

AFTER 14 YEARS OF SUFFERING

This Lady Tried Cardui. Let Her Tell You in the Following Statement the Results She Obtained.

Wise, Va.—Mrs. J. M. Elam, of this place, in writing of her female troubles, says: "This trouble went on for 14 years, often I was unable to work and suffered badly at... times. When I could not be on my feet at all. Really in bad health all the time during those 14 years, and was never without pain, with awful backaching, had no appetite, was nervous, but at that time my husband's sister recommended that I try Cardui, which I began to take... and which has caused me to be in better health ever since. In a few days I felt that improvement had begun. My back got stronger and less painful. I got less nervous and my appetite began to improve. In a few weeks my improvement was noticeable, and I got into better health than I had had for 14 years. My walking before had been very painful, and could not stand on my feet to do any good. After using these medicines, however, I could walk without pain and was able to do the work and housekeeping for an ordinary family. My back and appetite were better and also my nerves."

If you suffer as Mrs. Elam did, take Cardui. It may be just what you need.—Adv.

Effect of Privilege.

Senator Sutherland of Utah was talking about certain "privileged" persons.

"I'm a foe to all 'privilege,'" he said. "Privilege means trouble. It's like the steamboat captain who had the bar privilege."

"This captain, to whom all the profits went, shouted through his telephone to the engineer:

"For heaven's sake, Mike, slow her down. We got 'em drinkin' fine."

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Oaks Impoverish Soil.

As an Italian investigator has given considerable time to the investigation of the reason for the failure of olive trees in the presence of oaks, and he has concluded that it is due to the impoverishment of the soil by the oak rather than by transmission of any species of infection.

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BRIEF NEWS NOTES

What Has Occurred During the Week Throughout This Country and Abroad.

EVENTS OF IMPORTANCE

Gathered From All Parts of the Globe and Told in Short Paragraphs.

Washington  
Col. Spencer Cosby, military attache of the American embassy at Paris, has been ordered to return to Washington. He is succeeded by Capt. Carl Boyd, now connected with the embassy.

In the most sweeping of all decisions upholding prohibition laws, the Supreme court upholds as constitutional and valid the Webb-Kenyon law, prohibiting shipments of liquor from "wet" to "dry" states. It also sustained West Virginia's recent amendment to her law prohibiting importation in interstate commerce of liquor for personal use.

"The all-reaching power of government over liquor is settled," says Chief Justice White. "There is no intention of congress to forbid individual use of liquor. The purpose of the Webb-Kenyon act was to cut out by the roots the practice of permitting violation of state liquor laws. Congress has complete authority to prevent the paralyzing of state authority. Under the Webb-Kenyon act there is no power in interstate commerce to ship liquor from one state into another to enable it to be used in any way prohibited by the state."

Approval of President Wilson's request for a statement of peace terms from the European belligerents was voted by the senate at the conclusion of three days of stirring debate.

Senator J. Hamilton Lewis, formerly a congressman from the state of Washington, but now a senator from Illinois, who is a native of Augusta, Ga., and widely known for his "pink" whiskers, says the country will not stand for any additional submarine outrages.

The "leak" anent the president's peace note is the topic of discussion of all Washington.

Representative Wood of Indiana told the rules committee of the sensational rumors regarding the "leak" to Wall street in advance of the president's peace note, but prefaced his testimony by saying that he had nothing but hearsay evidence.

The president's secretary, Joseph P. Tumulty, says he has no knowledge of the alleged "leak" under investigation. R. W. Bolling, Mrs. Wilson's brother, denies any knowledge whatever of the incident.

After the session of the rules committee January 5, Joseph P. Tumulty demanded that Representative Wood publicly apologize for involving him in the "leak" controversy.

Garrulous American sea captains, talking with each other by wireless, have brought down on their heads the wrath of the Australian government, it is learned in Washington. Complaint has reached Washington that American ships 2,000 miles apart in the South seas discuss trivial subjects when the Australian wireless is trying to get messages into the air.

A Tokio, Japan, dispatch, says that three hundred persons were killed and many injured, together with one thousand homes destroyed, in a disastrous earthquake in central Formosa.

