

STARTLING STORY OF MRS. ADAMS

Stricken With Bright's Disease, all Hope of Life Was Abandoned.

Her Restoration to Health Causes a Sensation in the Medical World.

Doctors Gave Her Up, But Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Her Completely.

Collingwood, Ont., Jan. 25.—(Special).—While Canada stands aghast at the terrible inroads Bright's Disease is making on the ranks of the brightest and best of her citizens; while the medical profession stand helpless before the dread destroyer of life, Collingwood has among her citizens one who knows all its terrors, who has been carried down by it till the portals of death were open to receive her, and who to-day is a strong, healthy woman—a woman who knows Bright's Disease in all its hideousness, but who fears it not, because she knows its cure.

Mrs. Thomas Adams is this lady's name, and she has now been a resident of Collingwood for a year and a half. Before that she lived in Burk's Falls, where she is widely known and highly respected. Mrs. Adams feels it her duty to spread the good news all over Canada, all over the world, that she has found a cure for Bright's Disease, and that that cure is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

MRS. ADAMS' STORY. "Yes," she said, when interviewed regarding her case, "my friends can tell you how terribly ill I was. My doctor pronounced it Bright's Disease and Sciatica, but I got no relief from anything he gave me. It was Dodd's Kidney Pills that drove away the terrible disease, raised me from my bed of suffering, and made me a well and happy woman.

"I was for years troubled with a pain in my back, at times I would have to keep my bed. In March, 1900, I got so bad with pains in my back and hip that I was more helpless than an infant, and at times gave up all hope of getting well. I had no power of my back or limbs. "I was for eight months an invalid, and my sufferings during that time were something too terrible for words to describe. My doctor said I had Bright's Disease, but he could do nothing to give me relief.

HOW THE CURE CAME. "It was then a friend of my husband induced me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I had no faith in them, for I never expected to get better. But I tried them, and I thank God that I did. They brought me relief almost from the first, and after taking three boxes I was able to do my own work and look after my children.

"It is three years since I started using Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I have not had a return of my trouble since. When I feel a little out of sorts I just get a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and they drive all the pains away."

It is needless to say Mrs. Adams' friends all use Dodd's Kidney Pills. They find that a remedy that cures Bright's Disease easily disposes of all the earlier stages of Kidney complaint.

RADIUM IN MEDICINE.

Wide Field in Which Its Marvelous Agency May be Used.

The marvellous properties of radium have made it a matter of wide interest to almost everyone, but to the medical man its possible value as a therapeutic agent renders it a subject of special importance says a writer in the Medical Journal. Already many investigators are turning their attention to the treatment of various forms of disease by means of radium, and many fields have been proposed as promising ones for investigation of its action.

For instance, among the various diseases in which it has been tried may be mentioned certain malignant growths, such as epithelioma and other superficial cancers, lupus, certain skin diseases, blindness from atrophy of the optic nerve, etc. Its effect upon micro-organisms and fermentation, as well as its likely action upon the tissues and fluids of the body, suggests that, if it could be harmlessly introduced into the system, a vast field of positive usefulness lies before it. To take its effect upon micro-organisms first. As we have stated, it is admitted to have a very considerable inhibitory effect upon the functional activity of carious bacteria, moulds, etc., and it is at any rate possible that it may possess a like effect upon protozoa. This at once suggests a value for its systematic employment, should such be practicable.

Now, the property possessed by radium of imparting its activity to various fluids, e. g., normal saline solution, seems to offer reasonable ground for hope that, in this way, it may be therapeutically administered internally, and the fight against bacterial disease be waged directly in the tissues affected, through the agency of the blood and lymph circulations and the various internal secretions.

Another diseased condition in which the induced radioactive salt

solution is likely to prove of service is fermentative, gastro-intestinal indigestion, with its long train of symptoms due to auto-intoxication. It is also hoped that the "radium fluid" will have a favorable effect on malignant disease of the stomach and intestine.

As to local employment, that is already under investigation, for radium has met with more or less success in many superficial diseased conditions. Its local use, however, will be found far more convenient if we can get the desired results by the employment of the induced radioactive salt solution. By this method we can use it as a local application, inhalations, collyria, etc.

In its use in surgical dressings, compresses can be saturated with this solution and applied over large areas which could not be reached by the radium rays.

As a spray it will be found useful in catarrhal affections of nose, throat and lungs, by coating the membranes with a fine film of radioactive matter. This active matter is antiseptic and will remain in the tissues for several hours. The radioactivity of this active matter may be intensified by exposing the patient to the ultraviolet rays, and by the internal use of quinine.

While all these possibilities of the use of radium fluid may not be borne out by actual clinical experience, nevertheless, owing to the already known properties of radium and induced radioactive substances, it is certainly worth while to try them—especially in pathological conditions which are not amenable to other forms of treatment.

