

HIS LIFE SAVED

Columbus, Kansas, Citizen Had Given Up Hope. Had Stomach and Bladder Trouble for Three Years. DUTY TO COMMEND TANLAC Says Master Medicine Brought Health Is Now Happy Man. Wants All Sufferers to Know What Relieved Him.

"I want to say to all sufferers that Tanlac certainly saved my life," emphatically stated J. C. Bowser of Columbus, Kan., while talking to W. C. Pope of Joplin. "Tanlac is a wonderful medicine." Mr. Bowser, who is an elderly gentleman of highest integrity, and who resides at 22 1/2 South Vermont avenue that city, is very enthusiastic over the benefits he derived from the Master Medicine. "I had stomach and bladder trouble for 3 years," Mr. Bowser continued. "Some days I would be up but most of the days I would have to lay down as I would be unable to get up. I could not rest well at nights and had many pains in my kidney region and stomach. I literally was tired down and worn out, unfit for any kind of activity. I dreamed meals, as at times I would feel sick at the stomach. "I tried almost every kind of medicine in every shape, form of fashion, with no apparent relief. I heard of Tanlac and tried three bottles. Since taking this wonderful preparation, I have been relieved of all my stomach and kidney trouble. Tanlac has made me younger in feeling if not younger in actual number of years. It is the greatest medicine that I ever have tried." Stomach, liver and kidney troubles in cases like Mr. Bowser's are often caused by a catarrhal inflammation of those organs, says Mr. Pope, who is personally directing the introduction of the famous medicine in Kansas. "The constant coughing up of mucus," he continues, "is a dull, throbbing headache, pains in the pit of the stomach, side and kidney region, loss of appetite, no ambition, depression of spirits, and the constant contracting of hard colds, are characteristic symptoms of this trouble, from which so many in all cities like Topeka suffer. Many in Kansas are now testifying that my preparation preserves your strength, gives you renewed energy, brightens your spirits, and that means that it lengthens your life and is an unmistakable, unerring comfort to the thousands who suffer from chronic catarrh and its distressing consequences. Tanlac can be secured at the Tully-McFarland Drug store, Ninth and Kansas avenue, successors to Matt Weichtman, where W. C. Pope, the Tanlac man, is greeting the public daily from 9 to 9—Adv.

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- Friday Specials Halibut Cat Fish Neptune Salad Salmon Salad Cod Fish and Cream Gravy

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CZAR FEARED HIM

Grand Duke Nicholas Was Too Popular With Army. Emperor Was Afraid He Would Seek the Throne.

REMOVAL MYSTIFIES EUROPE

Deposed Chief Considered the Biggest Man in Russia.

Even His Retreats Were Brilliant Military Feats.

London, Sept. 9.—England and practically all Europe were mystified at the announcement today that the czar, in assuming personal command of the Russian forces by land and sea, had deposed Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Russian army and had "rusticated" him to a comparatively obscure post in the Caucasus. Dispatches from Petrograd declare that the nation was stirred by the announcement as never before. It brought consternation when the world was hailing the commander-in-chief as "the biggest man in Russia." Aside from his brilliant feats in battle, even in the Grand Duke Nicholas has been exceedingly active ever since the war began. He is credited with practically shattering the graft bureaucracy and with the enforcement of the vodka prohibition order.

Had Eyes on Throne. As his popularity increased he incurred the enmity of the court in Petrograd. It was recently insinuated that, urged on by his ambitious consort, the Grand Duchess Anastasia, he planned eventually to seize the throne. In relieving the grand duke of his command the emperor addressed to him the following communication: "The invasion of the enemy on the western front, which necessitates the largest possible concentration of civil and military authorities as well as the unification of command in the field, has turned our attention from the eastern front. At this moment I recognize the necessity of your assistance and counsel on the southern front and I appoint you viceroy of the Caucasus and commander-in-chief of the valiant Caucasian army. "I express to your imperial highness my profound gratitude and that of the country for your labors during the war." The relegation of the grand duke who has been acclaimed as one of the greatest strategists of the war to the relatively unimportant position of leader of the Russian forces opposing the Turks in the Caucasus cannot be comprehended either here or in Petrograd. Nominally and according to his statement the emperor is to take up the burdens that are being laid down by the grand duke.

