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GIVE WAY TO VIGOR, HEALTH AND

An Attack of La Grippe Left the Sufferer Weak, Nervous and Enfeebled—A Victim of Insomonia and Heart Trouble.

Naturally every sick person to whom help is promised, will ask, "has the remedy been successful? Whom has it helped?" We cannot better answer these questions than by pub lishing testimonials received from grateful people who are anxious that other sufferers may profit by their experience. One of these grateful ones is Mrs. Douglas Kilts, of Perry Station, Ont. Mrs. Kilts says:-"Three years ago I had a very severe attack of la grippe, and the disease left me in an extremely worn out, nervous and enfeebled condition. The nervousness was so severe as to have almost resulted in St. Vitus dance Sleep forsook me. I had bad attacks of heart trouble, and the headaches I endured were something terrible. I had no appetite, and was literally

fading away; I was not able to work

about the house and was so weak that I could scarcely lift a cup of tea. I was treated by a good doctor, but with no benefit. Almost in despair, I resorted to patent medicines, and tried several one after another, only to be disappointed by each. I lingered in this condition until the winter of 1899. when a friend prevailed upon me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I began taking them. From the first the pills helped me and I could feel my strength gradually returning. I continued the use of the pills according to directions until I had taken eight boxes when I was again enjoying perfect health. My strength had entirely returned, my appetite was splendid, the heart trouble and nervousness had ceased, while the blessing of sleep, once denied, had again returned. I had gained over thirty pounds in weight, and was able to do all my housework with ease. In fact I had received a new lease of life. I believe my cure is permanent, as more than a year has since passed and I feel so strong and well that I venture to say there is not a healthier woman in this section; indeed I am enjoying better health than I have for twenty years, and this has been brought about by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I feel that I cannot say enough in their praise for I believe they saved my life. My

In The Jaws of a Lion.

son has also received the greatest

benefit from the use of these pills in a

case of spring fever."

The gallant Major, Swaine tells of being knocked senseless by a lion that lacerated his arm. His thrilling escape from the jaws of death is only equaled by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved thousands from desperate Throat and Lung troubles. "All doctors said my wife would die of Consumption," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Eigin, Tenn., a but your wonderful medicinet completely cured her, and saved her alife." Satisfaction is guaranteed by J. E. Richards, who gives trial bottles free. Large bottles 50c and

You have a fine collection of literary portraits, Miss Myrtilla. Yes, aren't they lovely? Every last one of them looks like

Read it in the Faces

This is the age of brain trouble, of heart failure, of paralysis and of body weakness. You can read it in the faces of the people you meet. Nervous diseases do not get well on their own accord. Regular and persistent use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is the only treatment that can be absolutely relied upon to stop the wasting process which saps vitality from the system. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food creates new rich blood, revitalizes the nerves and permanently cures all nervous diseases. 50 cents a box.

There was a vacant seat in the car. Little Willie allowed the strange lady to take it, although he looked very tired. Thank you, my little gentleman, said she. Why did you not take the seat yourself? You look quite weary. So'd you be weary, lady, if yer father found out yer went fishin', like

Bieyelists, young or old, should carry bottle of Pain-Killer, in their saddle bage. It cures cuts and wounds with wonderful quickness. Avoid substitutes, there is but

one Pain Killer, Perry Davis'. 25c and 50c. Mother-Miss Cathchem has a lovely voice, and you know it. Why did you ask her to sing for Mr. Richfello? Daughter-See that mirror in front of the piano? Yes. Well Mr. Richfello sits right in range where he can see her face. She looks like a whitewashed chimpanzee when she sings.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

Gloom and Despair! CHINESE JUGGLING DATES.

