

**GLASS OF SALTS IF YOUR KIDNEYS HURT**  
 Eat less meat if you feel Backache or have Bladder trouble—Salts fine for Kidneys.

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels, removing all the acids, waste and poisons, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act firm and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive; harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.

**NAVAL VESSELS IN PACIFIC ARE WHOLLY INADEQUATE**  
 Admiral Winslow Says Entire Fleet is Not Equivalent to One Good Battleship.

Washington, Feb. 24.—While the house military committee was taking steps today toward getting its bill for increasing the regular army and federalizing the national guard before the house within ten days, the naval committee was being informed by Admiral Cameron M.C.R. Winslow that the entire Pacific fleet, which he commands, might be an easy victim for a single good enemy battleship.

Admiral Winslow made the statement smilingly. Pressed by Representative Stephens of California for an exact description of the condition of the ships under his command, he said the force was wholly inadequate, even with all its reserves called out, to meet any probable enemy in the Pacific. What plans the navy department had for meeting an emergency there or in the Atlantic, however, he said, were matters of strategy which he did not care to reveal except in confidential session.

Representative Stephens agreed that this discussion should be postponed but said he had many questions still to ask regarding the Pacific fleet. He will pursue the subject tomorrow.

**APPEAL TAKEN BY SO-CALLED MOTION PICTURE TRUST**  
 Staying the Decree in an Injunction Granted Against Them.

Philadelphia, Feb. 24.—The Motion Picture Patent company and the other members of the so-called motion picture trust today took an appeal to the United States supreme court, thereby staying the decree in an injunction granted against them which was to become operative today. The appeal was allowed by Judge Dickinson, who decided some time ago that the patent company and its allied companies were violating the Sherman anti-trust law.

New Haven.—Judge Burpee in the superior court has given judgment for the defendant in the suit brought by John H. Harzee, an engine inspector on the New Haven railroad, against Dr. E. Reed Whittemore for \$2,000 for alleged unskillful treatment of a broken bone in Barzee's foot in 1913.

**NO APPETITE--LITTLE SLEEP**  
 Symptoms of a Run-down Condition, We Have a Remedy.

We ask every weak, run-down person in Norwich to try our Vinol, with the understanding that their money will be returned if it does not re-establish their health. Letters like the following give us confidence:

"I am in the millinery business and on my feet most of the time. I go so weak and run-down that I lost my appetite and could not sleep, had a severe chronic cold and lost my color. I learned about Vinol through a friend, and within three weeks after taking it I noticed an improvement, and soon gained in weight, health and strength. I am recommending Vinol to my friends and they also speak highly of it." Catherine Hoar, West Chester, N. Y.

In hundreds of cases where old-fashioned cod liver oil and emulsions have failed, Vinol has succeeded, because while it contains all the curatives they do, its good work is not retarded by useless grease or oil.

G. G. Engler, Broadway Pharmacy, Norwich.

**DYSPEPSIA OF WOMEN**  
 Special Treatment Required.

Many women suffer from a form of indigestion or dyspepsia which does not yield to ordinary treatment. While the symptoms are similar to those of ordinary indigestion, yet the medicines usually prescribed do not restore the patient's normal condition.

There seems to be a kind of dyspepsia caused by derangement of the female organism. While this appears to be the same as ordinary indigestion it can be relieved only by a medicine which, besides acting as a stomach tonic, is good for female ailments. Read what such a medicine did for Mrs. Williams:

She says:—"Before I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was troubled with dyspepsia and bearing down pains in my back and sides, and after my meals my stomach would heave and I could scarcely get my breath. At times I was so weak I could hardly stand on my feet and I looked hollow-eyed and my skin was yellow. Now I have a good color, have gained in every way and can do my work without any pains. I think it is the best medicine on earth for stomach troubles of women."—Mrs. NELLIE WILLIAMS, 31 West 3d Street, New Albany, Ind.

