stage" level with the station platform. The principle is similar to that of the escalator. But once past a station the train gathers speed up to twenty-four miles an hour. Its speed is controlled by a screw, which is driven by a special motor.

No noise is made by the train, and the wheels have rubber tyres.

\$4.60 Profit From Each Hen.

By S. W. Knife.

A short time ago an article appeared in the "Picking News" stating that "E. W. Ruddy, who has a country residence there, cleared \$4,600 profit from 1,000 hens for the preceding twelve months," and employed all help required to look after them. This certainly shows there is money to be made from hens. How? By proper feeding, good care and attention. Poultry raising is as much a business as any other business and to make a success one must understand what he is doing and why.

The winter is not the natural laying season, therefore to get good egg production, when prices are high, the hens must be fed with that object always in view. They need exercise to keep the body warm, which should be provided by making them work (scratch) for every grain of feed. The feed should be stimulating and body-building, such as wheat and corn, say 40% of each, making up the other 20% with Western oats, buckwheat, peas, etc. It is best just to feed enough at a time so as to keep the bird always ready for the next meal.

A lot has been said for and against "hot mash." Mr. Ruddy fed hot mash as a mid-day meal all through the winter. In the average home there is usually a considerable amount of table scrap which can profitably be utilized, mixing it along with the laying mash and fed in a "crumbly" condition, not sloppy. Feed at mid-day and just enough; if you feed too much the birds will go to roost, which is not desirable. Why not feed hot mash in the morning? Because birds will easily fill their "crops," stand around and get chilled, whereas grain first thing makes them active and keeps them warm. Grain should also be fed in the evening. Soft feed being more easily digested, the birds' crops are empty long before daylight and you cannot expect man or beast to do their best on an empty stomach.

Aiming high isn't much use if you have no ammunition.

Woolen clothes examined under a microscope can be tested not only for their quality, but also to show whether the wool was grown on a healthy animal.

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An aeroplane with a saloon for 25 passengers has been designed with the whole body enclosed in the wings, so that it is all lifting surface.

Perfumes to-day must be much more skilfully blended than even a few years ago; the cruder scents have altogether lost popularity.

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MOTHER OF LARGE FAMILY

Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to Other Mothers

Hemford, N. S.—"I am the mother of four children and I was so weak after my last baby came that I could not do my work and suffered for months until a friend induced me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Since taking the Vegetable Compound my weakness has left me and the pain in my back has gone. I tell all my friends who are troubled with female weakness to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for I think it is the best medicine ever sold. You may advertise my letter."—Mrs. GEORGE I. CROUSE, Hemford, N. S.

My First Child
Glen Allen, Alabama.—"I have been greatly benefited by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for bearing-down feelings and pains. I was troubled in this way for nearly four years following the birth of my first child, and at times could hardly stand on my feet. A neighbor recommended the Vegetable Compound to me after I had taken doctor's medicines without much benefit. It has relieved my pains and gives me strength. I recommend it and give you permission to use my testimonial letter."—Mrs. IDA RYE, Glen Allen, Alabama.

Women who suffer should write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Cobourg, Ontario, for a free copy of Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women."