

## RHEUMATISM IN THE BLOOD

Liniments and Rubbing Will Not Cure It—The Disease Must be Treated Through the Blood.

The trouble with men and women who have rheumatism is that they waste valuable time in trying to rub the complaint away. If they rub hard enough the friction causes warmth in the affected part, which temporarily relieves the pain, but in a short time the aches and pains are as bad as ever. All the rubbing, and all the liniments and outward applications in the world won't cure rheumatism, because it is rooted in the blood. Rubbing won't remove the poisonous acid in the blood that causes the pain. But Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will, because they are a blood medicine acting on the blood. That is why the aches and pains and stiff swollen joints of rheumatism disappear when these pills are used. That's why sensible people waste no time in rubbing, but take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills when the first twinges of rheumatism come on, and these speedily drive the trouble out of their system. Mr. John Evans, 12 Kempt Road, Halifax, N. S., says: "About three years ago I had an attack of rheumatism which settled in my right leg and ankle, which became very much swollen and was exceedingly painful. I wasted a good deal of time trying to get rid of the trouble by rubbing with liniments, but it did not do me a bit of good. My daughter was using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at the time and finally persuaded me to try them. Inside of a week the pills began to help me, and after taking them a few weeks longer the trouble completely disappeared. It has not bothered me since. My daughter was also taking the pills at the time for weakness and anaemia, and I am now a firm friend of this medicine."

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## FIGHTING FIRE IN CHINA

### STRANGERS HELP TO QUENCH THE FLAMES.

Travellers Come Upon a Burning Bridge and Find Strange Signs.

Following the main road we found it only thirty miles north-west, to the Fu city of Yuecheo, but several passes had to be climbed, the days were hot, and in spite of the 1,000 or more feet of altitude we were "nearly roasted," entirely tired out and looking for a couple of days of rest with fellow foreigners.

Little did we dream of getting the most unusual fire experience that we did, that a correspondent of the Shanghai Mercury. It was a Saturday morning and the first day of the Chinese fifth month or "moon" when everybody must have a lighted candle and incense for some one, no one knows who if you ask them. It is "ancient custom" and that settles it. We had just crossed the long fourteen span bridge which connects the city with its busy western suburb, called Kiangsi Street, and had no-footed blazing candles, one or more in front of each of the 108 shops or booths lining the bridge on both sides.

The bridge and booths seemed to be all of wood, and it was remarked that this looked somewhat dangerous. However, a nice inn was found at the end of the bridge which had a back veranda facing the river and giving a good view of the bridge. As usual with sights seemingly worth if, we took a snapshot of the bridge. The camera back in the box, were soon more presentable for city life and found our way to the hospitable mission compound in the middle of the city. As usual a

## Black Watch

Chewing Tobacco

The big black plug.

warm welcome was found at the hands of the six or seven foreigners here. These were all of the German branch of the C. I. M., and we were just enjoying breakfast and telling and receiving all the news when the fire trumpets were sounded.

Soldiers were parading the streets and warning the people that a fire was on, and that they should be watchful. This is doubly necessary here, as so much wood is used in construction, being the cheapest material at hand, and fires get fearful headway and burn out very rapidly. The missionaries, having a pump and hose for self-protection, sometimes go to help fires, which they can be of help.

In this case breakfast was forgotten by every one, the pump and hose got ready, and by this time some one said it was the bridge that was on fire. This being near the personal effects of the writer, and of special interest now, a hurried visit was made, in the wake of the "Gospel-Hall Fire Department," and sure enough, there was the great crowded bridge a mass of flames in the centre, where the candles had been thickets, in front of the idol, and there seemed no hope of saving the 100 odd shops on the bridge itself.

### THE PUMP AND HOSE

were soon to work, and did splendid work for their size, but there were three men to manage that, and the writer seemed to be of no use. Hearing that the Esien Mandarin who should come to such fires and supervise some effective measures was absent on business in the country, and that the two other pumps (active owned) in the city were not coming, and also noting that there was but one small official helping to quell the fire, and that with only about twenty soldiers, the writer hurried to them, snapped two more pictures of the bridge burning, sent the goods and the coolies into the city and himself appeared on the scene in straw sandals, short clothes, and with a large towel wound around the head, held in place by a belt, and we all were, not an axe, saw or hardly a nail among us all!

A raid was again made on my friend the innkeeper, and down in the basement a two foot coal poker was found, while next door we commandeered a small pail from an old lady. The poker was not much for power and the pail was small and lonesome, but a big noise was made on the light woodwork of the four booths (two on each side) were trying to get out, and the pikes flew as well. The pump and pokers inspired the soldiers, and the fire was stopped at the east end of the bridge, to the good wetting of the flooring by the G. F. D.

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## A POOR MEDICO.

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First Youth—"Scientists say that trees contribute to the heat in the atmosphere." Second Youth—"That's so; a birch has warmed me many a time."

After a Cold Drive don't fail to take a teaspoonful of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with a glass of hot water and sugar. It surely prevents chills. A cold and influenza, there is but one "Panacea"—Jerry Davis—25c and 50c.

Wife—"Do come over to Mrs. Barker's with me, John. She'll make you feel just as if you were at home." Her Husband—"Then what's the use of going?"

Where can I get some of Holloway's Corn Cure? I was entirely cured of my corns by this remedy and I wish more of it for my friends." So writes Mr. J. W. Brown, Chicago.

