

CURED OF GRAVEL.

Wet a Single Stone Has Formed Since Using Doan's Kidney Pills.

J. D. Dougherty, music publisher, of Suffolk, Va., says: "During two or three years that I had kidney trouble I passed 2 1/2 pounds of gravel and sandy sediment in the urine. I haven't passed a stone since using Doan's Kidney Pills, however, and that was three years ago. I used to suffer the most acute agony during a gravel attack and had the other usual symptoms of kidney trouble—lassitude, headache, pain in the back, urinary disorders, rheumatic pain, etc. I have a box containing 14 gravel stones that I passed, but that is not one-quarter of the whole number. I consider Doan's Kidney Pills a fine kidney tonic."

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

A worthy life is impossible without a worthy motive.—Ruskin.

Plan for Good Health! Take Garfield Tea now; it regulates the liver and kidneys, overcomes constipation, purifies the blood, and eradicates disease. It is made wholly of herbs.

The worst of slaves is he whom passion rules.—Brooke.

Lewis' Single Binder Cigar has a rich taste. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Nothing is impossible to the man who can will.—Emerson.

TONIC FOR MOTHERS

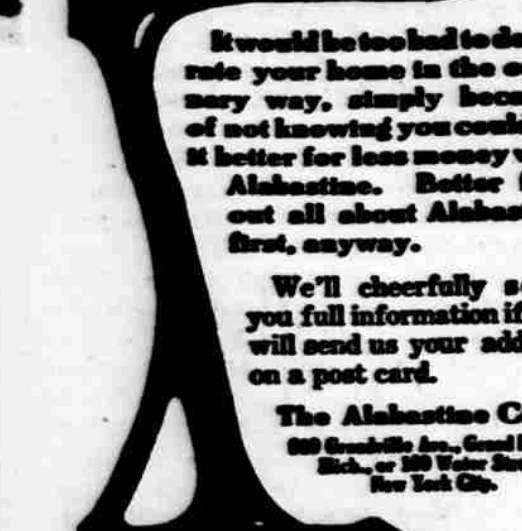
Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Are Safe and Reliable—A Favorite Household Remedy.

Motherhood may be the crowning blessing of a woman's life or it may bring grief and sorrow. Mrs. M. J. Wright, of 170 Seventh Street, Auburn, Maine, relates her experience after the birth of her daughter in 1901, as follows: "I was all run down at the time the baby came and did not improve in health rapidly after. I was pale, thin and bloodless. My stomach distressed me being full of gas all the time and my heart fluttered so that I could scarcely breathe."

"Finally I remembered that a friend had recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to me so I commenced using them. I gained in strength rapidly while the baby thrived also. When I expected my next child I started taking the pills again as a tonic and strengthener and had no such difficulty as before. I got up better and my strength came back much sooner."

"A year ago last winter I had an attack of rheumatism in the hands which went from one hand to the other. The joints swelled up and were so stiff I could not move them. The pain extended up through my arms and shoulders. I felt sick enough to go to bed but did not do so. This attack lasted for several months. I tried several remedies but finally came back to using the pills which had done me so much good before and found that they benefited me almost at once. I have not been troubled since."

All druggists sell Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, or they will be sent by mail post-paid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y. Send for book of cures.



THE CANADIAN WEST IS THE BEST WEST



Some of the Advantages: The phenomenal increase in railway mileage in this and border States has put almost every portion of the country within easy reach of schools, markets, cheap fuel and every modern convenience.

SICK HEADACHE

Carter's Little Liver Pills. Effectively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve the most distressing Biliousness. A perfect remedy for indigestion, flatulence, headache, dizziness, neuralgia, rheumatism, and all ailments of the liver and bowels.

Small pill. Small dose. Small price. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Genuine Must Bear the Signature of Dr. J. C. Carter.

THE REPORTER'S STORY

Clever Detective Work That Proved Fractions.

"I think I must have been born on Friday," said the disconsolate reporter, as he dropped into a chair near the window in a downtown hotel recently. "A blue envelope in the mail box, I suppose?" asked his brother scribe. "No, I was not fired—at least, I was on the pay roll when I left the office," said the first speaker.

