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DOCTORS PRESCRIBING WHISKEY.

There have been for a long while past, according to the number of certificates reported, a rather surprising number of cases of illness in and about Charlottetown. Strange to say these were not usually among the children or delicate women, or the few well known chronic invalids, but among the able bodied working men, who were, despite their illness, regularly pursuing their ordinary calling. Some of those who had reported themselves to the doctors as in need of treatment, became intoxicated on the medicines prescribed for them. Indeed the last case of drunkenness brought up in the Police Court was that of a strong, able bodied farmer from Fort Augustus, who swore that he got drunk on the medicine thus prescribed for him by a doctor.

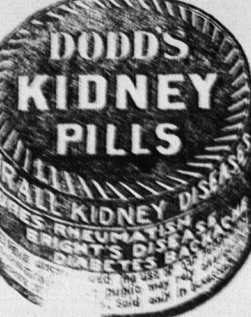
What happens in many of these cases is related by one of the patients in about as follows: "I wanted a drink, and a bottle of cod-liver-oil went to Doctor—bought heavily as I went in, made up a cough and tried to look miserable. The doctor asked me what was the matter. I told him I was not feeling very well, and had had a cold, thought if I had a drink or two it would break it up, as it had done in former times. He gave me a certificate and I went to the vendor and got two bottles of whiskey."

There are many similar cases in which the patient diagnoses his own case and takes the medicine he wants. He knows that his illness is more alcoholic than that, and the doctor knows it almost as well. The so-called patient knows and the doctor knows equally well, that the applicant would not call for the services of a doctor at all under the circumstances, but for the fact that he wants whiskey and nothing else, would not take any other medicine if it were prescribed for him, and simply applies to the doctor because this is the easiest and safest way to get whiskey. The doctor gets twenty-five to fifty cents for filling out the certificate.

There are many doctors who would never touch in this nefarious trade in certificates which is at once a violation of the spirit and the letter of the law, and as we can learn they have taken no action to purge the profession from those unworthy members who give a regular trade in whiskey certificates. This is to be regretted, for the result of the profession, by the mounting of the chief offenders are well known. They have been treated with extraordinary leniency so far, and appear to have grown bold in their discreditable practice. There seems nothing else to do, if the Medical Society will not take the matter up, but to see the law in action and make a few examples from among their number.

A sober honest public will have more respect for the physician who openly violates the law and takes his chances of

being caught than for the professional man who for a twenty-five cent fee, skulking behind the shelter of a diploma and a license to practice medicine, makes himself the purveyor and procurer for a degrading and ruinous vice. And it is high time that a judicious check was applied, if only to prevent the fair fame and worthy traditions of an ancient and honorable profession being longer dragged in the mire. Will the Medical Society take this matter up and purge its membership rolls? If not some of the whiskey doctors ought to be summoned to court to answer for their conduct. And we hope to see this done.



**DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS**

had it in hand. Very fortunately the concrete pillars on which the superstructure rested bore the tremendous shock of the falling mass entirely without injury.

What about the numbering of city residences to prepare for free delivery of letters?

One of the objections urged against the free delivery of letters was that the rate for drop letters would be increased to two cents, as in other free delivery cities. This is presently to be changed. Postmaster General I. D. Lewis has announced that he will introduce legislation to make the rate for drop letters in all cases one cent per envelope.

### THE SECRET OF CRISP PASTRY.

Keep three things in view, if you want unvarying success with your pastry—cold water, good shortening, and Bled flour. Ice water and butter are not reliable, but it may be made consistent if you use cold water and some shortening of a different kind. But as cold water is not available, you will have to give a little less cream, so that it will break with a little less, and as easy to digest as it is delicious.

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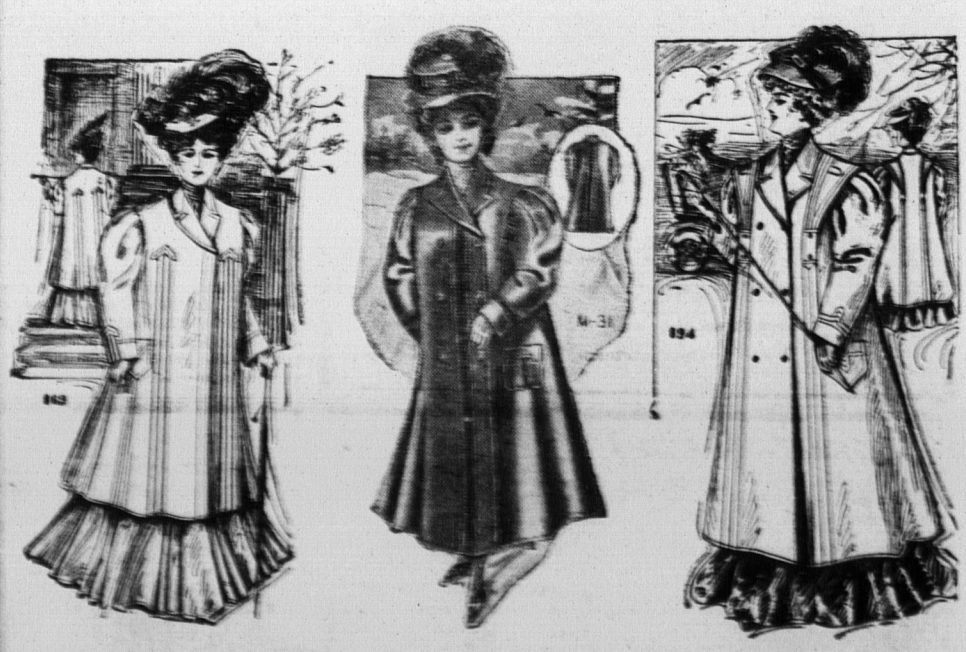
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