

A FISHERMAN'S LIFE

Saved to Wife and Family By
Dodd's Kidney Pills

He Was Dying With Kidney Disease—
No Doctor Within Fifty Miles—A
Stranger's Gift of Dodd's Kidney
Pills Cured Him.

Pleasant Bay, C.B., Dec 22.—A well known resident of this place, who has lived here, man and boy, for forty years, and has followed his occupation as a fisherman in the dangerous waters of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, since his childhood, sends regularly to Sydney for a supply of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Asked by a newspaper representative what his object was in doing this, he said: "A fisherman's life is one of continual danger. I have experienced that for myself. Some years ago I was caught in a storm on the Gulf and exposed to the terrible weather for two days and a night.

"Soon after this I was laid up with Kidney Disease and Rheumatism and was confined to my bed for four months. There is no doctor within a good many miles of us here, and I thought I was going to die. So did my wife and my friends.

"Fortunately, a stranger, who came here to write up the place for a New York paper, called on us one day. He saw the condition I was in, and gave me three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills from his own supply.

"I used one box and part of another, and was then able to resume my work again, with renewed strength and vigor. Dodd's Kidney Pills saved my life. If it had not been for them I would have died and left my wife and family unprotected for. Since then I have guarded against such a possibility by keeping a supply of Dodd's Kidney Pills on hand. I wouldn't be without them for \$1,000."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only safeguard against all Kidney Diseases. They can be got at all drug stores, for fifty cents a box.

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**Some
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Christmas
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Christmas

Where Did the Christmas Tree Come From ?

The Christmas tree, equally with the Christmas card, is a modern innovation in England, dating back only so far as the "Forties," when the Prince Consort introduced the custom to delight his and the Queen's children. He brought the pretty idea from Germany, where Christmas trees are prominent features in every household, high or low, which is blessed with children, at Weinschafest, as the Germans call Yuletide.

It did not take long for the Christmas tree to take root and flourish in England, and in a few years from the day when the Prince Consort introduced it almost every children's party had as its central feature one of these glorified fir trees, large or small, according to the purses of the hosts.—Canadian Home Journal.

Christmas Boxes.

An exchange says that Christmas boxes probably owe their origin to a primitive method, of taking the census. In the old days of Rome, as far back as the time of the mythical Servius Tullius, an altar was erected in every village about the time of our present Christmas, and on it each man, woman or child residing in the district had to drop a single coin, its value being immaterial. The coins, being counted gave the numbers of the population; and the amount so subscribed was distributed to the most deserving. The custom lived on; census papers took the place of counters, pockets took the place of altars; the alteration of the faith made on alteration in the seasonable custom and it gradually became modified as we now have it.

A Timely Pointer.

"I'll give you a pointer, Mollie"
Said Tommie the other day,
If you want certain things at Christmas,
You'd better try my way.

"It easy and very simple.
And always works for I
Have tried it many and many a time
At Christmases gone by.

"Write Santa Claus a letter,
In your very bestest hand,
And give him a list of the things you want—
Don't matter at all how grand.

And then, when the letter is written,
Just take it to dear old dad,
And ask if he thinks the spelling
And writing is awful bad.

I once wrote a note to Santy
And sent it off right away,
And not a thing that I asked for
Was sent on Christmas day.

But the letter I showed to Daddy,
To see if it was written right,
Brought every thing that I wanted
The following Christmas night.

I don't know just how he knows it,
But Pa knows a thing or two
'Bout how old Santy should be addressed
By kids like me and you.

—Harper's Bazaar

Christmas Dreams.

I would rather live in Dreamland
Than in any other clime,
For 'tis there the fairies gather
At the merry Christmas time.
There, old Santa Claus, dwelling
Rears its head 'mid ice and snow,
There he keeps costly treasures,
Piled up high for folks below.

I would rather live in dreamland
Than in any other place,
For 'tis all lit up with sunshine,
From Santa's glowing face,
It is full of stars and angels,
Candle's bright and Plenty's horn,
And the dreams we have on Christmas eve,
Come true on Christmas morn!