BOTH MADE A DISCOVERY.

Stopping at a certain hotel, a commercial traveller, having retired to rest, became unaccountably conscious that his bed-clothing was anything but properly aired. He jumped up in a rage, stuffed the offending sheets up the chimney, and rolled himself in the blankets.

Some twelve months afterwards his travels brought him to the same hotel. When shown up to his room the chambermaid scrutinized him rather closely, and then said:—

"Dear me, sir, you are the same gentleman! Do you know, a most curious thing happened when you were here last?"

"What was that?" he asked. "Why," she said, "the sheets disappeared, and we could not think what became of them."

"Oh, indeed!" he replied. "Then get me my bill directly; you've not had a fire in this room since, or you would have found your sheets—where all damp linen ought to be—up the chimney!"

MOVING A CHURCH.

A singular piece of work has lately been carried out in Russia. At the village of Kotchausk, near Novgorod, stood a full-sized church which was pronounced to be in an unsafe condition and was to be pulled down. But the building contained many souvenirs of the famous Marshal Souvorov, and his old regiment, which is stationed at St. Petersburg, decided to possess it. Money being no object the whole church was carefully taken down, each piece being numbered, and loaded into 330 wagons. It was then transported to the capital, and there has been re-erected with such care that it is as good as new and may last for centuries.

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A MODEL RAILWAY.

What Our Travelling Representative Says of the G. T. R.

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A dinner recently given by a hostess whose hospitality is notoriously inadequate, was of the usual kind that her friends expected. It served merely as an appetizer to one hungry visitor, and when the coffee was served, indicating that the dinner was at an end, his dissatisfaction was amusing to the other guests. The hostess did not notice it, however, and said to him, amiably, "Now, do tell me when we may have the pleasure of your dining with us again." "Immediately, madam, immediately," was the unexpected reply.

The Governor's Wife a Prisoner.—Mrs. Z. A. Van Loven is the wife of the governor of the county jail, Napanee, Ont., and was a great sufferer from rheumatism. When the best doctors in the community and "specialists" failed to help her, she buried her scepticism of proprietary remedies and purchased South American Rheumatic Cure. 4 bottles cured her.—42

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BIRDS' BIG APPETITES.

If a man could eat as much in proportion to his size as a sparrow is able to consume he would need a whole sheep for dinner, a couple of dozen fowls for breakfast, and six turkeys for his evening meal. A tree-sparrow has been known to eat 700 grass seeds in a day. Birds can and do work far harder than human beings. A pair of house-martins when nesting will feed their young on an average once in twenty seconds—that is, each bird, male and female, makes ninety journeys to and fro in an hour, or perhaps 1,000 a day. It must be remembered that

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DEARTH OF TEACHERS.

A state of things probably without parallel in any European country is recorded for the year just opening in connection with primary education in Spain. It is that some 3,200 schools will have to remain closed for want of teachers. This is explained by the fact that the pay of the Spanish schoolmaster is, perhaps, lower than anywhere else in the world, hundreds even of men teachers receiving only about 1½d. a day. Notwithstanding this miserable state of things, the schools budget is to be cut down by about £32,000.

For Over Sixty Years Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, always cures the wind colic, regulates the stomach and bowels, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

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Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

"I have just been reading the account of a railway wreck in which every occupant of the smoking-carriage was more or less injured, while the rest of the passengers in the train escaped without harm," said old Hodge. "There, Ezra," exclaimed Mrs. Hodge, triumphantly, "there is another warning against the use of tobacco!"

ORGANIC HEART DISEASE

Nervousness and Indigestion Relieved in 30 Minutes.

The Rev. Father Lord, Sr., Montreal, Canada, says: "I have been a sufferer for 20 years from organic heart disease, nervousness and dyspepsia and have doctored both in France and America, with but temporary relief. I tried Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure and was indeed surprised at the immediate relief I obtained. I am firmly convinced that it will cure any case of heart disease and will strengthen the nerves and stomach." Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are the best. Only 10c for 40 doses.

Miss Futt—"And so you were in the Crimean War, major. Were you with the Light Brigade in their heroic charge?" Major Ananias Bluff—"I—er—came very near being in that historic charge, Miss Futt. Never was so disappointed in my life. They would take but six hundred, and I—er—was number six hundred and one."

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

"There is a man," he said, "who you would scarcely think is making a handsome income by his pen." "I certainly would not," was the reply; "he looks anything but literary." "But he does; he is a part of a show, and writes with his toes."

Speechless and Paralyzed.—"I had valvular disease of the heart," writes Mrs. J. S. Goode, of Truro, N.S. "I suffered terribly and was often speechless and partially paralyzed. One dose of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gave me relief, and before I finished one bottle I was able to go about. To-day I am a well woman."—43

"When that young man comes, Bridget, show him into the parlor." "My young man or yours, mum?"

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