DEATH IN THE WATER.

is the Element we Drink Decimating the People?

HOW A UNIVERSAL MENACE TO HEALTH MAY BE DISARMED.

A few years ago the people in a certain section in one of the leading cities of, the state were prostrated with a malignant disease, and upon investigation it was found that only those who used water from a famous old well were the victims.

Professor S. A. Lattimore, analyst of the New York State Board of Health, upon analyzing water from this well, found it more deadly than the city sewage!

The filling up of the old well stopped the ravages of the disease.

Not long since the writer noticed while some men were making an excavation for a large building, a stratum of dark colored earth running from near the surface to hard pan. There it took another course toward a well near at hand. The water from this well had for years been tainted with the drainings from a receiving vault, the percolations of which had discolored the earth!

Terrible! A similar condition of things exists in every village and city where well water is used, and though the filterthrough the earth may give them a disease remains, though the water may look never so clear.

It is still worse with the farmer, forthe drainage from the barn yard and the slops from the kitchen eventually find their way into the family well!

The same condition of things exists in our large citles, whose water supplies are rivers fed by little streams that carry off the filth and drainage ually drunk by rich and poor alike with great evil.

Some cautious people resort to the filter for purifying this water, but even the filter does not remove this poison, for water of the most deadly character may pass through this filter and become clear, yet the poison disguised is there. They who use filters know that they

must be renewed at regular periods, for even though they do not take out all the impurity, they soon become foul.

Now in like manner the human kidneys act as a filter for the blood, and if they are filled up with impurities and become foul, like the filter, all the blood | eral with seed, make rows as straight in the system coursing through them be- as a line and do most of the work near comes bad, for it is now a conceded fact that the kidneys are the chief than labor, and if the plants are so means whereby the blood is purified. plentiful that the hoe may be used These organs are filled with thousands without fear of destroying some of of hair-like tubes, which drain the im- them, it will make the growing of purities from the blood, as the sewer these roots comparatively easy and

little hair-like sewer tubes of the kid- to throw in the pig yard. neys break down, the entire body is

FARM NOTES.

FARMYARD MANURE. --- The composition of the manure made in the barnyard is determined by the character of the animals and the food which they receive. In case of a full-grown animal that is neither gaining or losing in weight, the manure will contain the same amount of nitrogen and ash constituents as were present in the food consumed. The animal is like a machine for the conversion of the princi-pal constituents of the fodder into a more available form for plant food. If an animal is gaining in flesh, producing milk, or growing wool, etc., its manure will be less valuable. The character of food affects the quality of manure. A diet of straw can give only a poor manure, while if the animal has a good supply of rich food, as oil-cake and bran, its manure will be correspondingly rich in nitrogen and ash constituents. Aside from the animal and the food it gets, the value of a manure is governed greatly by the treatment it receives after being dropped, Save the urine.

ONE of the best and most effectual remedies for curculio on plum trees is to put a pailful of coal tar in an old barrel, fill the barrel with water and stir it up. The tar will settle to the bottom and leave the water strongly scented with it. As soon as the plums have set take a garden pump and ing which the fluids receive in passing sprinkler and shower the trees with tar water. After a heavy rain repeat clear appearance, yet the poison and it several times during the season if Expend not but according to the meanecessary. We believe the same medi- sure of your goods. cine would prove an effective cure for currant worms, coddling moths and perhaps potato bugs, but for currant worms the application should be made as soon as the leaf buds begin to open, as the eggs are laid very early.

THE experiment of sowing winter wheat so late in the fall that it will not from houses. This "water" is event- come up until the spring is not tried so often as formerly. Of late years farmsoul. ers have got into the habit of sowing early to hasten the harvest, the late wheat being more injured by the midge, But in very severe winters probably the safest way to keep the crop from winter killing is to sow very late, and to have but little above ground to be injured. No amount of top can save the ground from freezing, and if the roots are to be loosened the less top there is to dry and exhaust their vitality the better for the crop.

For sowing carrots, parsnips and other small seed, it is better to be libthe rows with the hoe. Seed is cheaper pipes drain impurities from our houses. cheap. Beets should be sown thickly If a sewer pipe breaks under the for another reason. The thinnings are house, the sewage escapes into the excellent greens, and if more are grown earth and fills the house with poisonous than can be used for this purpose they gas; so if any of the thousand and one are worth all the seed and labor costs

"TALKING of the angelic creatures you danced with at Brown's ball," said Wagley, "supposing, now, you were to meet a real angel, how would you ad-dress her?" "Don't you know?" "Well, I should ask her what on earth she was doing."

How Women Differ from Men.

