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Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for much sickness and suffering, therefore, if kidney trouble is persistent to continue, serious results are most likely to follow. Your other organs may need attention, but your kidneys most, because they do most and should have attention first. Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your fire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

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Sold by druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle free, also a pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, and don't let a dealer sell you something in place of Swamp-Root—if you do you will be disappointed.

By virtue of power vested in me by that deed of trust executed to me on the 9th day of January, 1908, by Henry Pitt and his wife, Lou Pitt, which deed of trust is recorded in the Register of Deeds Office for Halifax County in Book 193, at page 291, I will on Saturday the 4th day of March, 1911, at 12 o'clock, sell at public Auction, in the town of Scotland Neck, N. C., to the highest bidder, for cash, that house and lot described in said deed of trust, and lying, being and situate in the said town of Scotland Neck, N. C., and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the East side of Roanoke Street, according to the Map of said town, to which reference is hereby made, 175 feet in a Northerly direction from the corner of Roanoke and Thirteenth Streets, thence along Roanoke Streets in a Northerly direction fifty feet to Tom Shields corner, thence Eastward along Tom Shields to the town ditch, thence along said ditch Southward fifty feet, thence parallel with Thirteenth Street to Roanoke Street, the beginning, being part of the land conveyed to Henry Pitt by deed recorded in the Register of Deeds Office for Halifax County in Book 86, at page 503. This the 1st day of February, 1911.

S. A. DUNN, Trustee.
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HER LOST COAT.

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Maori Women.

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HE COMPROMISED.

A Story John B. Gough, the Well Known Temperance Lecturer, Told an Audience.

John B. Gough, the temperance lecturer, was noted as a story teller, and his stories were always well suited to his argument. W. A. Mowry in his "Recollections of a New England Educator" recalls one of them:

Compromise, compromise! What does compromise mean? I will tell you. A colored man met a friend one day and said:

"Sambo, Sambo, do you know dat tuden night I was sorely tempted? Do you know I used to steal. Well, since I fined de church I stopped stealing, but you know Mr. Jonsing's shoe store. Well, tuden night I was in dat shoe store, and I looked on de shelf and I see a pair of boots, jes' de nicest pair of boots—jes' my size, No. 14."

"Dere was de debil, and he say, 'Take 'em, take 'em.' Den de Lord say, 'Let 'em alone, dat's stealin'.' But I wanted dem boots; mine all out at de bottom and sides. Dere was de debil and me, and we both say, 'Take 'em.' But de Lord say, 'Dont you take 'em; dat's stealin'.' Now, dere was a clear majority of two against one."

"Jes' den Mr. Jonsing he teeb de store, and he teeb me all alone. Den de debil say, 'Take 'em quick and skeaddle.' I could take dem boots and chuck 'em under my coat and go right away an' Mr. Jonsing would neber know nottin' about it. But, bress de Lord, I stood de temptation! I compromised and took a pair of shoes instead."

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SIGNALS OF DISTRESS.

Scotland Neck People Should Know How to Read and Head Them.

Sick kidneys give many signals of distress. The secretions are dark, contain a sediment, Passages are frequent, scanty, Headaches and dizzy spells are frequent.

The weakened kidneys need quick help. Don't delay! Use a special kidney remedy.

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sick kidneys, backache and urinary disorders.

J. H. Wallace, Sixth & Screamer Sts., Weldon, N. C., says: "I consider Doan's Kidney Pills a very valuable kidney medicine and do not hesitate to give them my endorsement. A kidney weakness caused me much annoyance and when I had the good fortune to hear of Doan's Kidney Pills, I prepared a supply. Their use relieved me promptly and I endorse them in return for the improvement they made."

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Hostess (anxious to make an effect on the new curate)—Dear me, Janet, cook has surpassed herself in the border round the pie! How did she do it?

Janet—Please, mum, she made it with her false teeth.

Blind, Dizzy Spells.

Wilmington, N. C.—Mrs. Cora L. Ritter, writes from this place: "I used to have blind dizzy spells, and weak cold spells went all over me. Different doctors could not tell me what was wrong. After taking Cardui I am all right and in better health than for 10 years." Cardui is a remedy for women which has been used by women for nearly a lifetime. It prevents the unnecessary pains of female troubles, such as headache, backache, dizziness, dragging-down feelings, etc. Try it!

