A FILTER INSIDE YOU MAN WITH A SHADOW. my spells by this yar time. I bain't

HOW YOUR ELOOD IS KEPT PURE.

Health Comes From Pare Blood. Pure Blood Depends on Your Filter Inside You.

Your Kidneys Keep Your Blood Pure If They Are Well. A Few Facts About Them, and How to Make Them Well When They Are Sick.

Your blood is what nourishes your body.

New blood is made every minute. It goes to the lungs, gets fresh air, and then passes through the body. In pass-ing, it deposits new flesh, fat, bones, etc., and takes up worn out matter.

This worn out matter goes to the kidneys. The kidneys filter it out of the blood and throw it out of the body.

That is, when they are well, they do. When your kidneys are well, they act, as perfect filters, to keep your blood pure. When they are sick, they act imperfectly. They leave the bad matter in. Sometimes they take out the good.

There is nothing more poisonous than bad blood.

A proof of this is rheumatism. It is simply a blood-polsoning caused by the bad matter left in the blood by sick kidneys.

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These are only a few symptoms, or so-called "diseases." Back of them all are the sick kidneys.

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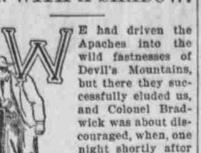
are made principally from the roots of the asparagus plant, which has a special curative action on the kidneys. It gives them new life and strength. It helps them to do their work as it ought to be done. It cures their sickness. It cleans and renews the filter.

When the kidneys are well you will feel a great difference at once. Your complexion will clear, and your whole body will get renewed life and freshness

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He was at least six feet and three inches in height, and he could not have weighed more than one hundred and then all was still. forty pounds, but still he did not seem to be a man who was suffering from a catlike, and his voice natural if restrained at times.

This stranger had a wild, haunted stare in his eyes, which combined with a manner of glancing nervously over his shoulders at intervals, made it seem that he was in constant dread of something. When he was presented to the colonel he dropped the butt of his long rifle on the ground and made an awkward salute.

"Well, my man," said Colonel Bradwick, curiously," what are you doing in this Apache-infected section of the country?'

"Wa-al, kunnel," was the drawled reply, "thar be some things as is wuss'n 'Faches, though you may not believe

it. My name's Saul Tropp." "What is your business, Saul Tropp ?"

"It's mostly keepin' under kiver when the sun shines an' layin' low moonlight nights."

"Well, you seem to be in a bad section of the country for such a business. The sun shines every day, and there is po; much cover for a man. There is more moon here than in any other part of the camp?"

"Reckoned I'd like ter be socibul, ef don't find much of anything to be socibul with, an' when white folks come along he feels as tickled as a dorg with two tails."

"Are you acquainted with these mountains?"

"Are I? Wa-al, I should say I are! 1 know 'em durned nigh from from one cend to t'other."

"Then you may prove of service to us. We are hot after Red Hand's butchers, but they know the section so well they have twice given us the slip when they were cornered."



for ye, so I reckon I'll skip."

But Colonel Bradwick was interested in the fellow, and he would not hear it. When I don't want you any more I'll tell you so," was all he said.

Near midnight we were aroused by a terrible racket, and I looked from my tent to find Saul Tropp fighting with his shadow in the moonlight. I watched him a moment, battling like a fiend night shortly after with this imaginary something, and then he reeled into the deep shadow of dark, a sentinel brought in a stranthe mountains that rose to our right.

I knew when the "spell" was over, for I heard Saul fall heavily to the ground, uttering a dismal groan, and

In the morning we found him just where he had fell, and his own knife disease, as his step was steady, though was buried to the hilt in his heart. It is supposed he had subbed himself in the mad contortions of his struggle, but Jeff Shaw pointed out tracks on the ground-a trail that led to the spot and led away again. It was that of a man who toed in with his left foot, exactly as Tropp had done, and it passed within ten feet of the spot where a sentinel had been posted. That sentinel swore no. living thing had passed him in the night. Some said Saul Tropp had sneaked out of the camp and returned in the night; some shook their heads

and said nothing. Deep in the darkness of a lonely ravine, amid those desolate mountains, we buried him where no shadow could ever haunt him more, for neither sunshine nor moonlight ever reached the spot to

cast a shadow there.

HER FIRST OCEAN BATH.