At least three men on the average jury are bound to disagree with the rest just to show that they've got minds of their own; but there is no disagreement among the diseases, weaknesses and complaints peculiar to their sex. It transforms the pale, haggard, dispirited woman, into one of sparkling health, and the ringing laugh again "reigns supreme" in the happy usehold.

A miser of sixty years old refuses himself necessaries that he may not want them when he is a hundred,

Human Calves,

An exchange says :- "Nine-tenths of the unhappy marriages result from human calves being allowed to run at large in seclety pastures." Nine-tenths of the chronic or lingering diseases of to-day originate in impure blood, liver complaint or biliousness, resulting in scrofula, consumption (which is but scrofula of the lungs), sores, ulcers, skin diseases and kindred affec-tions. Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Distions. covery" cures all these. Of Druggists.

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Serofula is probably more general than any other disease. It is insidious in character, and manifests itself in running sores, pustular cruptions, bolls, swellings, enlarged joints, expels all trace of scrofula from the blood, leaving it pure, enriched, and healthy. "I was severely afflicted with scrofula,

and for over a year had two running sores on my neck. Took five bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and consider myself cured." C. E. LOVEJOY, Lowell, Mass.

C. A. Arnold, Arnold, Me., had scrofulous sores for seven years, spring and fall. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured him.

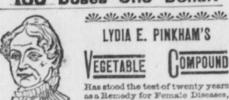
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SEE WHAT ONE WOMAN SAYS OF ITS MELITS. Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 5th, 1883. Mrs. Lydia E., Pinkham: "Asis frequently the case with mothers who have reared large families. I have been a great who have reared large families. I have been a great sufferer for years from complaints incident to mar-ried life. I have tried the skill of a number of physicians and the virtue of many medicines with-out relief, and as an experiment I concluded to try yours. I can assure you that the benefits I have derived from it came not because of any failth I had in it, for I had but slight hope of any perma-nent good. I am not a seeker after notoriety but I wont to tell you that I have been wonderfully benefited by your medicine. I am now using my fourth bottle and it would take but little argument to persuade me that my health is fully restored. I should like to widely circulate the fact of its wonderful curative powers." PHEBA C. ROOP. THE BRAEFT PROEFS WILL SUPPLY TOU. PHEE 81.09.

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FACETIÆ.

TIT FOR TAT .- Old Mr. Sparques was somewhat irritable when he came down to the breakfast table, and when his wife reproved him for wearing such abscesses, sore eyes, etc. Hood's Sarsaparilla | a gloomy aspect, he answered her snappishly and they had some words, after which she said: "Well, I'm sure I don't know how you can expect we'll agree in the next world if we can't agree in this." "Ob, we'll agree well enough in the next world," said old Mr. Sparques, sarcastically; "we won't

see much of each other there; the Scriptures say there's a great gulf fixed be-twixt the two places." Having fired this shot the old gentleman caressed his bald head and snickered. Mrs.

Sparques was thoughtful for a moment; then, with a twinkle of her eye, she said: "This is the first time I ever knew that you had given up all hope of going to heaven." Mr. Sparques went out on the back stoop to take a look at the weather.

HE WAS Entirely too Argumentative. "Say, Gregg, I've had my salary raised.

"Stockton, how did you manage it?" "By argument. He was giving you \$30 a week and myself but \$20. I convinced him of the injustice and he's going to pay me \$5 more. That was liberal, wasn't it? It equalizes things,

you see." "Yes, Stockton, and that's precisely what I object to. I wish you had been less argumentative. He took \$5 a week off my salary in order to add it to vours.

"CHARLEY has an awful disposition. He is selfish, little and cowardly. I don't know where he got it," said a father to his wife. "Nor I either,' said the wife. "He certainly didn't get those defects from me," continued the father. "No, I don't think he did," said the mother; "in fact I'm sure he did't get them from you." "What makes you so certain?" asked the husband. "Because you have not lost any of your defects that I can see." Tableau, with indication of storm.

A SMART LITTLE BOY, -A city to: !er and his little son met a sturdy farmer in the country, whereupon the toiler remarked: "That's a fine field of oats you have there!" "Don't you know the difference between oats and wheat?" asked the sturdy farmer, contemptuously. "No, I don't." thought every donkey knew that!" ex-claimed the rustic. "You see, father," said the toiler's little boy, who had not taken any part in the debate, "if every donkey knows the difference, it's lucky you said you didn't."

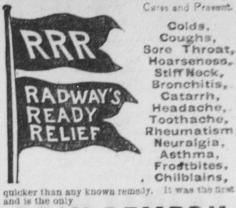
OLD LADY (to small boy)-"Aren't you afraid of catching cold, little boy, going about in your bare feet."

