

DOG LAW OR PASTUER TREATMENT.

The number of people applying to the State Laboratory of Hygiene for treatment for bites from mad dogs have increased nearly two hundred a year. The Laboratory has been treating such patients for about four years. Prior to that time they had to go to Northern cities for the treatment. The amount saved to the State by the Laboratory from the work done can not be accurately determined. An estimate of the saving places the figure at \$100 per patient, or something like \$20,000 annually. In this connection it should be borne in mind that the total amount appropriated by the State for the Laboratory is only \$4,000 annually. This work has thus far been carried on by the Laboratory without an extra or special appropriation and without cost to the State. It is about time, is it not, that some action is being taken to enable the Laboratory to continue such a benevolent work? As it is, the antibiotic virus for giving the treatment is procured from Washington, D. C. Why should the State Legislature make an appropriation for the purchase of it when it can be procured fresh and at a lower price? Delay in providing this treatment sometimes proves fatal.

What is really needed is a strict state-wide dog law requiring the licensing and muzzling of all dogs. This would in a few years stamp out one of the most terrible diseases known to man. The money now suffered in this state from rabid dogs alone can not be estimated. Scarcely a week goes by that does not bring its reports of horses, cows, mules, and other domestic stock that have been bitten by mad dogs. These animals usually succumb to rabies or hydrophobia, as it is more violent in the lower animals than in man. The only law now on the statute books regarding mad dogs is one requiring all mad dogs or other dogs bitten by mad dogs to be killed under penalty of \$50. But even this is in many places a dead letter law.

In many parts of the state sheep raising would be a profitable industry were it not for the stray cur. In nearly the entire state hunting would be a pastime worth while were it not for this same unmuzzled, unlicensed, stray cur that makes his daily and nightly raids on our game. Eliminate such dogs and there will be more game to hunt. How much longer will we continue to think more of worthless curs found around negro cabins than we do of the welfare, safety and prosperity of our most substantial citizens, or the future fertility of our soils? Strict muzzling, making the owners responsible for all damage the dogs do, levying a reasonable license tax on all dogs, and devoting these tax receipts to the Laboratory for the treatment of people bitten would in a very short time stamp out hydrophobia, as is now the case of England, Germany, and Australia. It would permit the raising of sheep all over the state, and during the hunting season there would be game hunt.

The Men Who Succeeded.

as heads of large enterprises are men of great energy. Success, to day, demands health. To ail is to fail. It is a folly for a man to allow a run-down, half-sick body to stand in the way of his career. "Four bottles of the more real good than any other medicine I ever took," writes Chas. B. Allen, Sylvania, Ga. "After years of suffering with rheumatism, liver trouble, stomach disorders, and deranged kidneys, I am again thanks to Electric Bitters, sound and well." Try them. Only 50 cents at

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A health officer's business is to reduce death rates. Of course we have no way of finding out just what he is doing until we begin to register vital statistics. In a very few years after registering such statistics we can tell whether he is a "health officer" or not by a comparison of the death rates from preventable diseases in his jurisdiction with death rates from these same diseases elsewhere. Then we will get wise to the fact that it is better to pay health officers fees according to the number of lives saved each year instead of flat salaries as at present. Then there will be some real genuine health work. But let's have complete registration of vital statistics first.

Many Driven From Home.

Every year, in many parts of the country, thousands are driven from their homes by coughs and lung diseases. Friends and business are left behind for other climates, but this is costly and not always sure. A better way—the way of multitudes—is to use Dr. King's New Discovery and care yourself at home. Stay right there, with your friends, and take this safe medicine. Throat and lung troubles find quick relief and health returns. Its help in coughs, colds, grip, croup, whooping-cough and sore lungs make it a positive blessing. 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by

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Heard Dying Cries of Their Own Child.

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 25.—Standing outside their burning home at White Oak mill village, two miles from Greensboro, tonight, Mr. and Mrs. John Terrell heard the dying groans of their five-year-old daughter and witnessed the flames envelop her body, unable to render assistance. The family, mother and father and three children and another family were awakened shortly before midnight by neighbors crying "fire." The mother caught the baby in her arms, while the father carried a seven-year old son from the burning structure. Terrell attempted to return for the sleeping daughter, but was driven back by the flames. The child awakened and cried pitifully for help, until the fire ended her agony. All occupants of the house narrowly escaped death two members being seriously burned while escaping through the flames.

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Roxboro Citizens Cannot Doubt It.

Doan's Kidney Pills were used—they cured.

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Statement given February 14, 1905.

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How will the young men in this State prove their right to vote this fall? There is no state law requiring the registration of births in North Carolina.

What We Never Forget

According to science, are the things associated with our early home life, such as Bucklen's Arnica Salve, that mother or grand-mother used to cure our burns, boils, sores, skin eruptions, cuts, sprains or bruises. Forty years of cures prove its merit. Unrivalled for piles, corns or cold-sores. Only 25 cents at Hambrock & Austin.

The Remedy

Our present health organization could certainly reduce our death rate from 2.5 to at least 1.5 per thousand by inaugurating free tuberculosis dispensary systems. When we demand that our city health officers and county superintendents of health open up free dispensaries for consumption for say from three to six hours a week, and when we convert our quarantine officers into visiting nurses as well, it will cost perhaps \$500.00 to \$1,000.00 a year more than at present, but we will then be on the highway to real health work which will mean the reduction of death rates, and this is the end, the result we seek.

