

A QUICK RECOVERY.

A Prominent Topeka Rebecca Officer Writes to Thank Doan's Kidney Pills for It.

Mrs. C. E. Bumgardner, a local officer of the Rebeccas, of Topeka, Kans., Room 10, 812 Kansas Ave., writes: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills during the past year for kidney trouble and kindred ailments. I was suffering from pains in the back and headaches, but found after the use of one box of the remedy that the troubles gradually disappeared, so that before I had finished a second package I was well. I therefore heartily endorse your remedy."



(Signed) Mrs. C. E. Bumgardner.
A FREE TRIAL—Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents.

Fox Too Much for Dog.

One of the fiercest fights I ever witnessed was between a village cur and a big fox. One moonlight night this dog, in my company, found Brer Fox mousing round some corn stacks, and pinned him by his foreleg. They loped the loop together, and for some time it was impossible to say where the fox began and the dog left off. But for my intervention the dog would have been killed.—County Gentleman.

FACE LIKE RAW BEEF.

Burning Up With a Terrible Itching Eczema—Speedily Cured by Cuticura.

"Cuticura cured me of a terrible eczema from which I had suffered agony and pain for eight years, being unable to obtain any help from the best doctors. My scalp was covered with scabs and my face was like a piece of raw beef, my eyebrows and lashes were falling out, and I felt as if burning up from the terrible itching and pain. Cuticura gave me relief the very first day, and made a complete cure in a short time. My head and face are now clear and well. (Signed) Miss Mary M. Fay, 75 West Main St., Westboro, Mass."

The One Thing Needful.

She doesn't care for operas, the drama or the play; she doesn't care for dancing—she isn't built that way; she doesn't care for housework, for flowers or for books, she doesn't care for puddles—she doesn't like their looks; she doesn't care for dresses for hats or fancy hose—the only thing she does care for is a man who will propose.

\$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 the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and restoring nature in doing his work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure, sent for free trial.

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Shake in Your Shoes.

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder, cures painful smarting, nervous feet and ingrowing nails. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Makes new shoes easy. A certain cure for sweating feet. Sold by all druggists, 25c. Trial package FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Proposal Made Plain.

An old millionaire paid his addresses to one of the prettiest girls in the place. On asking her hand in marriage, he frankly said to her: "Miss C—, I am old and you are very young, will you do me the honor to become my widow?"

Hard Either Way.

"Sometimes I wish," said the very lazy man, "that I liked to work, so it wouldn't be so disagreeable to me when I was compelled to do so. And then I get to thinking that maybe if I liked it I would be at it all the time, and I can't bear the thought."

Event Not Far Off.

When you see a young woman making a fuss over a widower's children, it's a sign that if she doesn't soon acquire a right to correct them it won't be her fault.—Exchange.

Good Advice.

Think twice before you speak. And even then, nine times out of ten, the world won't lose anything if you keep still.—Somerville Journal.

I am sure Pilo's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. THOS. ROBINSON, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1905.

Fashion is only the attempt to realize art in living forms and social intercourse.—O. W. Holmes.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Itching, smarting, bleeding, and itching. Your druggist will refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure you in 6 to 14 days, 50c.

The marriage certificate is equally divided between husband and wife in Korea.

LEGISLATURE of NEBRASKA

A Synopsis of Proceedings of the Twenty-Ninth General Session.

SENATE—After a somewhat spirited opposition the senate on the 17th passed the Cady railroad commission bill, which was opposed in the forum of debate to the Sheldon bill. The Cady bill, like the other one, is a joint resolution for a constitutional amendment providing for such a commission. The commission shall consist of the state auditor, land commissioner and treasurer, varying in this particular from the old law which placed the secretary of state on the board. The following bills were passed: S. F. 171—The green trading stamp bill, to prevent their use. H. R. 157—The game law, allowing an open season for quail for two weeks in November. S. F. 284—The county engineer bill H. R. 207 was indefinitely postponed. The following bills were disposed of as indicated: S. F. 190—Land outside of city limits that is to be platted owner must show certificate that no taxes are due, and land must be accepted by county commissioners. S. F. 245—To allow cities and towns to install heating plants. For passage, S. F. 135—Repealing the law allowing a 7-mill levy. For passage. This law is now inoperative. S. F. 247—To facilitate the collection of delinquent taxes. For passage. S. F. 261—To make the party vote apply on constitutional amendments when the measures were allowed by parties. To pass, S. F. 237—Allowing telegraph and telephone companies to condemn property for right-of-way. To pass, S. F. 254—Providing for the formation of cemetery associations. S. F. 271—Making scavenger statutes specific. To pass, S. F. 281—Providing for annual reports of insurance companies; was recommended for passage, S. F. 262—A bill to allow the people of Platte County to regulate meter charges; was approved. S. F. 229—To limit senate employees to forty-eight; was recommended for passage.

