

## SHE WAS IN BED FOR THREE YEARS

PAIN-RACKED WOMAN CURED BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Strong Statement by Mrs. Jas. Hughes of Morley, Ont.—She's Strong and Healthy Once More. Morley, Ont., Oct. 7.—(Special).—

What Dodd's Kidney Pills are doing for the suffering women of Canada will never be fully known. It is only when some courageous woman breaks the secrecy that covers woman and her troubles that a passing glimpse of their great work is given. For this reason a statement made by Mrs. Jas. Hughes, of this place, is of more than passing interest.

"I was a great sufferer for four years," says Mrs. Hughes, "I was treated by five doctors and a specialist from the U. S. I tried nearly every kind of medicine I could hear of, but none seemed to do me any good."

"I was in bed for nearly three years. I had pains in my spinal column, in my head, over my eyes, across my back and through my left side. I took fourteen boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and now I am strong and able to do a good day's work, thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

### GRAND NEW YORK EXCURSION

Goes Via Lackawanna Railroad Thursday, October 12th.

The annual Harvest Home Excursion of the Lackawanna to New York will take place Thursday, Oct. 12th. Tickets good for return within ten days will be sold at all stations in New York at one fare plus one dollar for the round trip. New York is at its best in mid-October. The theatrical and opera seasons are in full force. The trade display is new and bright. The mountains are filled with color and there is just the right crispness in the air. Besides the usual attractions in New York, the following special features may be noted for the benefit of patrons of this excursion. The sensational Vanderbilt Challenge Cup Auto Race; the Physical Culture Show, and games; the Wine and Liquor Dealers' Exposition; International Foot Ball games. Arrange to go and see the nearest Lackawanna agent for time of trains and reservations. If not convenient, write, wire or phone Fred P. Fox, D.P.A., Buffalo, N. Y.

### FUNERAL CAKES.

There is a grimly humorous anecdote of the dying Yorkshireman who asked his daughter for a slice of the ham she had just removed from the stove, and was refused on the ground that "Ham's not for thou; ham's for t' funeral." It may be capped by one found in "Pages From a Country Diary," a book of sketches of English country life.

A curate went one day to visit an aged parishioner, a small farmer, whose end was daily expected. Finding him rather better on this occasion, and propped up in bed, he proposed to read a chapter of the Bible to him. The sick man gratefully agreed, but paid scant attention to the discourse, because he was constantly fumbling under his pillow for some form of edible which he mumbled with evident satisfaction between his toothless gums. At last the curate stopped reading, and asked him what he was doing.

The old man smiled slyly.

"Why," he said, in a triumphant whisper, "they bak't some spongy biscuits agan moy veneral, an' hid 'em in the coopboard, but they don't know as 'ow I vound 'em, and—" with a senile chuckle of delight—"when I be gone, an' they come to luke for 'em, they won't vaine none on 'em left!"

Mabel—"Where does Madge get her good looks from, her father or her mother?" Edy—"From her father. He keeps a chemist's shop."

### "GOLD GOLD."

"Good," He Says, "But Comfort Better."

"Food that fits is better than a gold mine," says a grateful man.

"Before I commenced to use Grape-Nuts food no man on earth ever had a worse affliction from catarrh of the stomach than I had for years."

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able for my use.

"Grape-Nuts food I have found easily digested and assimilated, and it has renewed my health and vigor and made me a well man again. The catarrh of the stomach has disappeared entirely with all its attendant ills, thanks to Grape-Nuts, which now is my almost sole food. I want no other." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ten days' trial tells the story. There's a reason.

