

THE TRUE CAUSE OF RHEUMATISM

Caused by Uric Acid in Blood and Can Only be Cured Through the Blood.

Not many years ago doctors thought rheumatism was only a local pain caused by exposure to cold or wet. Now they know that rheumatism is caused by the blood becoming tainted with uric acid.

Repeat it: "Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

Stewardess—"Madam, I've attended to you the best I know how, supplied every want, but you are still unsatisfied. What do you want now?"

MOTHERS OF INDIA

Are Urged to Breed Rebels From the Cradle.

The District Magistrate of Lahore, India, has confirmed the confiscation of the press and plant of a revolutionary newspaper named Ingilab, for publishing articles inciting to rebellion.

FEDERAL LIFE PROGRESS.

Financial Statement for Past Year Pre-eminently Satisfactory.

Policy-holders and shareholders of the Federal Life Assurance Co. must be highly gratified with the twenty-seventh annual financial statement of the directors, which appears in another column.

FARMS FOR FOXES.

Skins are Used for Ornamenting Cloaks of Royalty.

The enormous prices now being paid for certain rare furs have tempted many enterprising people into trying to breed artificially the animals which produce them.

In the same way the immensely valuable sea otter is now being artificially bred in "compounds" in Saghalien by the Russian Government.

EXAMPLE TO ALL DEBTORS.

Gave Creditors a Dinner and Paid Them All Off.

A remarkable dinner party was given at Copenhagen, Denmark, recently, the host being a young man named Verstroet, who was forced to leave Copenhagen ten years ago owing to many debts contracted in consequence of his luxurious tastes.

He was never heard from after his departure, and it was with considerable surprise that a numismatist and others received an invitation to dine with their debtor at the Hotel Imperial.

They all came at the appointed hour, although suspicious that some one was playing a practical joke, and were met by Verstroet himself, who greeted them effusively, and apologized for his long absence.

COST OF GOVERNING FRANCE.

Someone with a passion for statistics has been calculating the cost per hour of government in France. In Napoleon I's time it was \$25,000; in Louis Philippe's, \$30,000. The second Republic witnessed a drop to \$20,000. With the advent of the third Napoleon it went up to \$45,000. From 1870 to 1880, by reason of the war charges, the cost of government worked out at \$61,400 an hour, while at the present time it has reached \$70,000.

SAVED BABY'S LIFE.

Mrs. T. Osborn, Norton Mills, Vt., says: "I have no hesitation in saying that Baby's Own Tablets saved my baby's life and I cannot say enough in praise of this medicine. He was so weak and sickly that he took no notice of anything, and cried so much that I was worn out caring for him. After giving him the Tablets there was a great change, and he is now a bright-eyed, laughing baby, the pride of our home."

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EARTH'S WORST WALK.

A Lady Will Tramp from the Congo State to Khartoum.

A woman explorer, Miss Charlotte Mansfield, poet and novelist, is about to undertake a journey on foot that has been alternatively and truthfully described as the worst walk in the world.

This is that part of the overland journey from the Cape railroads, which lies between the Cape and a distance of about 600 miles. It commences near the southern border of the Congo State, and continues until Khartoum is reached.

The worst stage of the journey is the last, before Khartoum is reached, for here the traveller enters upon a land of swamps, formed by the headwaters of the Nile.

Here, too, are first encountered the giant Dinkas, the tallest men on earth. They are jetblack savages, 6 feet 4 inches to 6 feet 6 inches tall, and murderers and cannibals to a man.

I Can't Praise Them Too Much

So Says Charles Bell of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

He had Rheumatism for Ten years and the old Reliable Kidney Remedy Cured him Completely.

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"I suffered terribly from rheumatism for ten years," Mr. Bell continues, "if it was so bad I could scarcely get in and out of bed. After trying various medicines without getting relief, a friend advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. Six boxes cleared the Rheumatism right out of me."

A Cure for Rheumatism.—The intrusion of uric acid into the blood vessels is a fruitful cause of rheumatic pains. This irregularity is owing to a deranged and unhealthy condition of the liver.

