

## GANANOQUE MAN OUT OF TROUBLE

### HAD RHEUMATISM, BUT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED IT.

### Hugh Abernethy on His Feet Again —Cure is Easy, Simple, Natural and Permanent.

Gananoque, Ont., Oct. 19 (Special)—That Rheumatism can be cured surely, simply and permanently is the good news that Hugh Abernethy, a well-known resident of King Street, is spreading among his neighbors.

"I had suffered from Rheumatism and stiffness of the joints," Mr. Abernethy states. "My muscles would cramp. I could not sleep, and I had terrible headaches. I took many different medicines, but nothing did me any good till I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. Six boxes put me on my feet again."

Others who have taken Mr. Abernethy's advice and used Dodd's Kidney Pills are also loud in their praises of the old reliable Canadian Kidney remedy. For Dodd's Kidney Pills cure Rheumatism and other blood diseases by curing the Kidneys. Sound Kidneys keep the blood free from impurities. And with no impurities, such as uric acid in the blood, you cannot have such painful and dangerous diseases as Pain in the Back, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia, and Heart Disease.

Keep your Kidneys strong and well with Dodd's Kidney Pills and you can face the cold, wet days of fall without a fear of Rheumatism.

## THERE IS NOTHING NEW

### MODERN INVENTIONS ARE MERELY REDISCOVERIES.

### Egyptians Probably Used the Telephone — Gunpowder Was Known to Hannibal.

A little more than one hundred years ago the celebrated French scientist Monge, who accompanied Bonaparte to Egypt, was considerably puzzled by the discovery in the Temple of Mehmet-Abn, in Upper Egypt, of coils of wiring which lay—had probably been lying for ages—in a small stone chamber, and, tangled among them, several ivory and bone objects, which resembled our common drinking horns. On arrival at the Pyramid of Gizeh he discovered in a vault about the same dimensions more coils of wiring matter, with similar ivory and bone horns. The telephone was then undiscovered, and, naturally enough, Monge did not understand the nature of his discovery, which has since, says M. Pacory, been shown to have been nothing else but a primitive 'phone.

The instrument is said to have been in use in the days of the Pharaohs. It was naturally a very simple contrivance—much resembling our toy telephones—and did not cover a distance greater than two or three miles. Tacitus tells us that when Antony went ashore after the battle of Actium he was accompanied only by a captain of his guard. Since all others had deserted him, it is not unlikely, says the Frenchman, that he telephoned to the fair daughter of the Pharaohs asking her to come and comfort him in his last agony.

### GUNPOWDER AND OXOOS.

We are accustomed to consider that Roger Bacon, the thirteenth century monk, did a very important bit of work when he invented gunpowder, which in its first form was a dangerous explosive very like dynamite. Well, now, if you will just look up a reliable history of the great Hannibal, you will find that as he made his way over the Pyrenees and the Alps, on the march up from southern Spain, before he entered Italy, he was enabled to expedite the passage over boulder-strewn mountain fastnesses by the use of an explosive which was known as oxoos. This was not what we know as "Greek fire," which was used in the form of hand grenades by the soldiers of Mithridates in his long wars with the Romans, but was akin to our own nitro-glycerine, and was so effective in clearing the mountain passes that the subsequent marches of Napoleon across the Alps and of Wellington across the Pyrenees were but child's-play compared to what they must have been for the great Carthaginian.

### IS WILD YARN.

There is in existence in the Na-

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tional Library in Paris a copy of an old journal called the "Courier Veritable," dated 1532. Its editor may or may not have been descended from the great classic Ananias. But there can be no possible doubt whatever of the quality of his nose for news. Proof: he tells in his "valuable paper" of the arrival in port from a voyage to the South Seas of a certain ship's captain, by name Vasterloch. Capt. Vasterloch was pregnant with a wondrous tale. He solemnly declared to the star reporter of the "Courier Veritable" that on a certain island in Polynesia, which he was then exploring in the interests of geographical science and personal plunder, he discovered a peculiar kind of sponge which was capable of retaining words spoken into it by the human voice and of emitting the same when squeezed. It was his custom, he further swore, when his exploring parties were in different parts of the island, to convey messages of instruction to them by means of the marvellous talking sponge.