### WORLD'S RAILROADS.

At the beginning of the present year there were 537,105 miles of railroad in the world, of which 270,386 were in America, 187,776 in Europe, 46,592 in Asia, 15,649 in Africa and 16,702 in Australia. Of European mileage Germany leads with 84,000, in round numbers, followed by Russia with 33,000; France 26,000; Austria-Hungary, 24,000; the United Kingdom, 22,000; Italy, 10,000; Spain, 8,000; Sweden and Norway, 7,000. In Europe the average cost of railroad construction is estimated at \$107,577 per mile, and in the remainder of the world \$59,680. The total value of the railroads of the world is \$43,000,000,000, the European roads being estimated at \$22,000,000,000. The estimate for rolling stock is 150,000 locomotives, 225,000 passenger coaches and 3,000,000 freight cars. By America is meant the United States, Canada and South and Central America. The United States has 208,000 miles of road besides sidings.

### HENS ON HIRE.

A smart Californian farmer has made a remarkable success in a branch of poultry-farming which is not only novel, but which he claims is doing a good deal to increase and improve the poultry-keeping of the country. As a branch of his poultry-farming he announced some time ago that he was willing to hire out good laying hens to any would-be poultry-keepers, and so great was the demand that very shortly he decided to devote himself entirely to this business. He began in earnest last year, and this season he had 10,000 young hens for leasing, and he hopes next year to have 50,000 hens. His method of business is to charge three cents (1½d.) for each dozen eggs laid by the hens lent out. When a hen is non-productive. So far as the business has gone it has been found that each hen on the average lays 150 eggs a year, the money return for the hire being just 1s. 6½d. All the hens are white Leghorns.

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He—"Is he a well-informed man?" She—"I should say so. His wife tells him everything."

ONE OF THE BEST old time remedies for all skin affections, such as Eczema, Ringworm, Scald-head and similar affections is Weaver's Cerate. It is an ointment that has brought relief to thousands.

Judge—"It seems to me I've seen you before." Prisoner—"You have, my lord. I used to give your daughter singing lessons." Judge—"Twenty years."

They Are Not Violent in Action.—Some persons, when they wish to cleanse the stomach, resort to Epsom and other purgative salts. These are speedy in their action, but serve no permanent good. Their use produces incipient chills, and is persisted in they injure the stomach. Nor do they act upon the intestines in a beneficial way. Parmelec's Vegetable Pills answer all purposes in this respect, and have no superior.

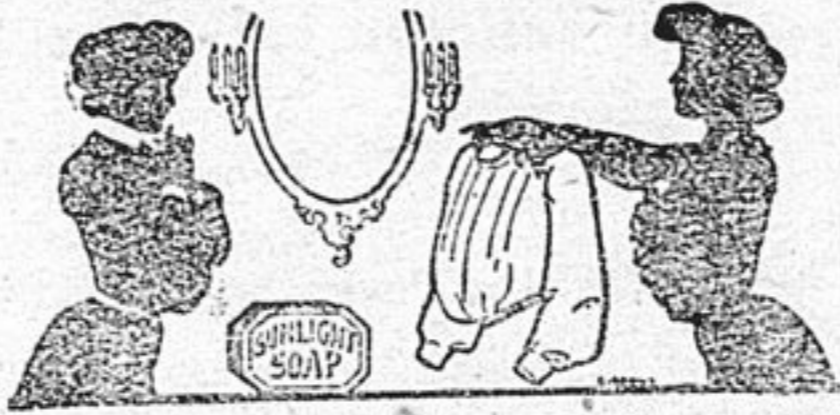
### A WONDER IN BEARDS.

The most hirsute man in the world is not to be found in the "greatest show on earth." He is a Frenchman, and is content to live as a moulder in the ironworks of Montlucon, earning his livelihood by labor, though often tempted by large offers to make an exhibition of himself. His name is Louis Coulon, and he is seventy-nine years of age, but makes it a point of pride, after moulding for sixty-seven years, to refuse a retiring pension before he is eighty. He is only a little man, but his beard is 14ft. 2in. long, and is crowned by a moustache 60in. from tip to tip. When Coulon is at work he rolls up his beard and tucks it under his shirt. There is something of heredity about his case. His father had a beard reaching to his knees, and two of his great-uncles, sappers in the army of Jourdan, had enormous beards.

