

TEN YEARS OF PAIN.

Unable to Do Even Housework Because of Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. Margaret Emmerich, of Clinton St., Napoleon, O., says: "For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from kidney troubles. My back pained me terribly. Every turn or move caused sharp, shooting pains. My eyesight was poor, dark spots appeared before me, and I had dizzy spells. For ten years I could not do housework, and for two years did not get out of the house. The kidney secretions were irregular, and doctors were not helping me. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me quick relief, and finally cured me. They saved my life."

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

'Twas Ever Thus.

George Washington had just announced that he couldn't tell a lie. "Well!" responded his father, thoughtfully, "as long as you are going to marry a widow, it wouldn't do you any good if you could."—N. Y. Times.

The custom that prevails in Greece of carrying a body to the grave in a coffin which allows the face to be visible is said to have originated when the Turks dominated the land.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ILLS. LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS, each, and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 8th day of December, A. D. 1888.

A. W. GLASSCO, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 50c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The greatest Alpine avalanche was that which in 1827 swept away the town of Biel and killed nearly ninety persons.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

Fortunate is the man who knows how big a fool he can be without trying.

Cures Woman's Weaknesses.

We refer to that boon to weak, nervous, suffering women known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Dr. John Fyfe one of the Editorial Staff of THE ECLECTIC MEDICAL REVIEW says of Unicorn root (Helonias Divora) which is one of the chief ingredients of the "Favorite Prescription":

"A remedy which invariably acts as a uterine invigorator... makes for normal activity of the entire reproductive system."

"It continues in Helonias we have a medicinal which more fully answers the above purposes than any other drug with which I am acquainted. In the treatment of diseases peculiar to women it is seldom that a case is seen which does not present some indication for this remedial agent."

"The following are among the leading indications for Helonias (Unicorn root). Pain or itching in the back with leucorrhoea; atonic (weak) condition of the reproductive organs of women, mental depression and irritability, associated with chronic inflammation of the reproductive organs of women; constant sensation of heat in the region of the kidneys; menorrhagia (bleeding) due to weakened condition of the reproductive system; amenorrhoea (suppressed or absent monthly periods); abnormal condition of the digestive organs and general (thin blood) habit; dragging sensations in the extreme lower part of the abdomen."

"If more or less of the above symptoms are present in the woman, she can do better than take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, one of the leading ingredients of which is Unicorn root, or Helonias, and the medicinal properties of which it does faithfully represent."

"Of Golden Seal root, another prominent ingredient of "Favorite Prescription," Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College, Chicago, says:

"It is an important remedy in disorders of the womb. In all catarrhal conditions... and general debility, it is useful."

Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., of Cincinnati, says of Golden Seal root:

"In relation to its general effects on the system, there is no medicine in use about which there is so general unanimity of opinion. It is universally regarded as the tonic useful in all debilitated states."

"Prof. R. Bartholow, M. D., of Jefferson Medical College, says of Golden Seal:

"Valuable in uterine hemorrhage, menorrhagia (bleeding), and congestive dysmenorrhoea (painful menstruation)."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription faithfully represents all the above named ingredients and cures the diseases for which they are recommended.

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WORTH REMEMBERING Sailors suffer most from rheumatism. A crow destroys 700,000 insects a year. It takes five years to tan an elephant's hide. Over 4,000,000 bottles of pickles are eaten weekly in the United States. It is estimated that \$120,421,505 will be required to pay the running expenses of New York city for next year.

Woman Elects Engineering.

Miss Nora Stanton Blatch, granddaughter of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, has been appointed a member of the city's staff of civil engineers in charge of the \$161,000,000 Catskill water system.

Miss Blatch's appointment was not due to any pull, but was made on merit.

Miss Blatch is an unusually pretty young woman, athletic, active and fond of outdoor life. She distinguished herself two years ago, while a senior at Cornell, by swimming Cayuga lake, a distance of 2 1/2 miles. The feat was an easy one for her, and her friends declared at the time she could have swum the entire distance back.