Hubby—"I don't see why you do not exert yourself to make me happy?"

Sufferer (to lady in front)—"Madam, if you were to remove your hat I could see the play."

A Woman's Sympathy

Are you discouraged? Is your doctor's bill a heavy financial load? Is your pain a heavy physical burden?

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Use the safe, pleasant and effective worm killer, Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator; nothing equals it. Procure a bottle and take it home.

Optimism and dyspepsia are not on speaking terms.

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"Oh hear they do be sindin' messages now without woires or poles. Faith, it's wonderfu' toimes we're livin' in, Dinis." "It is, Moike. Shure, th' way things is goin' we'll be able to travel widout livin' home wan av thim days."

"I have taken Scott's Emulsion for six weeks and have found it a wonderful remedy. Before I took the Emulsion I had no appetite; was weak; had lost nearly fifty pounds of flesh, and now I eat well and am gaining every day. I find Scott's Emulsion to be very easily digested and a good food for all weak people."—FLORENCE BLEEKER, No. 1 Myrtle Avenue, Bridgeton, N. J.

This is only one of thousands of cases where

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has given an appetite. It's so easily digested that it doesn't tax the digestive organs and they rest; yet the body is wonderfully nourished and built up.

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ALL DRUGGISTS Let me send you some letters and literature on this subject. A Post Card, giving me your address and the name of this paper, is sufficient.

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CAUGHT IN HIS OWN TRAP.

Adventurer Who Victimized Women is Sent to Prison.

"Tall, dark, robust and very energetic," were the terms in which Adolphe Grappe, of Paris, France, was in the habit of describing himself when answering advertisements of widows and spinsters in quest of a husband.

Whenever the would-be-bride had a little money he wooed energetically until he secured her property, when he disappeared in search of another confiding woman.

All who have care of children should know that Zam-Buk is particularly adapted, because of its purity, to the tender skin of children.

Snooper—"There is nothing perked on this earth." Swayback—"You forget Gilley." "What about Gilley?" "He's a perfect ass."

Have you tried Holloway's Corn Cure? It has no equal for removing these troublesome excrescences as many have testified who have tried it.

You may have noticed that there are more men with blockheads than wooden legs.

As Fire Spreads in dry grass, so does an inflammation in the throat grow down into the lungs. Deal promptly with a cold with a dose, and when you begin to cough use Allen's Lung Balm.

"What is the honeymoon, pa?" "Well, the honeymoon is the only period in a man's life during which he considers it funny to come home and find that his dear little wife hasn't dinner ready in time."

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THE MARRIAGE AGE. The marriage age in Austria is 14 years for both sexes; Germany the man at 18, the woman at 14; Belgium, the man at 18, the woman at 15; Spain, the man at 14, the woman at 12; Mexico, with parental consent, 16 and 18, otherwise 21 for both; France, the man at 18, the woman at 15; Greece, the man at 14, the woman at 12; Hungary, Catholics, the man at 14, the woman at 12; Protestants, the man at 18, the woman at 15; Portugal, the man at 14, the woman at 12; Russia, the man at 18, the woman at 15; Saxony, the man at 18, the woman at 16; Switzerland, the man at 14, the woman at 12.

STEAKS 500 YEARS OLD.

Apples 1,800 Years Old Served at a Recent Dinner.

For the second time in Russian Court history, steaks cut from the flesh of a mastodon have been served at the Czar's dinner-table, and the question now being discussed is: How old is the meat?

One hundred years? Five hundred? It is difficult to say. The theory ordinarily held is that this huge, woolly elephant has been extinct for far longer periods than these; tens of thousands of years, in fact. Yet it is difficult, impossible, indeed, to reconcile this hypothesis with the undoubted fact of whole bodies having been found incased in the ice of North-eastern Siberia.

Even, however, if the steaks in question dated back for twice five hundred years, they would not constitute a record for antiquity in foodstuffs. For, some little time ago, at Liverpool, a well-known antiquarian gave a dinner, the menu of which included some apples that were at least 1,800 years old, having been found in an hermetically sealed jar unearthed from the ruins of Pompeii.