Country Maid, Married Sister and Wicked Brother-in-Law.

At first she would and then she wouldn't; but really, after all, it would be a shame after coming 600 miles to the sea not to go into the surf. This world. What do you want in this and the married sister from Brooklyn, and the mild ridicule of her wicked brother-in-law, settled it. But she you hey no objections. Out hyar a man shivered as she noted the effects of the hired bathing suits upon the human form divine. Some of them were just too dreadful, says New York World. You could mark her shrinking little figure coming down the sands, piloted by the married sister, to the spot where waited the wicked brother-in-law. Her freckled face was red, but not from the sun. She kept her eyes on the near foreground, certain that the 5,000 persons on the beach and pier were looking directly at her bare ankles.

> "Oh, dear! let us go in quick; I want to cover up!" she said pleadingly.

"Take her other hand, George," said the married sister. "Now, don't be a fool, Mary. You're not the only one here, remember," added the old-timer, rather obscurely.

"Come on!" cried the wicked brother-in-law with a grin. Aud they ran down, pit-n-pat, spit-a-splatter, just in time to meet a stiff roller curling in.

"Jump now!" yelled the married siz-

Oldest Twins in the World. Nathaniel and Benjamin R. Barry, if

be

they live until November 30, nex', will 57 years old, says the New York World They were born in the town of Manheim, Herkimer county, N. Y., in 1808, and moved to Gates, Orleans

bounty, with their parents in 1816. Nathaniel, who lost his wife last winter, still lives on a farm with two of his sons. He still helps them in the work. He lives about two miles and a half from his brother Benjamin, who resides at Yates Center, and enjoys going fishing with him at Shadagee, on Lake Ontario

Benjamin R. lives on a small place of thirty and a half acres, which he helps leans County Pioneer plcnic, at Lakeside park. 'They sat on the speakers' stand and were cheered and also serenaded by the band.

Steam Up! The Moorings Cast Off.

Steam Up! The Moorings Cast Off. Majestically the great ocean grey bound heaves the dock and steams down the river outward bound. But are you, my dear sir, prepared for the sea sickness almost always incident to a trans-Atlantic trip, with the infallible stomachic. Hostetter's Stomach Mitters? If not, expect to suffer without add. The Bitters is the staumebriend of all who travel by sea or land, emigrants, tour-ists, commercial travelers, mariners. It completely remedies nausea, billousness, dyspepsia, rheumatic twinges and inactiv-ity of the kidneys.

Beauties of the Material Life.

All the bymns, all the prayers, all unless you make their beauty come into your daily life, writes Ruth Ashmore more pleasant by your gracious thought | Magazine, of that father who toils all day long. Make it caster for a sister to dislike the wrong and do the right; show a brother the rosy side of the cross, and so make it lighter for him to carry. And do all this, not with loud protestations, but quietly and gently, letting God's name

Marion Crawford is writing for The

Some months ago Miss Hanna Dun- tract attention when sue dismounts can of Beaver Valley, Minn., while In fact, in everything connected with sorting eggs for market, conceived the the wheel her movements are so quiet idea of writing her name and address and unobtrusive as to excite the admiter, but the wicked brother-in-law on one of them, with the request that ration of the onlooker instead of the lerision so frequently recorded.

Highest of all in Leavening Power .- Latest U.S. Gov't Report



Sounds at Night. Sir David Brewster has given an exPhotographing Flying Insects.

The French artists appear to have cellent account of a mysterious night- gotten the art of photography down toto work. He also oversees his farm of sound which would have frightened a much finer basis than those of Amer-117 acres and goes fishing nearly every most persons, but which proved inno- ica and England. They were first to day. Both brothers cast their first vote cent and harmless when tested by a photograph flying bullets, race horses for Andrew Jackson, and have voted steady observer. A gentleman heard a in motion and other rapidly moving the democratic ticket ever since. Ben-jamin has taken the New York World getting into bed. His wife, who re- ported from Paris is a photograph of ever since it was first published. On tired earlier than he, also heard the a flying dragon fly by M. Marey, in August 22 the twins attended the Or- wierd sound, but not until the husband which the exposure was but had got into bed. For a long time no 1-25,000th part of a second. By the possible cause could be assigned, and aid of a small electric lamp inside of the effect upon the imagination became the month of an assistant, Marcy also rather unpleasant. The husband dis-covered some time afterward that the moving globules of blood circulating in noise came from the door of a ward- the veins, and to have detected a difrobe which stood near the head of the ference in the motion of the colored bed. It was his custom to open and and colorless corpuscies.

