

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.

The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work. Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases, and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles.

You may have a sample bottle Home of Swamp-Root, by mail 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, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Trustees of the Oregon Institute for the Blind at the office of the Governor, Salem, Oregon, until 10 o'clock Monday, July 1, 1907, for furnishing material and labor in constructing an industrial building and performing other work in accordance with the plans and specifications which may be seen in the office of F. A. Legg, architect, room 6, Murphy building.

A certified check in the sum of ten (10 per cent) per cent of bid drawn to the order of F. W. Benson, secretary of state, must be enclosed with each bid; the same to be forfeited to the State of Oregon in case the lowest or accepted bidder fails to qualify with acceptable bond in the full sum of the contract price within ten days (10) after the work is awarded.

By order of the Board of Trustees, G. W. JONES, Superintendent.

Bargains In Real Estate

143 acres, 100 in cultivation, 43 in timber and pasture, 40 acres of beaver dam land, all tilled, good house, barn and hop house, 12 acres in apples, 15 acres hops, fences are mostly woven wire, 7 miles from Salem on good public road, for \$88 per acre.

50 acres, 35 in cultivation, 15 in pasture, 6-room house, barn 50x60, 30 good cherry trees, 3 acres of apples, on good public road three miles from Salem, for \$4600.

10 acres, all in cultivation, 5-room house, barn 24x30, new, 2 1/2 miles from Salem, for \$1800.

Several houses for rent. Call if you want anything in insurance or notary work.

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England's Great Success With Municipal Ownership.

MANY CITIES MAKE PROFITS.

Public Control of Street Car Lines a Growing Movement—Various Other Enterprises Owned and Operated by British Municipalities.

The people that of all the world of men are the shrewdest, the most skillful and the most successful in the management of their private businesses are most careless as to ordinary business principles in the conduct of their public affairs.

That means us—the Americans of North America.

In our private business we do not let other men take our profits away from us if we can help it. In our public affairs we are perfectly willing that individuals should reap the good things and the fat profits that properly belong to us as the community, says the New York American. In our private business we should think ourselves crazy if we threw away a dollar. In our public affairs we throw away millions upon millions every year and seem rather glad to do it, even when it means boundless discomfort and annoyance and even physical suffering.

We hang upon straps and suffer the vilest crowding in frightful conveyances that we may have the pleasure of contributing to the swollen fortunes of a few individuals when we might as well be comfortable and at the same time put the profits into the public treasury.

In this singular preference we are alone in the world. All other people prefer comfort and the prosperity of the public money chest—the British, for instance.

In Great Britain the principle of public ownership as opposed to private profits continues to spread year after year with very remarkable results.

Every year more British communities take over their public utilities and operate them for the public benefit.

Gas, water and electric lighting plants are now publicly owned almost everywhere. The last two years have seen notable additions to the towns that own their street railroad systems. Many places have gone into other trading ventures.

Eastbourne has established a system of municipal motor omnibuses, furnishing a service that has been extremely satisfactory to the people and has at the same time returned an annual profit to the town funds, although the investment required was large for so small a town. Gloucester owns cattle and poultry markets and public baths as well as steel railroads, electric light and water supply. Great Yarmouth operates a fish wharf and many public amusements. Coventry has a sewage farm, public baths and a market hall. Burnley owns its gas works, waterworks, electric works, has lately taken over its street railroad system and now has gone into cold storage warehousing and selling sterilized milk. From all its enterprises except milk it makes money, so that from these sources it has reduced taxation a shilling in the pound. Brighton has taken over an aquarium as a business enterprise and has gone heavily into house building. It owns its steel railroads, waterworks, electricity supply and many other things. Birkenhead owns its gas, water and electricity supplies, street railroads and ferries. Blackburn reduces its taxation a shilling in the pound every year by municipal enterprises that were formerly in private hands. It has a municipal plant for furnishing sea water for baths in hotels and private houses. It made last year close upon \$150,000 of net profits on all its undertakings. Bournemouth has municipal golf links, municipal winter gardens, municipal pleasure piers and a municipal motor and bus line. The golf links made last year a profit of more than \$4,500.

