GIRLHOOD TO MOTHERHOOD

Iowa Woman Found Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Always Helpful

Vinton, Iowa.—"When I was seventeen years old I had to stay at home from school. I finally had to quit school, I was so weak. I suffered for about two years before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, then I picked up one of your books and read it. I began taking the medicine. Now I am a housekeeper with six children, and I have taken it before each one was born. I cannot tell you all the good I have received from it. When I am not as well as can be I take it. I have been doing this for over thirteen years and it always helps me. I read all of your little books I can get and I tell everyone I know what the Vegetable Compound does for me."—MRS. FRANK SELLERS, 510 7th Avenue, Vinton, Iowa.

Many girls in the fourth generation are learning through their own personal experiences the beneficial effects of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Mothers who took it when they were young are glad to recommend it to their daughters.

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CATCHING BIRDS BY FLASHLIGHT

It has been discovered that the English starling, a variety of bird, makes delicious eating when properly cooked. As a consequence these birds are being killed by thousands and if the slaughter continues it bids fair to exterminate them within a short time.

The starling was imported from England a few years ago to destroy certain insects in New York State. The breed is prolific and they have multiplied in such numbers that they now cover New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia. Because of their aggressive nature they have become a menace to local birds, especially the blue bird, swallow, wren and robin destroying their nests and eggs and driving them away. They also eat great quantities of grain so that farmers have complained about them.

A resident of Milford discovered they were good to eat and then passed the word along to his friends until now everyone in that section is seeking the birds for food purposes. Herbert Griffith and a party of six friends bagged 400 birds in an hour. Monday uight Albert Dyer, H. D. Moore, Burton Walls and Carlisle Hall killed 800 in less than two hours. This party located a great flock in an old barn at Slaughter Neck. They covered all openings with a fish net then turned on a flash light. The birds tried to escape, were caught in the net and then their heads were wrung off and the bodies placed in sacks. Nearly everyone in Milford is enjoying starling pot pi

The birds roost in old barns and are easily captured as described above at night. Starlings are easily recognized. A full grewn bird is 8½ inches long of a rusty black appearance with bright green spots on the breast. They have a short tail and long beak. They are flocking into barns in such numbers that farmers state the birds are ruining their hay to such an extent that the stock refuse to eat it, and they are welcoming to their neighborhood parties hunting for starlings.

We understand there is no closed season in Maryland for these destructive birds, and as a consequence Kent sportsmen will shoot thousands of them during the next few weeks for pot-pie purposes. They swarm in fields similar to blackbirds, and often the birds whistle while in tree tops and perched on wire like "bob-white."

A clinic for diseases of the chest will be conducted in The Health Center, Chestertown, Monday, February 6th, 10.30 a. m.

Large Skull in Net

A skull, nearly five feet long, was brought up in the trawl net of the trawler General of Leith, Scotland, while the crew was fishing recently in the North sea. The natural history department of the Royal Scottish museum, to which the skull was taken, identified the specimen as part of a blue-nose whale, probably about 24 feet long.

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OUR WINTERS PAST AND PRESENT

By JESSE MEDDERS

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And those musical bells and the old basket sleigh?

With horse shod all-around with steel toes and caulked,
My: how it could travel, until possibly had balked,
Then you would urge with the reins or perhaps use the whip,
Doing your utmost to win the heat and save the tip.

As like most all kinds of races, either on dirt or snow,
Your horse was always the best and you told the folks so,
As they lined up on the street and exclaimed far and wide,
My selection has won, as yours was either tired or tied.

And even at night, after a hasty meal,
You would get your sweetheart of whom you thought a good deal,
Drive to town in a cutter or on an old fashioned sled
And race and laugh until your face was red.

And even the ice-shates seem to have passed away,
Like many other pleasures, they have had their day,
For if you will glance on our river, no crowd will be seen,
As very few now indulge in skating on the stream.

Then think of the steamboat, as down the river it went,
Which the folks did enjoy and to them much pleasure meant,
Going down to the wharf to see the boat coming in,
Having been to the city and returning home again.

And now who knows, but that our trains before long,
May likewise disappear and so will the gong,
Or the toot of the engine, just before they pull out,
As the Conductor cries "all aboard" with a shout.

But just think what we now have and love so dear,
As the above mentioned pleasure, are about to leave here,
For with trucks of all kinds and automobiles of the best,
Which affords untold happiness and stands the test.

Or perhaps you may have in that place called home,
Some radio program, coming through a megaphone,
With some musical artist, whom to hear is a treat,
Or a comical minstrel, which cannot be beat.