**WESTERLY ESTATE BRINGS SUIT**

**Executors of George H. Utter Seek to Recover on Note—Mrs. Susan W. Burrows Still Missing—Sliver May Result in Amputation of Finger—Real Estate Transfers.**

The inheritance tax is now in force in Rhode Island, as the act was signed by Governor Beechman at 12:45 Tuesday noon, and immediately thereafter came into force. It is a tax of one per cent on the net value of all estates over \$500, also a tax at the same rate on the value of the estate which is taxable by any person. But if such a share goes to a grandparent, parent, husband, wife, child, brother, sister, nephew, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, or any adopted child, it will not be subject to a tax, except upon its value in excess of \$25,000.

If the share goes to any other relative or to a stranger the tax will be on the value of the share above \$1,000. Such an estate of a person distributed to his widow and children will pay no tax if the estate is valued at only \$5000 or less; if it is valued at \$25,000 or more, it will pay a tax of 1 per cent on \$20,000, or \$100.

An estate of \$125,000, distributed equally between a widow and four children will, under this law, pay a tax only on the value of the net estate in excess of \$5000, or a tax of \$600, and the widow and children will receive the shares to the value of \$25,000. Such an estate of \$125,000 would pay in Massachusetts a tax of \$2000, in Connecticut a tax of \$1900 and in New York a tax of \$1000.

Only such part of a non-resident's estate as consists of realty in Rhode Island is taxed, and the real estate in another state of a resident of this state is not taxed under this act. Among the property and interests taxable are dower, curtesy, transfers made in contemplation of death, and property put in trust to be distributed after the death of the owner.

The praise and devotional service at the funeral of the late Rev. Dr. Stephen M. Stephens of California for an exact description of the condition of the ships under his command, he said the force was wholly inadequate, even with all its reserves called out, to meet any probable enemy in the Pacific. What plans the navy department had for meeting an emergency there or in the Atlantic, however, he said, were matters of strategy which he did not care to reveal except in confidential session.

David Franklin Stillman and Judge Oliver H. Williams attended the annual meeting of the Rhode Island State Chess club in Providence, Tuesday morning. Dr. Stillman was elected vice president for the twenty-fifth consecutive year. In the afternoon Messrs. Stillman and Williams went to Boston and attended the checker meet held under the auspices of the Boston Checker club, where there were one hundred boards in play, the contest being between Boston and the rest of New England. Mr. Banks, the champion checker player of the United States, met all corners at the evening session. The contests were held at the American house.

At the annual session of the Rhode Island Branch of the United National Association of Post Office Clerks, in Providence, Tuesday, a resolution was passed protesting against unnecessary night work and recommending that seven hours of night work be considered equal to eight hours' day work. It was voted to oppose the law that causes a clerk to be discharged if he is absent from work for a period of 150 days because of illness or accident. A resolution was passed favoring the Penrose-Griffin bill to provide indefinite leave of absence for superannuated employes.

Mrs. Caroline Burdick Tanner died recently in Milton, Wisconsin, in her 87th year. Her early life was spent in Westerly, where she learned the trade of tailoress and worked at it for several years. She went to Milton and was married to Kirke W. Tanner in 1858. She leaves a daughter, Ida R., widow of Ormanz Cottrell, Mr.

**HOUSTON (PRONOUNCE IT "HEWSTON") HIGH IN PRESIDENT WILSON'S COUNSEL**



SECRETARY HOUSTON AT HIS DESK

Tanner died in 1906. Mrs. Tanner was a staunch Seventh Day Baptist and when the Milton church was organized she became one of its constituent members and participated in its fellowship until her death.

The latest deed transfers of real estate recorded in the office of Town Clerk Whipple are: Misquamicut Land company to Misquamicut Golf club, land in Westerly and Watch Hill road; Henry O. Langhear to Misquamicut Golf club, land on east side Westerly and Watch Hill road; Public Play-ground association to town of Westerly, land with improvements, east side Canal street; Frances C. Griscom to Ethel E. Burnett, two lots near Watch Hill; Ethel E. Burnett to Frances Griscom, land near Watch Hill; Mary A. Higgins to Church of the Immaculate Conception, two lots on Grandall avenue, Pleasant View; Andrew Farrell to Mary Ellen Farrell, house and lot west side Summer street, Joseph Fraser to Richard J. Butler, Jr., house and lot on north side of street; Carrie B. Whipple to Antonio Di Simons, two lots Fairview Park.

