

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., Mar. 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 sticky 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 uræmic 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 upon 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 opium, 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 20.
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.

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,

CASE 3.
BROWN EARS, Wynne, Ark., age 21.
Had severe case of malarial hæmaturia or swamp fever. Gave necessary liver medicine, calomel 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.

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SAW BURGOYNE'S SURRENDER

British General Didn't Send Sword by Subordinate.
The discussion about Revolutionary ancestors is joined in by J. D. Simpson, of Wellington, whose grandfather was with the patriot forces. The grandfather was a little sawed-off man. He was refused as a soldier on account of his small size several times, and at last got into the army by standing in the rear rank on a block of wood six inches high. He was present at the surrender of General Burgoyne to General Gates, Mr. Smith says.

"He saw General Burgoyne deliver his sword to General Gates, and as there has been some discussion in history as to how General Burgoyne delivered his sword I will give my grandfather's version of it."
"He said that when General Burgoyne met General Gates he was the finest looking man he ever saw, about six feet tall, every inch a soldier, with a new uniform of the finest material—'regimentals'—grandfather called them—and looked down on General Gates, who was a very short man, and dressed in a suit of homespun, linsay-woolsey, as much as to say, 'You are not my equal!' then very deliberately unsheathed his sword, took the point of it in his hand, turned his head away and handed it to General Gates. Some histories say he handed his sword to a subordinate officer, who in turn gave it to General Gates, thus not recognizing General Gates as his equal."—Kansas City Journal.

A Resourceful Stage Heroine.
A stage heroine who happened at the same time to be an able executant on the piano, had to play night after night the same part at a popular theatre. She anxiously longed to give the audience a specimen of her musical abilities, but her part in the performance afforded no opportunity for such a display of her powers. But her inventive genius came to the rescue, and she discovered a place in the action where pianist and heroine might go hand in hand. When the curtain rose, revealing the desert of the Black Mountains, the spectators beheld, to their astonishment, a splendid piano placed at the foot of the rocks. The heroine, with the haste of one pursued, climbed down the rocky path, stopped enraptured at the sight of the piano, and exclaimed: "The savages have burned down our cottage, murdered my father and mother, and driven away our cattle; but Heaven be praised—they have left me my piano. Music shall comfort me in my distress, and, if the ladies and gentlemen permit, I will play them a short selection."—Tit-Bits.

An Invention For Target Practice.
Charles C. Echar, former of Aniston, Ala., but now of Kansas City, Mo., has invented a register for showing instantly the points made in rifle target practice. He has applied for a patent in this and all other countries. The Patent Office has issued him a caveat and has notified him that no invention designed to register target shooting has ever been applied for. The scientific application clearly demonstrates that this device will work on all kinds of target practice, even to a one-pound cannon, all small marine guns, light infantry and fort and Government grounds, all shooting parks and galleries.

By his invention, when a bullet strikes the target one mile or any distance away, an electric device telegraphs back to the marksman's place by wire and operates a register, which shows him exactly the spot the bullet hit upon the target. In target practice at sea the buoy is connected by wires strung on floats to the ship.—Nashville Banner.

Wars of the last 3,000 years are supposed to have cost \$600,000,000,000. Each man who falls on the battlefield costs \$2,740 to kill, and the countries of Europe to-day are paying to maintain an "armed neutrality" the small sum of \$50 a second.

Sir Cavendish Boyle, governor of Newfoundland, has sent \$1,000 to the lord mayor of London, this being Newfoundland's contribution to the imperial memorial to Victoria.

The Church of England enjoys an income of about one million dollars per week.

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SCIENCE & MECHANICS

The Japanese have discovered a method of producing artificial pearls, which no one can tell from the genuine article.

The average educated person can not retain more than perhaps six or eight words of the exact phraseology of a speaker at one time.

Nodium is obtained by means of a new method of electrical ionization. It is an industrial metal much lighter than aluminum, with a color, sheen and grain very much like those of steel.

Doctor Heineke, of Leipzig, has proved by experiments with animals that systematic exposure to X-rays, already known to be harmful to the skin, is also very damaging to the internal organs.

