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When the Kidneys Fail

Poisons Remain in the Blood, Which Cause Pains and Aches—Read Here of the Surest Way of Setting the Kidneys Right

Brockville, Ont., Nov. 16.—If you have headaches, backaches and rheumatic pains you have reason to suspect the kidneys. Pain is caused by poisons in the blood, and poisons only remain in the blood when the kidneys are defective and fail to do their work.

This Brockville lady has reported her case because she believes that a great many people are suffering as she did without knowing the cause or cure.

Mrs. Frank Noyes, 9 Stuart Street Brockville, Ont., writes: "For years I was afflicted with kidney complaint. I became very nervous, was easily worried and had frequent headaches through the back. I had indigestion, poor circulation of the blood and often was bothered with weak spells. I commenced using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and had only taken two boxes when I felt greatly relieved. I continued the treatment, however, until I was completely cured. In all I took about ten boxes, and have not been troubled in this way since. I highly recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and I think also that the Plasters and Ointment can't be equalled."

Here is another letter to show how rheumatic pains disappear when the action of the kidneys is awakened by Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills:

Mr. John May, Walkerton, Ont., writes: "I was troubled with rheumatism in my legs and I became so lame that I could scarcely get around. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills were recommended to me and so I commenced using them. After I had been taking them for awhile I was delighted to find that my rheumatism had left me, and to-day I am as sound as a bell, able to get around and attend to business. I have made use of Dr. Chase's medicines in many ways for the last forty years, and can not speak too well of their good qualities."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. You cannot expect such results from substitutes. Insist on getting the genuine.

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NOW SHE'S ANGRY.

He—I wonder what the meaning of that picture is? The youth and the maiden are in a tender attitude. She—Oh, don't you see? He has just asked her to marry him, and she is accepting him. How sweet! What does the artist call the picture? He (looked about)—Oh I see; it's written on a card at the bottom—"Sold."

THE LAURIER MANIFESTO

OTTAWA, November 15.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier makes a game fight, age and political condition considered, but he talks like a beaten man. Sir Wilfrid's manifesto says as plain as day "What's the use." Somehow or other it sounds like the pale echo of the Liberal platform of 1893 which Sir Wilfrid forgot for fifteen years and remembered too late.

Sir Wilfrid's manifesto shows that his main reliance is on the anti-conscription vote. If returned he will suspend the Military Service Act and take a referendum on conscription. He makes conscription the issue. My own opinion is that those who make conscription the main issue, whether for or against, put the emphasis in the wrong place and that the real function of union government is to cut out party and shape our domestic politics with reference to nothing but the general welfare of Canada. But these matters can be discussed better after the election has been won and union government has shaken down to its work of accomplishing the greatest good for the greatest number, and to hell with the interests.

Conscription being the issue it may be well to look the thing square in the face. A referendum would defeat conscription. It did in Australia where the population is ninety per cent. British, and it would here where the population is thirty per cent. French and another twenty per cent. foreign. Moreover, the conscription returns—only seven per cent. of the fit waiving exemption—go to show that conscription is unpopular. It is at least as unpopular as taxes and grocery bills, both of which would be defeated if Sir Wilfrid took a referendum on them. Incidentally the conscription returns prove that voluntary recruiting is a dead horse. And you can't ride to victory on a dead horse—even when Sir Wilfrid is the rider. A dead horse cannot get up enough action to stir the White Plume and make it behave like an oriflamme.

Sir Wilfrid's calculation is that a referendum would kill conscription. Neither those about to be conscripted, or their fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, cousins or aunts would vote for conscription. The one hundred and thirty-seven thousand who have been found physically fit but don't want to go, the fifty thousand slackers who haven't reported to the Medical Boards at all, would vote against conscription—one hundred and eighty-seven thousand and votes all told. Multiply one hundred and eighty-seven thousand by three to take in the relatives of the conscripts who might be angry enough to vote against conscription and you have a grand total of five hundred and sixty thousand against the measure—quite enough, with the other factors, not considered here, to give conscription a thorough licking. That is the way Sir Wilfrid figures it out.