This Is Hinted, But General Be lief is Pekin Cables Are Reliable

Allies Are Now Confronted by a Difficult and Dangerous Problem, as Without Doubt the Ministers Are Being Held as Hostages-Lieut. General Von Lessell Will Be Commander-in-Chief of

the Allied Forces. London, Aug. 1.—(4 a. m.)—A sensational Shanghai correspondent still hints that the Chinese are juggling with dates, but, in face of the constantly accumulating evidence, that the Ministers were safe on July and despite the omission from that the Ministers were safe on July 22, and despite the omission from all the despatches of anxiously desired information regarding the real situation, political and otherwise at Pekin, there are very few in London who do not believe the despatches genuine and reliable.

A Dangerous Problem The allies now confront a most difficult and dangerous problem. Without doubt the Ministers are Without doubt the Ministers are held by the Chinese as hostages, and the outcome of the advance on Pekin, which, in all probability, has already begun, will be awaited with intense anxiety. To-day's despatches show that the allies, notably the Japanese, have been pushing their preparations with feverish haste, organizing a service of pack carts, trains and junks.

6-n. Von Lessell in Cemmand. It is reported from Berlin that Lieux-Seen. Von Lessel, commanding the German forces in China, who Emperor William has just promoted to the rank of general commanding an army corps, has been selected as commander-in-chief of the allied for-

The Chinese are strongly entrenched at Wangtsung, from which position, however, they can be ejected without great difficulty. The danger is that if defeated there the Chinese will retire on Pekin and put the remainder of the Europeans to death. It is possible that the advance of the allies will be the signal for the Chinese authorities to compel all foreigners to quit the capital, in which event they might become the prey the fanatical Boxers.

Nothing to Helay Advance. The feeling of the newspapers here is that nothing whatever should now delay the advance and that no gotiations of any kind should be countenanced, until the allied troops reach Pekin and assure themselves regarding the fate of the foreigners.

A MESSAGE FROM PEKIN.

Gives the Results of the Attacks on the Legations to July 21—The Casualties.

London, Aug. 1.—A special despatch from Tien Tsin yesterday says: "A Pekin message, dated 21, reports that the first outnews reached there July 18. failure of the relief expedition made the siege far more perilous.
"On June 19 the Tsung li Yamen broke off relations. June 30 China

declared war.
"Baron Von Ketteler and Francis

James, an English professor, were murdered.
"Over 400 non-combatants occupied the British legation. I understand converts are holding the north cathedral. A thousand refugees occupied the palace of Prince Li. Truce Berne July 17.

"A truce began July 17, after 26 of fierce assault. One night shelling was uninterrupted for

the British legation. Two attacks resulted in the ruin of Han Lin college, the Chinese National College. The cowardice of the Chinese prevented a successful rushing.

"The total killed or died is: Germans, 10; Japanese, 10; French, 11; British, 5; Russians, 4; Americans, 7; Italians, 7; converts, 9. Total, with wounded, 98.

"The correspondents Morrison, Reid and Tementy are ill. Chinese Lost 2.000. "At least 2,000 Chinese have been

The Americans occupy a strong Provisions are still sufficient. The hospital arrangements are excellent. Everybody is much exhausted by continuous areas. tinuous work.

Don't Re Hoodwinked.

"Imperial edict have commended the Boxers and ordered missionaries to leave the interior and commanded all Viceroys to help Pekin, but an edict, dated July 18, enjoins protection and promise compensation. The report that a large relief force was coming produced this change. "Foreign Governments should be 'Foreign Governments should aware of being hoodwinked."

NEWS FROM PEKIN JULY 23. Military Attache at U.S. Legation Calls

For Help For Liberty. Washington, Aug. 1.—Adjutant-General Corbin yesterday received a despatch from Lieut.-Col. Coolidge,

deperal Corbin yesterday received a despatch from Lieut.-Col. Coolidge, commanding the 9th Infantry at Tien Tsin. It came by way of Che Foo, and is as follows:

"Tien Tsin, July 27.—Following letter of Lieut.-Col. Shiba, military attache at the legation of Pekin, dated July 23, arrived Tien Tsin 25th, at 9 o'clock in the evening:

