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MOTHERHOOD

Actual Sterility in Women Is Very Rare—Healthy Mothers and Children Make Happy Homes.

Many women long for a child to bless their homes, but because of some debility or displacement of the female organs they are barren.

Preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound more successfully than by any other medicine, because it gives tone and strength to the entire female organism, curing all displacements, ulceration and inflammation.

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If expectant mothers would fortify themselves with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for thirty years has sustained thousands of women in this condition, there would be a great decrease in miscarriages, in suffering, and in disappointments at birth.

The following letters to Mrs. Pinkham demonstrate the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in such cases.

Mrs. L. C. Glover, Vice-President of Milwaukee Business Woman's Association, of 614 Grove Street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I was married for several years and no children blessed our home. The doctor said I had a complication of female troubles and I could not have any children unless I could be cured. For months I took his medicines, trying in vain for a cure, but at last my husband became disgusted and suggested that I try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; this I did, and I improved steadily in health, and in less than two years a beautiful child came to bless our home. Now we have something to live for, and all the credit is due to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

Mrs. Mae P. Wharry, Secretary of the North Shore Oratorical Society, The Norman, Milwaukee, Wis., writes.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I was married for five years and gave birth to two premature children. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me, and I am so glad I took it, for it changed me from a weak, nervous woman to a strong, happy and healthy one within seven months. Within two years a lovely little girl was born, which is the pride and joy of our household. Every day I bless Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for the light, health and happiness it brought to our home."

If any woman thinks she is sterile, or has doubts about her ability to carry a child to a mature birth let her write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., whose advice is free to all expectant or would-be mothers. She has helped thousands of women through this anxious period.

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HERMIONE'S FALL

I know it has become fashionable again to stick up for one's own family with a clannish energy in public, no matter what one's private individual opinion concerning the person in question really is. Nevertheless I can't help feeling wickedly satisfied every time I think how completely let down Hermione was.

Hermione is twenty-five, looks twenty, has big black eyes, a perfect complexion, a glorious figure and marvelous clothes. Moreover, she is destitute of any tender feelings or sympathies of any sort—is the extreme limit so far as one type of the up to date girl is concerned. It would take a diamond glass cutter even to make a faint mark on the organ which does duty as her heart. Just because she is my cousin I don't feel obliged to love her, and I'm glad of it.

However, there have been plenty of foolish men who have attempted the feat. They have all had their education extended, which, of course, was a good thing for them. Some have grown wise and taken their diplomas and retired, but several have hung on, hoping for better days to come. It speaks well for Hermione's ability as a masquerader. There isn't one of the faithful ones but would swear fervently that she was the tenderest, most sympathetic and utterly feminine creature in existence.

Oh, I have all sorts of admiration for Hermione! I don't see how she does it!

She got in a confidential mood the other day. The weather has lots to do with people being confidential, and it was one of those gray, damp mornings when you feel so blue you'd weep on the cook's shoulder if there was no one else handy and she gave you half a chance.

"I'm wasting myself and my life," Hermione began decisively, throwing another stick of beechwood on the fire and fluttering down on the fur rug with the tongs in her hands. "Of course it's awfully nice having so many to make things pleasant, but I realize that it can't last always. I'll get old some day."

"Impossible!" I protested.

"It will be a nuisance having a house on one's hands to manage," she went on reflectively, "and I've no doubt I shall be bored to death seeing one eternal man 365 days in the year, but then I shall spend at least half the time abroad, and he certainly can't leave his business that long."

"Perhaps he won't want to if he could," I said darkly and a bit indignantly. Really, Hermione was too brutally cold blooded.

"I'm trying to decide whom I shall marry," she went on calmly. "It rather helps to talk it out, and then you are level headed enough to give advice worth while. Now, as to Dickson Temple"—

"Good gracious!" I broke in. "Have mercy on the boy, Hermione. He really loves you, you know, and if you don't marry him he'll cherish your memory to the day of his death as the one perfect woman. Let him have his dream."

Hermione glanced at me somewhat offendedly. "I'd like to know any one else he might marry he'd care any more for," she said. "Besides, he's really too young to have the responsibility of so much money all alone. Well, Dickson aside, there's Richard. Only he's set in his ways. John Faver is stingy, I'm almost sure. Somehow that Morton man doesn't appeal to me, though he has excellent discretion as to ordering violets and menus. Do you know, I'm rather seriously inclined toward Leslie Vincent. I'm glad to see you smile that way. You like him, don't you?"

"I certainly do," I said enthusiastically. "You have good judgment."

"Thank you," said Hermione, with gratified cheerfulness. "You don't know what a load you take from my mind by approving my judgment. I just needed some one's assurance that I was all right before I went ahead. Leslie hasn't been around so much of late, and it's given me a chance to consider him more carefully. I haven't a fault to find with him really. He's good looking enough and richer than I dared hope for, and such a charming appearing man that one could be justly proud of him.

"Then he really has a fetching way. And consider, oh, consider, that house of his on the drive! No, I couldn't expect to do better. I suppose I might just as well have said yes when he proposed a year ago."

She tilted her head to one side and laughed up at me questioningly. I did not wonder that she fascinated them, one and all.

"Yes," I replied at last in my silkiest tone, "you really should have done so, for Leslie was here last night and told me he's to marry a Philadelphia girl next month."—Chicago News.

Youth the Time For Reading.

Sir Edward Grey in a speech at a literary dinner in London made some variations on the familiar theme of the productive period of life. One of his definite opinions was that the vital reading of a man is usually done between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-five. There are no doubt precocious children who attack masterpieces before they get to their teens, but the majority of us gorged ourselves with rubbish in childhood. Once in our lives Mayne Reid and Marryat and Duma were the literary kings. But the healthy, advancing mind throws the rubbish aside as time goes on and the maturing judgment begins to drift and search for the mental food that the individuality requires. About thirty-five, however, the bones of the intellect, to write in a metaphor, begin to indurate. After forty the minds of few men continue to expand, though judgment may continue to ripen. The page we turn later is "not verse now, only prose."

INSURANCE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the insurers in The Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Kent County, Md., that the use of INCUBATORS in buildings greatly increase the hazard, and that the Company will not be responsible for losses where they are used.
By order of the directors April 3rd, 1905.
GEO. B. WESTCOTT,
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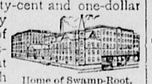
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By order of Board,
CHARLES L. DODD,
Clerk to Commissioners of Kent County.
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