

Purgatorial Pills.

The druggist would hardly smile if you asked for "purgatorial pills." There are many of them. But he would probably recommend a pill that did not gripe: a sugar-coated pill, gentle in action, and sure in effect. What are they called?

..Ayer's Cathartic Pills..

The ice bridge has given way to Cape Rouge, opening the St. Lawrence to navigation.

Let's Live Longer!

Why Die a Lingering Death of Direful Diabetes?

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURE IT.

Other Medicines never touch it.—But Dodd's Pills infallibly Cures—Expelling Poison and Pain—Preserving Sugar and Strength Don't Die; Get Well.

Who would not live longer if he could? More men shorten their lives by over-indulgence in food and drink than ever die from starvation. Health can be maintained by eating and drinking just what is good for us—no more, no less.

But most of us don't do that. In health the body expels what it doesn't require, and retains what it needs. In disease either the body doesn't expel the poison or it does not retain what is needed to nourish it. In the disease called DIABETES the kidneys expel sugar. Its presence can be detected in the urine. The body needs sugar. In DIABETES the sufferer dies a lingering death.

Until recently DIABETES was supposed to be incurable. The science of to-day says that DIABETES may be cured. The kidneys may be restored to healthy action. Sugar may be retained in the system. Instead of filtering out the good that is in the food the kidneys may be made to filter out the poison.

With Poison goes Pain. With Sugar stays Strength.

DIABETES disappears like magic before DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. Other medicines never touch it. That's the difference. If you have DIABETES get cured quickly. Don't bother with medicines that do not cure. Many will stand up to be counted among those who have been cured of DIABETES by taking DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Mr. Fred Stokes, Barrie, Ont., says:—"I have been promptly restored to health by a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Diabetes had reduced my weight forty-five pounds, which I have regained."

Mr. D. Roblin, Bandmaster, Allandale, Ont., says:—"Could for years get no relief for Diabetes which it seemed would end my days: Six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured me."

Mr. Chas. Gilchrist, Fort Hope, Ont., says:—"For ten years a victim of Diabetes. Suffered fearfully, especially in passing water. My cure has resulted from taking a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Mr. James K. Nesbitt, county constable, Stayner, Ont., says:—"Becoming aware of the fact that I was a victim of Diabetes, I resorted to Dodd's Kidney Pills. I commenced to get well with the first box and am perfectly cured."

On Sunday afternoon Lady Tilley and her son, Mr. H. C. Tilley, met with a driving accident in the city. Their horse, being frightened by dogs on the street, bolted, throwing Mr. Tilley out, and then ran for a distance, but in kicking got one foot over the whistle-tree and was stopped. Lady Tilley's position was for a time one of great danger, but fortunately neither she nor Mr. Tilley received any serious injuries.

News Summary.

The failures in Canada this week numbered thirty-nine, against thirty-four in the corresponding week last year.

A lot of land on Tremont street Boston adjoining Museum building, 32 feet front by 72 feet back, sold recently for \$200,000.

It is again stated that Senator David Mills will at the close of the sitting be appointed to the Supreme Court of Canada, vice Ewbyne.

Cashier Joseph A. Stickney was murdered on Friday in the Great Falls National Bank at Somersworth, N. H., by two unknown men who escaped with about \$6,000.

Out of fifty avowed cases of the plague which have been under treatment by Dr. Versin, at Bombay, there have been thirty-three recoveries and seventeen deaths.

By the death of their uncle, in Glasgow, Scotland, Alexander Hartney, of Innisfail, Ont., Mrs. Lamb, of Midland, Ont., and Mrs. James Hartney, of Aurora, Ont., come in for a share each of \$1,500,000.

The Citizens' Street Railway Co. of Indianapolis has decided to give up its fight against the three-cent fare law. Until the case is settled in the courts three cents will be accepted as a fare.

Dr. George M. Dawson, chief of the geological survey department of the Dominion, has been awarded the gold medal of the Royal Geographical Society of Great Britain this year.

The American President has sent the name of George N. West, of the District of Columbia, to the Senate as American consul of Pictou, N. S.

The American Senate has referred to the Finance Committee the retroactive clause of the Dingley bill, sent up from the House for approval. This action is taken to show that the clause will be killed.

More than two years after his murder of Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams in the Emmanuel Baptist church, San Francisco, Theodore Durant was sentenced to be hanged on June 11.

In the Mississippi Delta five counties ago for the most part under water and the river is fifty miles wide at Rosedale, Miss. It is estimated that 300 towns and cities are now under water.

Mr. William Mackenzie, and other eastern capitalists who own the Winnipeg Gas Company, are in that city offering to largely reduce rates if the City Council will extend their franchise for twenty-five years.

M. Faure's visit to St. Petersburg will be made in June. He will go from Havre to Cronstadt in an armored cruiser, escorted by some of the new cruisers. M. Hanotaux, Minister of Foreign affairs, will accompany him.

The President of the Swiss republic has been selected as arbitrator of the boundary dispute between Brazil and French Guiana. The territory involved exceeds that at issue between Great Britain and Venezuela and includes rich gold mining districts.

Captain Reed, of the ship Oakes, which arrived in New York a few days ago, with the crew scurvy stricken and a number of them dead, has been arrested and will have to stand trial on a charge of starving his men.

The new organization of Ballington Booth, known as the American Volunteers, has now been in existence one year, and makes a fine showing. According to the report given out, there have been commissioned, 3,000 Defenders enrolled, and 1,200 members added to Mrs. Booth's Prisoners' League.

The Toronto Divisional Court has reserved judgement upon the motion to commit Dalton McCarthy, Q.C., and Returning Officer Bruce for violation of the North Ontario injunction. The court will await the decision of the Court of Appeals upon the questions of the jurisdiction of the lower court in granting the injunction.

A new circular issued by the department of customs provides that tourists entering Canada from the United States will have to pay duty on sporting goods at the port of entry, the same being refunded except 10 per cent. for the trouble of the officials. The local officers can deal with the matter. In the past application for refunds had to be made to the head office in Ottawa.

At the meeting of the Dominion Artillery Association at Ottawa Thursday, General Gascoigne announced that six batteries of guns were being inspected in England and would be shipped to Canada, but they would only be an instalment of supply. "A" and "B" batteries would be supplied first, and then the others according to rank and efficiency. Lt.-Col. Cole was elected president.



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British Colonization. At London, the Hon. J. of State for the Colonies what noteworthy speech the development of the how important to the great colonies had become extension of British prot lands where the establish colonies had not yet been beneficent and civilizing in those parts of the globe to the relationship susta peoples is not merely obligation. In carrying of the British people are full sion, they are finding scop faculties and qualities w great governing race. W methods employed have al or the efforts put forth alw is indisputable that, in al which the rule of the Quee and the Pax Britannica h have come with it great property and a higher statu ment in the whole life of the of the countries which Brit her rule has been attended and sacrifice of life both on t and the conquering people, h been greatly overbalanced "You cannot destroy the pr slavery, of superstition, wh desolated the interior of Afr fore; but if you will fairly humanity with the price wh for it, I think you may well such expeditions as those wh conducted with such signal Ashanti, Benin and Nupe—e have, and indeed have, cost liv say for one life lost a hundre the cause of the civilization and people will in the long run be as I have described, involves I in the wide dominions of the Q temple of Janus are never closed task that we have undertaken mitted to wield the sceptre of e task, great is the responsibility honor; and I am convinced that the spirit of the country will rise obligations, and that we shall h fulfil the mission which our histo character have imposed upon us.