

# DODSON KILLING USE OF CALOMEL

### Says Drug Is Mercury and Acts Like Dynamite on Your Liver.

Dodson is making a hard fight against calomel in the South. Every druggist has noticed a great falling off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason, Dodson's Liver Tonic is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tonic is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tonic is personally guaranteed by every druggist. A large bottle costs but a few cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tonic is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Take Dodson's Liver Tonic instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.—Advertisement.

Proceeding With Caution. "What are your views concerning the tariff?"

"You ought to speak first," replied Senator Sorghum.

"Why?" "Because you are an influential voter. As a patriotic yet practical statesman it should be my duty, as well as my privilege in this interview, to reconcile my opinions to yours as far as I can conscientiously do so."

## MOTHER, QUICK! GIVE CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP FOR CHILD'S BOWELS

Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup." If the little tongue is coated, or if your child is listless, cross, feverish, full of colic, or has colic, a teaspoonful will never fail to open the bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the constipation, sour bile and waste from the tender, little bowels and gives you a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Advertisement.

### New Type of X-Ray Apparatus.

The West London hospital announces the possession of a new Roentgen apparatus, the design of a Bavarian roentgenologist, and the only one in England which makes use of rays of a wave length not hitherto employed. The current is of a voltage greater than 200,000. It is expected that with this new apparatus double the number of cures of cancer possible in the past will be obtained. The tube gives the highest penetration yet achieved.

## SWAMP-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proven to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of distressing cases. Swamp-Root makes friends quickly because its mild and immediate effect is soon realized in most cases. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound.

Start treatment at once. Sold at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

### New Medical Standards for China.

The United States Pharmacopoeia is being translated into the Chinese language under the direction of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science. Before the war Germany tried to have the German Pharmacopoeia translated into Chinese, with the object, of course, that German manufacturers might export to China drugs of German standards. Great Britain has made similar attempts since the war, but our own standards are to be adopted.

### Don't Forget Cuticura Talcum

When adding to your toilet requisites. An exquisitely scented face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume, rendering other perfumes superfluous. You may rely on it because one of the Cuticura Trio (Soap, Ointment and Talcum). 25c each everywhere.—Advertisement.

### Timely Advice.

"I want to leave footprints on the sands of time."  
"Well, keep out of the mud."

# IRISH PROBLEM IS PURELY DOMESTIC

### DE VALERA AND LLOYD GEORGE AGREEMENT CAUSES MUSH SATISFACTION HERE

## NOT TO GRANT INDEPENDENCE

### The Hope of Solution Lies in a Referendum by the People of Ireland Who Are Weary of Warfare.

Washington.—Although officially the Irish problem is purely a domestic matter as between Great Britain and Ireland the fact is the agreement between Prime Minister Lloyd George and Eamonn de Valera to enter a personal discussion on October 11th of the questions at issue has caused much gratification here.

For unquestionably the settlement of the Irish problem will have a bearing on the relations between the United States and Great Britain at the forthcoming Washington conference.

While there is no such thing as a consensus of opinion in official quarters on such a delicate thing as the Irish problem, a dominant view is that Mr. Lloyd George has cleverly renewed the negotiations with the Sinn Fein without causing either side to seem to be surrendering its major demand. Such information as trickles in from reliable sources, however, indicates that the British prime minister is determined not to grant absolute independence to Ireland.

The hope of solution lies in a referendum by the people who are so weary of warfare that they are said to be ready to approve the settlement which the British government is preparing to offer.

## Wants Congress to Adjourn.

Washington.—The Harding administration does not want congress in session during the first few weeks of the disarmament conference.

This desire has been communicated to congressional leaders by high administration officials.

## Harding Sees Mimic Battle.

Washington.—Under the eyes of the commander-in-chief of all the fighting forces of the United States, 5,000 marines staged a thrilling sham-battle on the historic Wilderness battlefield.

## Longshoremen To Go On Strike.

New York.—Several thousand longshoremen and checkers walked out in protest against new working terms agreed upon recently by trans-Atlantic steamship operators and the International Association of Longshoremen.

## Y. M. C. A. College Endangered.

Springfield, Mass.—Fire caused a loss of \$100,000 when the Springfield ice company plant was practically destroyed. The Y. M. C. A. college, close to the ice plant, was saved.

## Fleeing From Earthquakes.

Richfield, Utah.—Terrorized residents within a radius of 50 miles of here were reported preparing to flee because of fears of another recurrence of earthquake shocks that have rocked this district five times.