A satisfactory test was made at Fort Worden of two new Colt signal lights with acetylene gas. The machines are of 5000 candle power each and are available for signaling and searchlight purposes for a distance of nine miles.

The regenerative faculty which the human body possesses, as documented by the healing of wounds, the restoration of destroyed tissue, and the knitting of broken bones, is developed to a much higher degree in animals of a lower order.

Recruiting.
It is a significant fact that there is no lack of recruits for service in the regiments serving in the Philippines, where there is always possibility of a fight, especially in the southern islands, where the Moro is giving the Army considerable trouble. Men will apply for such service when they will not consider a tour of duty in the States. This certainly shows that the spirit of adventure is not perceptibly on the decline. The troops in the islands are always maintained at their full strength, sometimes above that number. The applications for transfer from home regiments to regiments bound for the islands more than fill the vacancies in the Philippine regiments, a large percentage of the men ordered home requesting transfers to regiments remaining there. The lack of recruits is confined to regiments remaining in the United States. The negro regiments, the Ninth and Tenth Cavalry, and the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Infantry, are an exception. As a rule men who enlist for these organizations do it again and again until the retirement age is reached, with the result that these four organizations have a much greater percentage of old soldiers than any others in the service, and vacancies are usually at a premium. As a result these regiments are among the best in the service.—Army and Navy Journal.

Thackeray the Friend.
The following estimate of Thackeray the man and friend is quoted from Miss Lucy W. Baxter's introduction to "Thackeray's Friendship With an American Family," hitherto unpublished letters of the great novelist now running in the Century:

"In all our intercourse with Mr. Thackeray we saw only the kind, sympathetic, loving side of his great nature. It was always impossible for us to feel afraid of his cynicism, his sharp criticism, of which others speak. He could not help seeing the weakness of human nature, but he did the fullest justice—as he would say, 'he took off his hat'—to whatever was fine or noble in man or woman. He was, too, very patient with weakness of character, but he hated and despised pretense and humbug. All this has been said before, but I feel I must add my confirmation of such a view of his character from our personal experience."

Takes the Pennant.
Captain Alexander McKay, F. R. G. S., Commodore of the Cunard fleet, sailed his last voyage on the Luceania before his retirement. He has been at sea forty-eight years, thirty-four of them in the service of the Cunard Company, fourteen of whose vessels he has commanded. For one with so long an experience his record is probably unique. As he puts it himself: "I have never met with a disaster in my life, never lost a ship, never grounded, never ran anybody down, never was run down by anybody, haven't even had my feet washed by salt water since I went to sea."—London News.

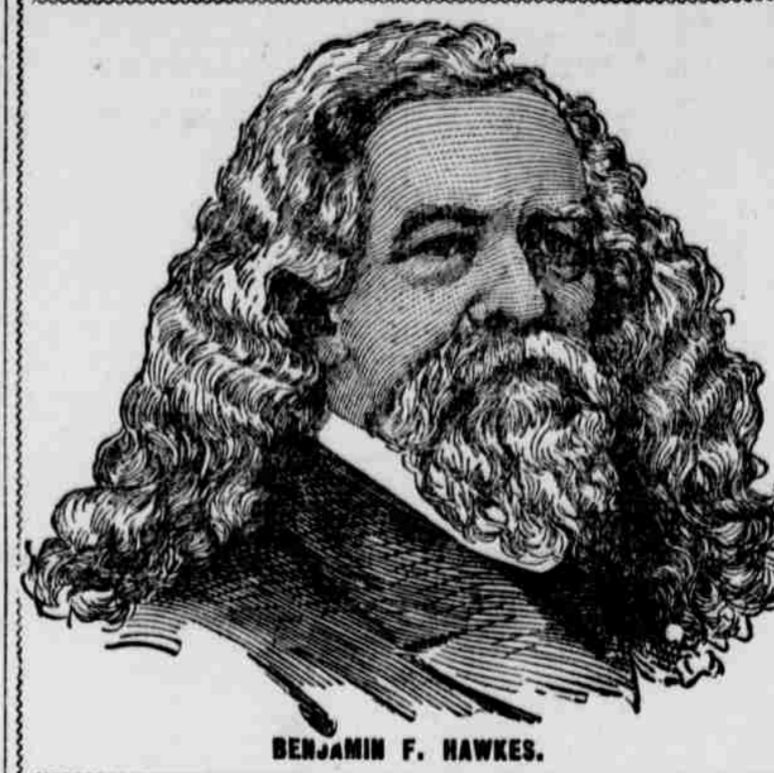
Is Violent Death Painful?
Severe injuries to the body are seldom very painful at first. The severity of the nervous shock seems to paralyze the nerve centre where consciousness of pain is situated, and in fatal cases there is often no sense of pain, even when death is delayed a day or two. In such cases it may be supposed that the shock not only paralyzes but even destroys the nerve centre. It may be compared to a lightning flash along the telegraph wires, which, although of the same nature as the electric telegraph current, is yet so intense as to destroy life.

