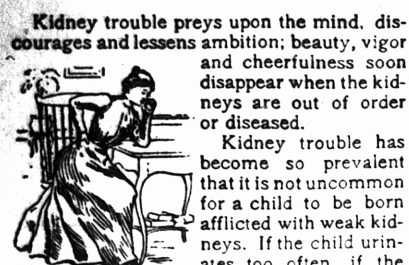


Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.



Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs.

This unpleasant condition is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of **Swamp-Root** is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.

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THE INVISIBLE HEARST.

In announcing a picnic to be given in the interest of the Hearst candidacy at Chicago on June 4 the promoters made two interesting statements, says the Chicago Chronicle (Democratic). One was that the picnic would be a sort of Mardi Gras and the other was that Mr. Hearst would be present.

It is wholly in keeping with the Hearst candidacy that any gathering in his interest that is not wholly riotous should partake of the character of Mardi Gras, a festival in which the participants vie with each other in acts of folly and clownish capers.

The presence of Candidate Hearst upon such an occasion in the logical role of Humpty Dumpty would seem to be demanded by the nature of the affair. If, however, he shall consent to appear as the "yellow kid," "E. Z. Mark," "Mr. Peewee" or any of the like innumerable characters a protean fate has ordained him to play, he will relieve his candidacy of its chief element of mystery by the visible evidence that there is such a person as Hearst.

The retainers and truncheon bearers who would like to look upon the person of their master should not rely too confidently upon the announcement that he will be present at the carnival of folly to be given in his honor. At the last moment, in all probability, he will send a letter of regret prepared for him by the man who does his thinking, pleading a prior engagement, an indisposition or the exigencies of the campaign.

There is practically no prospect that the hoi polloi who are now reveling in the comparative prosperity his candidacy has brought them will ever behold their benefactor, for the belief is still prevalent that Hearst is an astral body, invisible even to the faithful Hooligans and Gloomy Guses who believe in him. Whether this idea be true or not there is good reason why Hearst should not attend the Hearst Mardi Gras at Chicago, and it is found in the fact that the only democrat who claims ever to have seen him is out electioneering for Roosevelt.

Suspicious are weeds of the mind which grow of themselves, and most rapidly when least wanted.—Wallace.

LIVER TROUBLES

"I find Theford's Black-Draught a good medicine for liver disease. It cured my son after he had spent \$100 with doctors. It is all the medicine I take."—MRS. CAROLINE MARTIN, Parkersburg, W. Va.

If your liver does not act regularly go to your druggist and secure a package of Theford's Black-Draught and take a dose tonight. This great family medicine from the congested bowels, stirs up the torpid liver and causes a healthy secretion of bile.

Theford's Black-Draught will cleanse the bowels of impurities and strengthen the kidneys. A torpid liver invites bile, biliousness, chills and fever and all manner of sickness and contagion. Weak kidneys result in Bright's disease which claims as many victims as consumption. A 25-cent package of Theford's Black-Draught should always be kept in the house.

"I used Theford's Black-Draught for liver and kidney complaints and found nothing to equal it."—WILLIAM COFFMAN, Marblehead, Ill.

THEFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

Shopping in Japan.

Japanese ceremoniousness makes it a serious matter going to a Japanese shop unless you are going to buy silk handkerchiefs—the only things foreigners buy often enough to spoil the manners of the shopkeeper. You get out of your rickshaw, and the rickshaw boy explains your high and mightiness. Then all the attendants in the shop salaam till you wish they would get up and let you catch their eye and explain what you want. When they do get up the Japanese equivalent of the shopwalker and three or four counter jumpers in rotation ask you to repeat your order while they offer you five cups of tea. It is Japanese tea, and there is no milk or sugar, but you can have salted cherry blossoms if you want if it is a good shop. This is the Japanese way of offering the customer a drink. Good Japanese shops contain nothing except the attendants. When you have got as far as explaining what you want the proprietor gives orders to attendants. Off they go at a run—good servants always run and bring back the goods tied up in faded green silk handkerchiefs or in green cotton cloth.

His Little Bill.

When Brander Matthews went to his club one evening, according to the Bookman, he went to the letter box and looked through the compartment marked "M" and found therein a very peremptory demand from a tailor. Mr. Matthews was puzzled, as he had had no dealings with the insistent tailor, until he again looked at the envelope and found that he had unwittingly opened a letter belonging to another member of the club; so he put the bill back in the envelope and returned it to the compartment. As Mr. Matthews was turning to go he noticed the member for whom the bill was intended coming toward the letter box. A minute later he came into the reading room, where Mr. Matthews was sitting with several others. Taking from his envelope the bill, he read it attentively for a few minutes, sighed, tore it into bits, then, with a wink and the leer of an invincible conqueror, commented, "Poor, silly little girl."