HOUSE—These bills were passed on the 17th: To establish a hospital for crippled, deformed children and those suffering from any disease likely to make them deformed; and to provide for their education and for the location and government of the hospital. Providing that when any real estate is situated in more than one township or precinct, or in more than one school, road or other district, it shall be listed separately for the purpose of taxation. Disclaiming and relinquishing all claim of ownership or title on the part of Nebraska to any and all land in Iowa which hereafter shall become within the boundaries of Nebraska by virtue of the action of any commissions appointed by the said states and the ratification thereof by said states and the sanction thereof by the national congress, or otherwise; provided, however, that the land has been for ten years or more in possession or occupation of any persons or partnership or corporation claiming ownership or title thereto. The deficiency claim bill introduced by Stetson as chairman of the deficiency committee, appropriating approximately \$41,000. Granting to the United States government rights-of-way for the construction of irrigation canals. Providing for the admission of foreign accident insurance companies to transact business where the benefits do not exceed \$200. Providing for the purchase of legislative supplies for each session prior to its convening, limiting the cost of such supplies to \$3,000. Regulating the salaries of county commissioners. Defining the purpose and providing for the government of the School for the Blind at Omaha and Nebraska City, respectively.

SENATE—These bills were passed in the senate on the 20th: To compel county assessors to furnish a copy of assessment to party assessed, which shall be a notice to appear before the Board of Equalization. Compelling the enforcement of the scavenger law. Fees to be paid for protests filed with the Board of Equalization. To prevent the desecration of Memorial Day. Agents of corporations to make out assessment when asked to by the assessor. Providing for a board of control to buy supplies for state institutions. A bar to actions in any other state will be operative in this state. Action against an insurance company can begin in county where cause arises. To prevent issuance of special benefit life insurance policies. Consolidating offices of city, county and school district treasurer of Omaha and Douglas county. A joint resolution requesting congress to enact a law to place insurance companies under federal control. Allows administrators to bring suit for damages against trespassers. South Omaha charter bill. Providing a \$2 poll tax, was killed. In committee of the whole H. R. 166, granting the right of eminent domain to interurban railroad companies, was recommended for passage. S. F. 192, to cut down the expenses of the insanity commissioners in Lancaster county, was recommended for passage. Under the bill the board receives no compensation. H. R. 51, a bill by Warner to make some minor corrections in the revenue law, was recommended for passage.

HOUSE—The house, on the 20th, in committee of the whole, recommended for passage, the following: Senate file No. 79, by Gillin, allowing irriga-

tors to organize districts. Senate file No. 128, by Epperson, allowing wives to be competent witnesses against husbands in desertion cases. Senate file No. 24, by Gillin, providing for the publication of the reports of the state board of irrigation. Senate file No. 129, by Epperson, providing penalties for the neglect of children. Senate file No. 107, by Tucker, providing for the drawing of juries from the poll lists. Senate file No. 13, by Lavery, was indefinitely postponed. It provided for rigorous regulations to prevent graft in letting contracts. Senate file No. 104, by Meserve, allowing small estates to be settled without administrators. Senate file No. 5, by Epperson, to eliminate verbose court records except where paid for by one of the litigants, was indefinitely postponed. Senate file No. 19, by Epperson, the dipomanic bill, sending drunkards to an asylum for treatment. Senate file No. 60, by Dimery, providing for the salaries of game wardens. Senate file No. 64, by Jones, exempting the months of streams from the provisions of the game laws. Senate file No. 78, by Lavery, giving the fish commissioner control of spawn. Senate file No. 63, by Jackson, allowing the cities to foreclose tax sale certificates.