How Indians Spend Money.
The plethoric Ojibwa Indians, those that sold high priced inherited allotments, are putting on all kinds of ridiculous style. They are buying the most costly horses and carriages, and several of them are buying very expensive tattoo marks.

One of them recently had his little daughter decorated in the face by an expert tattooer, and he paid about \$300 for the indelible insignia.

A COMRADE OF GENERAL GRANT

Says: "I Do Not Believe Pe-ru-na Has a Superior for Catarrh."



BENJAMIN F. HAWKES.
Benjamin F. Hawkes, of Washington, D. C., is One of the Three Living Comrades of General Grant in His Cadet Days at West Point.

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

"I have tried Peruna after having tried in vain other remedies for catarrh, and I can say without reservation that I never felt a symptom of relief until I had given Peruna the simple trial that its advocates advise. I do not believe it is a superior, either as a remedy for catarrh or as a tonic for the depressed and exhausted condition which is one of the effects of the disease."—Benjamin F. Hawkes.

Peruna 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 57 years old."—Mrs. E. West.

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Mrs. F. E. Little, Tolson, Ill., writes: "I can recommend Peruna as a good medicine for chronic catarrh of the stomach and bowels. I have been troubled severely with it for over a year, and also a cough. My cough is all gone, and all the distressing symptoms of catarrh of the stomach and bowels have disappeared. I will recommend it to all as a rare remedy. I am as well I am contemplating a trip to Yellowstone Park this coming season. How is that for one 71 years old?"

In a later letter she says: "I am only too thankful to you for your advice and for the good health that I am enjoying wholly from the use of your Peruna. I have been out to the Yellowstone National Park and many other places of the West, and shall always thank you for your generosity."—Mrs. F. E. Little.

Strong and Vigorous at the Age of Eighty-eight.
Rev. J. N. Parker, Ulster, N. Y., writes: "In June, 1901, I lost my sense of hearing entirely. My hearing had been somewhat impaired for several years, but not so much affected that I could hardly converse with my friends; but in June, 1901, my sense of hearing left me so that I could hear no sound whatever. I was also troubled with severe rheumatic pains in my limbs. I commenced taking Peruna and now my hearing is restored as good as it was prior to June, 1901. My rheumatic pains are all gone. I cannot speak too highly of Peruna, and now when eighty-eight years old can say it has invigorated my whole system."—Rev. J. N. Parker.

Mr. W. B. Schneider, of Terre Hill, Pa., writes: "I got sick every winter and had a spell of cold in February, 1900; I could not do anything for almost two months. In December, 1899, I saw one of your books about your remedies. Then I wrote 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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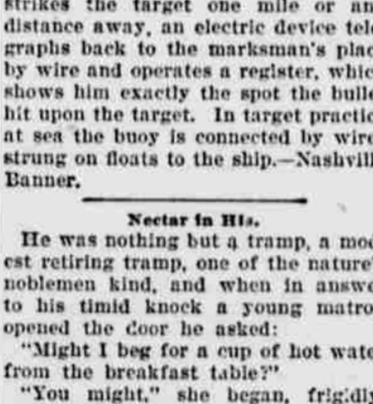
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