The Fable in Russia.

This fable, dealing with the fall of Witte, the Russian finance minister, is related in a brochure entitled "A Glimpse at the Secrets of Russian Policy," published at Vienna. "The czar dreamed the following singular dream: He saw three cows, one fat, one lean and one blind. The next day he sent for the metropolitan Palladius and begged him to explain the dream, but the metropolitan declined. The czar then sent for Father John of Kronstadt and made the same request of him. Father John stroked his long curly hair with his hand and made reply in the following words: 'Your majesty, I understand your dream in this way: The fat cow is the finance minister, the lean one is the Russian people and the blind one—' 'Don't be afraid. Go on,' said the czar. 'The blind cow is—your majesty!'

Quick Arrest.

J. A. Gullidge of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c at Julia A. Story's, N. H. Petesch's, McHenry, and G. W. Besley's, W. McHenry, drug stores.

Washing Off the Russian.

England is always glad to get another citizen, but sometimes she goes about it in a strange manner, according to the Springfield Republican. A sailor deserted from a Russian battleship and joined an English crew on a faraway island. He told them that he was tired of the rule of the czar and wanted to become an English citizen. They were at a loss how to naturalize him, but finally each one threw a bucket of water on him and so washed off the Russian.

Made Young Again.

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again," writes D. H. Turner of Dempseytown, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at Julia A. Story's, N. H. Petesch's, McHenry, and G. W. Besley's, W. McHenry, drug stores.

Philosophy.

If we would realize the fact that life is pain, not pleasure, our quarrel with it would be gone, and we would accept thankfully a little scrap of dripping on our daily bread, but we go on expecting happiness, stand, empty plate in hand, beggars to an invisible cook, and we grow old standing there, but we won't budge.—Helen Mathers.

Married men do not live longer than single men, it only seems longer, and if either are troubled with Dyspepsia, Biliousness or Constipation the only safe and reasonable thing to do is to buy a bottle of Re-Go Tonic Laxative Syrup, the certain cure for Constipation, and live to die an old age. Sold in 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottles by G. W. Besley, druggist, W. McHenry.

In His Interest.

Jack—You know when Mabel rejected me last week I told you my troubles, and you promised to help me. Well, she accepted me last night. Am I to thank you for interceding for me? Cousin Belle—Not exactly, dear boy. I simply intimated to Mabel that I was after you myself.

Barred.

"There's one thing the women can't get into!" said the anti woman suffragist.

"What's that?" cried a chorus of feminine voices.

"The secret service!"—Detroit Free Press.

"I have derived great benefit from the use of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism and lumbago," says Mrs. Anna Hagelgans, Tuckahoe, N. J. "My husband used it for a sprained back and was also quickly relieved. In fact, it is the best family liniment I have ever used. I would not think of being without it. I have recommended it to many and they always speak very highly of it and declare its merits are wonderful."

Sold by all druggists.

PROBATE NEWS

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Andrew Robinson to John D. Fleming, nee n/4 sec 24, Nunda, \$1400 00
Clara B. Andrus to James Whyte, It 1, b 1 k 6, Walkups addn to Nunda, 1650 00
Floyd W. Coville & Co. to Maggie Marshall, Its 10 and 11, b 1 k 3, Paddock's addn to Crystal Lake, excepting etc., 4200 00
Elmer G. Westernman & Co. to Michael Bassow, lot 2, Assessor's plat, s/4 sec 11, Greenwood, 1200 00
J. R. Cleary per sheriff to Patrick Cleary, n/4 sec 35 and part of n/4 sec 36, s/4 sec 38, west of Fox river, McHenry, 49 00
Mary Weber & Co. to Walthera Stegman, east pt. It 2, b 1 k 12, county clerk's plat, McHenry, 1500 00
Kittie V. Leonard to L. D. Lowell, Jr., Its 7, s/4 sec 6, b 1 k 4, and part It 4, sec 6, Crystal Lake, 900 00
Edward Ruge to Clark H. Stewart, acre in s/4 sec 34, sec 20, Richmond, 650 00
Jacob Worts to Michael Worts, 1/4 in s/4 sec 34, sec 20, McHenry, 80 00
F. W. Coville & Co. to Emma Schell, pt. It 1, b 1 k 3, Paddock's addn to Crystal Lake, 1625 00
A. J. Murphy & Co. to L. B. Compton, undivided 1/2 of 1/2 of s/4 sec 18, Nunda, ranges 8, 1 00
Alice Morris to James Whyte et al, pt. It 10, b 1 k 1, Paddock's addn to Crystal Lake, pt. 2, 2 assessors plat adjoining same, 3100 00
Charles S. Owen & Co. to Jacob J. Hill, Its 4 and 5, E. M. Owen estate addn to West McHenry, 750 00
James Whyte & Co. to Mary E. Neville, north 30 feet, It 1, b 1 k 6, in Walkup's addn to Nunda, 650 00