Just after sunrise is said to be the coldest period of the day, owing to the evaporation of a cold moisture from the earth under the sun's first rays.

Parents buy Mother Graves' Worm Expeller because they know it is a safe medicine for their children, and an effectual expeller of worms.

## SMART.

Slick (to Blossom)—"Is this Mr. Bloomer's office?" "His office is on the other side of the passage." "Slick (knocking the door open as he walks out)—"Thank you, sir." Blossom—"Hey! Come back and close that door! Haven't you any doors in your house?" Slick—"Yes, sir; but they all have springs on 'em. Allow me to show you, sir, my patent double-back-action-door-spring. It closes the door without a bang, and will last a lifetime."

The shelves of the British Museum are estimated to contain thirty-nine miles of books.

## HOW MRS. CLARK FOUND RELIEF

AFTER YEARS OF SUFFERING DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED HER.

Pleasant Point Matron Tells Her Suffering Sisters How to be Free From the Terrible Pains that Make Life a Burden.

Pleasant Point, Ont., Nov. 16—(Special).—That most of the ills that the suffering women of Canada have to bear are due to disordered Kidneys, and that the natural cure for them is Dodd's Kidney Pills, is once more shown in the case of Mrs. Merrill C. Clarke, a well-known resident of this place and a prominent member of the Salvation Army. Mrs. Clarke is always ready to give her experience for the benefit of her suffering sisters.

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## HIS WISH FULFILLED.

A German peddler rapped timidly at the kitchen entrance. Mrs. Kelly, angry at being interrupted in her washing, flung open the door and glowered at him. "Did you wish to see me?" she demanded in threatening tones. The peddler backed off a few steps. "Vell, if I did," he assured her with an apologetic grin, "I got my wish, thank you."

"A Little Cold, You Know," will become a great danger if it be allowed to spread down the throat to the lungs. Sip the pills in the bud with Allen's Lung Balm, a sure remedy containing no opiates.

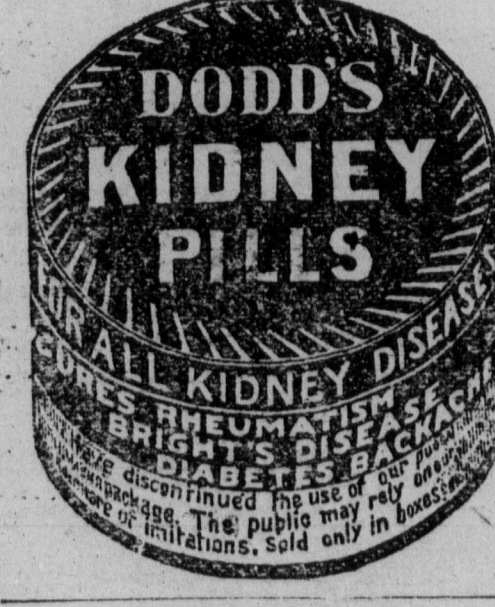
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## THE SULTAN'S CIGARETTES.

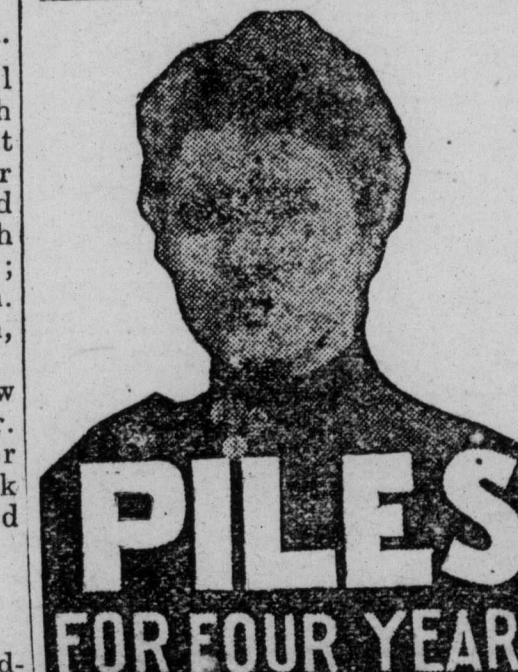
Probably the most particular smoker in the world is the Sultan of Turkey, whose recent granting of a constitution to his subjects has attracted universal attention. His cigarettes must be of the finest possible quality, and to ensure this, they are made in a small factory in the Royal palace itself. Some half-dozen workmen, the most skilled to be found, are daily engaged in a light, airy room, containing a couple of hand-cutting machines of the simplest pattern, and here they examine the bales of Turkish-grown tobacco raised for the Sultan's use. The best crops in the country are marked for his special benefit, and what is not actually selected for making into cigarettes must be destroyed. A hundred-weight of leaves may be turned over before a pound sufficiently fine and flawless for the Royal lips is found. And the flavor is undeniably superb.

## BRUDDAH BEN'S PHILOSOPHY

"Wimmin folks am queer institutions," said Bruddah Ben. "In what way?" asked Bruddah Hickey. "Why, during yo' courtin' days dey am always ready to fall on yo' neck, an' aftah de wedding ceremony dey am always ready to fall on yo' pocket-book."

Merchant—"He was an excellent book-keeper. He kept our books for many years in an exemplary way. I should have kept him at it." Friend—"What did you do?" Merchant—"I made him cashier." Friend—"How did he do in his new position?" Merchant—"Excellent. He kept the cash."

Give a small boy a piece of chalk and he will make his mark in the world.



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