Eleven sea captains have been raised to the rank of rear admirals. President Wilson has signified his approval.

Domestic

Solicitor General Davis of the department of justice, speaking before the Supreme court, declared that congress not only has the right to regulate the hours of service, but has ample authority to regulate wages.

Lewis D. Walton of Birmingham, Ala., the Atlanta, Ga., police believe, committed suicide on a train at Woodlawn, Ala., by the use of some powerful explosive. It was discovered that Walton carried an accident policy for \$10,000. Walton was killed, together with two other men. Many are reported injured.

Americans have been besought by Woodrow Wilson to refill the almost empty European war relief funds of the American Red Cross. The president expresses this wish in an open letter to the American people.

Two men forced a Bristol, Tenn., jitney bus operator to drive them to Bluff City, Tenn., where they dynamited and robbed the Bank of Bluff City. En route they ransacked a store at Piny Flats, Tenn. The automobile driver was forced to wait while the two robberies were accomplished, and then bring the men back to Bristol.

Ten per cent increase in salaries of all national agricultural department employees paid \$1,200 a year or less, and 5 per cent for those who get from \$1,200 to \$1,800, is authorized in the annual appropriation bill for the agricultural department passed by the national house.

The test cast to determine the constitutionality of the Adamson law enacted by congress last September, when a general railroad strike threatened, is now before the Supreme tribunal of the country.

Washington, D. C., is all agog over a speech recently delivered in the senate in which the passage of a constitutional amendment to limit a president to one six-year term, elect him by direct vote of the people and changing the date of inauguration was stated to be a movement of as much importance as any issue before the American people.

Sergeant Crawford, attached to the Pensacola, Fla., aviation station, was painfully but not seriously injured in an airplane wreck which occurred just over the bay.

An unknown number of negro prisoners were saved by the use of dynamite when they were cut off from escape by fire in the state reformatory at Frankfort, Ky.

Mexican

Carranza forces now occupy Jimenez, Santa Rosalia and Parral while Francisco Villa and his staff have fled to the state of Durango over the branch railroad from Parral to El Dorado.

Government agents at El Paso, Texas, had been loath to accept the Carranza reports of the victory of Villa at Jimenez and of Villa's reported retreat to Parral, but now admit that the battle of Jimenez ended in a complete rout of the Villa forces.

A high government official at El Paso says that he believes that the de facto government of Mexico has at last won "a sweeping victory over Villa."

Four Mexican filibusters were killed or badly wounded in an encounter with troops of the First New Hampshire infantry at Zapata, Texas, according to a report emanating from Laredo, Texas.

Army officers at Laredo, Texas, notified the war department at Washington that they have no information of the reported fight between Americans and Mexicans at Zapata.

It is reported that Mexican revolutionaries have captured Ramilene and Parral, located about ten miles below the border from Zapata.

K troop, Fourteenth United States cavalry, which was sent to Minerva, forty miles west of Laredo, to prevent a reported impending crossing of a filibustering expedition into Mexico, returned to quarter at Laredo, Texas, having encountered no filibusters.

In order to better economic conditions in Mexico all Mexican railway employees will hereafter be paid 50 per cent of their salaries in metallic currency and the other 50 per cent in gold certificates.

European War

Fokshani, another of Roumania's fortresses, has fallen into the hands of the Teutonic invaders.

In spite of the snow and extremely cold weather the Germans and Austrians are pressing the Russians and Roumanians backward.

Although the Teutonic allies have made further advances in Roumania, both in their operation driving eastward from the mountain region and northward from Wallachia into Moldavia, the Russians and Roumanians are giving them battle at various points and at several places have met with success.

Admission is made by Petrograd that the Russians and Roumanians on the upper reaches of the Sutchitza river retired before the advancing Teutons.

Berlin reports that the Russians and Roumanians have been pushed further back toward the plains from the Oltuz and Putna valleys.

A Russian attack against Mitau was repulsed with heavy losses. Near considerable fighting is reported, with nothing decisive having developed.

