

Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.

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GENERAL NEWS.

The prospects are for a heavy wheat crop in Argentina, Southern Chile and other wheat raising regions of South America.

Three thousand laborers are at work clearing debris from the area of the Baltimore fire. The expense will aggregate about \$2,000,000.

A N. Y. N. H. & H. railway bridge near Ansonia, Conn., was badly damaged by an explosion of dynamite, supposed to have been placed by discharged laborers.

Mrs. Rosalie Blaise has come from Hub, Dagsburg, Germany, a distance of 10,000 miles, to testify at San Francisco against her brother, Leon Soeder, who is charged with murder.

The war has already advanced the price of Japanese silks 10 per cent. It is safe to guess that all raw silks "imported" from as far as Eastern Kansas, will bear a Japanese brand until a treaty of peace is signed.

Cigarette users seldom expectorate. It is because the glands secreting saliva become atrophied and refuse to do business. But most people would as lief be spit in the face as to be infested with second-hand cigarette smoke.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

The stage road between Grant's Pass and Crescent City is completely blocked with snow, and travel is suspended.

The annual convention of the Baker county district of the Knights of Pythias, will be held in Sumpter on February 20.

Olympia is the first Pacific Coast town to aid Baltimore, the citizens of that place sending \$200 to the stricken city, on Thursday.

Albert Beckman, who killed his sweetheart, Helen Kelly, at Butte, last October, admits his guilt and says he wants to hang.

Daniel Garvey, a 14-year-old boy, is under arrest at Butte for a series of burglaries, his thefts reaching several thousand dollars.

District Weather Forecaster Beals, of Portland, says a rise in the Willamette river is inevitable and warns those interested to be on the alert.

The total value of Portland's lumber output for 1903 was \$4,233,608, or 361,134,260 board feet, which would reach nearly 7,000 miles, if laid end to end.

After it was learned that the citizens of Corvallis had secretly arranged to turn the electric light suddenly upon a seance of some traveling spiritualists, they left town and refused to hold a seance.

Governor McBride, of Washington, has commuted the death sentence of John Reynolds, to imprisonment for life. Reynolds killed a man in Kings county two years ago, and the case has been in the supreme court ever since.

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CATTLE STARVING

CALIFORNIA SEEKS RANGE IN STATE WASHINGTON.

Governor Pardee Wires Governor McBride That Drought Threatens California Ranges—Would Ship Stock to Northwest to Prevent Their Starving.

Olympia, Wash., Feb. 12 — The state of California desires to send its thousands of starving cattle from the drouth stricken regions of that state to the ranges of Washington. Governor McBride has received the following telegram from Governor Pardee of California: "Drouth in Southern California threatens many cattle. Will your state admit clean cattle from California under supervision of government?"

Nothing is known here of details of Governor Pardee's plan. Press dispatches a few days ago stated that the starving cattle would likely be driven to the northern part of California, but the idea that Washington could take care of a part of them is now here. Persons in Olympia who are familiar with the conditions of the stock ranges say that a protest would go up from the stock men of this state against such importation, provided the cattle were to be fattened here and then shipped back to California or to market to the profit of the California owners.

Probably no objections could be raised if Washington stockmen saw fit to buy large herds of the California cattle and ship them to the ranges for their own profit. It is further claimed here that except in two localities of the state the ranges will not support the cattle now on them without additional feed during about two months of the winter.

Governor McBride said that he would have to investigate the matter before he could frame an answer to Governor Pardee's inquiry.

UNCLE SAM SLOW PAY.

Oregon Man Gets Indian War Pension After 45 Years.

Washington, Feb. 12 — Alonso P. Turner, of Halley, Idaho, through the efforts of Senator Dubois, will shortly come in possession of \$46.35 that Uncle Sam has been owing him since 1858 for services as a soldier for 50 days during an Indian outbreak in Oregon during the months of May and June of that year. The sum includes \$20 as pay, a like sum plus 40 cents for the use of a horse during that period and an item of \$6.40 for clothing. If the government was in the habit of paying interest on such sums Mr. Turner would become the recipient of the tidy sum of \$300. That is figuring on an annual interest of 10 per cent, the rate usually paid in that section.

ADMINISTRATRIX APPOINTED.

Francis Romagoux Left No Will—Estate Will Be Divided.

Eliza Romagoux, the widow of Francis Romagoux, who died February 4, yesterday filed a petition in the probate court asking that she be appointed administratrix of the estate of the deceased, which is valued at \$3,365.

There is no will left by the deceased and it is the wish of the petitioner to divide the estate among the eight children surviving. The petition was granted and papers ordered to issue on her filing her bond.

Better Than Gold.

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicine that I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Tallman & Co.

Revival of Business.

An indication that there is an improvement in business conditions here may be gathered from the fact that within the past few days there has been a very decided increase in the Sumpter freight receipts. Sumpter Valley officials say, too, that the passenger traffic is also picking up.

