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Was a Box of Dodd's Kidney

And they Cured Mr. J. H. Ireland of Kidney Disease-He could stand His Sufferings no Longer-Then he Resorted to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

HALIFAX, N. S., Mar. 6.—Mr. J. H Ireland the well-known and popular "Commercial traveller" was reported dead. His friends, and the newspapers said he had died far from home. And all true friends.

But Mr. Ireland wasn't dead. Not by a good deal. And the newspapers were wrong. He had been ill-very ill. He had suffered for years with Kidney Disease, and had not been successful in finding either a doctor or a medicine that | bald Hunter, the Governor of Omdurman, could cure him. He became very ill, on one of his long trips away from home. name, died and was buried.

ting better. He continued to do so, till he was entirely well again, with not the suspicion of a shadow of Kidney Disease in his system. One day he amazed one will be formed and advance to meet the of his friends by walking into his office | Khalifa. and asking: "How are you, Jim?"

Jim gasped, "I thought you were dead!"

"But you see I'm not?" "Yes I see. But the papers said you were. How did you get better?"

"Dodd's Kidney Pills made me better, put me on my feet, made a new man of me. I tell you, my friend, if you ever have any Kidney Disease, let it be Bright's Disease, Rheumatism, Diabetes, Dropsy, Lumbago, or any other Kidney Complaint—use Dodd's Kidney Pills. They'll cure you." Anyone who doubts the truth of this story should write to Mr. Ireland who will corroborate it fully. Anyone who needs Dodd's Kidney Pills can get them at all drugstores, for fifty cents a box, six boxes \$2.50, or by sending price to The Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Kept His Threat To Kill a Man.

Paris, Feb. 27.—News of a strange crime comes from Nancy. A wealthy merchant by the name of Mathias received some days ago an anonymous leton the pain of death. The writer said that in order to show the genuineness of his threat and how little he cared for human life. he would kill a man at nightfall on a certain street in Nancy three days

the matter, believing it to be a joke or an empty threat. On the morning after the day named, however, he received another

"Your victim has fallen. Forty minutes ago a man, apparently of the working class, was killed by a bullet through his body, in the Rue St. Max. This is simply to show you that we are in no fear of sacrificing life."

That morning the newspapers described the mysterious murder of a gardener at the spot named in the letter, and Mathias lost no time in consulting the police, but there is no clue to the murderer. The still alive, but he is half dead with terror.

Labrador Wrecked.

St. John, March 2.- A despatch received last evening by S. Schofield & Co. agents of the Dominion line, announced the loss off the west coast of Scotland of the mail steamer Labrador, Capt. Erskine which sailed from St. John Feb. 9th for Liverpool via Halifax. The ship went ashore at 7 o'clock yesterday morning on Skerryvor rock, which is about twelve miles southwest of Tiree Island. The crew and passengers were saved, but the vessel, according to last advices, will be a total loss. The Labrador is a steel steamer of 9998 tons net register and hails from Liverpool. Shelis owned by the Missis-Street, sippi and Dominion Steamship Co., ltd. She is 410 feet long and the Canadian record for the westward passage from Liverpool to Halifax, seven and a half days. F. Agoncillo, the agent of the Philippine Junta, was among the passengers. The balance of the cargo taken from this port

> HALIFAX, March 1.—Pickford & Black have received a cable stating that the steamer Beta is ashore in Salt River, Jamaica. The Beta had landed all her Halitax cargo at Bermuda, Turk's Island and Kingston, and had gone to Salt River for a return cargo. Salt River is about thirty miles from Kingston, where there are a number of coral reefs.

was \$130,549.

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The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pill, the wonderful Stomach and Liver Remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great Only 25 cents at any Drug energy.

Troops to Meet Khalifa.

CAIRO, Feb. 26.—The War Office has issued a statement indicating that the Khalifa's recent movements have been made for the purpose of raiding cattle and grain. It is believed that the dervish force is still in the country south west of Abbas Island 160 miles form Omdurman It is not proposed to send reinforcements to Khartoum at present.

Khalifa is gathering a host, varying in number from 15,000 to 30,000 men, and is marching on Khartoum, came with a rude shock to the people of Great Britwho had known him mourned sincerely ain, who were under the impression that desert. Official circles, however, express satisfaction at the fact that the Khalifa is apparently determined to make another onslaught on the Anglo-Egyptian forces, as they are confident that he will easily be defeated. Major-General Sir Archiis quoted as saying in an interview: regard the Khalifa as a nuisance. He is Another man, with an exactly similar no longer dangerous, and it will greatly simplify matters if he comes out and But the traveller from Halifax was get- fights." In the meanwhile detachments of British troops have been ordered to get ready to return to Omdurman from Lower Egypt, and a strong expedition

He d'ooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Reniek Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 have their origin in watery blood, or a months from Rectal Fistua, he would die | shattered nervous system, Sold by all unless a costly operation was performed; dealers or sent postpaid at 50c. a box or but he cured himself with five boxes of | six boxes for \$2.50 by addressing the Dr. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest Pile Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. cure on Earth, and the best Salve in the If you value your health do not take a World. 25 cents a box. Sold by all substitute. Druggists.

