DOCTORS FALL IN LINE.

Practicing Physicians recognize the unfailing reliability of Doan's Kidney Pills by prescribing them for Backache, Kidney, Bladder and Urinary Disorders—a tribute won by no other Proprietary Medicine. Four cases cited from "Notes of His Practice," by Dr. Leland Williamson, of Yorktown, Ark.

YORKTOWN, ARK., MAY. 1, 1904.

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., Buffalo, N. Y.

Gentlemen:—I have been engaged in the practice of medicine in this section for ten years. This is a very sickly climate, on the Bayou Bartholomew, near the Arkansas River. It is particularly malarious and miasmatic; we meet with many and various abnormal conditions of the human family; prominent among the cases in which I have been called upon to prescribe is kidney disease. Many of these disorders manifest themselves by pains in the back, often extending to other parts of the body; sometimes headache is present, caused by uraemic or chronic uric acid poisoning, soreness in region of kidneys, cloudy, thickened and foul-smelling urine, discharges of pus or corruption; inflammation of the kidneys, extending to the bladder, is caused by excess of uric acid and decomposition of the urine. Hemorrhage is sometimes met with, caused by high state of inflammation or congestion.

There is no class of diseases a doctor is called oftener to treat than the variety of kidney diseases, in many of which the patient will have chills or rigors, followed by fever, a result of the kidneys failing to eliminate the uric acid poison from the system. Such cases require the kidneys restored to their natural functions, then the poison and foreign substances are removed—shock to the nervous system averted and natural health restored.

I have, for some time, been using Doan's Kidney Pills in these many manifestations and with uniform success, curing most cases. I can further say that even in hopeless cases where they have waited too long, Doan's Kidney Pills afford much relief and prolong life. I can recommend the pills in conditions of excessive or deficient secretion of urine, as also in convalescence from swamp-fever and malarial attacks, as verified by the following cases in my practice.

CASE 1.

THOS. ORELL, Bear, Ark., age 60. Pain in back for several weeks, then chills, irregular sometimes, severe rigors followed by fever. Gave good purgative of calomel and padoph, and Doan's Kidney Pills. After taking four boxes of the pills, patient up and enjoying good health for one of his age.

CASE 2.

MRS. SMITH, Tarry, Ark., age 29, mother of four children. Had female complaint and kidney trouble, manifest by pain in back and urine irregular; sometimes very clear, changing to cloudy, and with much sediment on standing in chamber. Gave local treatment for female complaint and prescribed Doan's Pills; after using six boxes she regards herself as cured.

CASE 3.

BROWN EARS, Wynne, Ark., age 21. Had severe case of malarial hoematuria or swamp fever. Gave necessary liver medicine, calomel and padoph, and morph.-sulph., to relieve pain, and ordered Doan's Pills for the high state of congestion and inflammation of the kidneys. Recovery resulted in two weeks. Prescribed Doan's Kidney Pills, to be continued until the kidneys were thoroughly strengthened and all pain in back subsided.

CASE 4.

ELIJAH ELLIOTT, Tarry, Ark., age 34. Pain in back and legs and headache. Uric-acid poisoning. Prescribed Doan's Kidney Pills. After taking several boxes pain subsided—urine became normal, or natural, and patient able to resume his work.

These are a few of the typical cases in which I have used Doan's Kidney Pills. In a great many instances I use them alone with curative results, while with some others indicated remedies are associated.

I believe that by the judicious use of Doan's Pills many serious complications are arrested and many hopeless and incurable cases of Bright's disease prevented.

I have often found that one box of the pills is all that is required to effect a cure, but in some cases I continue their use until all symptoms are entirely absent and the cure effectual and permanent. Yours truly,

Dr. Leland Williamson.

YORKTOWN, ARK.

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Yale's Immense Wealth.

Yale has property worth $6,839,000 on the books of the treasurer, and $1,646,000 of this is in realty mortgages, $1,665,000 in railroad bonds $643,000 in corporation bonds other than railroads, $285,000 in various stocks and $2,453,000 in real estate including the university building and grounds.

