



# PURELY FEMINE

## How to Secure a Beautiful Neck.

Lemon a Good Whitener—Massage Will Reduce Double Chin and Superfluous Flesh.

The skin of the throat and the general condition of the neck requires accurately just how much, or how little the care a woman is giving herself.



A FIRM, WHITE NECK. It also points the first finger to the flight of time. Even a small double chin gives the impression of maturity to a young face, while a very thin neck with prominent cords makes an otherwise healthy person look delicate and haggard.

## YOUNG GIRLS NEED A CALENDAR

I wonder if you ever think, dear girl, what story the calendar is telling you. Perhaps you have a tiny pocket calendar tucked into your purse that you may consult if you happen, as careless people sometimes do, to forget the date; not that I fancy you belong to that set or that you do not keep tally of the days of the month.

But our plan for us all is to remember just where we are, so that we never have to pause and ask somebody to tell us whether it is the 8th or the 15th, the 16th or the 13th day of the month. You can do this by hanging on your dressing bureau, tearing off a leaf every day, or it may hang suspended from a nail by a ribbon or a chain, or be fastened on the wall. Whatever sort of calendar you have it is simply a device to remind you that Time is flying and that it is well to make the most of him and of his opportunities before he is gone out of sight. Just one day at a time is yours and mine, and according as we use or abuse the single day, we shall get the good that is waiting for us and earn the reward that comes to faithful workers.

I am very fond of all sorts and conditions of girls, but there is one variety with which I have no patience; the girl who dawdles who sits around talking about what she means to do and never accomplishing anything, is not the girl who commands herself to me. She is not only idle herself, but she sets a bad example to everybody else and commits the mistake of throwing away the most valuable asset she will ever have. A day when one is young and strong and light-hearted as the girl who dawdles and fags is worth ten times as much as a day will be when the same girl is older and know more about care and trouble. Is your story of the calendar a story of work well-done and of play undisturbed with all your heart? Whatever you do, never dawdle.

There is something else to think about in the story of the calendar. It isn't the thing you do, dear. It's the thing you mean. That gives you a bit of a headache. At the setting of the sun. The tender words, which you mean. The letter you did not write. The favor you did not render. Are you forgetting these?

The stone you might have lifted. Out of a brother's way. The bit of heartiness you mean. You were hurried too much to say. The loving touch of the hand, dear. And the gentle words, which you mean. That you had no time or thought for. With troubles enough of your own.

Those little acts of kindness. So easily out of mind. Those chances to be angels. Which we pass by so often. They come in, refresh and uplift. Each soul, in need of strength. The love we feel and give. And a smile, half-forgotten, on a child's sad face, or father's.

For life is all that best, dear. And every bit of it counts. To suffer you should know. That carries with it, too late. And if I don't the thing you mean. It's the thing you leave undone. That gives you a bit of a headache. At the setting of the sun.

I do not want the girl I care for to go about with the weight of the world on their shoulders, or would I

## ALTON ROAD IS FINED

### JUDGE LANDIS IMPOSES HEAVY PENALTY FOR REBATING.

### PENALIZES TWO OFFICIALS

Former President Fairbairn and Fred A. Wann Are Given Fines of \$5,000 Each for Aiding in Violations.

Chicago.—Judge Landis Wednesday fined the Chicago & Alton railroad \$20,000 each on two counts, making a total of \$40,000 for the first time. President Fairbairn was fined \$5,000 on two counts, half the maximum, and Fred A. Wann was fined \$5,000 on each count. The total of the fines was \$50,000. Judge Landis declared he saw no extenuating circumstances in the case.

Attorney R. M. Shaw, for the railroad, asked for "but one exception" that the case may be appealed. This fine is identical with the one assessed some time ago by Judge Betha against the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy and two officials on a similar charge.

