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Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

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An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview on the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

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have originated in the Sixteenth century, and tinplate was first manufactured in Great Britain in 1670.

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Chess and Music Mixed.
Sir Walter Parratt, who is about to complete his fortieth year as organist at St. George's chapel, Windsor, is an enthusiastic chess player. On one occasion he undertook to play two men (in consultation) without looking at the heard, while he himself played a number of planoforte selections. The tame instead an hour and Sir Walter

you have decided that the Worm sentrin must be exterminated, so they -Dr. Berry's Vernifuse, and I had that one does will expet them

SOLICITORS BILL

SENATE PASSES BILL TO PROVIDE HOSPITAL FOR TUBERCU-LAR PRISONERS.

RECORD VOTE OF 72 TO 23

Bowle Railroad Bill and Martin Marriage Bill Pass Final Reading in House.

Raleigh. Amended to provide a flat salary for solicitors of \$4,000 per year with \$750 annually for expenses, the Waren-Connor solicitors bill passed the house of representatives on th' I reading by a record vote of 72 to 23, after another four-hour session of spirited debate, and the clincher was applied by Representative Townsend, of Harnett, who moved reconsideration of the vote by which the measure passed and the subsequent motion of Representative Connor, of Wilson, to table the Townsend motion, which carried. The bill now goes to the senate.

Representative Ferell, of Forsytk, over the objection of the proponents of the bill, secured passage of his amendment which inserted the limited expense account clause, and the Connor amendment to abolish a provision in the bill that solicitors be paid \$50 a of criminal court went through after heated debate.

This was climaxed at the close of the session, when Representative Thurston, of Johnston county, who had announced that he would offer a substitute, charged from the floor that he had been discriminated against by Mr. were in collusion to prevent him from being heard on the matter. Mr. Warren replied that such a charge was untrue, that no such thought had been entertained by himself or Mr. Connor, and expressed his high regard for Mr. Thurston.

Representative Warren, of Beaufort, led off with the d'scussion of the bill. explained its application, and urged that deep consideration by every member be given in an effort to reach an agreement on the bill, which would of 15.059 in all the institutions, with a accomplish the end toward which it was aimed. Mr. Warren told the house the difference between the solaries of various state officers and the income the solicitors derived from their fees, which, he pointed out, were as much as two times more. He said that no county which had adopted a salary basis for payment of their of of physical education. ficers had ever gone back to the fee system, and pointed out with facts and figures the amounts solicitors now derived, ranging from \$4,000 per annum up to \$18,700, owing to the size of the district and the number of weeks of criminal court.

Representative Connor, in support of the bill and his amendment, said that it seemed "pure nonsen Heltor \$50 a day for work done over a period of ninety days after he had been paid more than \$44 a day for the ninety days period of court.

Representative Ross, of Moore, and Turlington, of Iredell, both led the opposition with the plea that the bill was not practicable and was not fair in certain of its provisions to the solicitors of the various districts.

The Martin bill requiring the filing of notice with the register of deeds eight days before license is issued. amended to apply only to persons under 21 years of age. The final vote on the bill was 55 to 36 after a motion to table had been killed by a vote of 51 to 47.

The battle developed nothing beyoud demonstration of the utter impotence of the mincrity in the House. Representative Cowles wanted a rollcall, and demanded it depeatedly, but at no time was there a sufficient sustaining vote to carry the motion, and he appealed in vain for a record.

A state-wide measure passing its third reading is that which provides for the building of a hospital for the treatment of tubercular state prisoners. The bill was amended before passage, placing the hospital's super-vision in the hands of the board of directors of the state tuberculosis instead of leaving it under the control of the board of health, and cutting the

appropriation from \$75,000 to \$50,000.
Gaining four votes and losing five after the membership of the House hed ster the membership of the House and stept over it for a night, the Bowle "Lost Provinces" railroad bill passed its final reading in the House, unamended by a vote of 55 to 48 and went its way to the Senate where its passage is expected by the author by a substantial majority.

