DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED W. J. DIXON'S RHEUMA-TISM.

He was Crippled for Weeks Before ha Tried the Great Kidney Remedy-How the Cure was Effected.

Barwick, Rainy River. Ont., Dec. 28 .- (Special) .- The cold, wet weather, with its accompaniment of Rheumatic pains has set the people here talking of the case of Wm. John Dixon. Mr. Dixon, who is well known in this neighborhood, was a cripple from Rheumatism. To-day he has not a twinge of his old enemy anywhere in his body, and he gives all the credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I had an attack of Typhoid Fever," Mr. Dixon says in speaking of his cure, "and after I got over it, Rheumatism set in. I had pains in my back and in my right hip so bad I had to use a stick to walk. I had no comfort in sleeping and could no more than dress or undress myself for two months. For three or four weeks I could not put my right leg on my left knee.

"On my brother's advice I started using Dodd's Kidney Pills, and after taking three boxes I began to walk around and do my work as usual. I am all right now, and Dodd's Kidney Pills did it."

Rheumatism is caused by uric acid in the blood. The natural way to cure it is to get the uric acid out of the blood. If the Kidneys are sound they will take all the uric acid out of the blood. Dodd's Kidney Pills make the Kidneys sound

NEW POSTAL DEPARTURE

Scheme Devised By British Postmaster-General.

Satisfied that a "cash-on-delivery" system of parcel postage will serve the greatest good of the greatest number the British Postmaster-General has had an outline of the scheme prepared for the information of shop-keepers, large and small.

The scheme proposed is as follows: Parcels and registered postal packets will he handed over to the Post Office on the understanding that the sender receives through the Post Office the money due to him on them or gets his parcels back.

Parcels and packets will be accepted at every post office, and delivered in every part of the United Kingdom by postmen who will collect on delivery trade charges of moderate amount.

The sender of a trade charge packet-i.e., C.O.D.-will be required to write on the cover his name and address and the amount to be collected on delivery, and also to tender with the packet a form of request. The receiving post office will give the sender a certificate of posting.

The postman taking out the packet from the office of delivery will collect the charge. No receipt will be tracts," "The Peacemakers," "The that destroyer of rest, I have it." taken or given on delivery. The Lightning Conductors," and "The money will be remitted to the send- Blind Half-Hundred." The Royal er of the parcel by a money order Army Medical Corps are known as or postal order.

For the services rendered a small postage.

Commenting on the plan, aigh official at St. Martin's-le-Grand said that the advantage of the national C. O. D. system as against the ordinary carrier was that, while the ordinary carrier serves only where he can make a profit, the Post Office will serve near and far, large customers or small, without distinction and at a uniform rate. The small shopkeeper will be able to order goods from wholesale houses with greater facility than previously.

HORSE'S SENSE OF SMELL.

I horse will leave musty hay untouched in his bin, nowever hungry. He will not drink of water objectionable to his questioning sniff, or from a bucket which some odor makes offensive, however thirsty. His intelligent nostril will widen, quivful at a gulp. A mare is never sather colt is really her own until she sorely against their will-make it has a certified nasal proof of the not allow the approach of any stranger without showing signs of anger not safely to be disregarded * * * The distinction is evidently made by his sense of smell, and at a considerable distance. Blind horses, as a rule, will gallop wildly about a pasture without striking the surrounding fence. The sense of smell informs them of its proximity. Others will, when loosened from the stable, go direct to the gate or bars opened to their accustomed feeding grounds, and when desiring to return, after hours of careless wandering will distinguish one outlet, and patiently await its opening.

WHY TRUNKS ARE TRUNKS

Have you ever wondered why a box in which you pack your clothes is called a trunk? If you go to the old church of Minister, in Kent, you will there be shown an old wooden. box, of which the rounded lid is made of a portion of a trunk of a tree hollowed out. This old box is supposed

to be the actual box brought to England by William the Conqueror who kept in it the money wherewith he paid his troops. So from Normandy came the idea, which British ingenuity has improved upon, until the result is the traveling trunks with which we are accompanied in these days when we undertake an extended visit or a sight-seeing tour of the world, and by which we are enabled to dress as becomingly and comfortably, no matter what extremes of climate we may encounter, as though we were at home with wardrobes full of clothing at hand.

A CONVICT'S WEDDING.

A man who had just been sentenced at Geneva for two years' imprisonment for assault, was by the clemency of the court, allowed to marry before settling down to the prosaic realities of hard labor. On the wedding morning, therefore, the convict-bridegroom duly handcuffed, was escorted from prison to the offices of the magistrate, where the civil ceremony took place, two prison warders in uniform standing by as witnesses. After that this curious bridal party to make as much hay as possible dur- the Casino Theatre. ing his brief glimpse of sunshine. The only skeletons at the feast were the uniformed representatives of the shortens his days. law, who, however, seem to have made their presence as little irksome as was consistent with the due performance of their rather anxious du-

SHOULD MEN EXERCISE IN MID-DLE AGE?

Middle age is from forty-five to sixty-five, unless, indeed, from sheer laziness, from indolent habits, and indoor life with the windows closed. from smoking, from drinking and eating too much, the individual has become prematurely aged and podgy writes a physician. One sign premature age is put in front. The person finds it somewhat inconvenient to stoop to tie his shoes, and to rise from the crouching position. I don't know that I could cure a case of this sort, but if the patient did all I bade him I should have a good try, and I think I could give kind, should be taken every morn- Mrs. Greening, one day. ing and afternoon of a man's life. That and the morning bath, with bright and cheerful and active as a world; that without him-" mountain trout.

REGIMENTAL NICKNAMES.