Last Friday Judge Landis informed the defeated attorneys, Mr. Shaw and John Barton Payne, that he would give them until Monday to produce evidence tending to show that the granting of the rebate by the defendant to the Schwarzschild & Sulzborg company was not a violation of the Kansas City. When court convened, Attorney Shaw declared he had not time enough to produce witnesses, but that he had evidence that a similar transaction in two instances had been approved by United States Judge Phillips in Kansas City while he, as a court, was administering the Kansas City bill line, then in the hands of a receiver. He could not produce witnesses, he said, because they feared making confessions might place them in danger of prosecution.

## RIVER PACKET IS BURNED

### Steamer Quik of Diamond Jo Line Runs on Bank Near Trempealeau and Turns Turtel.

La Crosse, Wis.—Nearly all of 200 passengers on the steamer Quik of the Diamond Jo line Wednesday night narrowly escaped death when the big packet struck a bank in the dark near Trempealeau, Wis., turned half over and then caught fire.

It is believed that the majority of the passengers were saved and only one drowning is definitely known, that of an infant which was washed from its mother's arms.

A fire alarm brought 60 passengers to the bank on the boat to this city. Accounts given by them of the disaster do not include positive statements as to drownings, but it is believed comparatively few met death.

At about 10:30 o'clock the steamer, plying up river, struck a bank. At the time, it is said, the boat carried no searchlight. One passenger says he saw a bank on the west side of the mother's arms. The boat was sinking, though not in deep water.

The palatial steamer caught fire immediately after the collision with the bank.

Amid a crashing of timbers, with the boat on its side, the lifeboats were got out and the passengers, 200 in number, were taken off before the flames gained any considerable headway.

## MUST EARN RIGHT TO LABEL

### Meat Packers Cannot Secure Government Certificates Until Perfect Conditions Prevail.

Chicago.—Secretary James Wilson of the department of agriculture concluded his work in Chicago Wednesday by issuing a statement in which he denied the Chicago meat packers the United States government inspection label as a guarantee to the world of the fitness of their products as food, until they have made perfect the sanitary conditions in the buildings in which food is prepared.

He then took a train for the west, where he will continue to look into the packing industry.

## British Abattoirs Filthy.

Bristol.—At the Sanitary Inspectors' conference here Wednesday a delegate said if the British public only knew a bit more of what is going on in the slaughter houses of this country the Chicago scare would become insignificant by comparison.

## Russian Admiral Shot.

Sevastopol.—An attempt was made by assassins Wednesday to assassinate Vice Admiral Chukhin, commander of the Black sea fleet. The admiral was wounded and taken to a hospital.

## Coal Strike Ended.

Detroit, Pa.—The long coal strike in this region was settled here Wednesday in a conference between representatives of the coal companies and miners' officials.

## Miners Return to Work.

Columbus, O.—Because of a misunderstanding the miners of the Hooking valley, 100 miles west of Toledo, returned to work last night. Negotiations Wednesday resulted in the misunderstanding being cleared up.

## IN A HOLE AND PULLING THE HOLE IN AFTER HIM.



## IS NOT SECTIONAL. FEAR SHIP SUBSIDY.

### TARIFF QUESTION AN ISSUE FOR THE WHOLE COUNTRY.

### No Single State or Group of States Can Secure Advantages of Existing Schedules to Suit Special Interests.

It is indeed fortunate, as Secretary Shaw remarked in his speech before the South Dakota Republican state convention of June 6, that no one state can revise the tariff. It is equally true that no group of states, no section, has the power to frame the schedules to suit special interests. The agricultural states, although holding the balance of power, have never attempted to adjust tariff rates to suit the requirements of agriculture alone. This fact is to their everlasting credit. The only state, we believe, that has ever cherished the delusion of dictating tariff legislation in her own special interest, and has manifested a belief that it might possibly be done, is one whose government is not in national affairs with a letter notifying the president of the United States that unless Massachusetts removed the duty on hides Massachusetts would certainly go Democratic. Yet the duty on hides remains. As to the fulfillment of the threat, that remains to be seen.