Miss M. Cartledge gives some helpful advice to young girls. Her letter is but one of thousands which prove that nothing is so helpful to young girls who are just arriving at the period of womanhood as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says:—

Inclement weather alone prevents a definite revival of business. Outdoor work is retarded and traffic impeded to an extend that cannot be accurately measured, but is obviously sufficient to neutralize the favorable effect of many encouraging factors, while Winter wheat is threatened, although not yet definitely injured, and early farm preparations must be postponed.

Several leading branches of manufacture are increasing active capacity, and thousands of interior buyers are placing liberal orders at the principal cities. The usual temporary advantages of war are felt in the markets for staple commodities, notably foodstuffs, but, while this helps the domestic producer, it harms a much larger number by enhancing prices to home consumers. There is little friction between employers and wage earners, except regarding the bituminous scale, but the cause of industrial peace has lost its foremost champion.

Despite interruption by storms, railway earnings thus far reported for February were only 4.6 per cent. smaller than a year ago, when there was also much severe weather. Financial conditions are satisfactory, money remaining easy and foreign exchange undisturbed by complications abroad.

While it appears that the output of pig iron has increased more rapidly than the demand, assuring some accumulation of stocks for the month, yet the mere fact that the leading interest has now about 80 per cent. of its blast furnaces in operation indicates confidence in the future.

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore.—Flour—Strong; winter extra, 3.80@4.15; winter clear, 4.45@4.65; winter straight, 4.85@5.05; winter patent, 5.20@5.50; spring clear, 4.20@4.50; spring straight, 4.90@5.10; spring patent, 5.10@5.45; receipts, 9,984 barrels, exports 10,357 barrels.

Wheat—Firm; spot contract, 1.06½ spot No. 2 red Western, 1.08; February, 1.06¼; March, 1.07; May, 1.04¾; steamer No. 2 red, 1.03.

Corn—Active; spot, 53½; February, 53½; March, 53¾; April, 54@54¼; steamer mixed, 51½; receipts, 35,009 bushels; exports, 119,911 bushels.

Oats—Firmer; No. 2 white, 48½; No. 2 mixed, 45½@46; receipts, 21,590 bushels.

Rye—Firm; No. 2, 71; No. 2 Western, 72; receipts, 3,635 bushels.

Hay—Firm; No. 1 timothy, unchanged. No. 1 clover mixed, unchanged.

Grain Freights—Dull and unchanged.

New York—Butter—Firm; extra fresh creamery, 26; creamery, common to choice, 15@25½; imitation creamery, 14@18; State dairy, 14@21, renovated, 12@18; held creamery, 14@22; factory, 12½@15.

Cheese—Steady; State, full cream, small colored, September, 12; do. late made, 10½; do. small, white, do., 12; do. late made, 10½; do. large, colored, do., 12; do. late made, 10½; do. large, white, do., 12; do. late made, 10½.

Eggs—Firm; State and Pennsylvania near by average, finest, 35; do. seconds to firsts, 33@34; Western, firsts, 34.

Flour—Receipts, 11,915 barrels; exports, 6,551 barrels; firm in sympathy with wheat; Minnesota patent, 5.00@5.40; Minnesota bakers, 4.00@4.25; winter patents, 5.00@5.25; winter straights, 4.75@5.00; winter extras, 3.50@3.75; winter low grades, 3.15@3.55.

Rye Flour—Firm; fair to good, 3.95@4.10; choice to fancy, 4.20@4.50.

Buckwheat Flour—Dull; 2.00@2.10.

Cornmeal—Firm; yellow Western, 1.10; city, 1.08; kiln-dried, 2.90@3.00.

Hay—Steady; shipping, 65@75; good to choice, 95@1.05.

Hops—Firm; State, common to choice, 1903, 30@38; 1902, 24@26; olds, 10@15; Pacific coast, 1903, 27@35; 1902, 24@27; olds, 10@15.

Hides—Firm; Galveston, 20 to 25 pounds, 18; California, 21 to 25 pounds, 19; Texas dry, 24 to 30 pounds, 14.

Potatoes—Steady; Long Island, 3.00@3.50; Jerseys, 2.75@3.25; Jersey, sweets, 1.50@4.00; State and Western, sacks, 2.50@2.70.

Peanuts—Firm; fancy hand-picked, 5¼; other domestic, 3¼@6.