And yet to defeat conscription would be a dirty trick—a breach of faith with our brave soldiers at the front to whom we would be saying: "We got you into this hole. Now get yourselves out of it."

Sir Wilfrid says he will suspend the Military Service Act while he gives voluntary recruiting another chance. This is as much as to say that he will do nothing more for the war for the next six months. At least that is what it amounts to when he says he will take a referendum which is sure to put conscription out of business. Conscription is our only means of raising men and, conscription defeated, only voluntary recruiting is left. The conscription figures show what a fat chance voluntary recruiting would have especially when tried out by a French-Canadian premier with a lukewarm Quebec as his chief support. If Sir Wilfrid's programme wins out then our brave boys are stuck fast and for keeps in the Flanders mud and they can die there before anything is done to get them out. Sir Wilfrid may be wrong in his calculations as to the size of the anti-conscription vote. It is possible that many of the conscripts would vote for others to be conscripted. It is possible that many fathers and mothers of conscripts would rise above personal feeling and vote for conscription as a vital measure of protection for Canada, and the British Empire. It is possible too that many of those affected by conscription would vote for conscription who would not vote for Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Quebec attitude. Sir Wilfrid makes a grave mistake when he reckons that a referendum vote on conscription bears any relation to his own chances of success in a general election. They are two different stories.

The general election tries out a good deal more than conscription. For instance whether this British country, which has so nobly done its bit for freedom and the Mother Land, is to remain a British country and to have a British government or is to become an independent republic with the head office in Quebec. Incidentally Mr. Bourassa in his Devoir is making a lot of votes for union government right now. The incorrigible Henri has taken the side of the Kaiser, whom he recognizes as the enemy of Anglo-Saxon domination, a thing to which Mr. Bourassa is bitterly opposed himself. Mr. Bourassa is now fighting Sir Wilfrid's battle which is more than Sir Wilfrid expected four months ago when he refused to go into a union government because he did not want to betray Quebec into the hands of Bourassa. Truly, anti-conscription makes strange bed-fellows!

Union government may reasonably count on the votes of three hundred and fifty thousand soldiers here and overseas, also on the votes of five hundred thousand women who are privileged to lend their men folk to the service of King and country also on the votes of staunch patriots the Dominion over who say that Canada must not put her hand to the plough and then turn back. There will be enough votes to win.

Union government is an experiment in altruism which is worthy of support from all sensible persons who believe that Canada is going to pare things pretty close to the bone for next ten years. An intelligent electorate will watch public affairs closely and any government that tries to put a raw one over will get short shrift. Party government is a luxury we can no longer afford. Jobs in the civil service where no jobs were before, jobs made as party rewards for party leaders—these we must forego as too expensive. Paying two prices to government contractors because the contractors are party friends—we must cut that out too. The old party system of bonuses for the friends of the Ins and bumps for the friends of the Outs is too costly for these hard times. From now on the man who has service or costs to sell to his country must do it on merit.

Union government is a partnership of thrift and fortitude. It is the only government that can look an empty cupboard in the face and take the proper stern measures to fill it without fear or favor to anybody. Union government—if it acts up to its opportunity and I have no reason to doubt that it will—must squeeze every dollar of revenue for every cent of value there is in it. A partnership—so I said—of thrift and fortitude. That is the only way we can meet our troubles. Indeed that is the chief reason why all good patriots should stand behind union government. It means courage, straight thinking and money saved. And here is the paradox of our national finance for the next ten years—if we don't save money we won't have any money to save. Only union government can do the trick.

H. F. GADSBY.

PERSONALS

Mr. W. A. Heustis, City, left yesterday morning for Summerside.

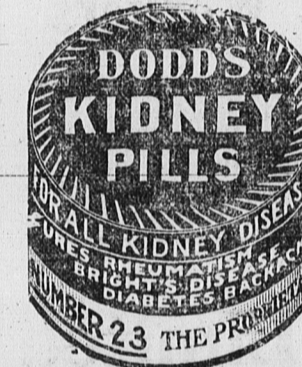
Mr. C. M. Thompson, Kingman, Me. is touring the province on a potato buying expedition.

Mr. W. J. Brown, City, representing the National Drug Co., left yesterday morning for St. John.