The meal also included a loaf of bread that had been made from wheat taken from an Egyptian rock-temple tomb of the time of that Pharaoh "who knew not Joseph," together with a pat of butter churned by an Elizabethan dairymaid, and which had been found on a stone shelf near the bottom of an ancient and long disused well. The wine, too, was equally ancient, having been taken from a vault in Cornith that had not been opened for at least 400 years.

It may also be mentioned that there was a loaf of bread at Amstercote, Derbyshire, 600 years old. It was included in a grant of land from the Crown in the reign of King John, and has remained in the Soar family ever since.

ECZEMA OF THE SCALP.

Zam-Buk Cures a Boy who Suffered for Three Years.

Now and again mothers find that sores or ulcers on the heads of children refuse to heal, despite all ordinary treatment. Then is the time to prove Zam-Buk's healing power. A case which mothers will read with interest occurred recently in Winnipeg. Mrs. C. Keep, of 552, Alexander Avenue, Winnipeg, says:—"A year ago my little girl contracted eczema of the scalp, and notwithstanding all I did the sores spread until the child's scalp was completely covered. I took her to hospital, but none of the lotions and ointments applied had any effect on the disease. By degrees the child's hair came out, until she was quite bald. We were at this stage strongly advised to try Zam-Buk, and did so. From first commencing with this wonderful balm the child got relief from the itching and pain. The sores were quickly banished, and in a remarkably short space of time the child was cured. The hair soon grew again, and is now quite long and in a healthy condition."

All who have care of children should know that Zam-Buk is particularly adapted, because of its purity, to the tender skin of children. It cures with equal dispatch ringworm, blood-poisoning, ulcers, cold-cracks, chapped hands, frost-bite, piles, bad leg, etc. Used as an emollient it eases the pain of sprains, and cures rheumatism, sciatica, and neuralgia. All druggists and stores sell at 50c. a box; or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price.

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How to Speculate

Money is made by getting in on the ground floor in all mining propositions. An investor putting up his money to develop a new claim is the person who is entitled to the first profits. The first profits on all good mining deals are enormous.

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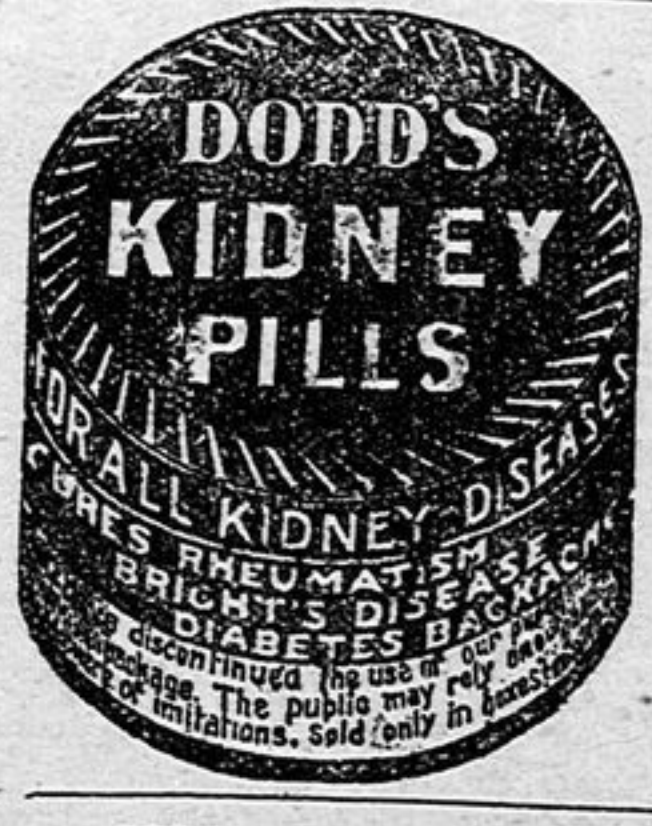
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