Bombardments and reconnoitering parties only are reported in the British, French and Italian war theaters.

Rome reports an advance of about five hundred yards by the Italians near Hill 208.

In Macedonia the British have so far failed to push forward their line near Lake Doiran.

Bralle, in Great Wallachia, and on the west bank of the Danube below Galatz, has been captured by German and Bulgarian troops.

A dispatch from Milan reports that the French battleship Verite has been torpedoed by a German submarine near Malta.

In spite of adverse conditions progress has been made on the right bank of the Tigris, east and northeast of Kut-el-Amara (ancient Garden of Eden) by the British.

A London dispatch says that President Wilson now knows the peace conditions of the Teutonic allies and the entente powers can learn what they are from him.

RIVER AND HARBOR BILL FIXED BY HOUSE

AGREEMENT ON APPROPRIATIONS IS REACHED BY HOUSE COMMITTEE.

\$38,000,000 ARE CARRIED

Virginia Will Receive \$438,434; North Carolina's Part is \$709,775; and South Carolina Will Get \$355,000 as Her Share.

Washington.—Final agreement on the annual rivers and harbors appropriation bill was reached by the house committee. The measure carries \$38,155,339, of which something over \$10,000,000 is for new projects and the remainder for continuing or maintaining existing projects.

Chairman Sparkman will report the bill at once with the hope of having it taken up as soon as the pending postoffice bill is disposed of. An adverse minority report will be made by Representative Freer of Wisconsin.

The bill carries \$438,434 for Virginia, of which \$311,434 is for new projects; and \$355,000 for South Carolina, of which \$120,000 is for new projects. These figures do not include \$1,000,000 for the improvement of the inland waterway between Norfolk and Beaufort Inlet; and \$3,000 for the maintenance of the Inland waterway between Savannah and Beaufort, S. C.

The new projects are as follows:  
Virginia—Norfolk harbor \$270,000, Tangier Channel \$16,434, Pagan River \$25,000.

North Carolina—Shallow Bag (Manatee) Bay \$28,000, Beaufort harbor \$15,900, Scuppernon River \$31,800, Northeast River \$25,375, Newbegun Creek \$5,000, Thoroughfare Bay \$5,200.

South Carolina—Charleston harbor \$70,000, Congaree River \$50,000. Appropriations for improvements or improvements and maintenance are as follows:  
Virginia—Mattaponi River \$2,000, Pamunkey River \$3,000, Rappahannock River \$10,000, Nanmond River \$5,000, James River \$56,000, Appomattox River \$50,000.

North Carolina—Shallow Bag (Manatee) Bay \$500, Cape Lookout harbor of refuge \$425,000, Beaufort harbor \$4,500, Beaufort Inlet \$14,000, Morehead City harbor \$2,000, Roanoke River \$2,500, Scuppernon River \$3,500, Pamlico and Tar Rivers \$4,500, Contentnea Creek \$1,000, Neuse River \$2,000, Trent River \$4,000, Waterway from Pamlico Sound to Beaufort Inlet \$18,000, Northeast River \$3,000, Black River \$2,000, Cape Fear River at and below Wilmington \$115,000.

South Carolina—Winyah Bay \$150,000, Charleston harbor \$50,000, Great Pee Dee River \$5,000, Congaree River \$30,000.

NEW CRISIS HAS ARISEN IN POLITICS OF RUSSIA.

New Premier, Prince Goltzine, a Strong Reactionary, Makes Significant Statement.

Petrograd, via London.—The political situation during the last two months, for which the word "crisis" seems entirely inadequate, has taken a new turn with the resignation of Alexander Treppoff from the Premiership and of Count Ignatieff, Minister of Public Instruction, and the appointment of a new Premier. The official announcement of this change, which has fallen upon the country, continuously excited and emotionally exhausted by the drama of swift changes and vicissitudes, hardly created the effect which would have been natural under other circumstances.

This time, the tide has suddenly shifted and is running strongly in the reverse direction. Prince Goltzine, who succeeds Treppoff, is a member of the extreme conservative group, who always manifested the strongest reactionary principles and as a member of the Imperial Council has always shown little sympathy for the progressive tendencies of the new regime.

