

**DO YOU GET UP**

**WITH A LAME BACK?**

**Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.**

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.



It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble.

When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.



**Private Theatricals.**

In some private theatricals a fugitive from justice was supposed to escape from his pursuers by concealing himself under a table. The table was small, and the terrified fugitive was somewhat lengthy.

The commander of the pursuing party rushed on the stage and fell over the legs of the man he was searching for. Picking himself up and ludicrously rubbing his shins, he convulsed the audience by exclaiming in true dramatic style:

"Ha, ha! The dastardly villain has eluded us again!" — Philadelphia Inquirer.

**Bobby's Reason.**

Little Bobby was saying his prayers at his mother's knee, but so rapidly that she asked him why he did not speak more slowly.

"Because, you know," he replied, "it would keep all the other children waiting." — Lippincott's.

**Pointed.**

Lady (at railway station, to porter)—Now, porter, are you sure I have all my luggage in the train? Porter—Yes, ma'am. Lady—Nothing left behind? Porter—Nothin' ma'am—not even a copper, ma'am!—London Scraps.

It is the mind that maketh good or ill, that maketh wretchedness or happiness, rich or poor.

This is what Hon. Jake Moore, State Warden of Georgia, says of Kodol for dyspepsia: "E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Dear sirs—I have suffered more than twenty years from indigestion. About eighteen months ago I had grown so much worse that I could not digest a crust of corn bread and could not retain anything on my stomach, I lost 25 lbs. in fact I made up my mind that I could not live but a short time, when a friend of mine recommended Kodol. I consented to try it to please him and I was bettered in one day. I now weigh more than I ever did in my life and I'm in better health than for years. Kodol did it. I keep a bottle constantly, and write this hoping humanity will be benefitted Yours very truly, Jake C. Moore Atlanta, Aug. 10, 1904." Sold by May & Gorham.

Kodol is today the best known and the most reliable remedy for all disorders of the stomach, such as dyspepsia, heart burn, sour stomach and belching of gas. Kodol contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Kodol is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed to give relief and is sold here by May & Gorham.

**HER NEWSPAPER DAD.**

**He Isn't Always Cross; Sometimes He Is Positively Jubilant.**

Newspaper daddies are funny, I think. Mine's one. He's funniest at breakfast, only it isn't breakfast, 'cause it's lunch, and that's another funny thing about it.

"Where's 'smornin's paper?" he asks mamma the first thing when he comes downstairs. And then when she looks sort of childishly at him 'cause he's a little gruff he hurries up and says, "Good morning, everybody," just as though he felt kind-a 'shamed of himself.

And then he won't talk when he gets his old paper. He just sticks his nose into it and looks at one page after another just as fast as he can, and then he begins all over again and does it slower and keeps still for quite awhile.

Then mamma and I wait for an explosion.

"It's 'jits!" he says. "They couldn't spell 'cat' right."

Then he goes chasing from one page to another as fast as ever he can, talking to himself, and when he's got real mad he shouts at mamma: "They buried it! See. They buried it back there—way back there, of course, and it's the best story in the paper!"

Then mamma says, quiet, like a calm after a storm, "Come, dear, your coffee 'll get cold."

But he's more like a bear than a deer, and he doesn't come, but he keeps on growling at the old paper. I guess he finally gets tired of himself, too, and then he jumps up, throws the paper on the chair and tries to dodge mamma's funny smile.

Mamma's awfully patient, I think, and she never gets mad, but just smiles and smiles at daddy when he gets cross at things. Sometimes she asks him why he wants to keep on being a newspaper man if it's so awful. One time he answered and said it was because if he kept on working sixteen hours a day maybe the office would some time give him as much as the stereotyper gets for working eight hours a day. Mamma said that was sarcasm. I guess he thinks sarcasm must be a good thing for the office, 'cause he most always talks that way about it.