## Fight With Ku Klux Klan.

Waco, Texas.—Pistols spat fire and white shrouded riders rode pell mell in confusion when Sheriff Bob Buchanan attempted to stop a Ku Klux parade at Lorena, 14 miles south of here.

## Farm Loan Bonds For Sale.

Washington.—A general offering of federal farm loan bonds, amounting to \$60,000,000 has been made on behalf of the federal land banks, Secretary Mellon announced.

## Carried Pin For Years.

New York.—Mrs. Katherine Lawrence, editor and authoress, of Brooklyn, is recovering from an operation which removed a pin she swallowed when a child.

## Woman Deputy Marshal.

Asheville, N. C.—Miss Katherine Rollins, appointed as deputy United States marshal here, is believed to be the first woman to serve in such capacity in the South, or possibly elsewhere in the nation.

## Plans to Launch Woman's Party.

Washington.—Plans for launching a woman's political party, which will put its own candidates in the field, were announced by Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont. Back of it is millions of dollars and millions of women.

## Credit System Aiding West.

Washington.—Important results are being obtained from the agricultural credit arrangement made possible by the extended powers of the War Finance corporation.

## Dies at Age of 115 Years.

El Paso, Texas.—Juan Flores, 115 years old, died here. His wife, 102 years old and a son, aged 80, survive. Mr. Flores witnessed the attainment of Mexico's independence centenary celebration which was recently observed.

# REPEALS VARIOUS WAR TAXES

### Under Amendments Inheritance, Liquor Taxes and Tax on Tobacco Would Remain as in Bill Proposed.

Washington.—A manufacturers' sales tax of three per cent was formally proposed to the senate by Senator Smoot, republican, Utah.

The senator explained that this would be in substitution for "all of the various war taxes, the excise taxes, luxury taxes, stamp taxes, capital stock taxes, transportation, telegraph and insurance taxes, the taxes on soft drinks, ice cream, cosmetics, admissions and all of the other of the 75 varieties of obnoxious, discriminatory forms of taxation," which would be repealed on next January 1 under a series of amendments to the revenue revision bill offered by the senator.

Repeal of the excess profits tax as of last January 1 instead of next January 1, as planned by both the house and the senate finance committee, also was proposed by Senator Smoot. Under his amendments, the corporation income tax would remain at 10 per cent but there would be no change in the present tobacco, liquor and inheritance taxes.

## Improvement in X-Ray Outfits.

Washington.—Improvement in medical x-ray outfits to the extent that all danger of electrical shocks and burns had been eliminated was described to the American Roentgen Ray Society by Dr. W. D. Coolidge, of the General Electric company's laboratory, at Schenectady, N. Y.

## Conspiracy is Charged.

Cincinnati, Ohio.—Charging conspiracy in restraint of trade, to wit, a combination, to fix the price of cement, the Hamilton county grand jury returned a blanket indictment of a score or more of material and supply firms and individuals.

## Great Exposition Closes.

Charlotte, N. C.—With several thousand people present, an air of jollity and merriment seldom seen in a Charlotte gathering and with one of the best musical programs presented in the entire 16, the Made-in-Carolina exposition came to a close.

## Rents High in Los Angeles.

Los Angeles.—With the exception of a few isolated instances, rents in this city still remain at the heights to which they soared during the last two years. This is due to the great demand for homes and business properties.

## Meets Death With a Song.

Chicago.—Singing a popular song, Carl Wanderer, convicted of the murder of his wife, her unborn babe and a "ragged stranger," whom he hired to stage a fake holdup, was hanged at the Cook county jail.

## Given Rousing "Send-Off."

Columbus, Kas.—Hundreds of Kansas coal miners were here to see Alexander Howat and August Dorchy, their president and vice-president, "off to jail."

## Baby Blimp is Demolished.

Dayton, Ohio.—A bolt of lightning in an electrical storm demolished a "baby blimp" dirigible balloon stationed at Wilbur Wright aviation field.

## Costly Postoffice Building.

Columbia, S. C.—A new postoffice which cost \$350,000, one of the handsomest in the south, was opened here. The building has been in course of construction since before the war.

## Hotel Fire in Washington.

Washington.—Two persons are known to have lost their lives in a fire which partially destroyed the National hotel, on Pennsylvania avenue, a few blocks from the national capitol. The dead are George Mason, Charlottesville, Va., and Miss Catherine Dean, 25, a telephone operator at the hotel.