The danger of one state or one section undertaking to regulate tariff schedules was well brought out by Secretary Shaw when he said: "I desire to throw out a note of warning to my friends in the agricultural states. Keep this in mind, that the tariff is not a sectional issue, but a national one. It is a demand for cheaper food as there are people demanding a reduction of the tariff on any manufactured article. No man has his own soil with the belief that he can produce with the tariff in the interest of that state only. There are localities willing to sacrifice every suggestion of protection which the tariff affords Dakota, in the open and avowed hope that by so doing additional markets may be obtained for their own products. It is fortunate, therefore, that no one state can revise the tariff."

It is fortunate for South Dakota, for example, that Massachusetts is unable to revise the tariff of the hides of South Dakota may, in the language of the constitution of free trade in the agricultural products of Canada.

It is also fortunate for protection as a permanent policy that South Dakota has the tariff on hides on her own lumber. Such a discrimination against an important industry would surely check and perhaps wholly obliterate the rapidly growing protection afforded the lumber industry, which are now the chief source of lumber supply east of the Rocky mountains.

Memphis is the leading lumber market in the United States, and in sections where free trade formerly had its citadel of protection is now becoming more and more an accepted policy. Then, too, there are the lumber producing states under these circumstances, which value highly the protective tariff of two dollars per thousand feet, which gives them the home market against the competition of cheaper lumber from across the border of British Columbia. If it is desired to hold these states in the protection column the tariff on lumber had best not be removed. South Dakota may, in the language of one of John Hay's poetical heroes, "Resist till the cows come home" on the removal of the tariff on lumber, just as Massachusetts may threaten to withdraw from the tariff on hides if free trade in Canada's competitive products of farm, forest and mine, but the level protectionist sense of the country as a whole will keep protection intact for the country as a whole.

## NERVOUS PROSPERITY?

### Some People Seem to Be Uneasy Because the Country Is Doing Too Well.

Nervous prosperity would seem to be the proper diagnosis of the tariff disturbing symptoms manifested in various parts of the country.

The country is doing too well. Everybody is doing better than anybody else did before this history.

There must be something wrong about it.

People who are accounted sane and level headed in the ordinary affairs of life are fretting and stewing about this extraordinary prosperity, and are contriving how it may be upset.

If a merchant should voluntarily reduce his margins of profit merely because of the conviction that he was making too much money, or if a mechanic were to insist upon lower wages because his account in the savings bank was increasing too rapidly, some suspicion would arise as to his mental equilibrium.

Yet a great many people are contemplating something similar to that extraordinary ebullition when they see a common good, which will rip up the tariff and check prosperity.

It is a queer disease and hard to classify.

Common good, which will raise the tariff and check prosperity.

## New Titles and Degrees.

A London journal, in a recent issue, confers upon Mr. Longworth and his father-in-law the new titles which those gentlemen are supposed to covet, by speaking of them as Senator Longworth, son-in-law of King Theodore, U. S. A.

Quite different was the action of Brown university in conferring degrees for meritorious services upon two men who have worked modestly and unceasingly for honest reform by honest means. Never were honorary degrees more righteously conferred than these: Everett Colby, A. M. Critch, a soldier of the common good, surrendering leisure and pleasure that civic virtue may be more credible and public office be held as public trust. Charles Evans Hughes, L. L. D. Student of these these things, sometime professor of law in Cornell university, honored member of the New York bar, investigator without malice and without fear, skilled to use the probe but not the sword, through whose labor the public conscience has been quickened and purified.

Charles E. Hughes and Everett Colby, whether their former political associations may have been, have acted like good Democrats and good citizens, and are entitled to share with La Follette and Cummins, and Weaver, the glory that works for the benefit and the fortune of public duty. No two men in America have dealt severer blows to that Republican machine of which "King Theodore" is the head and front.