M. Pacory is far from seeking to justify Munchausenism of any sort. He points out, however, with some cogency that Pascal once observed that man had invented few things of which germinal analogies (which really had afforded him the idea) did not already exist in nature, a remark which has also been credited to the late Lord Kelvin.

### THE ROMAN REPORTER.

You know, of course, that the art of printing was familiar to the Chinese, whose great journal, the Peking Gazette, was in existence several hundreds of years at least before the birth of Christ. The sheet was at first printed on silk with a clumsy, movable type, hardly, if at all, inferior to the type used by Franklin 120 years ago in Philadelphia. It is perhaps not so well known, however, that the reporter was as familiar a mortal in Rome as he has since become upon the face of the globe. For the Roman he was the parasite or the guide, and was a frequent and not unwelcome guest at the tables of men like Marcus Crassus, the great trust magnate of his day, or even at Cicero's philosophic banquets.

### MOTHERS FEEL SAFE.

Mothers who have used Baby's Own Tablets for their little ones say they feel safe with the Tablets at hand, for they are a never failing cure for all the minor ills of babyhood and childhood. Mrs. Urias Cressman, New Hamburg, Ont., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for stomach trouble and constipation with marked success. I always feel that my little one is safe when I have a box of the Tablets in the house." Baby's Own Tablets are sold under the guarantee of a Government analyst to contain neither opiates nor other poisonous drugs. They always do good—they can't possibly do harm. For sale at druggists or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

"That house I have taken from you," said the dissatisfied tenant, "is horribly draughty. When I am sitting in the middle of the room my hair blows all over my head. Can't you do something to the windows?" "Don't you think, sir," replied the house-agent, suavely, "it would be easier and cheaper for you to get your hair cut?"

It is known everywhere.—There is not a city, town or hamlet in Canada where Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is not known—wherever introduced it made a foothold for itself and maintained it. Some merchants may suggest some other remedy as equally beneficial. Such recommendations should be received with doubt. There is only one Electric Oil, and that is Dr. Thomas'. Take nothing else.

"Hallo, Fitz, where did you get that black eye?" "Oh, it was only a lovers' quarrel." "Lovers' quarrel? Why, your girl didn't give you that, did she?" "No, it was her other lover."

Put out the fire in a hot, itching, unhealthy skin with Weaver's Cerate. Use it for eczema, nettle rash, tetter and salt rheum.

She—"I understand that drinking is one of your failings." He—"You have been misinformed. It is one of my most pronounced successes."

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

### DOUBLE SUPPORT.

Sir Gavan Duffy, formerly speaker of the legislative assembly of Victoria, Australia, was once returned to his seat by a single vote majority. On visiting his constituents subsequently he was received with a special warmth by an old fellow countryman. "And so," said Sir Gavan Duffy to his friend, "you were one of my supporters?" "No, sir," was the reply. "I was two of them."

"To what," inquired the interviewer, "do you attribute your success in acquiring money?" "Partly indeed principally," replied the great financier, smoothing down the lapel of his coat and giving away another town-hall, "to the success of other men in letting go of it."

### OWES CURE TO ZAM-BUK.

### Prominent Manager's Telling Testimony.

Mr. D. R. Gourlay, advertising manager for the well-known pianos of Toronto and Winnipeg, is amongst the prominent men and women who testify to Zam-Buk's great curative power. He writes to the Company as follows:

"Gentlemen,—I have pleasure in stating that upon the recommendation of a relative I purchased a box of your remedy (Zam-Buk), and by a few applications entirely cured a very severe sprain of the back. While not given to indiscriminate use of, or belief in, patent medicines, I can conscientiously recommend Zam-Buk.

"Sincerely yours,  
"Signed) D. R. Gourlay."