Liverpool conducts a municipal humanized sterilized milk enterprise. Hull installed a municipal telephone exchange and reduced the rates for an unlimited service from \$50 a year, the price charged by the trust, to \$37.50 a year. Ramsgate has built a municipal amusement pavilion and theater. Reading has bought its cattle market and its street car system. Portsmouth has municipalized its street railroads, electric light, telephones and docks. Its street car system turned over \$17,500 to the relief of taxation in 1906. Leicester owns its gas, water, electric light, street railroads and wholesale and retail markets. Sheffield, besides enormous and profitable investments in all the usual lines of municipal trading, has gone heavily into house building. Matlock Bath operates municipal pleasure boats, amusements, amusement programmes, as well as gas works. Norwich has a municipal dairy farm, sells milk and poultry and makes money therefrom. Nottingham makes \$240,000 a year from various municipal enterprises, including gas, electric and steam railroads. The town of Bangor operates a hotel as well as many other things.

Derby has made a great success of its street car system, formerly operated by a private company. The service is vastly improved and makes money for the taxpayers. It is said to be

one of the most popular systems in England. Derby also bought up its electric light works and at first lost on the venture. When the system had been largely remade, a profit resulted and has regularly continued. When Aldershot took over its electricity supply, the first two years showed losses, and the venture was looked upon as a failure, but the next year showed a profit, which has been increased every year since.

Most of these towns make electricity for manufacturing and motor purposes as well as for lighting.

Bournemouth has from the beginning made money from its steel railroads. Crewe is the site of the great shops of the London and Northwestern railroad. For years the railroad dominated the place, supplying all the water and gas. Lately the town broke away sufficiently to install municipal electric works and discarded the gas lamps in the public streets. It now saves money on lighting and makes \$4,000 a year on the electricity it sells to private consumers. Southport lost money for several years on its municipal street railroads. In 1906 the account was even, and this year the system will begin to pay. Dover greatly extended the street railroad system after acquiring it and for that reason lost money for several years, though not much, the total on the wrong side amounting to \$4,000. But it is now beginning to reap the benefits of the broadened policy that private companies will not adopt. The lines are now making money and will probably continue to make more money hereafter. Southend-on-Sea built its own street car system five years ago, and at the end of 1905 the enterprise seemed to be such a hopeless loser that a resolution was offered that the system be leased to a private company. It came very near carrying. All the time the business was increasing, and for the year 1906 a small net profit was shown. Now the thing is well on its feet and prospering, and probably nobody in Southend would care to surrender it to private control.

As a rule, then, the new idea has paid well in money returns, and in every case so far reported it has been profitable also in another way, for there has been substituted for grab and greed and gain a decent consideration of the welfare of the community. Instead of the niggardly and paring policy of the private company there have been introduced better services, better precautions for safety, better equipment, new devices and inventions and better paid employees.

There has been far less friction, far less annoyance. Strap hanging, crowding, crushing, poor and filthy cars, rough tracks, flat wheels, are unknown in these places.

No dweller in an American city needs to be told how different are the conditions that with astounding patience we tolerate in our country.

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The constant aching of a bad back, The weariness, the tired feeling, The pains and aches of kidney-ills Are serious—if neglected.

A Salem citizen shows you how to avoid them.

W. H. Wood, carpenter, of 250 Cottage street, Salem, Ore., says: "A good many years ago, I got badly kicked by a mule right over the kidneys and at another time while digging a well it caved in on me, also injuring my back. Since then I have had more or less annoyance from my kidneys. Change of weather caused my back to ache and when I worked hard it became so lame that I could hardly straighten up after stooping. I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Stone's drug store and since taking them, although I have continued to work hard and been exposed to severe weather, not an ache or other symptom of my former trouble remains. This clearly proves that Doan's Kidney Pills act up to the representations made for them. I also know of other people who have derived great benefit from their use. I am glad to let others know the merits of Doan's Kidney Pills for backache and kidney troubles."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Blest be the maid— A queen, say I— Who cannot cook— AND DOES NOT TRY.