SENATE—The Cady railroad commission bill, a copy of the act of 1887, repealed by the legislature of 1901, passed the senate on the 21st with only four votes against it. The entire morning was spent in the passing of bills and all but one measure on third reading was disposed of. The most important measures before the senate were passed and the vote in most instances was unanimous. As a result of the morning session there will go to the house with the senate's approval the Harsh elevator bill, to prevent discrimination by railroads in the matter of furnishing cars to shippers of grain; Sheldon's bill for a constitutional amendment to allow the investment of the permanent school fund in county and school district bonds; the bill giving telegraph and telephone companies the right of eminent domain; Thomas' proposed constitutional amendment to allow all cities over 5,000 to make their own charters. Epperson's bill to allow the governor to fix date of infliction of the death penalty when imposed by a court; Epperson's bill to place all charitable institutions under the charge of the State Board of Charities; Saunders' bill to vacate streets outside of cities in land platted, but not approved by the county commissioners; Meserve's measure reducing the license fee charged non-resident hunters to \$10; the bill providing for the municipal regulation of gas and electric light meters and for the measurement of weights and measures; Saunders' bill to allow cities to do a commercial heating business; Gilligan's bill providing for a board of control for the state institutions; the South Omaha salary bill, and a number of others of less importance.

HOUSE—The house, on the 21st, recommended these measures for passage: House roll No. 328, for the relief of Russell F. Loomis. House roll No. 305, providing for state construction, ownership, control and repair of all bridges 500 feet or more in length on or as part of a public. House roll No. 369, for the submission of a constitutional amendment providing for the safe investment of the permanent school fund. The bill introduced by Foster for a constitutional amendment allowing cities of 5,000 or more to make their own charters by and with the consent of the legislature—house roll No. 308—was recommended for indefinite postponement. The "independent telephone bill"—house roll No. 182—by Fishback of Clay, was recommended for passage after a lively discussion. The bill is designed to give the independent companies the use of the Omaha property of the Nebraska Bell Telephone company for the delivery of long distance messages from independent subscribers outside of Omaha to Bell subscribers in Omaha, for which service the Bell company is to receive 10 cents per message. House roll No. 351, by Warner, to compel railroad companies either to furnish sites on their rights-of-way to independent elevators or else to build switches and sidetracks thereto where the elevator has a minimum capacity of 15,000 bushels, was recommended for passage without opposition manifesting itself. The claims and deficiency appropriation bills were read for the third time and passed. They carry appropriations of \$40,000 and \$55,000 respectively. The afternoon session was largely given up to consideration of railroad bills.

HOUSE—The house passed a motion on the 22nd to hold night sessions the remainder of the week and a session Saturday, by a vote of 48 to 32. Bills were passed as follows: Raising the salary of the county physician of Gage county. Abolishing the Soldiers' Home visiting board. Defining ways in which the American flag may be used as an emblem. To remit all taxes due the state from Hamilton county prior to 1891, when the county court house was destroyed by fire and all records thereby wiped out. To prohibit children under 15 years of age from carrying firearms. Amending the law fixing the time of holding annual

school meetings. To enable Ruth Aberly to sue school district No. 23 of Douglas county for personal injuries. Prohibiting the sale of liquor within four miles of an army post. Permitting cities to condemn property for school sites. Providing for not less than five nor more than seven junior normal schools, and that the appointive schools shall be relocated each year. To regulate giving of bonds for county funds by depository banks. Appropriating \$25,000 for test borings for the discovery of oil, coal, gas or artesian water. Providing for a representative form of government of fraternal insurance companies on a basis of 85 per cent of the membership.