That is just where Zam-Buk proves its superiority! It is treated by men and women who have tried it, as altogether different to ordinary preparations. Doctors, hospital nurses, trainers, men of convalescent homes—all give Zam-Buk a good word; and better still they use it. Zam-Buk is as good for muscular stiffness, sprains, rheumatism and sciatica as it is for skin troubles. Hockey players and athletes in general find it invaluable. For eruptions, pustules, scalp sores, itch, eczema, ulcers, burns, abscesses, blood poison, cuts, bruises, and abrasions, it is a speedy cure. All druggists and stores sell at 50c a box, or post free from the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price, 6 boxes for \$2.50 Send 1c. stamp for trial box.

### WHAT NAVAL GUNNERY COSTS

Target practice in the British Navy is an expensive necessity. Every time a 12 inch gun is fired bang goes \$150 of the taxpayers' money; a 9.2 inch gun fires a cordite cartridge which costs \$70; and even the 6 inch gun, which is a modest weapon, uses a \$13 charge. Shells run from \$62.50 to \$17.50 for the common varieties, though armor-piercing ones (not used in the ordinary competitions of course) may cost as much as \$130. Then there is the wear and tear of the guns to consider, and this may be reckoned as expensive, seeing that the "life" of each weapon is brief; and while a 6 inch gun costs \$8,350, a 9.2 inch runs to \$26,250, and a wire-bound 12 inch means an expenditure of quite \$50,000.

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He—"So your father thought I wanted to marry you for your money. What did you say?" "I persuaded him that you didn't, and then he said if that was the case, you didn't have any sense!"

A Clear Healthy Skin.—Eruptions of the skin and the blotches which blotish beauty are the result of impure blood caused by unhealthy action of the liver and kidneys. In correcting this unhealthy action and restoring the organs to their normal condition, Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will at the same time cleanse the blood, and the blotches and eruptions will disappear without leaving any trace.

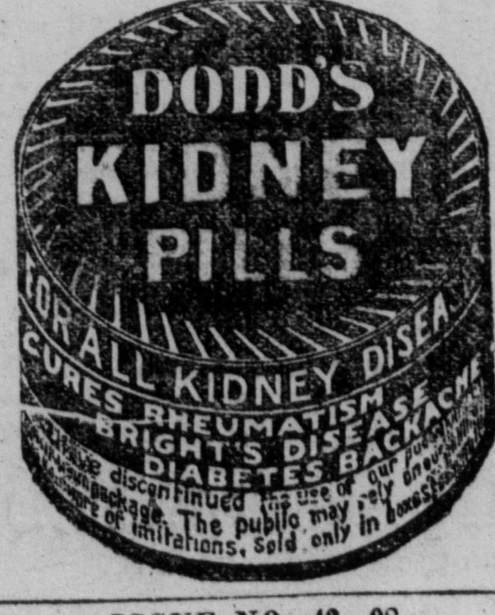
Dolly—"Jack declared his heart was on fire with love for her." Ethel—"And Mabel?" Dolly—"Oh, she made light of it."

It will be noticed in the Singer Sewing Machine Company's advertisement that there are three addresses at the bottom of the announcement. Any one writing will please address them at the nearest one of the three places to his post office.

The Prosperous Person.—"There is no occasion for you to envy me, my man. I have as many troubles as you." The Impecunous One—"I dare say you have; but the difficulty with me is that I ain't got nothing else!"

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

"Before I consent to let you have my daughter," said the square-jawed captain of industry, "I want you to answer a question. What would you do if I were to give you half a million?" After the corner had viewed the remains and decided that death was due to heart failure, caused by a sudden shock, the old man lit another cigar, and murmured, "That's worth trying again some time."



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### WHY WE NEED SNOW.

### If Snow Did Not Fall, Parts of Earth Would Become Desert.

If all the condensed moisture of the atmosphere were to fall as rain and none of it was snow, hundreds of thousands of square miles of the earth's surface now yielding bountiful crops would be little better than a desert. The tremendous economic gain for the world at large which results from the difference between snow and rain is seldom realized by the inhabitants of fertile and well watered lowlands, says a writer in the Chicago Tribune:

It is the extensive regions where irrigation is a prime necessity in agriculture that the special uses of snow come chiefly into view. All through the winter the snow is falling upon the mountains and packing itself firmly in the ravines. Thus in nature's great icehouse a supply of moisture is stored up for the following summer. All through the warm months the hardened snowbanks are melting gradually. In trickling streams they steadily feed rivers which are utilized for irrigation. If this moisture fell as rain it would almost immediately wash down through the rivers, which would hardly be fed at all in the summer when the crops most needed water.