But newspaper daddies aren't always cross. Sometimes mine hurries downstairs a whole lot earlier, and then when he grabs the paper he smiles all over and shouts at mamma:

"See that story? That's a clean scoop, and a bully one! That's worth living for! And, say, won't the fellows on the old Bugle feel sore, though!"

"I tell you," he says then, "one day like that is worth a bicycle of Cathay," whatever that is.

And then mamma looks at me and smiles, 'cause we both think he's funny sometimes.—Des Moines (Ia.) Register.

**Rank Foolishness.**

"When attacked by a cough or cold or when your throat is sore, it is rank foolishness to take any other medicine than Dr. King's New Discovery," says C. O. Eldridge, of Empire, Ga. "I have used New Discovery seven years and I know it is the best remedy on earth for coughs and colds, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. My children are subject to croup, but New Discovery quickly cures every attack." Known the world over as the King of throat and lung remedies. Sold under guarantee at Griffin's drug store 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

Mr. John Riha, of Vining, Ia., says "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. There are a dozen people here who have used them and they give perfect satisfaction in every case. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by May & Gorham.

**BURNED FOR CENTURIES.**

**Curious Stories of the Wonderful Lamps of the Ancients.**

When the tomb of Pallas, son of Evander, who is mentioned by Virgil, was discovered about the twelfth century by a countryman digging near Rome, it is said that a lamp was still burning over his head, which must have been lighted more than 2,000 years before.

Baptista Porta in his treatise on natural magic relates that about 1550 a marble sepulcher of the Roman period was discovered in an island near Naples. On opening the room was found a vessel containing a burning lamp. The lamp became extinct on breaking the vessel and exposing the lamp to the open air. It was supposed that it had been concealed before the Christian era, and those who saw it reported that the lamp emitted a splendid flame.

In 1550 a remarkable lamp was found near Ateates, Padua, by a rustic, who unearthed a terra cotta urn containing another urn in which was a lamp placed between two cylindrical vessels, one of gold and the other of silver. Each was full of a very pure liquid by whose virtue the lamp had been kept shining upward of 1,500 years.

This curious lamp was not meant to scare away evil spirits from a tomb, but was an attempt to perpetuate the profound knowledge of Maximus Olympius, who effected this wonder by his skill in the chemical art.

**THE DOWAGERS.**

**Titled Widows Go to the Rear in the Social Procession.**

Little sympathy is bestowed on titled widows after the first few days of their bereavement. Of course when an earl dies his widow remains a countess, but with the unwelcome addition "dowager," which often is misleading as far as her age is concerned. Thackeray, although he professed good breeding, looked on dowager duchesses as fair targets for sarcasm. So did Du Maurier, though the only offense of the poor women was that they had lost their husbands. It is a double blow to a woman of title when her husband dies, for if grief leaves her time for reflection she realizes that, no matter how young she may be, she is relegated to the rear in the social procession. The new duchess or marchioness or countess steps into the limelight, and the dowager is lucky to find a place in the last row of the chorus, for the very term implies old womanhood, and in most cases she only wastes time if she combats the impression.

Ordinary widows may have better chances for matrimony than debutantes, though that's doubtful. Dowagers seldom contract new marriages, for few men have courage to lead them to the altar. So in all the affairs of society they make the best of the custom that dictates they shall follow meekly in the wakes of their flattered

**A Cure for Misery.**

"I have found a cure for the misery malaria poison produces," says E. M. James, of Lunellen, S. C. "It's called Electric Bitters, and comes in 50 cent bottles. It breaks up a case of chills or a bilious attack in almost no time, and it puts yellow jaundice clean out of commission." This great tonic medicine and blood purifier gives quick relief in all stomach, liver and kidney complaints and the misery of lame back. Sold under guarantee at Griffin's drug store.

**Straight Talks on Patent Medicines**

The "Rexall" Remedies deserve confidence.

As all these remedies are grouped under one name, they must succeed or fail together. There must be no weak links in this chain. One unworthy remedy would mean disaster to the entire plan. If you, for example, purchased the "Rexall" Cough Cure and were not cured by it, how could we expect you to place any faith thereafter in the "Rexall" Dyspepsia Cure or any other member of the "Rexall" family?