SENATE—The anti-Christian Science bill passed the senate on the 22nd by a vote of 17 to 13. The doctors in the legislature make no secret of the fact that Governor Mickey will sign the bill and entertain no fears of executive disapproval. Senate file No. 276, by Gudd, was passed. This bill requires stock to be unloaded in the South Omaha yards within an hour and a half after its arrival. Senator Gilligan moved that the sitting committee take charge of the general file of the senate at 12 o'clock Thursday. This motion carried after several motions were made to delay the time of the sitting committee, as well as the committee of the whole. The following bills were passed: House roll No. 62, appropriating \$10,000 for a stock pavilion at the state fair grounds; house roll No. 165, the anti-Christian Science bill; house roll No. 173, appropriating \$100 in each county for farmers' institutes; house roll No. 217, regulating the payment of outstanding indebtedness in road districts; house roll No. 192, regulating the liability of officials; house roll No. 193, protecting state deposits in banks; house roll No. 195, allowing surety companies to go on liquor bonds; house roll No. 200, prohibiting a breach of trust in printers' contracts; senate file No. 241, regulating tax sales; senate file No. 178, defining property exempt from taxation; senate file No. 215, regulating the redemption of property sold at tax sales; senate file No. 281, providing for annual reports of insurance companies. Senate file No. 221, a bill raising the standards for county superintendents, was recommended for passage. Under the provisions of the bill county superintendents must be able to secure a first grade certificate. An appropriation of \$32,000 was voted for the Peru normal.

Use of Italics. The great days of italics were in the '30s of last century, when the London Figaro began its criticisms of politics, the drama, and society. Then every other word was italicized, and the effect today is as though every other word were a shriek. Until the '80s women retained the habit of underlining all but the prepositions and conjunctions in their letters, and there are still many women journalists who cannot get along without the stimulus of italics.

Some of the names of towns upon which Tennessee bases claims for prestige: Barefoot, Botts, Leap Year, Chimney Top, Chualuck, Half Pone, Hanging Limb, Ipe, Marrowbone, Mouse Tail, Opossum, Parch Corn, Peanut, Rip Shin, Sweet Lips, Tom Brown, U Bet, Yum Yum, Buzzard, Roost, Fits, Mashmed, Peeled Chestnut, Shoo Fly, Skull Bone, Snail-poke, Tiger Tail and Wahoo.—Washington Times.

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Man a Late Comer. Seventy-five million years is an estimate of the age of fishes; 25,000,000 years ago the huge amphibia flourished. The dinosaur lived probably 15,000,000 years ago, and about 10,000,000 years later the primitive horse appeared; and still no evidence of man. So it will be seen that man is a late comer on the earth, when looked at in the light of geologic time.

Crown Forests of Russia. The crown forests of Russia comprise 30,000,000 acres belonging to the Czar and 303,000,000 farmed by the national exchequer. The Czar employs 27,000 wood police, who cut 12,000,000 tons a year, chiefly for firewood. Twenty years ago woodcutters in the United States felled timber covering 10,000 acres daily.

"The Road to Canossa." This is an expressive phrase, denoting the entire submission of the State to the Church, or civil rights to ecclesiastical domination. It is derived from the unsuccessful attempt of Henry III, of Germany to escape the Papal rule in 1077, and his subsequent humiliating submission to Pope Gregory VII.

Grain Deteriorates in Milling. All grain deteriorates gradually after milling; a medical expert says that at least 50 per cent of all milled products offered to the consumer is the ordinary state is unfit for food. In Mexico this is thoughtfully understood, and the corn is ground in each household as it may be needed for immediate use.

SCIATIC TORTURE

PAIN SUFFERED BY MR. MARSTON

48 GREAT AS MORTAL CAN STAND.

For Six Months He Could Not Turn in Bed—He Tells of a Remedy Which Has Given Perfect Relief.

The case of Mr. Marston shows that sciatica can be cured, and no one afflicted by it should allow himself to be disheartened. He was first stricken about a year ago, and for six months he suffered pain which he thinks the most intense that any man could possibly stand. Asked about the details of his remarkable recovery, Mr. Marston gave the following account: "I was attacked by a numbness or dull feeling just back of my right hip. I didn't know what the matter was, but thought it was simply a stiffness that would wear away in a short time. It didn't, however, and soon the pain became so very bad that every step was torture for me. When I finally succeeded in getting home, it was just as much as I could do to reach my room and get to bed.