Cabbages—Steady; domestic, per ton, 25.00@35.00; per 100, 5.00@10.00.

Live Stock.

Chicago. — Cattle — Market nominal; good to prime steers, 4.90@5.75; poor to medium, 3.50@4.80; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.15; cows, 1.60@4.00; heifers, 2.00@4.75; canners, 1.60@2.60; bulls, 2.00@4.90; calves, 3.50@7.50.

Hogs—Market 5 to 10c higher; mixed and butchers, 5.15@5.50; good to choice heavy, 5.45@5.57½; rough, heavy, 5.10@5.40; light, 4.65@5.20; bulk of sales, 5.15@5.40.

Sheep—Market steady; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, 4.00@4.50; fair to choice mixed, 3.50@4.25; Western sheep, 4.20@5.10; native lambs, 4.00@5.75; Western lambs, 4.00@6.00.

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.

All fish are deaf mutes.

Korea is a mountainous country.

Every town in Mexico has a public bathhouse.

Port Arthur and Cincinnati are in the same latitude.

Japan has a written history extending over 2,500 years.

There are seventeen metals which are more valuable than gold.

Of the population of European Russia 86 per cent. are farmers.

Fifteen railroads discharged 21,000 men in the past three months.

The center of the country's cotton growing is near Jackson, Miss.

In Finland and East Turkestan thunderstorms are wholly unknown.

Germany buys abroad, annually, over $12,000,000 worth of green fruit.

A bushel of wheat, by actual count, has been found to contain 869,780 grains.

Neither frogs nor snakes inhabit Alaska, but toads are frequently to be met with.

A vessel drawing ten feet rises two inches in passing from fresh water to salt.

Japan has in school one in every nine of her pupils of school age; Russia one in every forty.

A deputy in the parliament of France receives $1,800 a year, free transportation and free lunch.

An electrical bootblack, which is more rapid and effective than the street Arab, is in use in Chicago.

German horse butchers will open a restaurant in Berlin to educate the upper class in the use of horse flesh.

The native countries of the tallest and the shortest people of Europe, the Norwegians and the Laps, adjoin each other.

In the province of Samara, Russia, 405,000 persons get their subsistence from less than three acres of land per capita.

The Central Pacific and Western Pacific Railroads owe the United States $32,840,993 and interest, less amount due for transportation.

Every year more than 500,000 Japanese youths qualify by age for regular military service, and 200,000 begin to serve either with the colors or as supernumeraries.

DRAGGED DOWN BY A WARSHIP.

How It Feels to Be Sucked Under Water by a Foundered Steamer.

In the Edinburgh Medical Journal James A. Lawson gives an interesting description of his thrilling experience when he was dragged under water by a sinking ship. When he was far down in the swirling waters he struck out for the surface, but only went further down. This exertion was a serious waste of breath, and after what appeared to be ten or fifteen seconds the effort of inspiration could no longer be restrained, and pressure of the chest began to develop.

The most striking thing he remembered was the great pain in the chest, which increased at every effort to expiration and inspiration. It seemed as if he were in a vise, which was gardually being screwed up, until it felt the sternum and spinal column must break. The "gulping" process became more frequent for about ten efforts and hope was then extinguished.

The pressure after these gulps seemed unbearable, but gradually the pain seemed to ease up, as the carbonic acid was accumulating in the blood. At the same time the efforts at inspiration, with their accompanying gulps of water, occurred at longer and longer intervals. The writer's mental condition was then such that he appeared to be in a pleasant dream, but still had enough will power to think of friends at home, etc. Before finally losing consciousness the chest pain had completely disappeared, and sensation was actually pleasant. When consciousness returned he found himself on the surface of the water (probably from the action of the life belt), and finally managed to reach shore.

California's Moving Mountain.

California has a creeping mountain. It has cost something like $1,000,000 to find it out. Santa Susana Mountain has been tunneled by the Southern Pacific railway for a cut-off line between this city and San Francisco, and traffic was expected to open Jan. 1, but the opening is indefinitely postponed.

Several weeks ago the engineers in charge of the work announced that the tunnel was completed, so far as their work was concerned. It remained for the railway company to lay and ballast its tracks, light the tunnel and complete the work of that character. Then it was discovered that the sides of the tunnel were bulging, and the engineers were recalled.

