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

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, distorts and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child turns out to be a cripple, it is often due to the fact that the kidneys were diseased in the mother and bladder and not to a habit as people suppose.

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THE EDITOR'S LEISURE HOURS. Observations of Passing Events.

In the Atlantic Deep Waterways Conference recently held in Philadelphia, North Carolina took a prominent part. Congressman Small received all the credit which he so richly deserves as he has worked for the project in season and out of season. It was he who obtained the first appropriation from Congress for the construction of any portion of the waterway. He was accorded a fine reception whenever he made himself heard. He spoke particularly with reference to the North Carolina part of this chain of waterways, and his speech was frequently referred to during the session of the convention.

MR. ROOSEVELT'S removal of the phrase "In God we trust," from the new ten dollar gold coins just issued has called forth much unfavorable comment. The President in a recent letter to the public gives an explanation which amounts to nothing more than the splitting of hairs.

EVERY statesman and financier seems to realize the need of a more elastic system of currency. For several years Republican leaders have talked of currency reform, but no step has been taken. We have disregarded the old adage, "In time of peace, prepare for war." Now that the necessity for expansion is upon us, we must wait for Congress to provide reform. All of this leads us back to the years of "free silver" agitation, which had its beginning in a period of financial stringency similar to the present.

THE world laughs at the eccentricities of a genius, yet it is always willing to humor such peculiarities in order to obtain but a moment of companionship with a choice spirit. England has for centuries honored her great writers by relinquishing certain formalities in order to meet them on a common plane. Last year she set us a good example, by treating our own "Mark Twain" with as much deference as if he had been one of her greatest writers of former times.

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It Never Comes Again. There are gains for all our losses, There are balm for all our pain; But when youth, the dream, departs,

It takes something from our hearts, And never comes again. We are stronger, and are better, Under manhood's sterner reign; Still we feel that something sweet Followed youth with flying feet, And will never come again.

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HE FOUGHT AT GETTYSBURG. David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., who lost a foot at Gettysburg, writes: "Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took. For several years I had stomach trouble, and paid out much money for medicine to little purpose, until I began taking Electric Bitters. I would not take \$500 for what they have done for me." Grand tonic for the aged and for female weaknesses. Great alterative and body builder; cure sure for lame back and weak kidneys. Guaranteed by E. T. Whitehead & Co., druggists. 50c.

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In your ignorance of what the various tissues of the body require for doink their work we crowd the system with a great mass of unnecessary food, only an infinitesimal part of which can possibly be of use in strengthening us for our occupation. There are about a dozen different kinds of tissue cells in the body, each one requiring a special food, and those which are especially active in our line of work require a much larger amount of food particularly adapted to their use than the other tissues, which are almost wholly inactive in our vocation.

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REITERATION—"You have used this phrase several times before," said the Secretary. "I know it," answered Senator Sorghum. "I'm going to keep hammering away at it until people learn it by heart. Then it'll be considered an epigram."—Washington Star.

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