

## THE STORY OF A SUCCESSFUL MAN

HE FOUND HIS LOST HEALTH IN  
DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Leading Business Man of Welland Gives  
His Experience with the Great Canadian  
Kidney Remedy.

Welland, Ont., Dec. 25.—(Special).—There is no better known or more highly respected man in Welland than Mr. J. J. Yokom. Born and brought up in the neighboring township of Crowland, by his own industry and sterling honesty he has grown to be one of Welland's leading merchants. Consequently when Mr. Yokom comes out with a statement that he was cured of a serious illness by Dodd's Kidney Pills, everybody knows it must be so.

"For a year or more I had Kidney Trouble in all its worst symptoms," says Mr. Yokom, "My head was bad, I had no appetite and I lost weight fast. At times I was entirely incapacitated. I doctored with a physician of vast experience but got no good results.

"I became despondent of ever being well again, when by good luck I chanced to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and from the first they seemed to suit my case. Five boxes cured me completely."

### DEVELOPMENT OF TORPEDO.

Ready Engine Has Been Much Improved Since Invention.

Since the Russo-Turkish war the torpedo has been immensely improved. In these days its range was barely over 200 yards. It would travel further, but its course was apt to be in a circle and only the boat which fired it stood much risk of being hit. Ten years later it was to be depended upon for 1,000 yards and five years or so ago the general adoption of the gyroscope—an instrument designed to make the torpedo keep its course without deflection—doubled the effective range. In the recent war in the east torpedoes could be used up to 2,000 yards. The approximate time distance was three minutes, for though the torpedo can travel a short distance at thirty knots, for any long range its speed has to be reduced in order to make the limited motive power take the weapon further. It was of this fact that Capt. Wren is said to have taken advantage when the Hatsuse was sunk. According to the most reliable Russian accounts the "reducing valves" of torpedoes were operated on so that instead of travelling 1,000 yards at thirty knots they would run 6,000 or 7,000 yards at a very reduced speed. Torpedoes so treated have been known to travel several miles. Of sixteen torpedoes so discharged two hit the Hatsuse and one, perhaps, the Yashima—though this ship may have struck a mine.

When a woman is unable to attract attention any other way she acts as chaperone to a pug dog in public.

Only those who have had experience can tell the tortuous course. Pain with your boots on, pain with them off, pain night and day, but relief is sure to those who use Holloway's Corn Cure.

### CLASSIFIED.

"She says she's very fond of music." "Instrumental?" "Well, it's instrumental in making the neighbors sad when she gets at the piano."

A Pill for Greasy Eaters.—There are many persons of healthy appetite and good digestion who, after a hearty meal are subject to much suffering. The food of which they have partaken lies like lead in their stomachs. Headache, depression, a smothering feeling follow. One so afflicted is unfit for business or work of any kind. In this condition Parmenter's Vegetable Pills will bring relief. They will assist the assimilation of the aliment, and used according to direction will restore healthy digestion.

### GOLD IN ABYSSINIA.

A British explorer recently returned from Abyssinia says that he was for four months in a region hitherto unknown to white men. Along the tributaries of the Blue Nile he found a mining population engaged in washing gold. He reports that there is an enormous quantity of gold in this region, in which thousands of natives work.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

Mr. Snip: "And when shall you be settling your bill, Mr. Toff? It's been standing out a long time." Mr. Toff: "Settle my bill? Why, hang it, man, I've just given you an order for two more suits. What more do you want?"

One of the greatest blessings to parents is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. It effectually expels worms and gives health in a marvellous manner to the little one.

### WALKING FOR 1,000 HOURS.

The latest remarkable feat in walking has just been accomplished in Manchester. For forty-one days and nights William Buckler, aged fifty-six, an ex-sailor, tramped round the track at the Ardwick Athletic Ground, and completed his two miles fifty-eight yards each consecutive hour, the total distance traversed in the thousand hours being over 2,028 miles.

## NEW BRAIN FOR ARMY

GENERAL STAFF PLAN SET OUT BY  
THE SECRETARY OF WAR.

Ablest Men in Army to Form Governing Body — Selected on Their Merits.