More than 300 guests were asleep in the building when the fire broke out. The hotel was one of the oldest in the city. Henry Clay died there and Abraham Lincoln frequently dined there.

## Earthquake at Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal.—A slight earthquake shock was felt in the southwest section of Los Angeles. The tremor lasted but a few seconds and no damage was reported.

## Reduced Rates to Reunion.

Chattanooga, Tenn.—The Confederate Reunion Committee has been authorized to make the announcement as official that the railroads will grant a rate of one cent a mile each way for the Reunion that meets here October 24th to 27th inclusive.

## Salary Increases Disapproved.

Indianapolis.—Disapproval of salary increases of approximately 50 per cent for officers of the United Mine Workers of America was voted by the union's convention.

## Masons go Next to Portland.

Asheville, N. C.—With the selection of Portland, Maine, as the meeting place for the triennial convocation in 1924 and the election of officers, the 3th triennial convocation of the general grand chapter of Royal Arch Masons closed here.

# TRUMAN NEWBERRY DECLARED ELECTED

### WAS CLEARED OF CORRUPTION AND ALL OTHER CHARGES BY SENATE COMMITTEE.

## CASE IS NOW UP TO SENATE

### On But Two of Major Issues Were the Republicans and Democrats in Harmony in Reports Filed.

Washington.—Opinions conflicting along party lines were presented by majority and minority members of the senate privileges and elections committee on the Ford-Newberry 1913 senatorial election contest from Michigan.

The majority report cleared Senator Truman H. Newberry, the republican candidate, of corruption and all other charges and recommended that he be legally seated. The democratic members asserted that Senator Newberry was nominated by "corrupt and illegal methods and practices" and recommended that his seat be declared vacant.

With the filing of the reports, the case now goes to the senate for final decision, which probably will not be made for several weeks. Meanwhile, it is understood, Senator Newberry will not attend the senate sessions.

Only two major issues were the republicans and democrats in harmony in the reports filed. They agreed that Henry Ford, the democratic contestant, had not been elected to the seat from Michigan. They also agreed that too much money had been spent in the Michigan primary.

## Bottlers Endorse Sales Tax.

Raleigh, N. C.—Adoption of a resolution protesting against the proposed excise tax on manufacturers of soft drinks in the new revenue act and favoring a manufacturers' sales tax on all industries featured the eighth annual convention of the North Carolina Bottlers Association here.

## Emergency Measure Proposed.

Washington.—Possible emergency measures by municipalities to cut down the number of the country's involuntary idles, were taken up at the public hearing before the public works committee of the national conference on unemployment.

## State Manufacturers Meet.

Chicago.—Taxes, transportation and new transportation legislation are among the matters scheduled for discussion at the sessions of the national conference of State Manufacturers' Associations, which opened here.

## Former Soldier Under Arrest.

Denver.—Dr. Gilbert L. Lininger, Pueblo dentist and former army officer, was arrested at Pueblo on a charge of theft of army dental supplies during August, 1919, while stationed at Camp Jackson.

## Reply to De Valera.

London.—The Sinn Fein leaders were invited by Prime Minister Lloyd George to a conference in London, October 11, on an Irish peace adjustment. The invitation was extended in Lloyd George's reply to Eamonn de Valera.

## International Justice Court.

Geneva.—Professors of international law constitute a majority of the members of the new court of international justice as just elected by the League of Nations.

## Trucks Ruining Railroad.

Athens, Ga.—Automobile truck competition may force the Gainesville Midland railroad into the scrap pile, according to a letter from W. B. Veasey, receiver for the road.

## Grippe Attacks Babe Ruth.

New York.—Babe Ruth is confined to bed at his hotel here with an attack of grippe which prevented him from playing with the New York team against the Athletics at Philadelphia.

## Ku Klux Klan Condemned.

Indianapolis.—Proceeding the parade the G. A. R. delegates met in a business session and passed a resolution condemning the Ku Klux Klan. The Sons of Veterans passed a similar resolution.

## Test of Charleston Harbor.

Charleston, S. C.—The heaviest draft ship to enter this port in several months was the tanker Bradford, with a cargo of 60,000 barrels of crude oil from Port Lajas, Mexico, for the refinery.

## To Consolidate Railroads.

Washington.—A tentative plan for consolidation of all American railroads into 19 great competing systems was announced by the interstate commerce commission.