"Pekin, July 23.—(Evening.)—

We are all awaiting impatiently arrival of reinforcing army. When are you coming? All legations have been blockaded since 13th last month, and since the 20th we have been attacked continuously by the Chinese by more than 10 encampments. By a supreme effort we are still defending. We are daily awaiting with the greatest and

Constipation, Headache, Biliousness, Heartburn,

Indigestion, Dizziness,

Indicate that your liver is out of order. The best medicine to rouse the liver and cure all these ills, is found in

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stents. Sold by all medicine dealers xiety reinforcing army, and if you can't reach here in less than a week's time it is probable we will be unable to hold out any longer. Emperor and Empress Dowager appear to be still at Pekin. Were our reinforcements to arrive, very probably that they would flee to Wanshoshan. Killed and wounded up to date—Killed, one captain of infantry and an ambassador's attache; 7 seriously wounded; the first secretary of the legation being one of 20 slightly wounded. The number of Europeans killed is 60 in all. Coolidge."

ANOTHER MESSAGE FROM CONGER

By Agreement, There Has Been no Fir-Washington, Aug. 1.—The War Department last evening received two cablegrams from China. The first

cablegrams from China. The lirst read:

"Che Foo, (undated)—To Corbin, Washington: Tien Tsin, July 27. Message just received from Conger, says since 16th, by agreement, no firing. Have provisions several weeks, little ammunition; all safe, well. I (Daggett) report allied force soon advance. Practically no looting by Americans, no unnecessary killing. Indiana arrived 26th. Order MacCann, Sladen, both Allens, Mitchell, Brice, joined regiment here. Sgd. Daggett."

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The second read:
"Che Foo.—Corbin, Washington "Che Foo.—Corbin, Washington.
Tien Tsin, July 30.—Flintshire arrived 27th. Two hundred and fifty-seven 9th Infantry sick, 10 doctors, 100 hospital corps men, 20 single men needed; unavoidable delay unloading transports. Foreign troops loading transports. Foreign arriving. (Sgd. Dagget (Sgd. Daggett.)'

Russians Captured Forts. Berne, Aug. 1.—Communication between Che Foo and Shanghai has been re-established, and a despatch from Che Foo, dated July 29, confirms the report that the Russians captured the forts at Niuchwang on July 26.

Rome, Aug. 1.—The commander of the Italian cruiser Elba, at Tien Tsin, received the following teleyesterday from the Japanese y attache at Pekin, dated

"The legations are eagerly awaiting relief. Cannot hold out long. Sixty Europeans killed."

AN IMMEDIATE ADVANCE

Is Contemplated by the Commander of

London, Aug. 1.—In the House of Commons yesterday, Parliamentary Secretary Brodrick announced the receipt of a despatch from Gen. Sir Alfred Gaselee, commanding the Brit-ish forces in China, stating that he contemplated an immediate advance on Pekin, and that he hoped to have the co-operation of the allied forces

London, Aug. 1.—Important additional confirmation of the safety of the legations was received in London last evening by Mr. Duncan Campbell, representative in Europe of the Chinese customs service, from the Commissioner of Customs at Che Foo, in the shape of a Pekin despatch, not dated, but believed to have been written on July 21, signed by both Sir Robert Hart, Inspector-General of Cutoms, and Mr. Robert Bredon, Deputy Inspector-General, to the following effect: "Staff and family are still safe."

This has been confirmed by the Commissioner of Customs in Shanghai, who telegraphed last evening: "Authentic, Inspector-General safe, twenty-second." twenty-second.

London, Aug. 1.—(4 a. m.)—It is reported from unofficial, but usually reliable source, that the Chinese Minister at St. Petersburg wired to Li Hung Chang, intimating the possi-bility of obtaining favorable terms of settlement with Rassia if China would adopt a conciliatory attitude, and compel a cessation of the at-tacks on the legations. Thereupon, according to this information. Li Hung Chang memorialized the throne, representing that he was ill and unable to come to Pekin, but urged that every endeavor be made to send the Ministers to Tien Tsin, and to ensure the safety of foreigners and

Detaining 600 Europeans. Rome, Aug. 1.—A despatch received here says: "The Chinese Government is detaining 600 Europeans as ed here says : hostages, including the Ministers and their familles and the members of the legations."

