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TO CONTRACTORS Bids For Elk's Home Wanted

Sealed proposals will be received by the Elks' Home Company, Asheville, N. C., on or before noon, May 2, 1914, for an Elks' Home Building, Asheville, N.C.

All bids shall be made and submitted on special proposal blanks furnished by the Architect; otherwise they will not be considered, and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for 5 per cent. of the lump sum bid, as a guarantee that the successful bidder will enter into the contract according to plans and specifications, said check to be made payable to the Elks Home Co. If for any reason the bidder fails to accept the proper contract and bond as required within ten days after notification of the acceptance of his bid, then said certified check will become forfeited to the Elks Home Co.

The Elks Home Company reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or parts of bids; the sealed bids must be addressed as follows: Bids for "The Elks' Home," Smith & Carrier, Architects, College street, Asheville, N. C.

Copies of drawings and specifications may be obtained from the Architects, upon making a deposit for each set by certified check for \$25.00, \$20.00 of same will be returned to the maker upon receipt of the said drawings and specifications in good condition, and accompanied by bona fide bid as above stated.

Additional copies of drawings and specifications will be supplied and-contractors upon payment of \$10.00; \$5.00 of amount of hich will be returned to sub-contractors upon receipts of said awings and specifications in good condition; the \$5.00 retained for his and specifications to cover the expense of issue.

but no sign of Ladley anywhere. He had not seen the police boat.

"Perhaps that is just as well," he said philosophically. "We can't go to the police with a wet slipper and a blood stained rope and accuse a man of murder. We have to have a body." "He killed her," I said obstinately. "She told me yesterday he was a fiend. He killed her and threw the body in

the water." "Very likely. But he didn't throw it bere.' But in spite of that he went over all

the lower hall with his boat, feeling every foot of the floor with an oar and finally, at the back end, he looked up at me as I stood on the stairs.

"There's something here," he said. I went cold all over and had to clutch the railing. But when Terry had come and the two of them brought the thing to the surface it was only the dining room rug, which I had rolled up and forgotten to carry upstairs!

At 1:30 Mr. Holcombe wrote a note and sent it off with Terry and, borrowing my boots, which had been Mr. Pitman's, investigated the dining room and kitchen from a floating plank; the doors were too narrow to admit the hoat. But he found nothing more im-

LESS MEAT IF BACK AND KIDNEYS HURT

Take a glass of Salts to flush Kidneys

if Bladder bothers you. Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the urle acld in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region: rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplesances, blad-

der and urinary irritation. of Jad Salts from any good pharmaty; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then This famous salts is made act fine. from the acid of grapes and lemon julce, combined with lithis, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no lon-

ger irritates, thus ending bladder disorders Jad Salts cannot injure anyone;

makes a delightful effervescent lithiawater drink which millions of men and women take now and then to and turned his back on me. disease.

"Don't touch anything in that room."

"T'll take it off and sonk it is milk." said. "It's his fountain pen. When the ink doesn't run he shakes it, and"-"Where's the clock?" said Mr. Holcombe, stopping in front of the mantel with his notebook in his hand.

"The clock ?" I turned and looked. My onyx clock was gone from the mantel shelf.

Perhaps it seems strange, but from the moment I missed that clock my rage at Mr. Ladley increased to a fury. It was all I had left of my former gentility. When times were hard and I got behind with the rent, as happen ed now and then, more than once I'd been tempted to sell the clock or pawn it. But I had never done it. Its ticking had kept me company on many a lonely night, and its elegance had helped me to keep my pride and to retain the respect of my neighbors. For in the flood district onyx clocks are not

plentiful. Mrs. Brgan, the saloonkeeper's wife, had one, and I had another-that is, I had had.

I stood staring at the mark in the dust of the mantel shelf, which Mr. Holcombe was measuring with a pocket tape measure.

"You are sure you didn't take it away yourself, Mrs. Pitman?" he asked.

"Sure? Why, I could hardly lift it," I said.

He was looking carefully at the oblong of dust where the clock had stood. "The key is gone, too," he said, busily making entries in his notebook. "What was the maker's name?"

"Why, I don't think I ever noticed!" He turned to me angrily. "Why didn't you notice?" he snapped. "Good

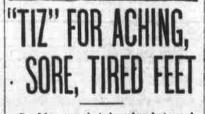
The moment your back hurts or God, woman, do you only use your kidneys aren't acting right, or if blad- eyes to cry with? How can you wind God, woman, do you only use your der bothers you, get about four ounces | a clock time after time and not know the maker's name? It proves my contention-the average witness is totally unreliable."

"Not at all," I snapped. "I am ordinarily both accurate and observing." "Indeed!" he said, putting his hands behind him. "Then perhaps you can tell me the color of the pencil I have been writing with."

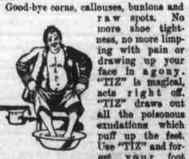
"Certainly. Red." Most pendls are

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Good-bye sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, sweaty feet, smelling feet, tired feet.



red, and I thought this was sufe. But he held his right hand out with misery. Ah! how comfortable your foot a flourish. "I've been writing with a feel. Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" now at fountain pen," he said in deep disgust any druggist or department store. Don't suffer. Have good feet, glad feet, feet and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney

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p. m. Dinner, 6:30 to 8:30 p. m. Visitors to Ashe-ville, although not guests of Grove Park Inn, are in-vited to dine and inspect the building. Special attention given to luncheon and dinner parties, if notified in advance. Orchestra concerts 3:00 to 4:00 p. m., 8:00 to 10:00 p. m. Rates \$5.00 per day and up Phone. 3000