She decided to follow engineering on entering college, and applied for membership in the American Society of Civil Engineers. She was admitted recently, being the first woman ever received into that organization.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch, a noted New York club-woman and lecturer, and a daughter of Elizabeth Cady Stanton. Mrs. Blatch lived in England for 14 years.

From her mother she received training in keeping with the ideals advocated by Mrs. Stanton, and she believed that woman was intended to play a more important and useful part in the scheme of civilization than she does at present.

Miss Blatch, when seen recently, said: "I believe sincerely in the intellectual equality of men and women, and, since I personally have not been so fortunate as to do anything that would have been remarked had I been a man, I strongly object to any notice being taken of what I have done. It is exceptional for a woman to undertake civil engineering, but further than that extremely commonplace."—Boston Advertiser.

Force Of Habit.

The manager of the 14-headed magazine lopped off 10 of the heads. "Couldn't help it," he explained; "this thing of fighting the octopus gets into the blood."—Philadelphia Ledger.

FITS, St. Vitus' Dance, Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. \$2 trial bottle and treatise free. Dr. H. R. Kline, M.D., 361 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

Some people take things as they come and others grab them as they go.

H. H. GREEN'S SONS, of Atlanta, Ga., are the only successful Dropsy Specialists in the world. See their liberal offer in advertisement in another column of this paper.

One of the nicest professions for a young man to take up is to be born rich.

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There are many thousands of people all over the world who can attribute their good health to taking one or two Brandreth's Pills every night. These pills cleanse the stomach and bowels, stimulate the kidneys and liver and purify the blood. They are the same fine laxative tonic pill your grandparents used, and being purely vegetable they are adapted to children and old people, as well as to those in the vigor of manhood and womanhood.

Brandreth's Pills have been in use for ever a century and are for sale everywhere, either plain or sugar-coated.

A hero is a man who happened to be on hand at the right time and made good.

TERRIBLE ITCHING SCALP.

Eczema Broke Out Also on Hands and Limbs—An Old Sore—O-laxo—Cuticura is a Blessing.

"At all times and to all people I am willing to testify to the merits of Cuticura. It saved me from worse (than the torture of hives, and the year 1900, with itching on my scalp and temples, and afterwards it commenced to break out on my hands. Then it broke out on my limbs. I then went to a surgeon, whose treatment did me no good, but rather aggravated the disease. I then told him I would go and see a physician in Erie. The reply was that I could go anywhere, but a case of eczema like mine could not be cured; that I was too old (80). I went to an eminent doctor in the city of Erie and treated with him for six months, with like results. I had read of the Cuticura Remedies, and so I sent for the Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent, and continued taking the Resolvent until I had taken six bottles, stopping it to take the Pills. I was now getting better. I took two baths a day, and at night I let the lather of the Soap dry on. I used the Ointment with great effect after washing in warm water, to stop the itching at once. I am now cured. The Cuticura treatment is a blessing, and should be used by every one who has itching of the skin. I can't say any more, and thank God that He has given the world such a curative. Wm. H. Gray, 333 Mt. Vernon St., Philadelphia, Pa., August 2, 1905."

Point Of View. Oldbach—I see by the paper that an Ohio man married four women merely for a joke. Wedderly—He evidently had no sense of humor. Oldbach—Huh! He evidently had no sense of any kind.—Chicago News.

COMMERCIAL COLUMN.

Weekly Review of Trade and Latest Market Reports.

New York, R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Weather conditions have retarded trade in seasonal staple lines of merchandise, but holiday goods have begun to move unusually early and in volume that promises satisfactory results. Wholesale business is maintaining a much better movement than last year, and further improvements is noted in collections. From the leading manufacturing plants come reports of full employment of machinery, yet deliveries are much less prompt than desired and inadequate railway facilities receive a large share of the blame.

Producers of cotton goods are unable to make deliveries according to agreement, delays causing serious complaints from buyers.