SIR CHARLES MAKES A CHANGE. Will Sail for Canada Two Weeks Earlier

Than at First Intended. Montreal, Aug. 1 .- The Star pubthe following special cable from London:
Sir Charles Tupper has changed his

Sir Charles is staying quietly with his family in Kent. He visits the city occasionally, and is in excellent health. He speaks most confidently to friends of the issue of the elections in Canada. elections in Canada.

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-The Latest Quotations:

Liverpool, Aug. 1.—Yestorday wheat futures were quiet, closing unchanged to ½d above Monday's final quotations.
Chicago, Aug. 1.—Wheat futures declined %c per bushel yesterday and recovered most of the loss.

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Toronto, Aug. 1.—The receipts of live stock at the cattle market yesterday were light, 37 loads, composed of 566 cattle, 622 hogs, 662 sheep of 566 cattle, 622 hogs, 662 sheep and lambs, and 40 calves. The quality of fat cattle offered was not quite as good, generally speaking, as to supply the demand, especially in the export and butcher classes.

that of last week. There was pienty to supply the demand, especially in the export and butcher classes. Trade was slow, the market dragging all day. Prices were easier.

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CHEESE MARKETS. Ingersoll, Ont., Aug. 1.—Yesterday 1,052 boxes were boarded, of which 450 were white and 602 colored; 9 9-16c was offered, but there were no

Sales on the board.
Campbellford, Ont., Aug. 1.—Yesterday 1,845 boxes were boarded.
Sales made: 460 at 9 11-16; 1,315 at 95%; balance unsold.

The Peculiar Liquid Which This Cu-

The cuttlefish are caught in great numbers off the Cornwall coast and are used as a bait for the conger eel, for which this part of the world is celebrated. The cuttlefish possesses no real mouth, but has a long, cylindrical sucker with which it adderes firmly to the bait. The method of capturing the the bait. The method of capturing the fish is as follows: A long line from which are suspended from 200 to 300 hooks baited with portions of pilchards (almost the only bait the cuttlefish will take) is let down into the sea and allowed to stop there for about half an hour. It is then drawn up, and the cuttlefish are found hanging by means of their suckers to the bait.

The moment that they leave the waters they eject with considerable force a great quantity of deep, black, viscous substance which is about the consistency of treacle, and the stain made by it upon the clothes of the fishermen is permanent if it happens to fall upon

I had a conversation with one man who has several times received a full charge in his face, and he assured me that beyond the smell, which is most nauseous, he felt no inconvenience at all, no smarting or pain in his eyes and no bad after effects.

If any of the liquid gets upon the nets, it rots them beyond repair un-less it is washed off immediately. Another curious fact is that this fluid will not injure cloth in the slightest degree beyond making a permanent stain. One man told me that he had a jersey for several years which had been squirted all over at different times by these cephalopods, but that except for the cloth being stained it was as good as ever. When this "ink" is ejected under wa-

ter, it hangs in a sort of cloud and does not spread.-London Leader.

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as well as the Kidneys.

Pains in the small of the back, over the kidneys, are usually due to derangements of the kidneys, and disappear when the kidneys are set right. But there are other kinds of backache, by far the greater proportion, that can never be reached by treating the kidneys. Pains in the shoulders, through the centre of the back, and in the sides are caused by a torpid action of the liver, and can only be driven out when the kver is made healthy and active.

To reach the liver, as well as the kid-

CASTORIA

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used on these leathers, retains th . elasticity and keeps them soft. The sole leather is the best obtainable, and on every sole is the makers' name and price in a slate frame, when the finished shoe has passed its rigorous examination.

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