The new policy which is to control the formation of the British army's general staff is set out by Mr. H. O. Arnold-Forster, the Secretary for War, in an important minute addressed to the Chief of the General Staff.

The main objects sought in forming such a staff are described in the minute as follows:

"1. To gather the ablest men in the army together, and by some system of advancement and promotion to make sure that the fortunes of the army are always in their hands."

"2. By means of these men to form a school of military thought which shall be abreast or ahead of that of any other army."

"From this it follows," says the minute, "that the officers of the general staff should be the ablest and most energetic officers of the army, and should be in the prime of life. Their duties may be defined as the duties of war and training for war."

### SELECTION OF OFFICERS.

"The following are the general lines on which the formation of the general staff will proceed:

"Officers will be selected on their own individual qualifications, and not on account of any appointment which they are holding, or for which they may be selected. The list of selected officers will at present be small. Appointments will be for four years."

"Subject to a first list being drawn up and approved by the Army Council generally, all future selections for, and promotions in, the general staff will be recommended by the Chief of the General Staff alone, without the intervention of the Selection Board or of the Army Council."

### SECRETARY'S SOLE ADVISER.

"It is evident that the Chief of the General Staff must have absolute power over all the officers of the general staff. He will be as free as possible from ordinary office routine work, but must be the sole adviser of the Secretary of State on all matters of strategy or of military operations. He will, of course, remain a member of the Committee of Imperial Defence. He will also be charged with the selection and personal supervision and training of the officers of the general staff."

"There is little doubt that ultimately the position of the Chief of the General Staff will become so important that, in order to secure continuity of action and ideas, it may be necessary to extend his tenure of office beyond that laid down in the present regulations."

"The Chief of the General Staff ought to be able to prepare officers for special work months, it may be years, ahead."

"The reward for good service on the general staff will be accelerated promotion."

The present Chief of the General Staff is General Sir N. Lytton.

Good Digestion Should Wait on Appetite.—To have the stomach well is to have the nervous system well. Very delicate are the digestive organs, and some so sensitive are they that atmospheric changes affect them. When they become disarranged no restorative is procurable than Parmenter's Vegetable Pills. They will assist the digestion that the hearty eater will suffer no inconvenience and will derive all the benefits of his food.

A very small boy was trying to lead a big St. Bernard up the road. "What are you going to do with the dog, my little man?" inquired a passer-by. "I'm going to see where—where he wants to go first!" was the breathless reply.

A Little Loss of Flesh, a little obstinate cough and a little pain in the chest are signs that must not be neglected. Allen's Lung Balm loosens the cough and effects a cure without a grain of opium.

Anxious Mother: "Do you mean to say that you permitted Mr. Huggins to put his arm about your waist of your own free will?" Pretty Daughter: "No, indeed, mamma. Considerable pressure was brought to bear upon me, I assure you."

South American Rheumatic Cure Cures Rheumatism.—It is safe, harmless and acts quick—gives almost instant relief and an absolute cure in from one to three days—works wonders in most acute forms of rheumatism. One man's testimony: I spent 6 weeks in bed before commencing its use—4 bottles cured me.—67

A schoolmistress received the following interesting letter from the mother of one of her pupils:—"Dear Miss.—You write me about whipping my son. I hereby give you permission to beat him any time it is necessary to learn him lessons. He is just like his father; you have to learn him with a club. Pound nolegg into him—I want him to get it, and don't pay no attention to what his father says. I'll handle him."

Wiggleton (meditatively): "It is marvellous the luck some men have." Hobbs: "Any particular instance?" Wiggleton: "I just happened to think of Mr. Naudgerly." Hobbs: "Why, he died last night." Wiggleton: "Yes; just twenty-four hours before the next premium for his life insurance was due."

It is a mistake to suppose that every man who succeeds in keeping out of jail is going to get into heaven.

## SUNLIGHT SOAP

is better than other Soaps but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Follow directions.

### SUNLIGHT WAY OF WASHING

FIRST.—Dip the article to be washed in a tub of lukewarm water, draw it out on a washboard and rub the soap lightly over it. Be particular not to miss soap all over. THEN roll it in a tight roll, lay in the tub under the water, and go on the same way until all the pieces have the soap rubbed on, and are rolled up.