Affairs at Manila.

Manila, March 2 .- It is reported that Aguinaldo will only release the Sparish clerical prisoners upon condition that all landed and other properties that they own shall be transferred to the rebels, and also that the native priests shall be recognized.

Last night twelve rebels in two canoes were discovered paddling out from Paranaque. When the Buffalo's search light was turned on the rebels they used a calcium light signal arranged with the picket boats. The search light was taken off and the rebels attem led to cross the bay J. C. Tomlinson and Rafael R. Garin. but a patrol boat over rauled them after a ter, demanding the sum of 50,000 francs, chase and took them prisoners to Mani-

5.30 p. m.—This was the hottest day of the season, and, fortunately, all was quiet inside and outside our lines, so the majority of the men were kept in the shade. The United States transport Mathias was not much disturbed over | Morgan City has arrived here, but the wives of the officers and other women passengers, were not allowed to land, the authorities considering the condition ashore to be too unsettled.

Woman Burned To Death.

Antigonish, Feb. 10.—The residence of David Fraser was destroyed by fire last night and Miss McPherson, Mrs. Fraser's sister, aged 86, perished in the flames, while Mr. and Mrs. Fraser barely escaped. The firemen fought their way through the smoke and fire to Miss Mc- Ottawa. It produced a shock at the Gov-Pherson's appartment, but she was nearly ernment House and on Parliament Hill, merchant is constantly guarded, and is dead when they reached her. The fire the more so because of its entire unex originated next to the room where Miss McPherson slept. She attempted to esback. When the firemen arrived they found her crouched in a corner breathing

The \$20,000,000 Voted to Spain.

WASHINGTON, March 1.-The Senate has passed the bill appropriating \$20,-000,000 for payment to Spain without a dissenting vote or voice.

Swallowed His False Teeth.

COLUMBUS, O., March 1.—Swallowing his false teeth has made Frank M. Nolt ing, a prominent merchant of this city, violently insane. He was taken to the county jail in order that he might be more effectually restrained. Mental strain caused by the worry over his accident is believed to have unbalanced his

Scurvy in Dawson.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 28 .-- Advices from Dawson say that men are dying of scurvy in the suburbs of that city. Recently John McPhail was found almost dead in a tent on Victoria Gulch. His food was gone and he was waiting for death, unable to do anything to help himself. His partner had taken care of him, but was stricken with scurvy and hastened to Dawson for medical aid.

The Gold Commissioner at Dawson has just made the important ruling that a person locating a claim and after prospecting it finds it a blank or unprofitable, he can make an affidavit to that effect and regain his right to locate again on unoccupied grounds in that district.

COOK'S SURE COUGH CURE

PAINS IN THE BACK

Are Usually the Result of Imperfect Working of the Kidneys-These can Only be Restored to Their Normal Condition by a Fair Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Mr. Albert Mintie, of Woodstock,

Ont., now engaged in the insurance business, is well known in that city and surrounding country. Some three years ago Mr. Mintie was living at South River, Parry Sound District, and while there LONDON, Feb. 26.—The news that the was attacked with severe pains in the back. At first he paid but little attention to them. thinking that the trouble would pass away, but as it did not he consulted a local physician, and was told that his kidneys were affected. Medicine was prescribed but beyond a triffing alleviation for him, for he was a man who had many he was almost a solitary wanderer in the of the pain it had no effect. In addition to the pain in the back Mr. Mintie was troubled with headaches and a feeling of lassitude. He was forced to quit work, and while in this condition, weak and despondent, he decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He purchased a half dozen boxes and was not disappointed with the result. Before they were all used Mr. Mintie was feeling almost as well as ever he haddone. The pain in his back had almost

> he returned to work hale and hearty as ever. Mr. Mintie asserts that his return to health is due entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he still occasionally uses a box if he feels in any way "out of The kidneys, like other organs of the body are dependent upon rich, red blood and strong nerves for healthy action, and it is because Dr. Williams' Pink Pills supply these conditions that they cure kidney troubles, as well as other ills which

disappeared, the headaches were gone,

and he felt greatly improved in strength.

Two more boxes completed the cure, and

Tobacco Combine.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—The Tribune publishes the following:

It was learned yesterday that arrangements have been practically completed for the syndicate to control a large share of the Havana tobacco output. The new corporation is to be known as the Consolidated Tobacco Company of Cuba. It will be capitalized at \$12,000,000, of which two-thirds is to be preferred and one-third common stock.

Among the persons interested in the new concern are Garcia Bros. & Co., The company has secured options on 23 factories and plants, with tobacco lands attached. The factories include all but half a dozen in Cuba, which have been secured by an English company,

The Consolidated Tobacco Company of Cuba will endeavor to obtain control of the English company. This would enable it to control the entire output of Cuban tobacco. It is also proposed to control factories and lands of companies making a grade of cigars inferior to those of the better known Havana brands. This part of the business will be operated by a distinct company to be known as the Key West Tobacco Association.

Lord Herschell's Death.