These facts are so well known as to be commonplace in the Salt Lake valley and in the subarid regions of the west generally.

### PILES CURED AT HOME By New Absorption Method.

If you suffer from bleeding, itching, or protruding Piles, send me your address, and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the absorption treatment; and will also send some of this home treatment free for trial, with references from your own locality if requested. Immediate relief and permanent cure assured. Send no money, but tell others of this offer. Write to-day to Mrs. M. Summers, Box 103 Windsor, Ont.

Mrs. Gadsby (hugging dog)—"I don't know what we're going to do about poor darling Fido." Mr. Gadsby—"Humph! What ails him?" Mrs. Gadsby (in surprise)—"Why, haven't you noticed how irritated he becomes whenever the baby cries?"

Be There a Will Wisdom Points the Way.—The sick man pines for relief, but dislikes sending for a doctor, which means bottles of drugs never consumed. He has not the resolution to load his stomach with compounds which smell villainously and taste worse. But if he have the will to deal himself with his ailment, wisdom will direct his attention to Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which is a specific for indigestion and disorders of the digestive organs, have no equal.

"I am going to marry your daughter, sir," said the positive young man. "Well, you don't need to come to me for sympathy," replied the father, "I have troubles enough of my own."

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

"The doctors have given John-son up." "Dear me, is he as ill as that?" "No, your honor. That's why he's given him up."

Holloway's Corn Cure is a specific for the removal of corns and warts. We have never heard of its failing to remove even the worst kind.

Counsel (to witness)—"Now, allow me to remind you of what happened to Balaam." Witness—"Certainly; but allow me to remind you that it was the ass that warned him."

Regain Your Strength by taking "Ferronin." It is the best tonic ever compounded. It nourishes and strengthens the whole system.

Waitress (handing stodge-looking steak)—"And what will you have to follow, sir?" Customer—"Indigestion, I guess!"

Pale, sickly children should use Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. Worms are one of the principal causes of suffering in children and should be expelled from the system.

The Husband (during the quarrel)—"You're always making bargains. Was there ever a time when you didn't?" The Wife—"Yes, sir; on my wedding day."

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### PROFITABLE.

"What are you in for?" queried the new prison inspector of a convict. "Counterfeiting," was the reply. "Nearly all profit, eh?" said the P. I. "Well," answered the victim. "It sure was a lucrative business while it lasted."

## Singer Talks

### 8. Which is the Best Sewing Machine for You?

All that can be said of the Singer is as nothing compared to the way the Singer speaks for itself. Singer results tell the story of Singer success.

The best way to prove the superiority of the Singer is to try it—try it in your own home—test it by the most difficult work you know.

But you may say "a cheap machine will do all this." Perhaps it will to-day—but how about a year from now?

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73 Adelaide St. West, Toronto.

"Have you," asked the judge of a recently convicted man, "anything to offer the Court before sentence is passed?" "No, your honor," replied the prisoner; "my lawyer took my last cent."

In the causes of infant mortality cholera morbus figures frequently, and it may be said that complaints of the bowels are great destroyers of child life. If all mothers would avail themselves of so effective a remedy as Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial many a little one could be saved. This Cordial can be given with safety to the smallest child, as there is no injurious substance in it.

"Jane," began Mrs. Newlied timidly. "I don't suppose—that you would—object to my getting an alarm-clock?" "Not at all, ma'am!" replied the sleepy maid. "These things never disturb me at all!"

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

An Irish dealer, when selling a nag to a gentleman, frequently observed, with emphatic earnestness, that he was an honest horse. After the purchase had been effected the gentleman asked him what he meant by an honest horse. "Why, sir," replied the seller, "whenever I rode him he always threatened to throw me off, and he certainly never deceived me."



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