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Plague of Snalls.

Dr Unkefer, health officer, has been in consultation with Secretary Probat And so many a ghost story could be of the State Board of Health in regard solved by a little attention to the to a nuisance which is becoming unsounds resulting from the expansion bearably annoying to the residents of and contraction of woodwork, such as a portion Piqua, says a Columbus spescoating and furniture. Heard at night, sists of the presence of a large number when all is still, the sudden creaking of snails from four to six inches in come out at night and almost cover the ground in places.

Every dollar spent in Parker's Ginger Tonio is well invision. It induces poin, and brings better digention, better strength and better health.

Dresses of the Louis XVI Period.

The revived Louis XVI designs include the elbow sleeve in a large puff inished with a ruffle of lace for evening wear and the pointed front to a waist, but this is given a modern turn by a round belt. The fichu named after the ill-starred Queen is applied onwoolen or silk dresses. This is of the shaded chameleon or figured taffetta, forming a kerchief sufficiently large tocover the shoulder and knotting in. front over the bust, with two or three narrow knife-painted ruffles around the edge.

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the Erie, 26515 miles.

Century Magazine a series of papers on Rome and a famous artist is drawing the illustrations. These articles will describe unusual features of the Sacred City, and the pictures will include some remarkable restorations of classical scenes. A series of four studies on historic naval engagements will be a leading feature and Henry M. Stanley will

Romance in the Egg Market.

acquaintance formed in this way grew

A most important contribution to the

political literature of the day appears

in the North American Review for Sep-

tember. It is entitled "The Outlook

for Ireland," and is from the pen of the

Right Hon. The Earl of Crewe (Lord

Houghton) late lord lieutenant gov-

ernor of Ireland under the recently de-

hort articles published in the North

but, as the door was a little tight, he Hegeman's Camphor lee with Giverine.

the stripture readings are as nothing doors, panels, window-frames, wain- cial to the Cleveland Leader. It conin the October Ladies' Home Journal. of furniture in a room is often quite length, which crawl into the houses at Take some of the care off the shoulders startling, until one comes to know that night and down into wells and cisof the busy mother; make life seem it is due to the weather. -Lippincott's terns, polluting the water. The snalls

\$100 Reward, \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is be whispered in your heart, and being only the sister and daughter without a constitutional disease requires a conbe whispered in your heart, and being only the sister and daughter without foreing the knowledge that you are the Christian. Then, very soon, some one will realize that your beautiful life is lived for Christ's sale, and then you will represent Him as all women should, not by speaking from the pulpit, not by giving commands, but by living every day the life that he would wish should be yours. the would wish should a constitutional freatenity. Caturch being a constitutional disease requires a con-stitutional treatment. Hall's Catarch Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the patient strength by building up the con-stitution and assisting nature in doing faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case

that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Ad tress F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists; 75c. Hall's Family Pills, 25c.

Woman's Ways on the Wheel.

It is noticed in cycling that the elegant woman does not coast; neither does she race. Rapidity of movement she considers neither conducive to grace nor as evincing good style. On the contribute a paper on Africa, to be supplemented be articles of the late Congo explorer E. J. Glave. In or as evincing good style. On the well in, gliding along slowly, and with so little motion that the loss of dignity is not thought of in her connection. She does not wear skirts so short as to at-

An interesting booklet, explaining about the kidneys and their power for good and evil, sent free on request. Address Hobb's Medicine Co., Chicago, or San Francisco.

SPICES AND OTHER THINGS.

Indigo is the sap of the indigofera. Cork is the outer rind of the cork oak.

Ginger is the dried rootstalk of the ginger plant.

Asphalt is a cumbustible mineral pitch of a brownish color.

Gutta percha is the milky sap of the Isonandra gutta tree of the East Indies, Camphor is contained in the wood and the root of the camphor tree of the

East Indies. Madder is the root of an herb-like growth. It is about the size of a lead pencil and much longer. It is cleansed, dried and ground. It is dye stuff.