Volstead" Bill Reported Favorably. Henate committee on propositions and grievances reported favorably the bill putting the Volstead act into effect in North Carolina. Heriot Clarkson, of Sharlotte, chairman of the committee, appointed by the law enforcement convention to direct the advocacy of the bill, appeared before the besides committee. Mr. Charleon also engineered the measure before the house committee. Mrs. T. W. Bickett also spoke for the bill as the representation of the bill as the representation of the committee. Sanate committee on propositions

Orphenages Care for 2,940 Children. In the 25 orphanages in North Car-olina, 2,940 dependent children are being cared for at present, according to a survey of these particular institutions just completed and made public by the state board of charities and public welfare. The results, which have been tabulated, give a comprehensive view of how the orphanages are meeting the problem of the dependent child in this state and form a basis of recommendations for improvements.

These figures do not represent half the number of North Carolina dependent children, officials state. Because of lack of room, the orphanages are forced to turn away yearly more children than they can admit. Estimates from reports filed with the departdent places the total of the state's dependent children at 6,000 "at the very lowest."

A visit to every orphanage recently was made by Miss Mary G. Shotwell, of the bureau of child welfare, a part of the state board of charities and public welfare. The administration and work of each was studied and a full report written. To each superintendent was sent a question naire dealing with five phases of institutional management; administratration, finances, number of children received and dismissed, education and physical care.

One thousand ave hundred and eighty-one applications were received by the institutions in North Carolina last year, according to the survey, while only 431 children were admitted. Of the 331 children dismissed from orphanages during this period, "47 were graduated; 155 returned to relatives; 31 placed in homes; 28 secured posttions; 21 entered college; 27 ran away; per day for all over 90 days of session | three sent to Caswell Training School; two died, and 17 were otherwise disposed-of (no explanation of their disposition having been made by superintendents.)"

Of the 2,940 children now in orphanages of the state, 2.869 were in school last year, distributed from the first to the eleventh grade. It was found that Warren and Mr. Connor, who, he said, there is "marked decrease" in the number of children who are in grades higher than the sixth. Six institutions send their children to public schools in the community in which they are located. Three send their high school pupils to the city schools and two others receive salary from the county for one or more teachers employed in the orphanage school. The number of volumes in the libraries of the orphanages runs from 50 in the small home up to 3,000 in the larger, making a total total of 120 magazines.

Seventeen of the 25 institutions require a physical examination of each child upon entrance; four have a physical examination at regular intervals and eight have regular dental examination. Only one orphanage, according to the survey, employs a director

Planning Campaign Against Rats.

The agricultural extension service of North Carolina State college and the department of agriculture, in cooperation with the United States biologilcal survey, is planning a statewide campaign against rats. Nine counties already have been organized to conduct drives during the March 5-10.

Workers of the extension service estimate there is a loss of five to 10 million dollars annually from rat depredations in North Carolina. Replies to circulars sent out by E. R. Raney, of the farm engineering division, show an average loss of five per cent in cirn kept in storage. This represents a loss of \$3,000,000 when applied to the state's \$60,000,000 corn crop.

"While the loss to corn probably represents the largest single damage, it is only a small percentage of the total damage," stated J. Silver, of the United States biological survey, who is in Raleigh to assist in the campaign. "Rats destroy all manner of farm produce from the time of planting until final consumption. These pests destroy by polution 10 times as much as they eat.

"Losses in storage on the farm, in transit, in warehouses, in markets and in store all effect the ultimate price to the consumer. Nor does the loss stop with foodstuffs; all kinds of dry goods, furniture, other house furnishings and miscellaneous merchandise are constantly being destroyed by their incessant gnawing. Floods are caused by the rats gnawing lead pipes and by their burrowing in the embank-ments; foundations of buildings are weakened by their tunneling, while destructive fires often are caused by

"To this list of indictments, I also add the more serious one of their men-ace to the public health. The best means of getting rid of rats is the co-operative drive against them, followed by a general cleaning up and where possible, to guard against them in con-structing new buildings and in making repairs," he said.

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"I ask you to refresh your recollection. "Didn't you have lemonade?" "Yes. but I wouldn't call that stronger."

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