Concrete braces, huge timbers, 14x16, well braced, were set, but the creeping monster crumbled the concrete and snapped the timbers and continued to thrust its bulky sides into the opening.

A portion of the mountain is composed of shale, and it is this portion that is causing the trouble. It has been discovered by careful observation that this shale section is slowly but steadily moving westward. It is, in fact, a mighty stone river moving toward the Pacific.

The strata dips ocean-ward, and the movement is, doubtlessly, what is known as a "slide," caused by displacement somewhere in the depths of the earth. Whether or no the engineers will devise a way to stay its progress and make the tunnel usable remains to be seen.

Living Book Marker.

The mystery of life has rarely furnished the thinker with so strange a problem as that which arises out of a fact instanced by Mr. W. H. Hudson, the naturalist.

Mr. Hudson had a piece of snake skin, which for years he used as a book marker. It changed color periodically and shed its scales. It continued to shed its scales in this fashion for 10 years, each succeeding set of scales being smaller than the last.

Some fairly recent books would make even a hippotamus hide book marker change color were it to find itself between their leaves.

The sensitive book marker capable of blushing rose red or paling with emotion may, no doubt, be a feature in the literary life of the amazing future, and perhaps in the literary world "Some Emotions of a Moral Book Marker" is a thinkable title when we consider the strides of modern "thought."—London Outlook.

The Hand of Providence.

A peculiar accident happened at Randolph, Vt., recently. A broken wheel on one of the cars in some peculiar manner uncoupled itself from the cars in front and behind and left the track and rolled down the bank without disturbing the other cars. The detached cars kept the track, came up to the rest of the train and recoupled themselves to the forward string without doing any damage, and the engineer and fireman knew nothing of the trouble until Randolph was reached.

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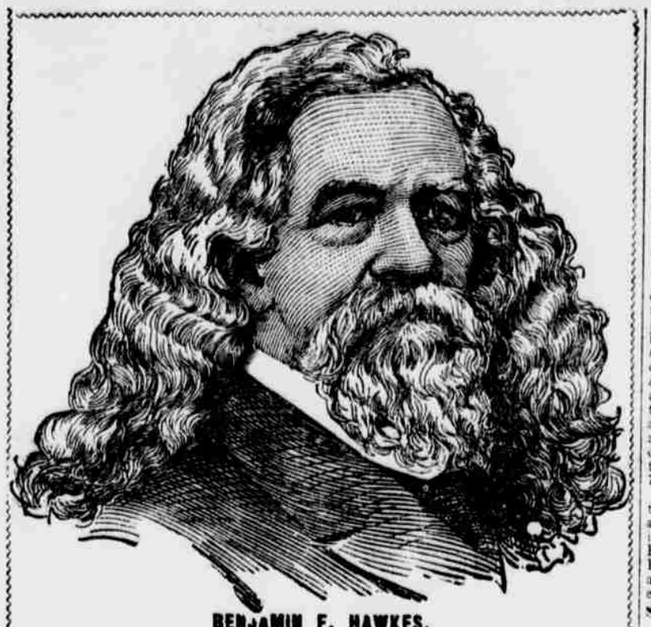

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In a recent letter from 611 G street, S. W., Washington, D. C., this venerable gentleman says of Peruna:

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Pe-ru-na Used in the Family for Years.

Mrs. E. West, 137 Main street, Menasha, Wis., writes: "We have used Peruna in our family for a number of years and when I say that it is a fine medicine for catarrh and colds, I know what I am talking about. I have taken it every spring and fall for four years and I find that it keeps me robust, strong, with splendid appetite, and free from any illness. A few years ago it cured me of catarrh of the stomach, which the doctors had pronounced incurable. I am very much pleased with Peruna. I am 87 years old."—Mrs. E. West.

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Mr. W. B. Schnader, of Terre Hill, Pa., writes:

"I got sick every winter and had a spell of cold in February, 1899; I could not do anything for almost two months. In December, 1899, I saw one of your books about your remedies. Then I wrote to Dr. Hartman for advice, and he wrote that I should commence the use of Peruna, and how to take care of myself.

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