Logwood is the marrow of a peculiar tree in the West Indies. It is shipped in long, thick pieces of firm, heavy, dark red wood. It is split up and moistoned by water or acid for use.

Litmus is produced from lichens which prow on the shores of the Mediterranean The lichens are ground, moistened and treated with potash, lime and ammonia and converted into dough. It is then fermented, and afterward mixed with plaster of paris and dried and pressed

Caoutchouc (India rubber) is obtained from the milky secretion of various trees and chiabing plants of South America. The bark of the tree is thoroughly cleansed, after which they cut through the bark and let the milky sap run into clay troughs or into hollow pumpkins. The sap is then dried. For practical use it is cooked for two or three hours. It is finally given chem-'cal treatment-vulcanized,

The longest suspension bridge is the Brooklyn bridge, 5,980 feet.

The oldest German college is Heldelberg, 1356

The longest river is the Nile, 4,100 miles.

Kate Field in Denver.

DESVER, Sept. 10,-My journey from Chicago was over the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, one of the best managed systems in the country, I should say, judging by the civility of the employes, the comfort I experienced, the excellence of its roadbed, and the punctuality of arrival. I ac tually reached Denver ahead of time. The Burlington Route is also the best to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Omaha and Kansas City.

There is talk of the restoration on the Missouri Pacific of the wages of two years ago.

More mountain-climbers have been seriously or fatally injured in the Alps this season than ever before in an equal length of time.

It is now claimed that the Connecticut pool law is thoroughly enforced and that there is not a pool-room doing business in the state.

Sturgeon fishing in Connecticut is about over for this season, though occasionally catches are ton ie. The scason has been a good on s.

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FALL HEAVILY TO THE GROUND. "Red Hand. I saw that critter once.

an' I've allus regretted that I didn't make his close acquaintance. His ha'r would hev been an ornyment with havin'."

"Can you and will you assist us in tracking down the red d-ls?"

"Wasal, T'll try it, but I warn ye, kunnel, I'm not a very 'greeable galoot ter hev around. I hev spells, an' w'en I hev spells, I'm wuss'n thunder. Arter 1 hey about one o' them yar spells, you'll reckon you kin git along without my aid, an' not hafe try."

For all of this warning, the colonel engaged the man, and then he directed me to have a good watch set over the fellow, as he might prove crooked.

Jeff Shaw, however, informed me that he knew Tropp by reputation, and the man was straight enough, though there was not a doubt but he was crazy.

"He 'lows he's allus follered by a shadder," explained Shaw, who was a guide and scout. "Notice how he keeps lookin' over his shoulder uvry now an' ag'in? Wa'al he's lookin' for the shadder.

"I observed a wild look in his eyes."

"Thet kem thar sence four year ago, when he killed a man over in Prescott. | trolic, terrors soon all forgotten, until They do say ther man he killed wuz Saul Tropp's perfect double-looked so wife had to join in coaxing her to come much alike one couldn't 'a' bin told out.

from t'other. Some folks even went so fur as to say it wuz Saul Tropp as wuz killed, and this man what has bin dodgin' his shadder ever sence is t'other critter.'

Tropp started out well. He had no horse, but we found him tireless and fleet of foot. Still, he was ever glancing over his shoulder with those wild, haunted eyes, and dodging when he found his own shadow hauging close upon him. He loved the darkness of ravines and gorges, and I fancied I un- tired list." derstood why he had buried himself in the mountains.

I observed he had a peculiar way of toeing in with his left foot, and the impression made by that foot was one not easily forgotten.

Along in the middle of the afternoon Saul had one of his "spells." Of a sudden he gave a wild yell, whirled about

and struck out right and left. It was really as desperate a battle as I had ever witnessed, and I watched the construction of it.

it fascinated, until, utterly exhausted, Tropp fell gasping and foaming at the mouth to the ground, where he lay in a semi-unconscious condition.

However, in less than thirty minutes he seemed all right once more, and we of the same kidney. went onward.

dragged her down with him, smother ing a piercing shrick of terror.

When the gentle, freckled face came up again it was white instead of red. letter from Robert Crawford, a grocer and she choked with salt water, and at Providence, R. I., who had found the egg in a lot be had purchased. The the smart in her eyes made the tears flow. She looked reproachfully at the into a warm friendship. Mr. Crawford wicked brother-in-law and shook him arrived in Beaver Valley recently, and off, but before she recovered speech another wave knocked her over and bur-

led her, screech and all. "Keep hold of George!" cried the married sister.