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Every Man His Own Doctor.

The average man cannot afford to employ a physician for every slight ailment or injury that may occur in his family, nor can he afford to neglect them, as so slight an injury as the scratch of a pin has been known to cause the loss of a limb. Hence every man must from necessity be his own doctor for this class of ailments. Success often depends upon prompt treatment, which can only be had when suitable medicines are kept at hand. Chamberlain's Remedies have been in the market for many years and enjoys a good reputation.

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In Memory of Miss Truax. To Officers and Members of Morning Star Grange, No. 311, P. of H.:

We your committee appointed to draft resolutions of respect to our late beloved sister, Ethel Truax, respectfully submit the following:

Whereas, Our dearly beloved sister has passed out of the earthly tenement, and

Whereas, The great law is no respecter of persons and aimed at a shining mark in removing from among us a bright and promising young sister, therefore be it

Resolved, That we humbly bow to the will of the Divine Law that works for good. Although our hearts are crushed and bleeding at the loss we so much feel by her absence from us, and

Whereas, By her death the pall of gloom and despair hangs over the home of the departed, therefore be it

Resolved, That we commend to the bereaved and sorrowing mother and family the consolation that there is no separation only as exists with the body—the perishable. That which we love so much, the soul—the immortal yet lives, and will forever live.

Resolved, That a draping of white be hung in our hall as a tribute of love and a symbol of her pure young girlhood. That a copy of this memorial be placed on the minutes of Morning Star Grange and a copy be sent to the family of the deceased, to the Albany papers, The Capital Journal and the State Grange Bulletin for publication.

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Cures Woman's Weaknesses.

We refer to that boon to weak, nervous, suffering women known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Dr. John Fyfe one of the Editorial Staff of THE ELECTRIC MEDICAL REVIEW says of Unicorn root (Helonias dioica) which is one of the chief ingredients of the "Favorite Prescription":

"A remedy which invariably acts as a uterine invigorator and makes for normal activity of the entire reproductive system." He continues "in Helonias we have a medication which more fully answers the above purpose than any other drug with which I am acquainted. In the treatment of diseases peculiar to women it is seldom that a case is seen which does not present some indication for this remedial agent." Dr. Fyfe further says: "The following are among the leading indications for Helonias (Unicorn root). Pain or aching in the back, with leucorrhoea; atonic (weak) condition of the reproductive organs of women, mental depression and irritability, associated with chronic diseases of the reproductive organs of women; constant sensation of heat in the region of the kidneys; menorrhagia (flooding, due to a weakened condition of the reproductive system); amenorrhoea (suppressed or absent monthly periods); fainting from or accompanying an abnormal condition of the reproductive system; and general debility (thin blood) habits; dragging sensations in the extreme lower part of the abdomen."

"More or less of the above symptoms attend upon the menstrual period of women who do better than take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, one of the leading ingredients of which is Unicorn root, or Helonias, and the medicinal properties of which is most faithfully represented."

Of Golden Seal root, another prominent ingredient of "Favorite Prescription," Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College, Chicago, says:

"It is an important remedy in disorders of the womb, in all catarrhal conditions, and general enfeeblement, it is useful."

Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati, says of Golden Seal root:

"In relation to its general effects on the system, there is no medicine in use about which there is such general unanimity of opinion. It is universally regarded as the tonic useful in all debilitated states."

Prof. R. Bartholow, M. D., of Jefferson Medical College, says of Golden Seal:

"Valuable in uterine hemorrhage, menorrhagia (flooding) and congenital dysmenorrhoea (painful menstruation)."

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