The ostensible reason for his replacement of Treppoff was the apparent inability of the latter to preserve a strong, united Cabinet.

WOMAN EXECUTED BY VILLA SOLDIERS AT PARRAL.

Juarez, Mexico.—A telegram was received here by Miss Maria Chavez from her brother, Guillermo Chavez, which read: "Our mother was executed by Francisco Cilla's forces Jan. 4."

The girl's mother was Mrs. Celsa Caballero, a widow, living in Parral. The telegram added that the "Villa" officers, thinking the widow was wealthy, demanded a forced loan and upon being refused, they ordered the woman shot by a firing squad.

REMARKABLE HEALTH RECORD FOR GUARD.

San Antonio, Texas.—In an army of more than 150,000 National Guardsmen and regulars, only 274 deaths have occurred in the last seven months, according to the annual report of the chief surgeon of the Southern Department. Of the deaths 108 were classified as caused by violence while 166 were caused by disease. Those figures, it was declared, prove the generally healthy condition of the army as a whole while in service.

Temperance Notes

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

JOSH BILLINGS ON BEER.

"I never drank but three glasses of beer in my life, and that made my head untwist as tho it was hung on the end of a string. I was told it was owing to my bile being out of plum. I guess it wuz, for I never biled over wuss than I did when I got home that nite. My wife, wuz afraid I wuz going to die, an' I was afraid I shouldn't, fer it seemed ez everything I had ever eaten wuz coming to the surfus. I believe if my wife had not pulled off my boots just ez she did they would have cum up, too."

"Oh, how sick I wuz! Fourteen years ago, and I can taste it now! "Some people say beer is not intoxicating. But if I wuzn't drunk that nite I had sum of the most natural symptoms a man ever had and kept sober."

"It wuz about eighty rods from where I drank the beer to mi house. I wuz just two hours on the road, and had a hole basted through each of my pantaloons, and I didn't hev any hat, and tried to open the door by the bell-pull, and hiccuped, and saw everything in the room trying to get around on the back side of me. I sot down a leetle too soon and missed the chair about twelve inches. My wife said I wuz ez drunk ez a beast, and ez I said, I began to spit up things freely.

"If beer is not intoxicating it used me almighty mean. If ever I drink any more it will be with my hands tied behind me and my mouth pried open."

SOME FACTS ABOUT BEER.

A pint of beer contains eight-tenths of an ounce of alcohol, equivalent nearly to a tablespoonful of whisky.

While cold beer tastes cool and pleasant to a hot man, it does not cool him off.

It heats him up. The alcohol and solids are burned into heat.

The effect of alcohol is to send an excess of blood to the skin.

Whenever a large amount of blood goes to the skin it causes a feeling of warmth.

When a man drinks beer he causes himself to feel hot.

He also actually increases his body heat.

He increases his chances of sunstroke at least 100 per cent.—Dr. W. A. Evans, Chicago.

WHAT SCIENCE SAYS.

In appearance the beer-drinker may be the picture of health, but in reality he is most incapable of resisting disease.

A slight injury, a severe cold, or a shock to the body or mind will commonly provoke acute disease, ending fatally. Compared with other inebriates who use different kinds of alcohol, he is more incurable and more generally diseased. It is our observation that beer-drinking in this country produces the very lowest kind of inebriety, closely allied to criminal insanity. The most dangerous classes of ruffians in our large cities are beer drinkers. Intellectually a stupor amounting almost to paralysis arrests the reason, changing all the higher faculties into a mere animalism, sensual, selfish, sluggish, varied only with paroxysms of anger, senseless and brutal.—Scientific American.

NO UNEMPLOYED IN COLORADO.

A reference to the "army of unemployed caused by prohibition" would subject one to ridicule in Colorado. Not for a score of years, says the Denver Times, has there been such a shortage of men in Colorado's many lines of industry. Every mining camp in the state is said to be short of help, and the same is true of the farming communities, and when the mines and farms send to the city for help they find the same situation. "Labor in Colorado seems to be very generally employed," says W. L. Mansfield, who is in charge of the free employment bureau conducted by the United States immigration service. "We are getting very few applications for jobs."