In the superior court at Kingston, Wednesday, Thomas J. Allen, alias "Skete" was arraigned on two indictments for breaking and entering the Babcock cottage at Pleasant View and the Williams cottage at Avondale, while he was being sought by officers for return to the state prison from which he escaped. He pleaded not guilty. Sentence was deferred. He was returned to state prison and at the expiration of his term two years hence, he will be brought into court on a capias for sentence.

James Vincenza pleaded guilty to the indictment which charges him with assault and attempt to kill "Dr." Tremont, at Westerly, by shooting him. Sentence was deferred on payments of costs. He was taken to Kingston Jail until the costs are paid.

The case against Henry Martell, of Westerly, charged with attempt to break and enter the E. M. Dodge company store in Westerly, was assigned for trial Monday.

Mary E. Reardon of Westerly was granted a divorce from Daniel J. Reardon on the ground of desertion and non-support and was allowed to resume her maiden name.

Mary Sharron of Westerly was divorced from William Sharron on the ground of neglect to provide, and she was given custody of a minor child and right to resume maiden name.

Andrew B. Gardner, who has been employed on the Hall farm in Lower Pawcatuck, for twenty-six years, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart, when in his bedroom at his home in Lower Pawcatuck at about 9 o'clock, Wednesday morning. Mrs. Gardner heard the report, rushed to the bedroom and her husband was dead on the floor. He has been in failing health for about a year and it is believed that brooding over his physical condition resulted in mental impairment and the consequent taking of his own life. Mr. Gardner bore an excellent character, was of good habits and classed as exemplary in his mode of living. He was born in North Stonington 34 years ago and is survived by Mrs. Gardner, a son, Elisha B. Gardner, and a daughter, Eileen Gardner. Dr. George D. Stanton, medical examiner for the town of Stonington, after viewing the body in the afternoon, issued a permit for its removal.

In the suit brought by George Benjamin Utter and the Washington Trust company, executors of the estate of George H. Utter, who died in Westerly Nov. 3, 1912, against J. Irving Maxson and C. Edwin Gove, the papers were served and attachment made by Deputy Sheriff William H. Casey. The suit is returnable to the superior court for New London county, the first Tuesday in March, 1916. Mr. Maxson is now a resident of Santa Barbara, Isle of Pines, Republic of Cuba, and Mr. Gove resides in Beverly, Mass. The action is to recover on a note and damages are fixed at \$3,000. The defendants were members of a corporation that conducted a lumber business under the name of Utter & Co., in Pawcatuck in the town of

Westerly—Young, right guard; Easterbrooke, Le Bonef, left guard; Bateman, center; Trimble, Clarke, right forward; LeBonef, Hoyt, left forward.

Score, Westerly 35, Wakefield 29; baskets, Westerly, Jones 4, Burdick 4, Vickery 2, Clarke 2, Young, Trimble 4. Goals from fouls, Jones 3, Vickery, Le Bonef; time of game, four overtime periods. Referee, Mr. Printrimer. Main scorers, Danck and Chappell.

Attorney Clarence E. Roche, who has been assigned a course I for James Rego Mellow indicted on three charges of murder in the first degree for the slaying of William Rhodes and the other brother made three motions before Judge Doran, in the superior court for Washington county in session at Kingston. One asked for a view of the scene of the murder, another for a view of the bodies in the morgue at Wakefield, and the third a change of venue to Westerly. The first was granted, the second denied and exceptions noted and no action was taken in the third. The court desired time for consideration.