Mr. Arthur Rogers, who has been in the city on a business trip returned to Summerside.

Mr. J. O'Halloran, station agent at Bloomfield has resumed his duties after a pleasant vacation spent in various parts of the province.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Blake, and son Murray Hunter, leave this morning for New Bedford, Mass., where they will reside in future.



CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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WANTED AT ONCE, GIRL FOR general housework. References required. Apply at Guardian Office. 1099-11-9M41

WANTED AT ONCE FOR P. E. I. Hospital, two smart girls for general housework, one able to do plain cooking. Apply to Miss Kilburn Housekeeper, 1205-11-15M33

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework in a family of three. Apply 146 Pownall St. between 6 and 8 p. m. 1206-11-15M31

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FOR SALE.—ONE LIVS MINK Earl D. Dingwell, Box 32, Dingwell's Mills, P. E. Island. 1199-11-15M21pd.

FOR SALE.—TWO SHROPSHIRE ram lambs for breeding purposes. One pure bred the other grade. L. H. D. Foster, Marshfield. 1151-11-13M51pd.

HEAVY BROWN PAPER FOR sale, excellent for putting under oilcloth or carpets. Apply at the Guardian Office. 732-10-20Mtf.

WANTED.

WANTED AT ONCE A COTTAGE or small tenement centrally located for family of two. Apply at Guardian Office. 951-11-1Mtf.

WANTED.—12,000 LBS. FOWL AND chickens drawn, undrawn or alive. Bring good stock and get good prices. F. D. Bennett, Stanley. 1203-11-15M41pd.

WANTED.—TWO HUNDRED BUSHEL good bushel White Oats. One Hundred bushel Potatoes. Anyone able to furnish any of the above, please write stating prices F. O. B. your station J. J. MacKenzie, Box 223, Pictou, Nova Scotia. 1138-11-12M61pd.

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It's Grandmother's Recipe to Bring Back Color and Lustre to Hair.

You can turn grey, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

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Another notable bargain list that should keep us hustling Friday and Saturday. Most of the goods are offered at less than today's factory prices. We can do this because we bought before the rise. Everything exactly as represented. Mail orders filled. Money back if dissatisfied. Freight prepaid to your nearest station on purchases of \$10 or over.

This Splendid \$14.50 Bed Outfit Complete for Only \$12.75 Friday and Saturday Only



Here is an outfit to be proud of—a splendid continuous post, white enameled iron bed, very strong and massive—filled with a woven wire spring and a soft top mattress. The fact that bedding of all kinds has taken a big jump in price lately makes this offer the more attractive.

A Big Drive in High Class Bedroom Dressers and Chiffoniers—Prices Cut to the Bone!

One only of each—and must be sold to make room for Xmas goods now piling in daily. Factory prices are now so high that dressers and chiffoniers like these are beyond the reach of the average person. One of these will give you pleasure for a life-time, and will always be worth what it costs you.

LOW PRINCESS DRESSER. Mahogany—Colonial style—large 24 x 36 inch bevel mirror—wide drawer and 2 small drawers—wire pulls. Regular \$35.00. To clear\$28.50

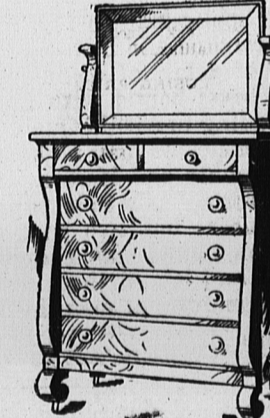
VANITY DRESSER. Quartered oak—18 x 51 inch bevel mirror—gives full length view—4 small drawers on each side of mirror and large drawer below. Very handsome price. Regular \$55.00. To clear\$37.00

COLONIAL DRESSER. Mahogany—large oval mirror 28 x 36 inch—very handsome. Regular \$48.50. To clear\$37.50

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AMERICAN WALNUT CHIFFONIERS. Colonial design \$35.00 for\$26.00
Jacobean design—large size. Regular \$39.00.
Two only Gents' Dressers, very handsome. To clear\$31.50

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Fine English Longcloth—full yard wide—worth 17c at the factory 5 yds. 60c

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