Then go away for thirty minutes to one hour and let the "Sunlight" soap do its work.

NEXT.—After soaking the full time rub the clothes lightly out on a washboard, and the dirt will drop out; turn the garment inside out to get the seams, but don't use any more soap; don't scald or boil a single piece, and don't wash through two rolls. If the water gets too dirty, pour a little out and add fresh. If a streak is hard to wash, rub some more soap on it, and throw the piece back into the suds for a few minutes.

LASTLY COMES THE RINSING, which is to be done in lukewarm water, taking special care to get all the dirt and away, then wring out and hang up to dry.

For Woolens and Fannels proceed as follows:—Shake the articles free from dust. Cut a tablet of SUNLIGHT SOAP into shavings, pour into a gallon of boiling water and whisk into a lather. When just lukewarm, work articles in the lather without rubbing. Squeeze out dirty water without twisting and rinse thoroughly in two relays of lukewarm water. Squeeze out water without twisting and hang in the open air.

The most delicate colors may be safely washed in the "Sunlight" way.

\$5,000 REWARD will be paid to any person who proves that Sunlight Soap contains any injurious chemicals or any form of adulteration.

Your Money Refunded by the dealer from whom you buy Sunlight Soap if you find any cause for complaint.

LEVER BROTHERS LIMITED, TORONTO

Because a girl refuses a young man you needn't suppose it is a sign she isn't going to marry him.

Yes, indeed, "blood will tell," when blotches and incrustations mark the skin. Weaver's Cerate and Weaver's Syrup make short work of all blood and skin troubles.

### THE RIGHT WAY.

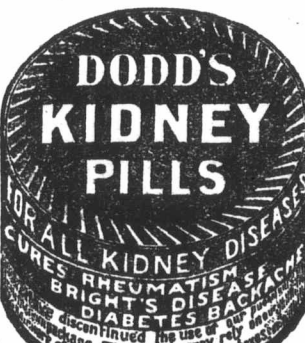
"The ring of sincerity was in his voice when he told me of his love." "It should have been in his hand. A ring in the hand is worth two in the voice."

Time Has Tested It.—Time tests all things, that which is worthy lives; that which is inimical to man's welfare perishes. Time has proved Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. From a few thousand bottles in the early days of its manufacture the demand has risen so that now the production is running into hundreds of thousands of bottles. What is so eagerly sought for must be good.

The man who tries to drown his troubles always seems to think they are located in his stomach.

Help the Overworked Heart.—Is the great engine which pumps life through your system hard pressed, over-taxed, growing under its load because disease has clogged it? Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart is nature's lubricator and cleanser, and daily demonstrates to heart sufferers that it is the safest, surest, and most speedy remedy that medical science knows.—67

"Cholly is raising a moustache." "Indeed! Well, he must be doing it very carefully." "How do you mean?" "It seems to be raising one hair at a time."



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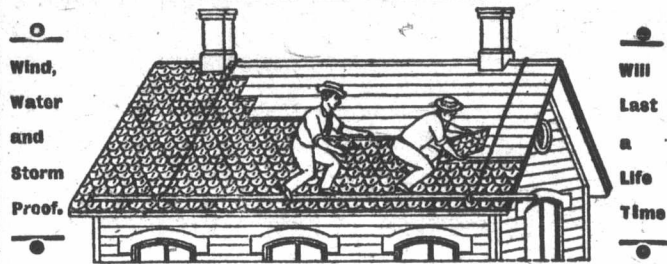
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## Generator Wanted. NORTH-WESTERN FARMS

ON THE

Grand Trunk Pacific

Direct current generator, 110 volts, 2 or 4 pole, multipolar preferred, 500 lights, must be in first-class condition. S. FRANK WILSON, 73 W. Adelaide St., Toronto.

"Dear Pop," wrote the boy from the art school, "don't send me any more money. I have saved half of that which you sent me last month." "Come home," wired the old man, "you'll never make an artist."