The food and drug commission in the annual report to the Rhode Island legislature, tells of the Westerly sale of trade of tailoress and worked at it for several years. She went to Milton and was married to Kirke W. Tanner in 1858. She leaves a daughter, Ida R., widow of Ormanz Cottrell, Mr.

Third district court session in Westerly today.

Edward J. Fenelow, Jr., is visiting in New Haven.

Hope Rebekah Lodge entertained at a dinner in Odd Fellows' hall Thursday evening.

Mrs. Charles A. Wilbur of Bridge-water, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George B. Utter.

Mrs. George W. Holland and son have arrived home from a three months' visit to relatives in England.

There are fifteen taxicabs doing business daily in Westerly and not a single jitney among them. The lowest fare is ten cents.

The body of Mrs. Susan W. Burrows has not been recovered and probably will not be until the ice in the Pawcatuck river breaks and floats away.

Steamer Westerly will attempt to open the Pawcatuck river channel today to permit cargoes of coal to be transported from Stonington to Westerly.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira R. Crandall and Mrs. Albert L. Chester, left New York Wednesday for Daytona, Florida, where they will spend the balance of the winter.

Professor Paul E. Titsworth of Al-

stonington. The defendants delivered a note for \$2,700 to George H. Utter, payable to him within three months for value received. This note has never been fully satisfied and this suit is the result. On the 4th of December, 1914, the sum of \$1,000 was the principal of the note. Property to the value of \$3,000 in Stonington, held by Mr. Maxson, has been attached to secure the claim.

The team representing the Westerly Athletic Club defeated the Wakefield opera house, Wednesday evening by a score of 22 to 29. At the end of the first half Westerly led, 23 to 10. The Wakefields came back strong in the last half, but lost in the last minutes of play when Wheelock and Vickery on eleven shots scored in rapid succession. The lineups and summaries: Westerly—Jones, left forward; Burdick, right forward; Vickery, center; Micowan, left guard; Wheelock, right guard.

All Trolleys Lead To

**CHARMING EFFECTS PRODUCED WITH THE NEWER WEAVES**



**ANDERSON'S ZEPHYR GINGHAMS**  
 15c a Yard  
 All fast colors and beautifully soft in finish—handsome 32 inch Gingham in all the new Spring designs and colorings.

**MERCERIZED COTTON POPLIN**  
 25c a Yard  
 This is a high, silk luster, which is permanent, and the finish is soft. It is a yard wide, and we have it in all colors.

**FLORAL STRIPE MARQUISSETTE**  
 29c a Yard  
 Delightfully dainty with its alternating stripes of white and color, and its pretty floral designs printed on colored stripes.

**BRENTWOOD VOILE**  
 49c a Yard  
 This is a yard-wide, plain white Voile, with smart, seed voile, cluster stripes in various pretty colorings. It is a fabric which will find many uses and with which many dainty effects may be secured.

**EMBROIDERED VOILE**  
 49c, 79c, 98c a Yard  
 This may be counted among the weaves which will prove exceptionally popular this season. You will find many pretty embroidered designs on plain white Voile, Seed Voile or Silk Check Marquisette.

**IMPORTED BORDERED VOILE**  
 98c a Yard  
 One of the handsomest fabrics which we have had the pleasure of displaying, and the width, 44 inch, makes its use economical. We show some extremely beautiful floral designs and silk stripes in blue, pink and lavender.

The Business Center of Norwich

**LATELY ARRIVED IN THE WASH GOODS DEPARTMENT**

Sheer weaves and delicate colorings are blended in these cotton, and cotton and silk dainties, which will be used so much this coming Summer. It is hard to produce fabrics and designs which are "new," but the designers and manufacturers have this year achieved actual triumphs, and our Wash Goods Department has now blossomed with all the pretty colorings of Spring.

**COME IN AND SEE THEM—YOU'LL ENJOY IT**

**SEED STRIPE VOILE**  
 29c a Yard  
 Pretty little buds and blossoms on white or tinted grounds distinguish this splendid stripe Voile, which is a full yard wide.