Not Active Leadership. It is generally conceded, however, that some military man will assume the active leadership of Russia's hard fought front. One dispatch from Petrograd hints that the man will be Alexiev. Even this insinuation added to the consternation, as it is feared the dispatch refers to Vice Admiral Alexiev, former viceroy in the far east, and prominent in the Russo-Japanese war, who was charged many times with irregularities.

The only consolation that London can get from the emperor's move is that, as religious head of the Russian nation, it should prove a great moral stimulus to his troops. At the time he dispatched his letter to the grand duke the emperor issued the following signed army order: "Today I have taken supreme command of all my forces of the sea and of the land forces operating in the theater of war. "With firm faith in the clemency of God and with unshaken assurance of final victory, we shall fulfill our sacred duty to defend our country to the last. We shall not dishonor the Russian land."

Grand Duke's Statement. Then came the following statement from the grand duke: Today your august supreme chief, his majesty the emperor, places himself at your head. I bow before your heroism of more than a year and express to you my cordial, warm and sincere appreciation. "I believe steadfastly that because the emperor himself, to whom you

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have taken your oath, conducts you, you will display achievements hitherto unknown. I believe that God from this day will accord to His elect His all powerful aid and will bring to him victory." Emperor Nicholas, like the heads of all nations, is accorded the honorary command of the army and navy in times of peace, and the announcement that he had assumed command did not at first bring out its real import. It was believed that he was merely impressing upon his troops the fact that he was their real leader, for the moral effect.

STATE MAY BACK OUT

An Offer to Compromise in the Wyman Will Case.

The state may not force its right to recover for charity under provisions of the will of Cyrus B. Wyman of Reno county. That was the statement today of S. M. Hawkes, assistant attorney general, following a conference with Hutchinson attorneys concerning the case. Recently Wyman, a wealthy bachelor, died leaving a large estate. In his will was a provision that a quarter section of land, valued at \$20,000, should be given as a site for an old ladies' home. Suit to set aside the will was filed in the Reno county district court and later the heirs compromised. Then Judge Hawkes filed a petition asking that the state might interplead in behalf of charity. As in the case today conferred with Judge Hawkes and assured him that provision would be made for several local charities by agreement. It was then asked that the state withdraw from the litigation. Judge Hawkes will probably check his petition up to the trial court, but may not take an active hand in the settlement of the case.

15,000 MULES TO WAR

American "Hard Tails" to Figure in New Constantinople Attack.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 9.—British agents in the last two months have brought more than 15,000 pack mules to 14,200 head high here, according to a detailed statement by local dealers today. Little attention has been paid to small blemishes and the age of the animals. In the last few weeks. According to dealers some of the mules taken recently have been more than 15 years old. In the last two weeks more than 1,500 mules have been shipped out of Kansas City and St. Louis routed by way of New Orleans to Egypt. It is believed the Missouri mules will be used to supply transportation for a new Asiatic campaign against the Turks, as Egypt is being used as a base of operations for a roundabout way to Constantinople.

HUNT SAFE BLOWERS

Yeggs Robbed Lumber Company Vault at Leavenworth.

Leavenworth, Kan., Sept. 9.—Officers are searching that portion of Missouri opposite this city this morning for robbers who robbed a safe of the Bolman Lumber company of Leavenworth and attempted to blow open those in the vault at Leavenworth last night. The safe of the lumber company was shattered by an explosion. There was but a small amount of money in it. Entrance was gained by tearing through a screen door. It is believed that the robbers later visited the two banks where they were connected with Turkey and muddy footprints indicate that they had been tinkering about the safes. Nothing of great value was taken. The banks were the Farmers, State and Farley State banks.

WARD IS A FREE MAN

Discharged at West Plains and Won't Be Brought to Wichita.