Almost every corps in the army has a nickname. The "Rusty Buckles," "The Straw Boots," "The Daily some crack cavalry regiments. Some regiments of the line are known as going to divide the honors. If you "The Holy Boys," "The Elegant Ex-"The Pills" and "The Linseed Lancers," and the transport part of the fee will be caarged in addition to the Army Service Corps as "Pickford's Hussars."

> "For nine years I was disfigured with you a hairpin." Tetter on my hands. Dr. Agnew's Ointment cured it." 35 cents .-- 31

When a married man declares that he never felt better in his life, his other half should look out for squalls.

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CHURCH'S WHITE ELEPHANT.

offered by the fairest of hands, with villa in repair, says the Church take it away from him." coaxings that would make a mortal Times. The church's magnificent colshut his eyes and swallow a mouth- lection of white elephants- these imposing residences and spacious isfied by either sight or whinny that grounds which the clergy occupy, so difficult for observers to realize the fact A blind horse, now living, will poverty which too often is found in conjunction with them.

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COMPENSATION

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"Oh," was the reply, "they're just as bad in Lunnon, for a' that time they never hear what we are daein'

The youngest conductor of an orchestra in the world is little George adjourned to the house of the newly- Howard Mcredith, of New York, who wedded pair and sat down to a is only five years old and but 3 feet sumptuous repast. The day passed high. He has been astonishing New in feasting and song, the bridegroom Yorkers by the ability he has shown evidently having made up his mind in conducting the large orchestra at

If a man lengthens his nights he lined his views on the needs of the | Of all the games of chance matn

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CHOOSING THE NAME.

"My dear, I have been reading up him back at least ten years of his within the past week, and I think life. Exercise, never of a violent I have a name for the baby," said

"You have, ch? What is it?" "I read that Phoebus, the god of massages and friction, will keep a day, comes up bright and beautiful man of even seventy or eighty as in the morning; that he lights the

> "Now look here, madam; let's have no foolishness here. You can't call that child by any such name. Did Phoebus of history yell from 11 p.m. to 3 a.m., and intermittently from three to seven o'clock! I myself am matter of getting up, and I'm not at four o'clock." want a mythological cognomen for "What is it?" asked Mrs. Greening,

with considerable asperity. "Aurora!" brutally yelled Elisha. Then he left the house.

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"A great, big, able-bodied man like you ought to be ashamed to ask a There are scores of parishes up and stranger for money," said the welldown England where one finds a to-do citizen. "I know I ought," anlordly dwelling house as the parson- swered Meandering Mike. "But, misage, with an income for the parson ter, I'm jes' naturally too kinder and query over the daintiest bit which would not keep a suburban hearted to tap 'im on de head and

LUXURY FOR DOMESTICS.

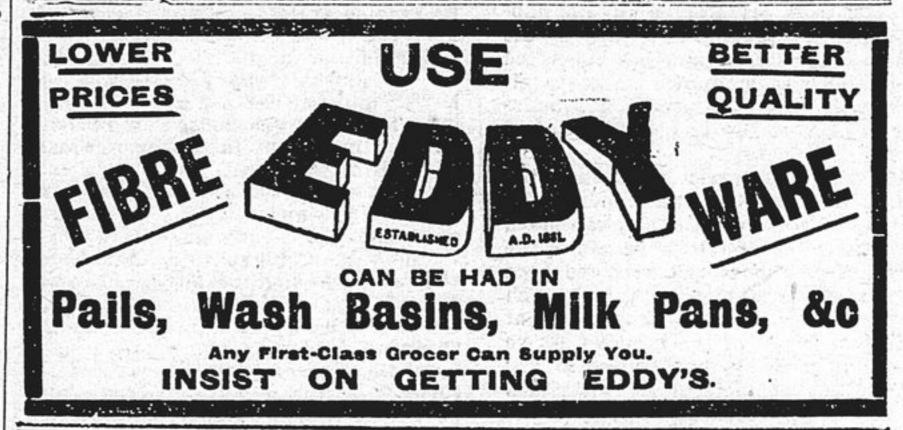
the way of servants' accommodation and humorous Irishman, and said: prevails at Bryanston, England, the "Kind sir, could you give a copper huge palace built by Norman Shaw to a poor old woman who is short of for Lord Portman, where every de- breath?" The Irishman gave her a partment possesses its own private quarter, with the remark: "There sitting room, and where the house- you are, my good woman. Now, maids, laundry-maids and kitchen- don't take any more, for, begorra, maids all have their separate apart- | ye may be short of breath, but what ments distinct from those of the up- ye do have of it is mighty strong." per servants.

THAT BOY WILL DO.

A well-known artist has a young son who serves to keep the family from falling into a state of lethargy. The other day the new minister of the church, in whose Sunday-school the artist is interested, was due to It will cure you easily and quickly | call, and the artist said to his wife, 'My dear, I wish you'd send that hopeful of ours upstairs while the parson is here."

> A proclamation of banishment was accordingly issued. The minister arrived and took his seat on a sofa. Things went on smoothly for ten minutes, and the caller had just out-

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Sunday-school when a pause fol- mony is the most hazardous.

Suddenly there came from under the sofa a terrific blast from a tin horn. The good man sprang up in alarm, and the artist dived down with the intention of pulling his son out and making an example of him. All he found was a tin horn, over the mouthpiece of which was stretched one end of a long piece of rubber tubing leading suspiciously into the stair and upward.

"Never mind," said the minister, resuming his seat; "your son seems to be right in line with modern inventors; the horseless carriage, wireless telegraph, the boyless horn."

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dren's party?" "I think so. He BASTEDO'S "Did little Jim enjoy that child-Advertisers," are the nicknames of doing the god-of-day business in the wasn't hungry until next afternoon

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