Activity in the hide market is fully maintained, most Western packers being fully sold up to current salting. Narrow fluctuations have characterized the grain market. Diminished receipts at the Northwest gave support to wheat, total arrivals at primary markets since July 1 now showing a material loss from last year's movement, but smaller foreign buying and less activity at flour mills offset the sustaining factors.

Liabilities of commercial failures thus far reported for November amounted to \$4,111,944, of which \$1,801,687 was in manufacturing, \$2,207,006 in trading and \$103,251 in other commercial lines.

Wholesale Markets.

Baltimore.—Flour—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 28,133 barrels; exports, 4,712 barrels.

Wheat—Firm; spot, contract, 74 1/2 @ 74 3/4; No. 2 red Western, 77 @ 77 1/2; November, 74 1/2 @ 74 3/4; December, 75 1/2 @ 75 3/4; steamer No. 2 red, 68 @ 68 1/2; receipts, 36,373 bushels; exports, 64,000 bushels; Southern by sample, 55 @ 70; Southern on grade, 67 1/2 @ 75.

Corn—Firm; spot, old, 49 1/4 @ 49 1/2; do., new, 48 1/4 @ 48 1/2; November, old, 49 1/4 @ 49 1/2; do., new, 48 1/4 @ 48 1/2; year, 48 @ 48 1/2; January, 47 1/2 @ 47 3/4; February, 47 1/2 @ 47 3/4; steamer mixed, 45 1/2 @ 45 3/4; receipts, 75,750 bushels; exports, 68,751 bushels; new Southern white corn, 40 1/2 @ 45; new Southern yellow corn, 40 1/2 @ 45.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 39 1/2 @ 40; No. 3 white, 38 1/4 @ 39 1/4; No. 2 mixed, 38 @ 38 1/2; receipts, 6,937.

Hay—Firm; No. 1 timothy, 20.00; No. 1 clover mixed, 17.50 @ 18.00.

Butter—Steady and unchanged; fancy imitation, 22 @ 23; fancy creamery, 27 @ 28; fancy ladle, 19 @ 20; store packed, 18 @ 19.

Egg—Firm, 30c.

Cheese—Active and unchanged; large, 13 1/2; medium, 13 1/2; small, 14 1/2.

New York.—Wheat—Receipts, 81,900 bushels; exports, 329,320 bushels; sales, 3,600,000 bushels futures. Spot firm. No. 2 red, 80 1/2 elevator; No. 2 red 82 1/2 f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 82 c. i. f. Buffalo; No. 2 hard winter, 84 1/2 c. i. f. Buffalo.

Corn—Receipts 20,425; exports, 100,980; sales 24,000 spot; spot firm; No. 2, 53 1/2 elevator and 54 1/4 f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 54 1/4; No. 2 white, 54 1/2. Option market was without transactions, closing 1/2 net higher. January closed 51 1/2; May closed 50 1/2; December closed 52.

Oats—Receipts, 129,100; spot steady. Mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 39; natural white, 30 to 33 pounds, 39 @ 40; clipped white, 36 to 40 pounds, 39 1/2 @ 43 1/2.

Philadelphia.—Wheat firm; contract grade November, 75 @ 75 1/2 c. Corn firm; November, 48 @ 48 1/2 c. Oats firm; No. 2 white, natural, 39 1/2 @ 40c. Butter firm; extra Western creamery, official price, 27c.; street price, 28 @ 28 1/2 c.; extra nearby prints, 30c. Eggs firm; nearby fresh and Western fresh, 31c. at mark. Cheese steady; New York full cream, fancy, 13 1/2 @ 13 3/4 c.; do., choice, 13 1/2 c.; do., fair to good, 12 1/2 @ 13c. Potatoes steady; Pennsylvania choice per bushel, 58 @ 60c.; New York and Western, choice, per bushel, 58 @ 55c. do., fair to good, per bushel, 48 @ 50c.