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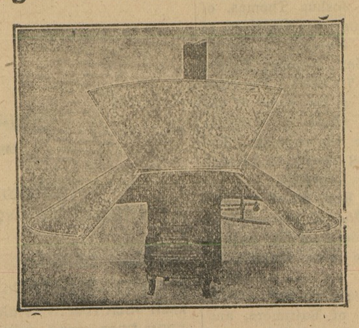

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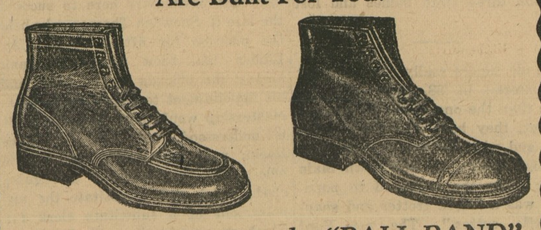

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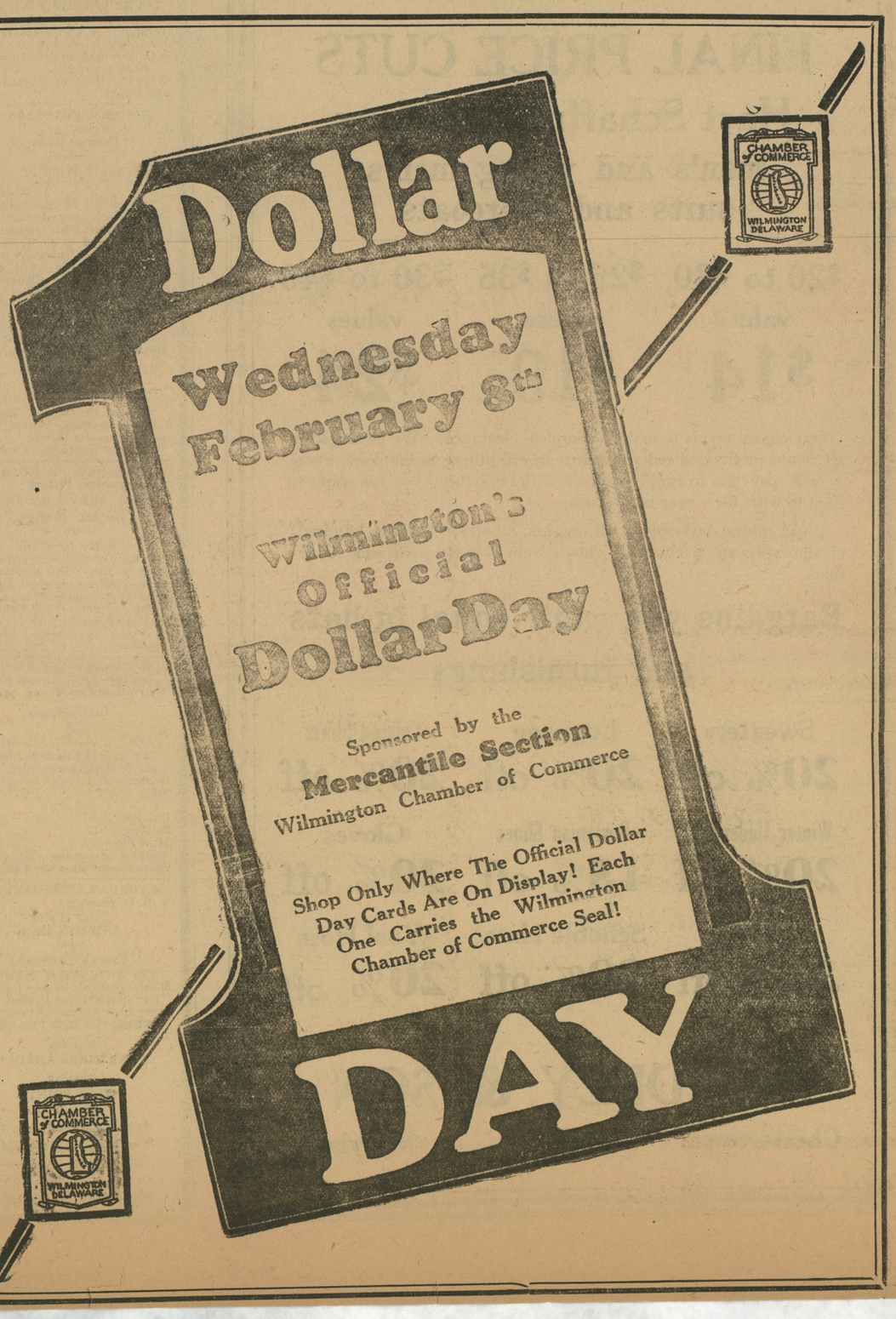

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