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Amel Otto Heider, 28, Woodstock
Minnie Sophia Schroeder, 18, Greenwood
Charles Nickles, 23, Belvidere
Otto H. J. Senger, 27, Woodstock
Maud R. Cronan, 21, Woodstock
Harry A. Lemmon, 25, Woodstock
Paul Paulson, 19, Woodstock
George Willis Zimmerman, 26, Harvard
Esther Remison, 24, Harvard
Isaac Foshaage, 29, Mt. Horeb, Wis.
John C. Field, 28, Black Earth, Wis.
Frank Thompson, 23, Hebron
Ida Malsch, 19, Ringwood
Darius Merritt, 53, Mt. Carroll
Ellen Granger, 52, Wauconda
Edward F. Williams, 47, Beloit, Wis.
Mrs. J. B. Williams, 42, Milwaukee, Wis.
Henry F. Smith, 25, Marengo
Carrie Warner, 21, Union
The Original.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated

Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered, as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons.

Home-seekers' Excursions to the North-

west, West and Southwest,
Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates are on sale to the territory indicated above. Standard and Tourist Sleeping Cars, Free Reclining Chair Cars and "The Best of Everything." For dates of sale and full particulars apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y. 46 alt Jun 4

A Revelation.

If you will make inquiry it will be a revelation to you how many succumb to kidney or bladder troubles in one form or another. If the patient is not beyond medical aid, Foley's Kidney Cure will cure. The safest and surest remedy for all kidney and bladder diseases is Foley's Kidney Cure. It never disappoints. Sold by G. W. Besley, W. McHenry.

TERRA COTTA.

The Plaindealer will be sent to any address on trial three months for twenty-five cents, and will be discontinued at the expiration of that time unless otherwise ordered. Try it.

Per-fo.

Mrs. Edward Holist was a Nunda visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Paul Forrester spent Wednesday visiting at Nunda.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Marsh were Sunday visitors at McHenry.

Moses L. Earle of Oshkosh is visiting at J. H. Gracy's this week.

Thomas Thompson of Barreille was a caller in this vicinity the first of the week.

Mrs. Charles Partridge of Wanegon is the guest of J. H. Gracy and family this week.

The road commissioners are putting in a new bridge over the creek south of the station.

Miss Mamie Baldwin, who is assisting Mrs. E. Steffling at the boarding house, spent Sunday in Chicago.

Chas. A. Buck went to Elgin Monday to work, Ray McMillan is assisting T. R. Anderson at the depot.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Anderson and daughter spent Sunday and Monday with J. H. Gracy and family.

Mr. Bergman and son of Chicago accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bergman and son of Nunda spent Sunday at S. B. Leisner's.

Seventy-five cans of milk are being shipped daily from this station to Chicago, being the largest number of cans shipped from any station on the Fox River branch of the C. & N. W. Ry.

Job work of all kinds neatly done at this office.

Want Column.

All advertisements inserted under this head at the following rates: Five lines or less, 10 cents per insertion; 15 cents for each subsequent insertion. More than five lines, 50 cents a line for first insertion, and 30 cents a line for additional insertions.

WORK HORSES FOR SALE.—The undersigned has a few substantial work horses for sale, weighing from 1100 to 1400 pounds. More than five lines, 50 cents a line for first insertion, and 30 cents a line for additional insertions.

WANTED.—A man who understands ditching and dilling. Inquire of H. C. Mead, 41-47.

FOR RENT.—A brick store, 24x40, with collar full size and six neat living rooms over. For terms and other information address R. L. TRIMMER, Solon Mills, Ill.

FOR SALE.—Leather top, one seat phaeton, in good condition. Will be sold very cheap. Inquire of Dr. H. T. Brown, McHenry, 42-47.

WANTED.—Several industrious persons in each state to travel for horse establishment year and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for successful and profitable line. Permanent employment. Weekly cash salary of \$24 and all traveling expenses and hotel bills advanced in cash each week. Experience not essential. Mentally reference and enclose self addressed envelope. Manufacturers and Wholesalers, Dept. 3, third floor, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago, 46-47.

FOR SALE.—My property in West McHenry, in good condition. Inquire of J. E. Mead, 41-47.