**NOVELTY VOILE**  
 25c a Yard  
 Choice 40 inch wide Voiles in the newest floral and stripe patterns, including black and white stripes in all widths. Very dainty.

**SILK CHECK MARQUISSETTE**  
 50c a Yard  
 Imagine a groundwork of Silk Check Marquisette covered with cunning little rosebuds and other blossoms in delicate colorings. A charming weave.

**THIS IS LINEN WEEK**  
 All this week we are making a special display of the finest Irish Table Damasks, which, in spite of the war, we are able to sell at prices which are much lower than you will find elsewhere.

**This Is Really An Exceptional Display and We Cordially Invite Your Inspection**

**OF UNUSUAL INTEREST IN THE SILK SECTION THE NEW STRIPED TAFFETAS**  
 Rich color combinations have been developed in this fine Taffeta, which we predict will enjoy extraordinary popularity. It is very well suited for both waists and dresses, and is shown in acceptable street colorings.

**\$1.50, \$1.85, \$2.00 a Yard**



Several members of the Westerly Rod and Gun club were at the trap shoot at the Paleface traps, Wellington, Mass., Tuesday. A. H. Weymouth of Portland, was high with 143 breaks. Louis J. Reuter of Westerly and Geo. H. Hunt of Roxbury and John W. Rich of Somerville were tied for second place with 133 breaks apiece. The prize went to Ross on a toss up. Mr. Reuter was high man of the afternoon with 150 breaks, breaking 145 out of 150 targets. Homer Sisson scored 128, Max Reithel 126.

**PLAINFIELD**  
 Liquor Being Sold or Given to Minors—Buffalo Bill Lectures at Lily Theatre—Accident—Whist.

It is claimed that the saloon keepers here are trying to obey the laws of the town and it is not they who are selling to minors. It is known by the officials that there are people who obtain liquor and either give or sell to the young fellows. These people are the ones whose business the authorities mean to stop.

Lecture by Buffalo Bill. "Buffalo Bill," William Cody, gave an interesting lecture, with the aid of moving pictures, at the Lily theatre before a large audience Thursday evening. The old scout seemed to be in his glory while describing the thrilling battle of Summit Springs and the death of Chief Tall Bull through the Old Scout's unerring aim in 1869.

Injured Hand. Fritz Magnusson was painfully injured in the No. 2 weave shed of the Lawton Mills when his hand became caught in a loom. He was given first aid by members of the machine shop crew and was later attended by Dr. Arthur Chase. He was afterwards brought to his home.

New Whist Series. The Children of Mary society held their first whist games of a new series in the Holy Name club rooms on Wednesday evening with about 75 in attendance. The winner of the \$2.50

goldpiece for the last series was Miss Valida Martin, who had 121 points. The Young Men's choir of the Congregational church met with Mr. Cecil Butler Thursday evening. Following rehearsal refreshments were served.

Electricians of the Shore Line were called to repair wires here yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dransfield and two children left today for New York, from where they will sail for England. Mr. Dransfield was formerly employed in the Lawton mills.

Mrs. Albert Exley of Midway was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Nella Bradford yesterday.

Thomas McNulty is confined to his home by illness.

Ovilas Charron was a Norwich visitor yesterday.

**COLCHESTER**  
 Chautauqua Club Meets—Officers of Grange Installed.

The Chautauqua club met with Mrs. A. Van Cleve at her home on South Main street this week.

The Woman's Missionary society met in the chapel Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Elizabeth Monaghan, teacher in the sixth grade, was called to her home by the serious illness of her father. Mrs. Catherine Shea is substituting for her.

Fred Holmes has returned to his duties in Condon's store after a week's absence.

A. D. Millan and son have returned to their home in New York, after spending several days at the home of Frank Kinman on Halls avenue.

Miss Ruth Miller, teacher in MILLINGTON, spent the week-end at her home in town.

Mrs. Helen Allen has returned home after spending some time at Spring Hill farm.

Miss Kinman, graduate nurse, returned to her home in Norwich this week.

Miss Helen Gilmore is spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sherman.