Small Boy-"I never wear shoes, cept in cold wedder."

Old Lady-"Why not? Can't you get them?" Small Boy-"No'm. Me fadder 15 T

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and tried every cure we

had in the store, and could

get no help. I had our village doctor

prescribe for me, but kept getting worse. I saw an-

other physician from Port

Jervis, N. Y., and he told

me he used Piso's Cure for

Consumption in his prac-

I bought a bottle, and

before I had taken all of it

there was a change for the

better. Then I got my em-

ployer to order a quantity

of the medicine and keep

it in stock. I took one

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affected by this awful poison.

exists in these organs, and if the blood ng nine out of ten ailments, just as in free from rain or dew. sewer gas and bad, drainage produce so nany fatal disorders.

Kidney disease may be known to exst if there is any marked departure rom ordinary health without apparent cuown cause, and it should be understood by all that the greatest peril exists, and is intensified, if there is the least neglect to treat it promptly with that great specific, Warner's safe cure. a remedy that has received the highest recognition by scientific men who have thoroughly investigated the character of kidney derangements.

They may not tell us that the cause of so many diseases in this organ is the

impure water or any other one thing, but this poisonous water with its impurities coursing constantly through these delicate organs undoubtedly does produce much of the decay and disease which eventually terminate in the fatal Bright's disease, for this disease, alike among the drinking men, prohibitionists, the tobacco slave, the laborer, the merchant and the tramp, works terrible devastation every year.

It is well known that the liver which is so easily thrown "out of gear" as they say, very readily disturbs the action of the kidneys. That organ when deranged, immediately announces the fact by sallow skin, constipated bowels, coated tongue, and headaches, but the kidney when diseased, struggles on for a long time, and the fact of its disease can only be discovered by the ald of the microscope or by the physician who is skilful enough to trace the most indirect effects in the system to the derangement of these organs, as the prime cause.

The public is learning much on this subject and when it comes to understand that the kidneys are the real health regulators, as they are the real blood purifiers of the system, they will escape an infinite amount of unnecessary suffering, and add length of days and happiness to their lot.

A TEXAS preacher caught four or five boys in his peach trees. He did not punish them, but merely said:

"You ought to be ashamed of yourselves, particularly the big boys. Which of you boys here is the oldest?" "He ain't here at all, sir. He didn't know that we were coming," said a

youngster.

HAD A Right to Laugh .- "Hello, Charley! What's up? Never saw you looking so jolly and happy." "My best girl has just got married." "Got married! Why, man, is that anything to be gay and festive over? You ought to be in the last stages of melancholy," in mine."

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IF a meadow is free from stones, It is a scientific fact that the kidneys clover can be cut close to the ground, have few nerves of sensation; and, con- not only without injury, but also with sequently, disease may exist in these decided benefit to the second growth. organs for a long time and not be sus- A little timothy or June grass in the pected by the individual. It is impos- clover greatly helps it to cure quickly. suble to filter or take the death out of Clover alone is too full of juice, and its the blood when the least derangement thick stems dry out slowly. The "sweating" which clover hay gets in is not filtered then the uric acid, or the field is what is needed to prevent kidney poison, removable only by injurious heating after it is put in the Warner's safe cure, accumulates in the stack or mow. After once sweating a system and attacks any organ, produc- little it is comparatively safe if got

> THE benefit from the use of gypsum or land plaster, is not exhausted by one application. An experienced farmer says he finds great advantage from throwing a little on corn when it is knee high, and again as it is coming into tassel. The size and fulness of the ears will be increased in this later application on rows side by side with those not plastered and both of which has received a dusting of the fertilizer earlier in the season. A little at a time and often should be the rule with plaster.

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FEED out the new corn slowly at first, using old corn in preference, so as to allow the new crop to dry and thoroughly ripen. New corn sometimes does injury to stock when fed out too freely, and the proper mode is to begin its use gradually. If the old corn is out give oats with the new corn, with plenty of chopped hay or straw.

SPEAKING of the vitality of seeds from commission men, W. S. Devol, of the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, says he has not observed a single instance where a variety from commissioned grocers gave so large a per cent. of germinated seeds as did the same variety put up by the same firm and procured direct from the firm.

THE amount of wool going into consumption in Europe is much larger this year than previously, while the demand in this country is also increasing, which gives an encouraging outlook for wool-growers.

CLEAN out the wells during dry seasons. No matter how well covered they may be, the chances are that toads will be found in them. It is important to have such work done every year if a supply of pure clean water is desired.

GIVE verbenas a rather rich but light soil if you wish to have vigorous plants producing an abundance of large trusses of flowers.

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