You can understand, therefore, why such anxious care was given to finding and choosing the remedies to which the name "Rexall" was given. We have admitted none to this circle until our committee of experts had been convinced by investigation and test that it was the best remedy known to medical science for the ailment it aimed to relieve.

Who should know better than the leading thousand druggists of this country what are, and what are not, efficient medicines?

Remember, the success of our enterprise depends on the merit of each individual remedy. Our reputation, which is our very business existence is at stake. Can you doubt, that in buying a "Rexall" Remedy, you are buying the best that science and experience can give you?

Here are three prominent members of the "Rexall" family:

**REXALL "93" HAIR TONIC**

The famous Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is composed in chief of Resorcin, Beta Naphthol and Pilocarpin.

Resorcin is one of the latest and most effective germ-killers discovered by a science, and in connection with Beta Naphthol, which is both germicidal and antiseptic, a combination is formed which not only destroys the germs which rob the hair of its nutriment, but creates a clean and healthy condition of the scalp, which prevents the lodging and development of new germs.

Pilocarpin is a well-known agent for restoring the hair to its natural color, where the loss of color has been due to a disease of the scalp. It is not a coloring matter or dye—it produces its effect by stimulating the scalp and hair follicles to health and active life.

This combination of curatives mixed with alcohol as a stimulant, perfects the most effective remedy for hair and scalp troubles known to-day. Per Bottle, 50c.

**REXALL DYSPEPSIA TABLETS**

The remarkable success of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets is largely due to the new and successful method of manufacture, whereby the well known properties of Bismuth Subnitrate and Pepsin have been combined with carminatives and other agents.

Bismuth Subnitrate and Pepsin are recognized by the entire medical profession as specifics for acute indigestion or chronic dyspepsia.

The Pepsin used is manufactured under a new process which develops its greatest efficiency. Pepsin not only supplies to the digestive machinery one of the most important elements of the digestive fluid, but it seems to exert a tonic influence upon the glands which supply all the other elements.

The carminatives add properties which promptly relieve pains caused by undigested food.

The combination of the whole makes a remedy absolutely invaluable to any man or woman suffering from dyspepsia—and not only a remedy, but a cure which works by gradually rebuilding and stimulating the glands which perform the digestive functions. Package, 25c.

**CHERRY JUICE COUGH SYRUP**

A new idea in Cough Syrups. This preparation owes its efficiency to the presence of Wild Cherry, Vinegar Squills, Boneset, Horehound and Syrup.

All of these have been known for a hundred years as remedies for coughs and hoarseness.

In Rexall Cherry Juice Cough Syrup, all of these remedies have been combined by a process of manufacture that has blended them into a perfect medicinal harmony whereby the characteristics of each support and reinforce the others.

The pathological properties of each ingredient does its own particular work in easing the inflamed membranes, loosening the phlegm and setting up a condition of health in the bronchial and nasal passages.

One spoonful will relieve the inflamed membranes and temporarily stop the cough. One bottle will work a cure. It is exceedingly pleasant to the taste—children like it. Per Bottle, 25c.

Look for this Rexall Guarantee on each package: "This preparation is guaranteed to give satisfaction. If it does not, come back and get your money. It belongs to you, and we want you to have it."

**J. M. GRIFFIN, Druggist**

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Annual Statement of The Underwriters Fire Insurance Company of Rocky Mount, N. C.

At The Close of Business December 31st, 1907.

**ASSETS**

Loans on First Mortgages, . . . . .	\$68,204.48
Cash in Banks, . . . . .	3,929.89
Due From Agents, . . . . .	1,230.17
Furniture, Fixtures and Supplies, . . . . .	400.00
Accrued Interest, . . . . .	2,611.56
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	\$76,376.10

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock, . . . . .	\$51,500.00
Surplus, . . . . .	17,071.04
Re-Insurance Reserve, . . . . .	7,805.06
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