### A GIGANTIC ROPE.

The biggest rope ever used for haulage purposes has just been made for a district subway in Glasgow. It is seven miles long, 4½ inches in circumference and weighs nearly 60 tons. It has been made in one unjoined and unspliced length of patent crucible steel. When in place it will form a complete circle around Glasgow, crossing the Clyde in its course, and will run at a speed of fifteen miles an hour.

Madge—"I've got a letter from Frank in India." Ethel—"Oh, how delightful!" Madge—"Well, I'm not so sure about that. He tells me that he has shot a tiger, and if he can shoot another one he will get a pair of slippers made for me out of the skins."



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### REAL THING.

Doctor—"The indications are that you have throat trouble." Patient—"You bet I have. Three of my daughters are taking singing lessons."

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"Has Bixton much faith in homeopathy?" "I should say so. Last summer when he had an attack of hay fever he married a grass widow."

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Tess—"Percy Vere was telling me that he still hopes to have the luck to win you." Jess—"Well, Percy will find that it takes more than luck to win me. I'm no raffle."

Eyes and Nose ran Water.—G. G. Archer, of Brewer, Maine, says: "I have had Catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose for days at a time. About four months ago I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, and since using the wonderful remedy I have not had an attack. It relieves in ten minutes." 50 cents.—17

"I'm sorry, but I can't pay your bill to-day." "It has been running a long time, sir." "All the more reason, then," was the bland reply, "that it should be given a rest."

An End to Bilious Headaches.—Rheumatism, which is caused by excessive bile in the stomach, has a marked effect upon the nerves, and often manifests itself by severe headache. This is the most distressing headache one can have. There are headaches from cold, from fever, and from other causes, but the most excruciating of all is the bilious headache. Parmelec's Vegetable Pills will cure it—cure it almost immediately. It will disappear as soon as the pills operate. There is nothing surer in the treatment of bilious headache.

Husband (during the honeymoon)—"I was awfully nervous when I proposed to you. I was afraid you wouldn't accept me." Wife—"And I was awfully nervous for weeks before you proposed. I was afraid you wouldn't."

NO SUBSTITUTE for "The D & L Menthol Plaster, although some unscrupulous dealers may say there is. Recommended by doctors, hospitals, clergy and everybody, for stiffness, pleurisy, etc.

"I suppose," said the landlady scornfully, "you think you are smart to lock up everything before you leave your room?" "I had not thought anything about it," replied her lodger; "but now that you mention it perhaps I was."

When Rheumatism doubles a man up physician and sufferer alike lose heart and often despair of a cure, but here's the exception. Wm. Pepp, of Norwood, Ont., says:—"I was nearly doubled up with rheumatism. I got three bottles of South American Rheumatic Cure and they cured me. It's the quickest acting medicine I ever saw."—18

Mother—"Your schoolmaster can't be such a mean man as you make out. I notice his son has all the toys he can possibly want." "Why, those are what his father takes away from the other boys!"

He—"After all, Society is a great bore, don't you know?" She (sighing)—"Yes—some people's society."

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Blobbs—"There seems to be a strange affinity between a colored man and a chicken." Slobbs—"Naturally. One is descended from Ham and the other from eggs."

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### PAPA MADE THE ROOF.

Little Pauline, after questioning her aunt as to who had made their house and being informed that Jim Welch had done so, replied: "Why, auntie, God made our house. God made our front room and our hall and our kitchen, but papa made do roof." (Her father is a tinner.)

## Dear Mother

Your little ones are a constant care in Fall and Winter weather. They will catch cold. Do you know about Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, and what it has done for so many? It is said to be the only reliable remedy for all diseases of the air passages in children. It is absolutely harmless and pleasant to take. It is guaranteed to cure or your money is returned. The price is 25c. per bottle, and all dealers in medicine sell.

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