## Shriners' Hospital Sites.

Atlanta.—Locations of six of nine tree hospitals for crippled children which the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine are to establish in various parts of North America at a cost of \$2,000,000 have been decided upon by the trustees.

# NO PERMANENT TARIFF AS YET

### Chairman of Finance Committee Determined to Push Tax Bill to Passage as Rapidly as Possible.

Washington.—With a view to expediting action on the peace treaties with Germany, Austria and Hungary and on tax revision legislation, republican leaders planned to put through a program calling not only for night sessions of the senate, but for the beginning of the day sessions an hour earlier than usual. The tax bill would be considered during the day and the treaties at night.

There is a desire to dispose of the treaties before the beginning of the conference on the limitation of armaments and, since the three pacts must be acted upon separately, leaders plan to lose no time in getting their consideration fully under way.

Chairman Penrose, of the finance committee, is determined to push the tax bill as fast as possible.

He is still hopeful that it can be put through with two weeks' consideration but opposition to some features apparently has taken on a wider range than at first was anticipated.

## Spangler's Spring is Doomed.

Gettysburg, Pa.—Spangler's Spring at which Union and Confederate soldiers drank together during a lull in the fighting at the close of the second day of the battle of Gettysburg, July 2, 1863, may pass out of existence. Typhoid fever germs have been found in the water.

## Henry Neal is Dead.

Washington.—Henry Neal, for 45 years door-keeper at the office of the speaker of the house, is dead. The son of a Seminole Indian chief, Neal was appointed in 1876 by Speaker Caldwell. The eight succeeding speakers retained him.

## Hundreds Killed by Typhoon.

Tokio.—Several hundred persons have been killed by a typhoon in central Japan, centering upon Nagoya, on the island on Hondo, where a tidal wave destroyed crops and houses. Several steamers were sunk.

## A Royal Commuter.

Paris.—King Alfonso of Spain has joined the ranks of royal commuters. An air-taxi designed for his personal use, has been completed by a French firm. The machine will make 130 miles per hour.

## Swanson Will Be Candidate.

Warrenton, Va.—In a letter to Thos. A. Frank, editor of a local weekly paper, made public by Mr. Frank, United States senator Claude A. Swanson announces he will be a candidate for re-nomination to the senate.

## To Fight Dry Movement.

Lausanne, Switzerland.—A commission to fight against an invasion of Europe by an international prohibition movement originating in the United States was appointed by the International Anti-Prohibition Congress.

## Southern Asks Bond Issue.

Washington.—The Southern railroad applied to the interstate commerce commission for permission to issue \$5,655,000 in Georgia Pacific bonds.

## Another Democrat Resigns.

Columbia, S. C.—J. Waites Waring, assistant United States district attorney for the eastern district of South Carolina, announced his resignation, to take effect October 1.

## 150,000 Refugees in Petrograd.

Riga.—Approximately 150,000 refugees from the famine districts of Russia now are in Petrograd, says a wireless message received here.

## WILHELM II IS DYING.

Berlin.—Wilhelm II, former King of Wuertemberg, is dying of bronchitis and heart trouble, said a dispatch from Stuttgart.

## Man Ruins Amuck; Kills Two.

Tampa, Fla.—Angered because his wife was suing him for divorce and the custody of two small children, C. O. Clark, 30, ran amuck at Arcadia and committed suicide after he had shot and killed two persons and wounded Mrs. Clark, according to reports received here.

## Negro Drifting From South.

Washington.—Revised figures of the census bureau, just released for publication, emphasize previous announcement that the negro drifts from the south into other sections of the United States.

## Big Salvage Suit Filed.

Charleston, S. C.—Suits aggregating \$250,000 have been filed in federal court as a result of the fire aboard the S. S. Pinellas some weeks ago when machinery of the ship and cotton were damaged.

## No Hope For Tariff Now.

Washington.—An expectation that the special session of congress will be able to complete a permanent revision of the tariff before its termination in December, is understood to have been abandoned.

## Gets Seat in Congress.

Boston.—A. Platt Andrews, former assistant secretary of the treasury, was chosen to succeed Will Fred W. Larkin as congressman from the Sixth Massachusetts district at the special election.