## Mistake Noise for Numbers.

The Democrats who hope to divide the Republican party on the question of the tariff, however, will be disillusioned, and not for the first time. There have always been a few tariff reformers and free traders who have clung to the Republican party. Like the frogs in the old farmer's pond, they have always made the noise, but they were not so numerous as they were supposed to be. In tending the tariff issue the Democrats are doomed to the same disappointment as the farmer who, after having drained the pond at heavy expense in the firm belief that a fortune awaited him from the sale of the frogs which he had killed, he found the number dwindled down to a few dozen. He learned, as will the Democrats, that the noise they make has no real relation to their numbers.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

## BLOATED WITH DROPSY.

### The Heart Was Badly Affected When the Patient Began Using Doan's.

Mrs. Elizabeth Maxwell, of 415 West Fourth St., Olympia, Wash., says: "For over three years I suffered with a dropsical condition without being aware that it was due to kidney trouble. The early stages were principally backache and bearing down pain, but I went along without worrying much until dropsy set in. My feet and ankles swelled up, my hands puffed, and I became so tense I could hardly close them. It was great difficulty in breathing, and my heart would flutter with the least exertion. I could not walk far without stopping again and again to rest. Since using Doan's Backache Kidney Pills the bloating has gone down and the feelings of distress have disappeared."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

## Girl Horsebreaker.

Miss Wyanonah Von Ohl, a New Jersey girl 20 years old, is making quite a reputation as a horsebreaker. Five years ago, a slender slip of a girl, she went to South Dakota with her mother, who had been sent thither for a change of climate. Miss Wyanonah learned to ride bronchos out there and on returning east she took to training and breaking horses, in which work she has been remarkably successful. She has never sustained any injury while thus engaged.

## Justice to Barley Growing Farmers.

Do not cut your barley before it is thoroughly ripe. Second, shock and cap well. Third, do not thrash out and let it sweat and cure in stack, take care so that it does not heat in bin after thrashing. By following these instructions you will improve the quality of your grain and thereby realize the highest price in the market. The Malsters will absolutely refuse to purchase barley which has been otherwise handled. John Nuth, Secretary, United States Malsters' Association.

## Sacrifice Made by Judge.

Justice Holmes, of the supreme court, in his opinion in the case of the mind free from distractions of information and misinformation that would impair his efficiency and wisdom as a jurist, does not allow himself to read the newspapers.

## Scriptures in Russia.

It is rather remarkable that, notwithstanding the disturbed conditions of affairs in Russia last year, the British and Foreign Bible society reports a banner year in the circulation of Scriptures, over 500,000 copies being distributed in European Russia, besides a very large number in Siberia.

## Error of Reformers.

One trouble with most would-be reformers is that they begin at the wrong end of the stick.

## Levi's Single Binder straight.

Many smokers prefer them to 10 cigars. Your dealer or Levi's Tobacco, Floris, Ill.

## Charity may cover a multitude of sins, but a lot more will spring up.

## OPERATION AVOIDED

### EXPERIENCE OF MISS MERKLEY

She Was Told That an Operation Was Inevitable. How She Escaped It.

When a physician tells a woman suffering with serious feminine trouble that an operation is necessary, the very thought of the knife and the operating table strikes terror to her heart, and our hearts are ever ready to sympathize for just such operations.



There are cases where an operation is the only recourse, but when one considers the great number of cases of meninges, small troubles cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after physicians have advised one without first trying the Vegetable Compound and writing Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., of the result, which is free from women coming for just such operations.

Miss Margaret Merkley, of 275 Third Street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham: "Loss of strength, extreme nervousness, shooting pains through the public organs, bearing down pains and cramps compelled me to consult a physician. The doctor, after making an examination, said I had a female trouble and ulceration and advised an operation. To this I strongly objected and decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have been using your medicine for some time, and I can now do more work, vigorous and well."

Female troubles are steadily on the increase, and it is very painful, or too frequent, and it is a shame if you have pain or weakness, or are unable to do your usual household duties, or if you have bearing-down pains, do not neglect your health. Write to Mrs. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.