"For two days," he continued, "I have been turning every angle to dig up a story. To-day I got the first line on it, and I worked like a Trojan. Ten minutes ago I met the fellow who knows the whole story. He laughed and showed me some newspaper clippings—the yarn was published three weeks ago."

"How long have you been in the newspaper game?" asked the other man, as he slid a little further down in the comfortable chair. "Three years," was the reply, "but this is the first time I ever got on such a sidetrack as this."

"Check up, old fellow. Let me tell you a story—a true one—that has happened to me five years before you became a cub." "One afternoon," he continued, "an anonymous letter came to the city editor. It told of a woman held prisoner in Chinatown. Beyond stating that the writer had seen her in a third-story window, and, further, that the writer shrank from publicity, there was no clew to the writer. Parrish, who has long since quit the newspaper game, was assigned to the story with me."

"What do you make of this letter?" said he, as we stood at Harrison and Clark streets. "Past me," said I, ready to get rid of the assignment. "Look again," said he. "Can't you see that it was written by a woman?" It is written with a stub pen. It is written on business stationery, and the woman who wrote it is not accustomed to writing with a stub pen. It was written from an office building, from an office that is on a floor lower down than the tenth floor."

"How do you make that out?" said I. "Well, the stationery you will allow. The finger print shows the girl got ink on her fingers, then left its imprint when she folded the letter. At the top here is about one-third of the left end of that line—three figures or three letters are partly left on the margin. Ninety to one those are figures denoting the room number. Do you follow me?"

"I replied that I did. "Now, three figures being the conjecture, the room must be between the first and the tenth floors of the building from which this letter came. The rest of that line shows seven type radicals. Naturally, let us conclude that it is the remnant of the building's name—a seven-letter name."

"Go ahead," said I. "Chinatown's back windows can be seen from Dearborn street only. The writer of this letter is employed in an office in a building the name of which contains seven letters—that building is on the west side of Dearborn street and also north of Harrison street."

"True enough, but how are you going to find the building and the room and the girl who wrote the note?" "We are going to make a canvass of Dearborn street for a building with seven letters in its name. A very easy job, inasmuch as we have only one block to cover. This paper is a peculiar blue. Janitors sell waste paper, you know, and when we locate the building we will locate the janitor. Ask him from what office paper similar to this has come."

"Clever idea," said I. "To locate the building was an easy matter. A half dollar got the information from the janitor. There were four rooms in the building from which paper of such a tinge had come. One of these rooms had a window with a west view and was on the eighth floor. In that room we found a young woman of perhaps 22. Parrish and I walked in. He did not mince words with the girl. "Kindly point out to us the window in which you saw that girl—a prisoner in Chinatown."

GHOSTS PLAY MANY PRANKS.

Grab Snaps from Bellringer and Cut Down Trees.

Ghastly happenings have disturbed the town of Kirkwall, the capital of the county of Orkney. On Wednesday night, says the London Daily Mail, the wife of the bellringer went to St. Magnus cathedral to sound the curfew at eight o'clock. This is an ancient custom still observed in theburgh. The bell had been tolled for less than a minute, when, it is alleged, a figure suddenly appeared at the woman's side, snatched her hands from the rope and as mysteriously disappeared. Another morning 20 trees which a few years ago were planted in front of the cathedral were found to have been cut down. The night was a calm one, with brilliant moonlight, and the trys were standing at one o'clock in the morning.

Hundreds of windows have an outlook on the spot, and many people who were still asleep at three o'clock in the morning did not hear the slightest sound outside. Yet an hour later every tree had been destroyed. The notice are halted."

BLOOD GETS SOUR.

Every Family Should Make Up This Home Mixture and Take Now.

At this time of year, says a well-known authority, the Kidneys become weak, clogged and inactive, failing to filter out the poisons and acids, which sour the blood, causing not only facial and bodily eruptions, but the worst forms of Rheumatism, Nervous and Stomach troubles, Backache and painful, annoying Urinary affections."

It is worth anyone's time now to get from some good prescription pharmacy the following ingredients: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Karger, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after your meals and at bedtime.

This simple home-made mixture will force the Kidneys to normal, healthy action, so they will filter and strain all uric acid and poisonous waste matter from the blood, and expel this in the urine, at the same time restoring the "red blood count"—that is, 95 per cent. red blood corpuscles—which is absolutely indispensable to perfect health."

Indians in United States.