FOR SALE.—Four new milch cows with calves by side; also two springers, call at once. JOHN R. SMITH, 1/4 miles south of McHenry bridge on river road.

CALL at S. Reynolds's mill and buy oak flooring at cheap rates; also orders taken for seed corn that I have tested and find that it will grow. 47-47

I have on hand a number of second hand and "re-built" Oliver typewriters which I will rent or sell cheap. W. C. EICHENBERGER, Local agent for the Oliver typewriter, 47-47.

An ad in The Plaindealer "want" column will bring results.

When You Plant Corn

you know how important it is that the full number of kernels must be dropped in each hill. You know how important it is that the hills must be in perfect alignment. You no doubt have had trouble with planters which did not do that kind of planting.

With the New Deere No. 9 Planter

you can not short-drop nor over-drop. It drops the required number of kernels every time. It plants in perfectly straight rows, regardless of the speed of the team. It has deep runners that wear long and is made of the best materials throughout insuring durability. You can see this planter at our store, we will show the mechanism and how it works. We want to show you some other good things in the Implement line. Call and let us have a chance.

WM. BONSLETT.

\$50,000.00 Cash Given Away to Users of LION COFFEE

We are going to be more liberal than ever in 1904 to users of **Lion Coffee**. Not only will the Lion-Heads, cut from the packages, be good, as heretofore, for the valuable premiums we have always given our customers, but

In Addition to the Regular Free Premiums

the same Lion-Heads will entitle you to estimates in our \$50,000.00 Grand Prize Contest, which will make some of our patrons rich men and women. You can send in as many estimates as desired. There will be

TWO GREAT CONTESTS

The first contest will be on the July 4th attendance at the **St. Louis World's Fair**; the second relates to **Total Vote For President** to be cast Nov. 8, 1904. \$50,000.00 will be distributed in each of these contests, making \$100,000.00 on the two, and, to make it still more interesting, in addition to this amount, we will give a **Grand First Prize of \$5,000.00** to the one who is nearest correct on both contests, and thus your estimates have two opportunities of winning a big cash prize.

Five Lion-Heads cut from Lion Coffee Packages and a 2 cent stamp entitle you (in addition to the regular free premiums) to one vote in either contest:

Printed blanks to vote on found in every Lion Coffee Package. The 2 cent stamp covers the expense of our acknowledgment to you that your estimate is recorded.

WORLD'S FAIR CONTEST

What will be the total July 4th attendance at the St. Louis World's Fair? At Chicago, July 4, 1893, the attendance was 253,751. For nearest correct estimates received in Woolson Spice Company's office, Toledo, Ohio, on or before June 30th, 1904, we will give first prize for the nearest correct estimate, second prize to the next nearest, etc., as follows:

1st Prize	\$25,000.00
2nd Prize	10,000.00
3rd Prize	5,000.00
4th Prize	2,500.00
5th Prize	1,000.00
6th Prize	500.00
7th Prize	250.00
8th Prize	100.00
9th Prize	50.00
10th Prize	25.00
11th Prize	10.00
12th Prize	5.00
2136 PRIZES.	TOTAL, \$20,000.00

4279—PRIZES—4279

Distributed to the Public—aggregating \$45,000.00—in addition to which we shall give \$5,000 to Grocers' Clerks (see particulars in LION COFFEE cases) making a grand total of \$50,000.00.

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Chicago & North-Western.

Effective Nov. 13, 1903
WEEK DAY TRAINS.

Leave Chicago. 9:00 a.m. Via Elgin. 10:08 a.m. 3:25 p.m. Via Des Plaines. 4:32 p.m. 5:01 p.m. Via Des Plaines. 6:40 p.m.

9:10 a.m. Via Des Plaines. 11:14 a.m. 2:02 p.m. Via Elgin. 5:00 p.m.

WEEK DAY TRAINS.

Leave Chicago. 7:32 a.m. Via Elgin. 10:10 a.m. 8:20 a.m. Via Des Plaines. 9:55 a.m. 3:25 p.m. Via Des Plaines. 7:00 p.m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

7:32 a.m. Via Elgin. 10:20 a.m. 5:00 p.m. Via Des Plaines. 7:00 p.m.

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This is the oldest house on the street. Tags and price lists furnished on application.

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sells Corn Shellers and Tread Powers, Duplex Grinding Mills, Rock Island Plows, Wagons, Carriages, Buggies, Wind Mills, Well Supplies, Harness Oil, Paint Oil and

Machine Oil a Specialty.

I am agent for the above. We put the bids on your buildings and should they be struck by lightning we pay damages if no more than \$500. Call and get full particulars.

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