Live Poultry firm, good demand; Fowl, 12 @ 14c.; old Roosters, 9c.; spring Chickens, 12 @ 15c.; Ducks, 13 @ 14c. Dressed Poultry steady; Fowls, choice, 13c.; do., fair to good, 11 1/2 @ 12 1/2 c.; old Roosters, 9 1/2 c.; nearby Chickens, 14 @ 15c.

NEW YEAR'S CALLS A New Drink to Replace the Old Time "Apple-Jack." Twenty-five years ago the custom of making New Year's calls was a delightful one for all concerned, until some of the boys got more "egg-nog" or "apple-jack" than they could successfully carry.

Then the ladies tried to be charitable and the gentlemen tried to be as chivalrous as ever and stand up at the same time.

If anyone thinks there has not been considerable improvement made in the last quarter of a century in the use of alcoholic beverages, let him stop to consider, among other things, the fact that the old custom of New Year's calls and the genteel tipping is nearly obsolete.

The custom of calling on one's friends, however, at the beginning of the new year, is a good habit, and another good habit to start at that time is the use of well-made Postum instead of coffee or spirits.

A Staten Island doctor has a sensible daughter who has set Postum before her guests as a good thing to drink at Yule tide, and a good way to begin the New Year. Her father writes:

"My daughter and I have used Postum for some time past and we feel sure it contains wholesome food material.

"I shall not only recommend it to my patients, but my daughter will be most pleased to give a de-naturation of Postum to our Christmas and New Year's callers." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pgs. "There's a Reason."



THE LAXATIVE OF KNOWN QUALITY

There are two classes of remedies; those of known quality and which are permanently beneficial in effect, acting gently, in harmony with nature, when nature needs assistance; and another class, composed of preparations of unknown, uncertain and inferior character, acting temporarily, but injuriously, as a result of forcing the natural functions unnecessarily. One of the most exceptional of the remedies of known quality and excellence is the ever pleasant Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., which represents the active principles of plants, known to act most beneficially, in a pleasant syrup, in which the wholesome Californian blue figs are used to contribute their rich, yet delicate, fruity flavor. It is the remedy of all remedies to sweeten and refresh and cleanse the system gently and naturally, and to assist one in overcoming constipation and the many ills resulting therefrom. Its active principles and quality are known to physicians generally, and the remedy has therefore met with their approval, as well as with the favor of many millions of well informed persons who know of their own personal knowledge and from actual experience that it is a most excellent laxative remedy. We do not claim that it will cure all manner of ills, but recommend it for what it really represents, a laxative remedy of known quality and excellence, containing nothing of an objectionable or injurious character.

There are two classes of purchasers; those who are informed as to the quality of what they buy and the reasons for the excellence of articles of exceptional merit, and who do not lack courage to go elsewhere when a dealer offers an imitation of any well known article; but, unfortunately, there are some people who do not know, and who allow themselves to be imposed upon. They cannot expect its beneficial effects if they do not get the genuine remedy.

To the credit of the druggists of the United States be it said that nearly all of them value their reputation for professional integrity and the good will of their customers too highly to offer imitations of the

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Popularity Of Riding.

Saddle horse devotees are universally true to the pastime. The season has been one of the best in years, and the demand for finished saddle horses for immediate use has never been quicker. As an instance may be noticed the fact that one New York firm alone sold a consignment of 123 horses from Kentucky this spring for \$67,000. The art of riding nowadays is considered a part of one's education, and as a consequence the riding academies flourish and saddle horses for hire by the capricious follower of the pastime are difficult of procural.

Fitted horses required much work on them to make them safe for a lady's use or adaptable for park bridle paths or the hazardous country plike aflame with the raging motor cars, and as a consequence the saddle horse is no cheap commodity. Nevertheless, fashion and the fascination of the exercise and its beneficial results, coupled with the fever to own a good animal which will always answer the call to help "sweep the cobwebs from the brain," make a demand always keener than the supply.—From Home Magazine.

All the timber recently used in the construction of one of the largest row-downs in Nankin was Oregon pine, and in building all the foreign houses in Nankin, as well as in the other ports on the Yangtze, all the lumber comes from abroad via Shanghai.

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