If You are Nervous and Irritable take "Fervin," the great nerve and blood tonic; you will be a new person by the time you have used a bottle. All dealers

### BEST HE COULD AFFORD.

"Aren't you ashamed to go around begging with a breath like that?" "It's the best I can afford. Beggars can't use champagne for a breath perfume."

### PURE STUFF.

"Is this pure milk?" said the inquisitive lady customer. "Yes," replied the milkman, "we sell the cream separately."

Indigestion, that Menace to Human Happiness, pitiless in its assaults, and no respecter of persons, has met its conqueror in South American Nervine. This great stomach and nerve remedy stimulates digestion, tones the nerves, aids circulation, drives out impurities, dispels emaciation, and brings back the glow of perfect health. Cures hundreds of "chronics" that have baffled physicians.—68

### FORCING SAILORS TO SWIM.

How Men Who Object are Handled in British Navy.

Swimming is essential to all ranks of the British Navy, and those who are unable to swim are instructed at every possible opportunity. Recently on board a certain battleship of the Mediterranean Fleet, three men showed an antipathy to entering the water.

It is not permissible to throw men in, so the matter was reported to the captain. He promptly told the men that it was his duty to make due provision for their safety, both in peace and war. As they could not swim, and declined to be taught, he directed that they must wear a life-belt whenever they came on deck, and also when entering a boat for duty or going on leave.

These lifebelts, he added, would be marked with their names, and they would be responsible for them, reporting them to the officer of the watch every four hours.

The non-swimmers held out for two days, but the ridicule of their shipmates and the knowledge that they could not land without their belts convinced them of the wisdom of joining the swimming class.

### HARDSHIP OF CULTURE.

"Who is your favorite composer?" asked the eminent physician. "I don't know," answered Mr. Cumrox, wearily. "And if I did know I wouldn't be able to pronounce his name."

I have two sections of land for sale entire or in part, on line of Grand Trunk Pacific, now under construction just west of Portage La-Prairie. Ploughing in the Northwest will begin as early as February. You can sow oats, potatoes and alfalfa on breaking and get big prices from railroad contractors on the spot. Then hire out your teams for railroad grading at \$5 per day. You won't get such a chance for a start another year. Don't waste any time, as there is practically no other land for sale of equal quality in such a situation on such terms and at so low a price. Price \$10.50 per acre; six year terms. J. L. R. PARSONS, 92 Winchester Street, Toronto, Ont.

All things that are supposed to come to him who waits are subject to change without notice.

"Oh, slip on any old thing," said the midnight caller. So the doctor slipped on the top step, but he did not lose any time, as he slipped on "The D & L" Menthol Plaster and all was right in a jiffy.

### USEFUL IN ONE WAY.

"Did Skribbler ever make anything out of that book he wrote?" "Nothing except fires in the grate."

A Cry for Help.—A pain in the back is a cry of the kidneys for help. South American Kidney Cure is the only cure that hasn't a failure written against it in cases of Bright's disease, diabetes, inflammation of the bladder, gravel and other kidney ailments. Don't neglect the apparently insignificant "signs." This powerful liquid specific prevents and cures.—70

### THE DISTINCTION.

Knicker—What's the difference between golf and shinny? Bocker—Your clothes.

## For 33 Years

Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, has been before the public, and this, together with the fact that its sales have steadily increased year by year, is the best proof of the merit of

## Shiloh

as a cure for Coughs, Colds, and all diseases of the lungs and air passages. Those who have used Shiloh would not be without it. Those who have never used it should know that every bottle is sold with a positive guarantee that, if it doesn't cure you, the dealer will refund what you paid for it. Shiloh

## Has Cured

thousands of the most obstinate cases of Coughs, Colds and Lung troubles. Let it cure you.

"Last winter I coughed for three months and thought I was going into Consumption. I took all sorts of medicines, but nothing did me any good until I used Shiloh's Consumption Cure. Four bottles cured me. This winter I had a very bad cold, was not able to speak, my lungs were sore all the time and back. Six bottles of Shiloh cured me well again. I have given it to several people and every one of them have been cured.—D. Joseph, St. Hyacinthe, Que.

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