The local witch hazel mill has run continuously this winter for the first time since the business here was started. The unusual demand for witch hazel extract has made this possible. Large loads of brush are brought in daily from surrounding towns.

**Grange Installation.**  
 Worthy Master Davis of Middletown assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Duntin of Middletown, installed the officers of the local grange on Tuesday evening. The newly installed officers are: Master, E. R. Gillette; overseer, Clayton B. Miller; lecturer, Richard A. Storrs; steward, Frank Foote; assistant steward, E. A. Carrier; secretary, Myron Abel; treasurer, Miss Belle Strong; chaplain, J. R. Dutton; lady assistant steward, Miss Nettie Symmes; gate keeper, John Stronquist. Refreshments were served at the close of the exercises.

Dwight Gillette fell on the ice near his home and fractured several ribs. The children and young people have enjoyed the excellent coasting on Halls hill.

**ENGLISH PARLIAMENTARY MISSION VISITING PARIS**  
 For Conferences With French Parliamentary Delegation.

Paris, Feb. 24, 2 p. m.—The English parliamentary mission which is visiting Paris today deposited a wreath of palms at the foot of the statue of Joan of Arc in the Place des Pyramides. The wreath bore an inscription declaring it to be "a symbol of complete reconciliation between the two countries at the moment when both peoples, united in the same sentiment and veneration for the heroine of old France, defend together the liberty of the world."

The same sentiment was further de-

veloped in a unanimously signed statement issued by the Anglo-French parliamentary committee. The statement declares that the visit of the British parliamentarians and their conferences with the French parliamentary delegation had resulted in a close community in their sentiments and views. It affirms the desire of the signers to see the war carried on with greater coordination and increased energy. It alludes also to the notable military and financial efforts of the allies and sends a salutation to their "heroic armies."

With a view to perpetuating the contact between the parliaments of Great Britain and France, the committee will reassemble in London during the first fortnight in April.

**FORD PEACE EXPEDITION**  
 HAS COST \$400,000.  
 Mr. Ford Went Down the Bay to Meet Eight Delegates Who Arrived Yesterday.

New York, Feb. 24.—Eight more delegates who went to Europe as members of Henry Ford's peace expedition last December arrived here today on the Holland-American liner Nieuw Amsterdam. Mr. Ford went down the bay on a cutter and met the ship at Quarantine. Gaston Plantiff, his business representative after Mr. Ford himself left the party to return to America, stated today that the expedition had thus far cost his employer \$400,000, and that his peace efforts are to be continued through delegates who remained in Europe.

A statement issued by Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones of Chicago, one of the returning delegates, said that members of the party "admitted the crudities and incoherencies" of the experiment, because "the company was hastily gathered and therefore poorly organized," yet "a very definite impression" was made in at least four of the neutral countries, a wide discussion of the principles of peace being promoted, pacifist workers everywhere stimulated and "cheer and hopefulness" carried to the men in the trenches.

**American Tank Steamer Ashore.**  
 Stockholm via London, Feb. 24, 9:30 p. m.—The American tank steamer Polarine went ashore Wednesday morning in Helsingborg. The steamer Pioneer was summoned by the wireless of the Polarine and proceeded to the scene from Copenhagen and is assisting the tanker.

Hartford.—Mr. and Mrs. John McGinley, Jr., of South Marshall street, have been entertaining Mrs. McGinley's father, C. W. Strickland, of New London.

**WHAT CAUSES COLDS?**  
 This question is asked every day. A cold is really a fever, not always caused by the weather but often due to disordered blood or lack of important food-elements. In changing seasons fat-foods are essential because they distribute heat by enriching the blood and so render the system better able to withstand the varying elements. This is the important reason why Scott's Emulsion should always be taken for colds, and it does more—builds strength to prevent sickness.

Scott's Emulsion contains Nature's rare strength-building fats, so skillfully blended that the blood profits from every drop. It is free from harmful drugs or alcohol. Sold at drug stores—always get the genuine.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.