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Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, dis-urages and lesses ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kid-neys are out of order

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AMERICAN OFFICERS FOR CHI-

As has already been published in our dispatches, there is on foot a plan to secure American officers to serve in the Chinese army. The following on the subject is from The New Orleans Times-Democrat: "Seven hundred American soldiers

will be transported to China to officer the Chinese army as one of the results of Prince Pu Lun's visit to this country according to W. T. Hally, traveling passenger agent of the Union Pacific. whose company is seeking the contracts to carry the men to San Francisco States. According to the same author ity, the movement of soldiers will be commenced within two weeks. The principal recruiting station is at Yankton, S. D., and is in charge of Brigadier 2,750 reports. General Edmund F. English, of New York. The cream of the Spanish-American veterans, he claims, has been selected for the army of the Chinese Emperor. Commissioned and noncommissioned men have been offered commissions in the Chinese army, with the salaries paid by the United States government. . General William E Engish, of Indianapolis, says a special to The Clobe Democrat, has received a for the period covered. It is to be ob- marshal of the parade at the Nashville tory, poor old girl! She looks as if she'd to accept commissions in the new Chi- extra session. nese army." This information will doubtless cause

the "yellow peril," but it is to be for the period covered. officers, and the latter would in all edge of their strength. The significance of the alleged plan to officer the record of only 5,040 pages. Chinese army with Americans is inabout the domination of an inferior race-so long as he does his duty.

China is in good faith, it doubtless predecessor." means that the powers of the world are to be relieved of much responsibilitythat occasioned by the helplessness of the teeming millions.

A Jointed Snake. Wadesboro Messenger-Intelligencer.

Another jointed snake has been seen in these diggings. This time the snake was seen by Mr. Jas. T Caple, of Guiledge township, a gentleman of such unimpeachable veracity that no one who knows him would think for a moment of doubting his word about a spake story or fish story either, for that matter. Mr. Caple saw the snake in his field and procured a small stick and struck at it, whereupon his enakeship unjointed itself in one place. He struck again and the snake unjointed itself in another place. By this time Mr. Caple began to feel somewhat uncanny and left the place. On returning to the place some time later he found

left for parts toknown. Doesn't Hespect Old Age. It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the convery in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective old age. Dispepsia, mandice, fever, con-stipation all yield to this perfect pill. She makes merry lively. 25c, at all druggists.

that the snake bad mended itself and

Ralph E. Elam, 24 years old, lately a corporal in the United States Marine
Corps, killed himself by inhaling chlosofter some time Saturday night, at the home of his cousin, Mr. Charles the home of his cousin, Mr. Charles sented her with a bottle of Chamber-Elam, in Charlotte. No more deliberate lain's Pain Balm and after a few applicasuicide was ever planued and consum- tions she decided it was the most wo mated. The unfortunate young man left derful pain reliever she had ever tried only one written farewell, that being a in fact, she is never without it now and letter to his cousin, telling that he was is at all times able to walk. An occapopeless for the future here on earth, and that he took his life with a clear understanding of what he was doing Marsh. After having written in the body of the letter that he was in his right mind, he It is evident that geral Kuropatkin added a postecript in these words: "I made those preparations for settling am not crazy yet." The body was dis- the controversy in Tokio without con-

CONGRESS DID MANY THINGS.

More Laws Passed Than Since the The Old Soldier To Be The Feature

est in many years; that Congress sion since the Fifty first.

The session convened 124 days, the next shortest session having been that from diff rent points in the United of the Fifty sixth Congress-139 days, tertained by the committee. Meals

gress. The Fifty-third Congress, however, heads the list of public laws enacted, having passed 307.

personal letter from Brigadier General served that the Fifty-third Congress, reunion. English at Yankton, giving a full ex. which passed more public laws than Rev. Dr. Randolph H. McKim has position of the plan. The latter is the any other, passed fewer private laws, been appointed orator. American member of the Chinese gen- footing the list with only 134 This eral staff, and is sending invitations to was the Congress which met in the the Army and Navy of the Confederacy son. Let's see, I haven't heard yours every officer of volunteers who served first part of President Cleveland's sec- will meet in the building of the medin the late war with Spain, asking them ond term, and its record includes the cal department of the University of

laws brings up the grand total of laws pursuant to adjournment, so as not to more or less apprehension among those enacted by the Fifty-eighth Congress people who continually have visions of to 2,190, which is the largest number

doubted whether there is ground for The amount of talk indulged in is street, Tuesday morning, June 14, at any such feeling. The Chinese army indicated by the number of pages in 10:30 o'clock. Rt. Rev. Thomas F. could doubtless be made a formidable The Congressional Record. The ses- Gailor, Bishop of Tennessee, will deliver force under the direction of American sion just ended ranks third. First the address. comes the Fifty-seventh Congress, with The ladies' parlors of the First Presprobability inculcate in the troops ideas 8,414 pages; then the Fifty-sixth, with byterian Church, on Church street, of discipline which would make impos- 7,765; and, third, the Fifty-eighth, near the Maxwell House, have been sible any of the results feared from the with 6,154. The least amount of talkarousing of the yellow men to a knowl- ing was done in President Harrison's Memorial Association. Fifty-second Congress, which has a

"It will be noticed," says Mr. Wakedeed far-reaching, as showing that field in his report, "that the Congress the life of a girl to her parents? China is to awaken to her opportunities was in session a smaller number of of becoming a power in the Far Eust, days than any here mentioned; that as did Japan. The yellow and brown the number of reports and bitls do not men are inferior in practically every differ very widely from the work of the way to the Caucasians and will so re- first session of the Fifty seventh Conthey are more so," declare the parents. main, therefore, as long as the latter gress, the committees having fewer Fifty-eighth Congress reported more bills of each character and left a If this movement on the part of smaller number unacted upon than its

Why They Married.