In round figures, there are 234,000 Indians in the United States at the present time, 91,000 of whom are in Indian territory and 143,000 in Oklahoma. Of 103,000 in the coming state. Those of Indian territory, the five civilized tribes—Cherokees, Creeks, Choctaws, Chickasaws and Seminoles—have been managing their own affairs for two-thirds of a century, and are in all respects fitted for the citizenship which they are soon to exercise.

Churning Dogs.

A curious point in regard to the new dogs act occupied the attention of the Carnarvon county bench on Saturday, says the London Daily Mail. The superintendent reported that eight persons had applied for exemptions in respect of dogs which were used for churning. Inquired whether it had not been decided that to use dogs for such a purpose was cruelty, but several of his colleagues replied in the negative. The bench decided that the owners of the churning dogs must take out licenses.

Benefits of the X-Ray.

It is noted from Baltimore that during the ten years since the discovery of the X-ray important research has been made by the medical department of Johns Hopkins university through the use of the ray as a diagnostic agent; and the results of great benefit derived from the early diagnosis and study of aneurism, or morbid distention of the walls of arteries, through this agent have just been compiled by Dr. F. Howard Baker of the university.

The Cheerful Bohemian.

"I never see you that you aren't light-hearted and cheerful," they said to the sooty Bohemian. "Why is it, we wonder." "Well, you see," the Bohemian explained, "I've got so used to never having any money, to being always broke, to realizing that I've come to the end of my rope and there's nothing left for me, that I've made up my mind to make the best of it and take my medicine with a smile."

A FRIENDLY GROCER.

Dropped a Valuable Hint About Coffee. "For about eight years," writes a Michigan woman, "I suffered from nervousness—part of the time down in bed with nervous prostration. "Sometimes I would get numb and it would be almost impossible for me to speak for a spell. At others, I would have severe bilious attacks, and my heart would flutter painfully when I would walk fast or sweep. I have taken enough medicine to start a small drug store, without any benefit. One evening our grocer was asked that I quit coffee and use Postum, so he brought home a pkg. and I made it according to directions and we were both delighted with it.

FIGURES OF A CROP IN WESTERN CANADA.

How a Swan River Settler Has Succeeded.

Bealto, Manitoba, Nov. 26, 1906. At Swan River Valley, in May, 1906, a settler took up a homestead on Section 20, in Township 34, Range 29 West of the First Meridian, at that time 50 miles from a railway, telegraph, school or church. There is now a railway within two miles of my farm, and all these other advantages close at hand. His story is: "After making my homestead entry fee of \$10 I had \$45.00 total (forty-five dollars) capital. Through doing homestead duties in slack times of the year, I managed to get a start. I am a married man of 28 years of age. "I built my first house, or shack, and broke up 8 acres, putting five acres in crop the first year."

"This year, 1906, I had 80 acres in crop—65 acres in wheat, 20 acres of which yielded 850 bushels, or 42 1/2 bushels per acre; 15 acres of oats, which yielded 355 bushels, and one stack of oats in sheaf for feed. "Receipts for the year—\$1,087.10 Sold 1,755 bu. of wheat..... 71.50 Blue stone for seed..... 1.60 Paid for binder twine..... 30.90 Paid for hired help..... 120.00 Paid for threshing..... 107.00

Total.....\$1,272.35 Expenses of year— Blue stone for seed..... 1.60 Paid for binder twine..... 30.90 Paid for hired help..... 120.00 Paid for threshing..... 107.00 Total.....\$258.60 Receipts.....\$1,272.35 Expenditures..... 258.60 Balance.....\$1,013.75

Assets. 160 acres of land valued at...\$3,500.00 Frame house 20x26, valued at... 600.00 Farm implements..... 425.00 1 team horses and harness... 490.00 5 head young cattle..... 75.00 2 hogs..... 15.00 Receipts of this year's crop... 1,015.75 Total.....\$5,030.75 Liabilities..... 500.00 Loan on farm..... 500.00 Balance to my good.....\$4,530.75

Particulars as to how to secure low railway rates to the free homestead lands of Western Canada may be secured from any Canadian Government Agent. Many Children Take Sacrament. A notable confirmation took place recently in Dublin, at the pro-cathedral. Archbishop Walsh conferred the sacrament of confirmation on nearly a thousand children. The actual conferring lasted two hours, and the ceremony was concluded by the administering of the temperance pledge and a strong exhortation to the children to discharge faithfully all their religious duties."