Wichita, Kan., Sept. 9.—George Ward, accused slayer of two wives, will not be brought to Wichita from West Plains, Mo., to answer a charge of murder, it was said here today. A warrant charging him with burning his first wife to death here recently a month ago. The case will be dismissed. Ward was tried at West Plains for the murder of his second

AT THE THEATERS.

The Novelty. When George Primrose appears at the Novelty with his minstrel company it will bring back many happy hours to many of the Novelty patrons who have laughed at George's funny jokes and admired his graceful dancing long ago when he was looked upon as the world's minstrel king in the days of Barlow, Wilson, Primrose and West. George carries with him six men and his act covers a duration of about twenty to twenty-five minutes. Other acts on the bill include Venita Gould, who gives impersonations of many great celebrities of the stage. Her talent has a wide scope, as she imitates Mme. Nazimova, the great Russian tragedienne, with as much ease as if she were Geo. M. Cohan, the well known musical comedy star.

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INSPECTION OF GRAIN

Nearly 6,000 Cars Were Inspected Last Month. Reports from the office of George B. Ross, state grain inspector at Kansas City, Kan., to W. E. Davis, state auditor, show that 5,798 cars of grain were inspected at Kansas City, Kan., compared with three cars in August, 1914. The July, 1915, report shows 3,748 cars inspected at the Kansas City station, as against five cars in July, 1914. Under the grain inspection law passed by the last legislature it is a misdemeanor for any but the state grain inspector to inspect grain on Kansas soil. Until this act became effective last spring the Kansas grain on tracks in Kansas City, Kan., was inspected by the Kansas City board of trade inspector.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS.

State Positions Will Be Filled Under New Arrangement. Arrangements for the first examinations for state positions under the civil service law, passed at the recent session of the Kansas legislature, are being made by the civil service board. E. C. Canon, secretary of the board, announced that these probably would be held the last week in this month.

THE BIG FAIR AT TOPEKA IS FREE

The gates of the Kansas State Fair Association at Topeka will stand open September 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, 1915, for the first Big Free Fair held in the United States. The beautiful eighty-six acre fair ground, all of the twenty-four permanent buildings, and every exhibit will be open free to the public day and night. Topeka bids every Kansan welcome to the Capital City. Rooms in private homes will be listed. Information bureaus, rest rooms, nurseries and play grounds provided.

THE BIG FREE FAIR

The citizens of Topeka and Shawnee County voted a special tax to pay the premiums of the Big Free Fair. The Kansas Legislature made a direct appropriation. The gates stand open every body welcome. Sept. 13-17

World Film Corp. Presents Margaret Wycherly and John E. Kellard In the New York Hudson Theater Sensation THE FIGHT By Bayard Veiller. Author of "Within the Law" In 5 Acts TOMORROW Geo. Kline Presents The Golden Beetle A dramatic and unusual story of adventure on a desert island. Featuring the wild beasts of the jungle.

COZY THEATER 718 Kansas Ave. TODAY N. Y. Motion Picture Corp. Presents The Superb Bessie Barriscale in The Mating In 5 Parts Positively the first time ever shown at 5 cent prices.

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400 Entries in Trotting and Pacing—Running Races Daily Four days racing, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, on the fastest half-mile track in the West. The Swift Kansas Derby Tuesday. Millions of dollars trotting and pacing stakes. Largest number of entries of any race meet in the West.

Thrilling Automobile Races—Daring Monoplane Flights Professional speed kings and their famous world record breaking racing cars will compete for \$1,000 purses at the Big Free Fair Friday afternoon. Thrilling monoplane flights over fair grounds in full view of the crowd daily. Demonstration of aerial scouting.

Exciting Polo Played on Ponies—Beautiful Horse Show Harness and high school horses, fancy hitched, elaborate turnout, coaches, four-in-hands from the finest private stables that win at Boston, New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Detroit. One thousand dollar saddle horse championship.

Mammoth Live Stock Exhibits—Fifteen Acres of Machinery Tractor Demonstrations—Actual Plowing of 100 Acres BIG DAIRY SHOW—BUTTER FAT CONTEST—THE 100 PER CENT DAIRY HERD

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