The duller season in the year here, as in most other places immediately succeeds the closing of the holiday trade. For a few weeks it is expected that business will be stagnant to a greater or less extent, and this year has been no exception to the general rule. Early in February signs of a revival presaging the spring activity are to be observed.—Sumpter Miner.

Back to God's Country.

F. W. Kehl, manager of the Payette Lumber company, returned to Boise last evening after a month's visit to his old home in Wisconsin. He returned much sooner than he expected on account of business matters which needed his personal attention. He expressed himself as being glad to get back to Boise where the weather is not quite so strenuous as it is in the Badger state. Mr. Kehl says the mercury registered from 25 to 45 degrees below zero every day he was there.—Boise Capital News.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hotel Pendleton.
N. Bennett, Tacoma.
J. B. Zeb, Walla Walla.
J. T. Bion, Fort Dodge.
J. W. Wolf, San Francisco.
D. Davenport, New York.
M. Z. Cooper, Baltimore.
A. Sinsheimer, Portland.
R. E. Fontaine, Billings.
J. G. Beet, Jr., San Francisco.
E. F. Jorman and family, Echo.
Miss G. Perry, Echo.
M. H. Patton, Spokane.
H. N. Draker, Cincinnati.
A. D. Chase, Portland.
R. A. Seeds, Spokane.
G. G. Joyce, Spokane.
S. A. Frans, Spokane.
Thomas J. Matlock, Heppner.
J. E. Miller, Portland.
G. S. Youngman, Portland.
G. B. Coman, Portland.
W. M. Rice, Walla Walla.
H. C. Gregg, San Francisco.
A. W. Gamba, Bourne.
H. B. Cation, Walla Walla.

Hotel St. George.
G. S. Rankin, North Yakima.
J. F. McNaught, Maxwee.
Geo. H. Sutherland, Walla Walla.
F. J. Gardner, Portland.
J. A. Allison, Portland.
Doll S. Lashner, Portland.
I. W. Frankle, New York.
George W. Swan, Spokane.
C. E. Parsons, New York.
George A. Davis, San Francisco.
D. P. Lewis, Portland.
P. B. Todd, San Francisco.
R. Lutke, Portland.
J. J. Burns, Portland.
H. B. Hill, Walla Walla.
George H. Crane, Portland.
J. H. Anderson, Spokane.
H. R. McNeil, Butte.
R. D. Fuleman, San Francisco.
A. G. Rose, Seattle.

Hotel Bickers.
W. T. Bailey, Manhattan.
M. H. Reeder, Athena.
Harriet Edwards, Heppner.
Mable Johnson, Walla Walla.
C. B. Hartwell, Omaha.
Charles Hannett and family, Lexington.
I. H. Smith, New York.
W. R. Johnson, Chicago.
Sam Lee, Spokane.
Ore Prechard, Portland.
Arthur Vail, North Yakima.
Arthur J. B. Lecha, Vancouver.
H. A. Faxon, McKay.
W. R. Parker, Umatilla.
E. Achilles, The Dalles.
A. J. Patten, Elgin City.
W. M. Buller, Baker City.
Henry M. Kerimur, Denver.
Mrs. Vannie Kindeman, La Grande.
F. V. Ragsdale, Spokane.
S. McArgue, Seattle.

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W. T. BOYNTON.

C. A. Galbraith, associate justice of the supreme court of Hawaii, has resigned to take effect in June, and will return to Oklahoma, his former home.

CLEANLY WOMAN.

Erroneously Thinks by Scouring Her Scalp That She Cures Dandruff.
Cleanly woman has an erroneous idea that by scouring the scalp, which removes the dandruff scales, she is curing the dandruff. She may wash her scalp every day, and yet have dandruff her life long, accompanied by falling hair, too. The only way in the world to cure dandruff is to kill the dandruff germ, and there is no hair preparation that will do that but Newbro's Herpicide. Herpicide by killing the dandruff germ, leaves the hair free to grow as healthy Nature intended. Destroy the cause you remove the effect. Kill the dandruff germ with Herpicide. Sold by leading druggists. Send 15c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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THE FAIR STORE

Don't throw away the above coupons, for they are money if used this week at The Fair. Our prices on curtains are below all competition, yet we are offering all this week 25 cent better on the curtains and 20 per cent on the laces.

WHITE SALE CONTINUED—Our muslin underwear sale was so successful we will continue it through this week. Last week prices are good for all this week.

OUR SATURDAY SPECIALS

Outing Flannel, 9c, 10c and 11c grades, all go at 8c per yard.
All woolen underwear at 20 per cent reduction. \$1.00 wear at 80c.
Men's dress shirts, 75c kind for 60c, 60c kind for 45c, \$1.00 kind for 85c.

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