FURIOUS HUMOR ON CHILD.

Itching, Bleeding Sores Covered Body—Nothing Helped Her—Cuticura Cures Her in Five Days.

"After my granddaughter of about seven years had been cured of the measles, she was attacked about a fortnight later by a furious itching and painful eruption all over her body, especially the upper part of it, forming watery and bleeding sores, especially under the arms, of considerable size. She suffered a great deal and for three weeks we nursed her every night, using all the remedies we could think of. Nothing would help. We tried the Cuticura Remedies and after twenty-four hours we noted considerable improvement, and after using only one complete set of the Cuticura Remedies, in five consecutive days the little one, much to our joy, had been entirely cured, and has been well for a long time. Mrs. F. Rufeisnacht, R. F. D. No. 3, Bakersfield, Cal., June 25 and July 20, 1906."

Man Export Milliner.

Charles Manners, the famous opera singer, is credited by a London expert with being one of the finest amateur milliners living, his work equalling some of the best French models.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it is guaranteed under the Pure Food and Drug Law.

We must not care for the length of life, but for a life sufficient for our duties. Life is long if it is full; but it is full when the soul hath completed its development and hath shown all its latent powers.—Seneca.

Garfield Tea is for those who desire an ideal laxative; it is simple, pure, mild and potent; it regulates the liver and kidneys, overcomes constipation and brings Good Health. It is guaranteed under the Pure Food and Drug Law.

A man may know much and yet be nothing.—Dr. Parker.

Advertisement for St. Jacobs Oil, featuring a figure of a man and the text: STIFFNESS, STITCHES, LAMENESS, CRAMP, TWISTS AND TWITCHES, ALL DEPART WHEN YOU APPLY ST. JACOBS OIL.

Advertisement for W. L. Douglas's \$3.00 and \$3.50 shoes, featuring a portrait of the inventor and text: W. L. DOUGLAS'S \$3.00 AND \$3.50 SHOES.

Garret says God with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES will remain bright and beautiful. No trouble to use.

It avails little to the unfortunate to be brave.—From the Spanish.

Mrs. Whitman's Bookbinding Shop. For children teaching, letters, the gram, religious instruction, algebra, plain, extra wide, etc. The book.

It is the gold of love that makes the quart of life worth while.—A. C. Mansingh.

Smokers here to call for Lewis' Single Binder Cigar to get it. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

People seldom improve, when they have no other model but themselves to copy after.—Goldsmith.

Give Defiance Starch a fair trial—try it for both hot and cold starching, and if you don't think you do better work, in less time and at smaller cost, return it, and your grocer will give you back your money.

When You Are Praised. When you are praised by a man for whom you cannot possibly do any favor and who, as you know, is aware of the fact, you may find it reasonably safe to conclude that he isn't laying it on a pinch too thick.

English Women Good Shots. Women who have recently joined the Wandsworth (England) Rifle club have proved so expert in the use of the rifle that scores of 35 out of a "highest possible" of 40 have frequently been recorded. The club committee is desirous of securing other women markshooters in order to arrange a match between the women and men.

Prosperity is a great teacher; adversity is a greater. Possession pampers the mind; privation trains and strengthens it.—Hasselt.

FRANK J. CHERRY takes notice that he is a partner of the firm of F. J. CHERRY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHERRY. Notary Public. Toledo, O.

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Advertisement for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, featuring text: Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Advertisement for Sloan's Liniment, featuring a portrait of a man and text: Sloan's Liniment is a whole medicine chest. Price 25c 50c & \$1.00.

Advertisement for California Fig Syrup Co., featuring text: One of the Important Duties of Physicians and the Well-Informed of the World.

Advertisement for Capicum Vaseline, featuring text: NO MORE MUSTARD PLASTERS TO BLISTER. THE SCIENTIFIC AND MODERN EXTERNAL COUNTER-IRRITANT. CAPICUM VASELINE.

Advertisement for Money Making Proposition, featuring text: MONEY MAKING PROPOSITION. CHESEBROUGH MFG. CO. 17 STATE STREET, NEW YORK CITY.