An editor recently sent out circula etters to a large number of married men, his subscribers, asking them why they married. Here are some of the

I didn't intend to do it. Because I did not have the experi-

nce I have now. That's what I have been trying eleven years to find out.

I yearned for company. Now we have it all the time. I thought it would be cheaper than

breach of promise suit. Because Sarah told me nen had proposed to her.

That's the same fool question my friends ask me. I wanted a companion of the opposite sex. N. B.—She is still opposite. The old man was going to give me

Because I asked her to have me and she said she would; I think she has Because I thought she was on among a thousand; now I think she is

his foot, so I took his daughter's hand.

a thousand among one. I was lonely and melancholy, and wanted some one to make me lively.

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covered stiff and cold Sunday morn-sulting the Japanese maps and time

CONFEDERATE REUNION.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 15 .- Great The amount of work and talk done preparations are being made for the re-by Congress at the session just ended union of the United Confederate Veter-is set forth in a report made by Docket ans to be held here on June 14, 15 and Clerk Wakefield to Speaker Cannon. 16, and it is believed that the reunion It shows that the session was the short-will be the most successful yet held.

In compliance with the recommentalked less than it has done any time dations of the convention held at New since the Fifty-fith Congress adjourned, Orleans last year, the committee having and that more bills were introduced in charge the reunion has decided to and more laws passed than in any sesdier the principal feature of the reunion

All veterans who so desire will be en-In that time 2,945 reports were made, will be served during the entire reunion a larger number than for any first at Haymarket Square from 6 o'clock in session within the period named. The the morning until 6 in the evening. Fifty-seventh Congress comes next with beginning on the morning of Tuesday, June 14

This session also heads the list in In accordance with the custom which the matter of bills introduced. There has existed from the organization of were 16,170, the next highest number the veterans' association, that of apbeing 15,969, in the Fifty-seventh Coning the division in which the reunion parade, Gen. Stephen-D. Lee has ap-In private laws this session makes a pointed Maj. Gen. Geo. W. Gordon, better showing than in public laws. It commanding the Tennessee division enacted 1,896, which breaks the record United Confederate Veterans, as chief

Tennessee at 10 o'clock Tucsday morn-The disproportion of private to public ing, June 14, and at subsequent times conflict with the general reunion services.

The Jefferson Davis memorial service will be held at Christ Church, Broad

secured for the Southern Confederate

Boys are Worth More Than Girls. New York, May 19-Is the life of a boy twice as valuable to his parents a

"No," cry women, New York judges, mothers and fathers. "Our girls are just as valuable to us

as our boys any time, and sometimes death was established. Judge Adams, in Newark, N. J.,

J. Eastwood, the only boy victim of the wreck, to his parents. Ella Werpupp was 15 years old, bright, ambitious and eager to make her way in the world, despite the fact that her father, Henry Werpupp, a collector for a Newark brewery, is well to do. Evan Eastwood was 14 years old and equally bright, ambitious and eager to make his way in the world. He was planing to learn his father's business of jewelry manufacturing and be

taken into partnership. Judge Adams took all this into consideration. He said, however, that the probable future earning capacity of the or was at least twice that of the girl. In consequence he permitted the \$6,000 awarded to the boys parents by the jury to stand and reduced the \$5,000 awarded to the girl's parents to \$3,000.

of Course. A Washington newspaper man has

little girl who gets off some original sayings. A few days ago she asked her mother to hear her Sunday school lesson. The mother smilingly assented, and, taking the book, asked: . Who was the first man?"

"Adam," was the quick responce. "And who was the first woman?" "Adam's mother, of course."

It required some time to convince he little one that she was in error. A Bunaway Bleycle

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he thought he would be affable. "S'pose you've boarded here for ome time?" he said to the other man. "Yes; quite awhile."

"How is it? Any good?" "Yes; pretty fair. I have no complaints to make."

"Landlady treat you decent? "Well, perhaps I ought to"-And then hesitated.

"Oh, never mind, old man," said the boarder. "That's all right. I'm on; but say, mebbe you never tried chucking her under the chin once in awhile. That's the way to get on with 'em. I never had a landlady that didn't treat me Al yet. It's all in the way you handle 'em. Call 'm 'sister,' and give 'em soft, sweet, cozy talk about their looks. That's the way to fetch 'em. I'll bet I can live here for a month right now without being asked for a cent. "Watch me nudge her when she comes in. Before this time tomor-

row she'll be telling me her family hishad troubles. Probably got sied up to some John Henry who was about man enough to 'shoo' chickens out of the The Association of Medical Officers of | yard, an that's all. My name's Hudbave I?"

"No-no. I believe not. But it doesn't matter. I'm just the landlady's husband."

Edward L. Wentz's Will.

BRISTOL, TENN., May 13 .- It appears to-night that the late E. L. Wentz left will executed only a few days previous to his death, in which he leaves his entire fortune to Mrs. D. B. Wentz wife of the brother with whom he was so closely associated through the years of their residence at Big Stone Gap. The report that the will of Wentz had been found and that it bears a date only days prior to his tragic death, lends DR. W. C. HOUSTON color to the theory of suicide, now firmly believe by many of those most conservant with the facts. The fact that the will had been discoverd was made public to-day, but there is reliable information to the effect that it was found by his family some time since. Naturally it was not published until his

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> The way of some transgressors seem to be pretty smooth.



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