"The doctor was sent for, and when he had examined me he said I had sciatica. He prescribed for me, and advised me not to try to leave my bed. The advice was unnecessary for I couldn't get out of bed if I wanted to. It was impossible for me to turn from one side to the other. The moment I attempted to move any part of my body, the pain became so excruciating that I would have to lie perfectly motionless.

"Two months after I began to use them I was able to leave my bed and walk about the house, and a month later I was entirely cured and able to go about my work as usual. I think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the best medicine I ever used, and I heartily recommend them to anyone who suffers from sciatica."

Mr. Marston is a prosperous farmer and may be reached by mail addressed to Charles P. Marston, Hampton P. O., New Hampshire. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured other painful nervous disorders, such as neuralgia, partial paralysis and locomotor ataxia. They are sold by all druggists.

Inventor in Doubt. "Is your invention a success?" "I don't know yet," answered the mechanical genius. "It is such a simple and effective device that I don't know whether I can develop enough imaginative eloquence concerning it to make people subscribe for stock."

Horse Commits Suicide. In a lawsuit in Aberdeen, Wash., over a horse, the death of which in a flood the owner attributed to the carelessness of a man who had hired it, the court decided that the animal, which had suffered from melancholia for some time, committed suicide.

Don't you know that DeFiance Starch, besides being absolutely superior to any other, is put up 16 ounces in package and sells at same price as 12-ounce packages of other kinds?

Take care of your living, and your dying will take care of itself.

Hundreds of dealers say the extra quantity and superior quality of DeFiance Starch is fast taking place of all other brands. Others say they cannot sell any other starch.

A stiff man is not always a straight one.

Hint for Young Wives. The main thing is to realize that a man is as he is. You can't change him much. And the sooner you leave off trying to reform him the sooner you will be able to make him go through his paces and do the cute tricks he is capable of. Indeed he can be made quite tame by gentle treatment and may in time learn some of the finer things of life from his mistress. The proper study of woman-kind is man.—Syracuse Journal.

An Old Offender. "There's nothing new under the sun. The theory that mosquitoes transmit disease is not a recent development, as many suppose. At a late meeting of the Asiatic society, in Ceylon, Sir Henry A. Blake, governor of the island, announced that Cingalese medical books of the sixth century described sixty-seven varieties of mosquitoes and 424 kinds of malarial fever caused by mosquitoes."

Child's Idea of Bliss. A small child had been promised that if she were very good she should be taken to a hotel with her father and mother. When there, some old ladies, with a view to improving her mind, asked if she were a good little girl, and if she knew where good little girls went to. "Yes," she said; "they go to hotels."

Law of Life is Toil. If you want knowledge, you must toil for it; if food, you must toil for it; and if pleasure, you must toil for it. Toil is the law. Pleasure comes through toil, and not by self-indulgence and indolence. When one gets to love work, his life is a happy one.

Something Doing. This morning the sweet slumber of our peaceful and quiet town was aroused by bang, bang, bang, like the report of firearms, about 3 o'clock, indicating that a shooting affray was taking place in some part of town.—Monument Enterprise.

Two Kinds of People. Some are all right all day if they begin the day all right; but some other people are all right all day anyway, because if they don't begin the day right they jerk it into right.—Orville Sisson in "Short Talks."

Millions of Vegetables. When the Editor read 10,000 plants for 10c, he could hardly believe it, but upon second reading finds that the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., than whom there are no more reliable and extensive seed growers in the world, makes

1,000 fine, solid Cabbages,
2,000 rich, juicy Turnips,
2,000 blanching, nutty Celery,
2,000 rich, buttery Lettuce,
1,000 splendid Onions,
1,000 rare, luscious Radishes,
1,000 gloriously brilliant Flowers,
ALL FOR BUT 16c POSTAGE,

providing you will return this notice, and if you will send them 20c in postage, they will add to the above a package of famous Berliner Cauliflower. [W. N. U.]

Police Recover Rich Booty. Half a ton of lace, stolen property, packed in ten sacks, was discovered by London detectives a few days ago on the premises of a tailor.

You cannot teach where you do not touch.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
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CURES catarrh of the stomach.