"Go 'way, you brute!" gasped the llttle one. "Don't you see I'm drowning? Oh! Oh! Yeouw!"

Down she went again before a wave not more than knee high. The wicked brother-in-law laughed.

"I'll never speak to you again!" sha posed liberal government. Among the sobbed, shivering all over, and cowering between the fear of the sea and the mocking crowd on the sands.

"Come in here by the rope, Mary! yelled the married sister. "Bring her in, George. What are you standing around there for?"

"Never!" cried the freckled girl, getting her voice cace more. "You never told me it was ice water! And that h is nasty-ugh! I've swallowed a bucketful of it-yes; and you think it's funny-don't you touch me! I'm going out! Now, you dare!"

But the wicked George grabbed her round the slender waist and bore her. kicking, struggling, shricking, her eyes flashing fire, out to the rope to his wife. And there she remained in wild both the wicked brother-in-law and his

TEXAS SIFTINGS

Ability is a poor man's wealth. A rifle-team-a pair of pickpockets.

Work to which a man should give his whole heart-courtship. A pawnbroker's life may not be a

wealthy one, but it has its redeeming features.

The man who registers at the hotel at night can be said to be on the "re-

Marriage is not one-tenth as much a failure as the average summer resort engagement.

Dancing may improve your carriage somewhat, but it is no valuable accomplishment for the horse.

The wife of a Massachusetts minister wears a blue dress on Monday to match her husband's mood.

There wouldn't have been any milk in a cocoanut if some dairymen had had

A Pittsburg girl whose lover is a whitewasher named Kelsey, always calls him "Kelsey-mine."

Bright's disease seems to have a preference for great statesmen, and others

A good many men who are talking "I reckon I'd best go now, kunnel, fer very bitterly about the difficulty of get-"m shore you're good an' sick o' me an' ting into a church have never tried it.

spond with her. This was done sim- pose is always elegance," and rapidity ply as a joke, and the girl thought no on the wheel is quite the reverse. more of the matter until she received a Forum.

If the Baby is Cutting Teetn.

erro and use that old and well-tried remady, Mas. WINNLOW'S SOUTHING SYNCP for Children Toething-

The largest ocean is the Pacific, 70,000,000 square miles.

both he and Miss Duncan were pleased The longest tubular bridge is the Britanwith ouch other, and they were marmin, 964 feet.

After physicians had given me up, I was saved by Piso's Cure. — RALFII ERIEO, Wil-liamsport, Fa, Nov. 22, 1803.

The greatest collection of books is the National litrary of Paris.

CHEAP EXCURSION SOUTH.

The Farm, Field and Fireside, Chicago, is doing a most excellent work in helping those who want to better their condition to secure homes in a more congenial climate, or where the opportunities for getting a start in life are better. Its colony places very popular, and enables home seekers to secure a chunk of excellent land at almost built the neul price. For its Oct 15 ex-American Review for September are: "St. Anthony's Bread," by Charles Robinson: "Then and Now," by Ed-ward P. Jackson, and "Country Roads and "Trolleys," by John Gilmer Speed out Trolleys," by John Gilmer Speed been secured. A spiendid train will be run from Chicago with special cars from Oma-ha. Kansas City, St. Paul and Cleveland, and a steamer from New York. The train will be composed mainly of sleeping cars, which will be used for beds throughout the trip. Fifty-six thousand acres of the best land in the state has been secured, the greater part of which will be sold at \$5.00 Any of our readers who want to an acre. join this excursion should write the Farm, Field and Fireside at once. They will also run a special excursion to California on the 14th of Nov.

> musty musty brown is a new shade; light and dark leather shades are good and all reddich browns, but this color has not been worn here as much as has been expected.

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Harper's Bazar for October 12th will be distinguished by a varied avray of autumn gowns and wraps. The season invites to so much outdoor life, and the

tidal flow from country to town brings so much galety with it, that a journal thirty-eight miles long of fashion finds opportunity for dis-playing costumes of elegance and taste for all wearers. A practical paper, en-titled "The Small Dinner," by Anne by Anne Wentworth Sears, describes minutely

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