SEND HIM TO KANSAS.

Gov. E. L. Phillip of Wisconsin, in the course of an address before an audience in a Milwaukee church, was asked, "What would you do with a man who had been a drunkard for sixty years?" The governor's reply as quoted by the press was as follows: "There surely would be a course that would bring out the man in him after all. There is one man whom I have pardoned from prison whom I feared would go back to drinking so I sent him into the center of Kansas. He can't get liquor there and he is living a straight, clean life. I believe he is a credit to the community in which he lives."

MADE IN AMERICA.

Uncle Sam does not hesitate to interfere with the personal liberty of paupers, criminals and lunatics from other countries who want to come to this country to make it their home. He puts up the bars and refuses them admittance. Is it right then to license saloons to manufacture these paupers, criminals and lunatics here at home and out of our own people?

WHY LICENSE IT?

If alcoholism is a disease, why license a trade to propagate it?

Thousands Tell It

Why daily along with backache and kidney or bladder troubles? Thousands tell you—here's a real case to guide you. And it's only one of thousands. Forty thousand American people are publicly praising Doan's Kidney Pills. Surely it is worth the while of anyone who has a bad back, who feels tired, nervous and run-down, who endures distressing urinary disorders, to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial.

A North Carolina Case

Mrs. W. A. Morley, "The Farmers' Friend" Asheville, N. C., writes: "I was in bad shape with kidney trouble. I had dizzy headaches, and was suffering with nervous spells, and my kidneys didn't act as they should. I also suffered severely from backache and could hardly stretch or bend after stooping. When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I got some and they rid me of all the trouble."

Get Doan's at Any Store, or a Box DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.



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Dr. Peary's "Dead Shot" is not a "loose" or "spray," but a real old-fashioned dose of medicine which attacks out Worms of Tapeworm within a single dose. Adv.

Going to Extremes.

Blondine—Gerty Gildig certainly has the shopping habit developed to a science.

Brunetta—Likes it, you mean?

"I mean that she always insists on going where she can get the most for her money."

"That's natural, isn't it?"

"In most cases, yes, but there are exceptions."

"I'd like to know what they are?"

"Well, for instance, the other day I found her in the arcade trying to ascertain which machine would give her the most for her money when she weighed herself on the scales."—Youngstown Telegram.

To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System

Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents.

Jack's Substitute.

Jack attained his fifth birthday last summer and in the fall attended school for the first time, wearing knit shirts. Some of the larger pupils plagued him about wearing dresses, and it was not long before his pleadings for a real boy's suit were granted. He was very proud indeed when he went to school a few days later arrayed in his knickerbockers. One of the girls wrote him a note saying he looked like a little man. That night he was telling his mother about it.

"Mother," said he, "Frances Wright wrote me a note telling me I looked like a little man, and I wrote her one and told her she looked like a daisy, only I couldn't spell daisy, so I spelled cat."

How Gallien Cut Infant Mortality.

When the recently deceased General Gallien became governor general of Madagascar in the early nineties, he was appalled at the unsanitary conditions and the high death rate. Though a soldier and not a physician, he set about to remedy these conditions.

He obtained the happiest results in his campaign against infant mortality. He had native women trained as midwives and he established and popularized maternity hospitals. He regulated marriages and restricted divorce. He exempted the fathers of five children from taxation and he taxed backfitters instead.

These and many other works produced such a change that the French Academy of Medicine awarded him a gold medal, a most exceptional distinction for one who was not a doctor.

Like the Dodo.

According to the last census the turkey population of the country has fallen off greatly in recent years. One statistician records the sad prediction that the popular bird will before many years be "as scarce as the dodo."

Instead of Worrying

about the high cost of living, just buy a package of

Grape Nuts

—still sold at the same fair price.

Enjoy a morning dish of this delicious food, and smile over the fact that you've had a good breakfast and

Saved Money

Isn't that a fair start for any day?