# ACTIVE ARMIES OF GREATER NATIONS

### ESTIMATE MADE THAT SIX MILLION MEN ARE UNDER ARMS IN THE WORLD TODAY.

## CHINA OCCUPIES FIRST PLACE

### Of the Nations Who Are Not Distressed by Civil Strife, France is Far in the Lead With 1,024,000.

Washington.—Active armies of the 14 most important nations of the world today include approximately 6,000,000 men, according to figures obtained here and regarded as reasonably correct. With the inclusion of land armaments in the agenda of the forthcoming conference on limitation of armaments, these are the figures with which it is expected the assembled delegates will have to deal.

While China stands first among the nations in this summary of soldiers actually under arms about September 1st, last, being credited with 1,370,000 active troops, France is far ahead among the nations not distressed by civil strife, in the number of men with the colors. The French strength is placed at 1,024,000 men, the British empire standing next with 740,000 and Germany last with 100,000. The United States stands thirteenth with 149,000 men in the regular army, exceeding Germany, while Italy has 350,000 and Japan 300,000 active troops.

Figures for other powers include: Russia, 638,000; Poland, 450,000; Greece, 255,000; Spain, 253,000; Switzerland, 107,000; Turkey, 152,000; Czechoslovakia, 150,000.

## Cotton Off \$9.50 in New York.

New York.—The cotton market made a sensational break following the publication of the official crop condition figures by the department of agriculture. After selling up to 21.95 for December delivery, a new high record, prices broke \$9.50 per bale.

## Decline in Cotton Condition.

Washington.—Further decline in the condition of cotton during September resulted in a reduction of 500,000 bales in the forecast of production issued by the department of agriculture, which places the total crop at 6,537,000 equivalent 500-pound bales.

## Increased Paper Demand.

Washington.—Increased demand for commercial paper and, generally, a slight reduction in rates were noted in the review of the acceptance market published by the Federal Reserve Board.

## Two Hundred Liquor Violations.

Greenville, S. C.—More than 200 cases charging violation of the national prohibition law will be taken up at the Greenville term of the United States court, District Attorney Ernest F. Cochran announced.

## Guatemala Joins Federation.

Washington.—Ratification by Guatemala of the constitution of the Federation of Central America was formally consummated at Guatemala City.

## Break-Neck Pursuit of Liquor.

Athens, Ga.—A break-neck pursuit of a whiskey-running automobile ended four miles from Athens when the whiskey car turned turtle. One hundred gallons of whiskey and the car were confiscated.

## Dr. Hadley is Re-Indicted.

Richmond, Va.—Dr. William Amos Hadley was re-indicted in the Henrico county court on a charge of murdering his wife, Mrs. Sue Tinsley Hadley, whose body was found in the James river December 30, 1918.

## \$2,000,000 Cotton Compress Loss.

Morrilton, Ark.—Loss estimated at \$2,000,000 was suffered by the Morrilton Cotton Compress company when fire, started by a bolt of lightning, destroyed two sections of its plant and 16,000 bales of cotton.

## King Wilhelm 2d is Dead.

Stuttgart, Germany.—Former King William II of Wuertemberg is dead. King William had suffered from a severe form of bronchitis and his death was due to that and heart complications.

## Judge Grosscup Dies at Sea.

Liverpool.—The steamer Carolina arrived here with the body of Judge Peter S. Grosscup, formerly of Chicago, who died two days out from New York. Death was due to heart disease.

## Accepts Wage Reductions.

New Orleans.—Acceptance of recent wage reductions was voted here by union longshoremen. The new scale is for 65 cents an hour, with \$1 for overtime.

## Strike on Wage Reduction.

Chicago.—Counting of the strike ballots of 259,000 members of four railroad unions will begin here with the possibility of a general strike by more than 800,000 railway men in protest against 12 per cent wage reduction.

# Makes Hard Work Harder

A bad back makes a day's work twice as hard. Backache usually comes from weak kidneys, and if headaches, dizziness or urinary disorders are added, don't wait—get help before the kidney disease takes a grip—before dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease sets in. Doan's Kidney Pills have brought new life and new strength to thousands of working men and women. Used and recommended the world over. Ask your neighbor!

## A North Carolina Case

J. F. Tate, 520 S. Morgan St., Shelby, N. C., says: "My back was weak and there was a dull, heavy aching across the small of it. When I stooped, I could hardly get up again. Black specks appeared before my eyes and I was dizzy. Mornings I felt tired and run down. My kidneys were also weak. Doan's Kidney Pills, in a short time, entirely cured me."

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