Three blind mice! Three blind mice! They all ran after a farmer's wife. She was armed with a gun and a carving knife, But she jumped on a chair and howled for her life. At three blind mice!

How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

"Did you ever try the advice, 'Think before you speak?'" a girl asked a young chap at an afternoon tea.

"Oh, yes, often!" he replied.

"And how did it work?" she asked.

"I forgot what I was going to say," he answered.

You are probably aware that pneumonia always results from a cold, but you never heard of a cold resulting in pneumonia when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. Why take the risk when this remedy may be had for a trifle? For sale by all dealers.

Crawford—Isn't it strange your wife hasn't spoken to you since the night you came home late?

Crabshaw—I don't think so. She said enough to me then to last a month.

Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently.—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala.

"Son, I hear you have joined the Boy Scout movement."

"Yes, dad."

"Well, s'pose you scout ahead and see if your mother is sitting up for me."

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If you have pains in the back, urinary bladder or kidney trouble, dizziness and lack of energy, try Mother Gray's AROMATIC-LEAF, the pleasant herb remedy. As a System regulator it has no equal. At Druggists, or by mail, 25c. Ask to-day. SAMPLE FREE. Address The Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

She—I can't go walking today. I've nothing to wear.

He—Well—er—perhaps then you are wise in waiting till after dark.

Life Saved at Death's Door.

"I never felt so near my grave," writes W. R. Patterson, of Wellington, Tex., as when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 100 pounds, in spite of doctor's treatment for two years. My father, mother and two sisters died of consumption, and I am alive today is due solely to Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. Now I weigh 187 pounds and have been well and strong for years." Quick, safe, sure, it's the best remedy on earth for coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by E. T. Whitehead Company.

Trousers Tax in France.

In France women are taxed from \$10 to \$12.50 a year for the privilege of wearing men's trousers. This, however, does not accord to every woman willing to pay the tax the right to don such garments. On the contrary, the government confers the right only as a tribute to great merit, making it, in fact, a sort of decoration given to women as the ribbon of the Legion of Honor is given to men.

The only women to whom has been granted the right to wear male attire were George Sand, Rosa Bonheur, Mme. Doulafay, the Persian archaeologist, Mme. Foucault and the sculptors, Mesdames Fourreau and La Jeanette.

An instance of the jealous care with which in France this right has been guarded was shown in the case of Mme. de Valsayre, the lady who, some years ago became so well known by reason of her propensity for fighting duels and her endeavors to get elected to the French assembly. Her petition to the government for the right in question was refused time and time again.

Had Him Tread.

He had never fished before, and his rod was new and shining with resplendent varnish. Faultlessly attended, he was whipping a trout stream when, by some odd chance, he got a bite. A writer in Forest and Stream, who happened to come along, tells what occurred. The fisherman had hooked a one-pounder, from the way the line strained.

He was not playing the fish at all. With rod held straight ahead he was slowly and steadily reeling him in. How he managed to hold the fish was beyond me.

Presently the fish was directly below the end of the rod. Did he stop? No—he kept on reeling the fish in, and just as I reached the water's edge, the fish's head touched the tip. The man even tried to pull him through the ring.

Just then he saw me standing on shore, waving my arms. He turned to me with a bewildered look and said: "What shall I do now?"

"The only thing you can do now," I said, "is to climb up the pole after him."

Simplified Spelling.

"Why did you take Enora away from school, Aunt Mahaly?" a lady asked her cook one day. Aunt Mahaly snuffed scornfully.

"Cause de teacher ain't satisfactionary tuh me, Mis' Mahly. What you reckon she tell dat chile yistiddy? She 'low dat IV spell four, when even a fildut 'ud know dat it spells ivy."—Youth's Companion.

Imperishable.

"Do you think it is a wise thing to send a boy to college," Blinks asked Rippetton. "Doesn't he get out of touch with home influences?"

"Not altogether," said Blinks. "He gets away from the home influences, but the 'touch' goes on forever."—Lippincott's.

Artificial Beauty.

One reason why women suppose the men are fooled by artificial beauty is that most of the men are too gullible not to pretend that they don't know the difference.—Chicago Record-Herald.

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