Merry Christmas.

Now let the spark of love flame forth,
Spread all its grandeur o'er your way
And bells ring out their chiming note,
On happy Christmas day."

"Now Christmas is come,
Let us beat up the drum,
And call all our neighbors together;
And when they appear,
Let us make such a cheer
As will keep out the wind and the weather."

"At Christmas be merry and thankful
with all,
And feast thy poor neighbor, the great
with the small."

THE POPULATION OF EGYPT.

"During the last hundred years the population of Egypt has shown a constant increase," says The Journal of the Society of Arts. In 1800 it consisted of 2,460,200 souls, in 1846 this number had increased to 4,476,440, and in 1882 to 6,813,919. At the present time the population is estimated at 9,734,405, and if it continues to increase in the future in the same proportion as in the past, it will amount by the year 1912 to about 12,000,000. As regards the distribution of sexes, there are 4,947,850 males and 4,786,555 females, and these figures include 112,526 foreigners. France has supplied 14,155, the United Kingdom 19,557. The most numerous of the foreign inhabitants are the Greek—who number 38,172, then come the Italians 24,467, and (after the French and English) Austrians 7,197, Russians 3,193, Persians 1,301, Germans 1,271, Spaniards 765, Swiss 472, Americans 291, Belgians 256, Dutch 247, Portuguese 151, Swedes and Norwegians 107, Danes 72, and 923 of other nationalities. In lower Egypt there are 5,676,109 inhabitants and in upper Egypt 4,058,296. Public instruction leaves much to be desired, for of the entire population only 47,886 persons are able to read and write; there are, therefore, 9,266,819 inhabitants, or 97 per cent of the aggregate population, completely illiterate. What is even more extraordinary is the fact that 6,480,493 persons, or about two-thirds of the entire population, are without any trade or profession."

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—The Kaiser intends writing his "Impressions of the Orient." He is really an Admirable Crichton! He fosters the fine arts, regulates religious affairs, occasionally preaches a sermon, writes dramas, paints pictures, evolves allegories, and organizes State pageants. He is familiar with the characteristics of all the cardinal as he is with the records of the principal Imperial ballet dancers. For him military ballooning, projectiles, smokeless powders, and quick-firing rifles have no secrets. Submarine boats, torpedo-destroyers, weird engines of war, are his daily playthings. He finds time to give his Imperial consort hints on dress and the management of children; designs uniforms, invents tactical problems, acts as dramatic censor. He sees everything, knows everything, and directs everything. He is one of the brainiest men in Europe.

Don't Want Russian Bonds.

NEW YORK, December 20.—A query has been received by J. & W. Seligman from their London representatives to know if \$10,000,000 Russian railway 4 per cent bonds could be placed. It was answered in the negative.

DIED.

Passed peacefully away at Millbourne, on Dec. 23rd, Thomas Long, in the 45th year of his age. The deceased was well known and deservedly respected. He was of a kind disposition and of steady habits, and was a universal favorite with all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance as was evidenced by the large concourse of people in attendance at his funeral. May his soul rest in peace.

In this city, on the 20th inst, Alice Walsh, aged 68 years.

At Uigg, on the 21st inst, Mrs William MacKinnon, aged 76.

The camel is a beast of great strength and endurance. Nothing hurts it until the proverbial "last straw" is added to its burden. It is really astonishing how much abuse it will stand. Sometimes, however, something worse than usual will be eaten, and will go through the stomach into the bowels, and there it will stick—that's constipation. Nine-tenths of all human sickness is due to constipation. Some of the simplest symptoms are a coated tongue and foul breath, dizziness, heart burn, flatulence, salivaceous, distress after eating, headaches and lassitude. A little thing will cause constipation, and a little thing will relieve it. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a certain cure for constipation. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules, mild and natural in their action. There is nothing injurious about them. Sold by druggists.

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