OTTAWA, March 1.—The news of Lord Herschell's death came with startling suddenness to his brother commissioners at pectedness, the latest intelligence from Washington being that he was recovering. cape but was overcome by smoke and fell | Joseph Pope, under secretary of state, saw Lord Herschell two days later than the Canadian commissioners and found His Lordship resting comfortably in his apartments and in excellent spirits. F. C. T. O'Hara, Sir Richard Cartwright's secretary received a telegram yesterday from Mr. Cartwright, Lord Herschell's secretary, saying that he was progressing favorably. Sir Wilfred Laurier shortly after receiving news was summoned to the Government House by Lord Minto and had only a moment in which to express his profound regret at the sad occurrence. Lord Herschell's death, he declared, was a distinct loss to Canada and to the empire. Sir Richard J. Cartwright, speaking of the occurrence, said: "I regard it as a misfortune to Canada. Not only were our relations with him most cordial but in all respects we found him disposed to render us valuable assist. ance. Both personally and politically extremely regret his loss." Lord Herschell was the second of the

commissioners to die, Hon. Nelson Dingley being the first.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill. makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefitted from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was. Sold by all Druggists, large bottles 50 cents and \$1.00.

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Butter (rolls)...... 0 16 " 0 18 Turkey per lb.... 0 10 " 0 14 Ducks, per pair..... 0 30 " 0 60 Geese..... 0 50 " 0 70 Eggs, per doz..... 0 14 " 0 16 Cabbage per doz...... 0 30 " 0 50 Mutton, per lb, carcass.... 0 04 " 00 5 Yarn woolen per pound, one cent. Potatoes per bbl...... 1 00 " 1 40 Squash per lb..... $0.0\frac{1}{2}$ " 0.01Radish per doz..... 0 15 Turnips per bbl...... 0 50 " 0 60 Calf skin, per lb...... 0 09 " 0 10 Lamb skins, 0 45 " 0 50 Hides, per lb...... $0.7\frac{1}{2}$ " 0.08Beans per bus. yellow eye. 140 " 150 Beans per bus. white..... 105 " 1 15 Carrots per bbl...... 0 75 " 0 90 Cheese per lb...... $0.8\frac{3}{4}$ " $0.9\frac{1}{4}$ Maple sugar per lb, 0 07 " 0 09 Beets per bbl...... 0 75 " 0 90 Tomatoes 30 lb box..... 0 40 " 0 50 Celery per doz...... 0 00 " 0 00 syrup per gal..... 0 80 " 1 00 Blue Berries per pail..... 0 00 " 0 00 Black Duck per pair..... 0 50 " 0 00 Squash per cwt...... 0 80 " 0 90 Corn per doz..... 0 00 " 0 00 Currants box...... 0 00 " 0 00

ST. JOHN MARKET FEES.

Peas, green, per bush 0 00 " 0 00

Beef per quarter, four cents. Hogs of two hundred pounds or under, five cents, each additional hundred pounds, one cent.

Sheep, lamb, goat or veil, per carcass, each four cents. Butter in tub, jar, pail or firkin, of ten pounds and under, two cents; every additional ten pounds or division

thereof, one cent. Butter in roles and lard in cakes, for every ten pounds or under two cents. Tallow for every ten pounds or under,

Cheese for every ten pounds or under, Potatoes per one hundred pounds, two

Turnip per one hundred pounds, one Oysters in tub or other vessels per gallon, two cents.

Oysters in shell per bushel, two cents. Turkey each, one cent. Geese each, one cent.

Pigeons per dozen, one cent. Partridges, fowl or ducks per pair, one Flour or meal per one hundred pounds,

two cents.

Oats per one hundred pounds, two Peas and beans per one hundred

Hams, shoulder, bacon per piece, one Eggs for every five dozen or under, one Beets, carrots, parsnips per one hun-

pounds, five cents.

dred pounds, three cents. Apples per one hundred pounds, five Plums per one hundred pounds, five

Cherries per box one-quarter cent. Cucumbers per dozen, one cent. Fish smoked per hundred pounds, two

Fish smoked (if staked), one half cent Sugar maple for ten pounds or under, one cent, each additional ten pounds, one

Socks and mittens per dozen pairs, Corn green per dozen, one half cent Peas and beans per one hundred

pounds, five cents. Onions per one hundred pounds, three Cabbage per dozen, four cents. Berries for five quart pail, one cent.

Berries over five quart and not exceeding ten quart pail, two cents. Berries, in packages over ten quarts, tor any additional ten quarts, two cents. Moose, caribou and bear per quarter,

four cents. Deer, per quarter, two cents. Hides, ox or cow, each four cents. Skins sheep, each two cents. Skins calf, tanned or untanned, each

wo cents. Wool per pound, one cent. Feathers per pound, one cent. Salmon, each two cents. All other articles not enumerated, two cents on each dollar of value.

Chains, Trace Ropes, Horse Bells, Halters and Blankets.

Peevies and Axes, Bolts, Nuts and Rivets. Flour, Meal, Pork and Fish, Molasses, Sugar and Tobacco.

We are in receipt of a lot of Tea arrived Dec. 3rd, too late for fall sales, w are selling below actual value, to clear.

Always pleased to quote prices. Yours sincerely,

P. Nase & Son, St. John, N. B