WHERE HEALTH WORK FAILS.

Health Officers Should Open Free Tuberculosis Dispensaries.

What is a health? Is he a doctor employed to go about fumigating and tacking up yellow posters, announcing measles, scarlet fever and whooping cough here, there and yonder? Any dollar-and-a-half a day man can do that. Perhaps he visits the jails, county homes, and a few indigent sick. But is that "health work"? No. That is the work of a county physician and not of a health officer. If a community confines a man in jail, it should give him medical attention as well as food and clothing. Medical practice in county homes, etc., is charity work of a curative nature rather than health work.

What, then, is the duty of a health officer? "A health officer is one employed to reduce death rate." But what deaths can he reduce? Preventable deaths, of course. Preventable deaths constitute 40 per cent of all deaths occurring in the State. Preventable deaths occur chiefly from consumption, typhoid fever, diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles, whooping cough, smallpox, and diarrheal diseases of infants. Of this formidable array, consump-

tion leads the list kills twice as many people as typhoid fever, whooping cough, measles, scarlet fever, diphtheria and smallpox combined. This disease is both preventable and curable. We lose in this county about 2.5 per thousand population every year from consumption. The average death rate from this disease in the registration area of the United States is only 1.6 per thousand population. With moderately efficient health work on this disease its fatality has been reduced to less than half.

Uncle Ezra Says.

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Don't apply ice cold water to a red hot stomach. Water should be cold enough to be palatable, that is, to taste good, but never ice cold. Also, don't gulp it down; drink slowly. This is important, especially if the water is cold and you are both hot and thirsty. But don't forget to cultivate the habit and drink plenty of water every day.

"Speeding up" may bring you a few more cents a day for a little while, but it will also soon put you in the "has been" class. You can not make overdrafts on your vitality without having to meet them sooner or later generally sooner.

This is the open season for our door life. See to it that you make the most of it and spend your Sundays and half-holidays in the open.

Col Roosevelt is going to speak in Wisconsin believing that Senator LaFollette is not angry enough to bite him.

Side whiskers are to come into fashion again and the youth who can not raise a mustache will thus find that life has its compensations.

Taft seems to be resting on his oars while "T. R." is rocking the boat.

When Washington said 'damn' may be some of those Senators had been urging him to take a third term.

PRIDE, PRAYER, REPENTANCE.

Behold the worldliness and pride, The many temptations to sin, The ways of evil are open wide, So many are entering therein.

The possession of costly array To enhance the fading beauty Is the desire of many today, To the neglect of important duty.

Let us the Divine commandments learn, Avoid carnality and worldly display.

All pride, vanity and evil spurn, And walk in the true and righteous way.

Dear Lord of wisdom, mercy and love,

Of justice, and judgement, too; Turn our affections on things above,

On things which are holy and true.

Teach us thy will to obey,

To heed thy great command.

Oh! keep us from pride's evil sway,

Give us love for the true and grand.

Help us to remember the right, That we as Christians should be.

May we strive, with all our might To set sins captives free.

Help us to consider and not forget.

Those around us who are going astray, While there is time and mercy yet, May they turn without delay.

May they heed God's loving call, Many in his book are given. May they lay aside evil and all That will keep them away from heaven.

Help them to heed thy call to repentance.

May they seek with all the heart, May they shun that awful sentence

Pronounced against the wicked—depart.

Help us all, each fleeting hour, Ere our days on earth are passed To grow in charity, faith and power.

May we all reach heaven at last,

And when our race on earth is run,

When death shall close our eyes, May we all be united as one

In our home beyond the skies. Thad K. Jones.

OLD HICKORY CHIPS.

The delegates who supported Taft in the Chicago convention are finding front seats at the Federal pie counter.

If it is Roosevelt's idea to 'bust' the trusts by spending their money in this campaign, he may succeed.

A Connecticut man offers to teach aviation by mail. We recommend this method as the safest way.

Among the "made in Chicago" products that are somewhat widely advertised is the "bull moose party."

It looks as if this was going to be a mighty poor business season at Beverly, Mass.

The Texas bull that butted a railroad train off the track must have been some kin to the bull moose which recently butted the Republican party off the track.

Speaking of future fakers, who ever heard of a bull moose at Armageddon?

Gov. Colquitt seems determined to prove that old boast of Texas that she could whip Mexico single handed.

Mississippi cotton growers are offering 4 cents a piece for boll weevil, the swatting of which promises to eclipse the swatting of flies in that district.

Mr. LaFollette has managed to display exceptional versatility in his role of a gentleman with a grievance.

A female philosopher says as long as a woman can keep out of a man's reach she can keep him thinking she is worth reaching for.

Senator Dixon makes the announcement that Taft will not get a single electoral vote. Now let people who have been afraid the election might be thrown into congress cease to worry.

The average man doesn't keep a piece of money long enough to make it necessary to send it to the laundry

CHILD HAD ECZEMA

MOTHER SAYS SAXO SALVE MADE HER WELL.

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