

SUFFERED FROM BACKACHE RHEUMATISM, DROPSY.

Dear Mr. Editor—I wish to tell you of a recent experience I had when suffering from backache, weak back, rheumatism, dropsy, and congestion of the kidneys. I tried a new medicine called "Anuric," which has recently been discovered by Dr. Pierce, of whose medicines and Surgical Institution in Buffalo, N. Y., you have no doubt heard for years. This medicine acted upon me in a wonderful manner. I never have taken any medicine so helpful in such quick time. I do wish anyone in need of such a remedy would give it a trial. (Signed) G. H. HERR.

NOTE: Folks in town and adjoining counties are delighted with the results they have obtained by using "ANURIC," the newest discovery of Dr. Pierce, who is head of the INVALIDS' HOTEL and SURGICAL INSTITUTE, in Buffalo, N. Y. Those who started the day with a backache, stiff legs, arms and muscles, and an aching head (worn out before the day began because they were in and out of bed half a dozen times at night) are appreciating the perfect rest, comfort and new strength they obtained from Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets. To prove that this is a certain uric acid solvent and conquers headache, kidney and bladder diseases and rheumatism, if you've never used the "Anuric," cut this out and send ten cents to Doctor Pierce for a large sample package. This will prove to you that "Anuric" is thirty-seven times more active than lithia in eliminating uric acid—and the most perfect kidney and bladder corrector. If you are a sufferer, go to your best druggist and ask for a 50-cent box of "Anuric." You run no risk for Dr. Pierce's good name stands behind this wonderful new discovery as it has for the past half century for his "Golden Medical Discovery" which makes the blood pure, his "Favorite Prescription" for weak women and "Pleasant Pellets" for liver ills.

THE HOME CIRCLE AND ITS INTERESTS.

Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join The Home Circle at Evening Tide.

His Mother.

Captain Jack Crawford, the poet scout, pays the following eloquent tribute to his mother: "I had a Christian mother, my earliest recollections of whom was kneeling at her side praying God to save a wayward father and husband. That mother taught me to speak the truth when a child, and I have tried to follow her early teachings in that respect. It would require a much larger book than this to tell the story of my life and the sufferings of one of God's good angels, my mother. To her I owe everything—truth, honor, sobriety, and my very life. Her spirit seems to linger near me always; she has been my guardian angel. In the camp, the cabin, the field and the hospital, on the lonely trail hundreds of miles from civilization in the pine-clad hills and lonely canyons, I have heard in the moaning night winds and in the murmuring streamlets. The voice of my angel mother whispering soft and low. "And these sacred thoughts have made me forget at times that there was danger in my pathway. Nor will I ever forget The day that we parted, mother and I. Never on earth to meet again; She to a happier home on high. I a poor wanderer on the plain. "That day was perhaps the greatest epoch in my life. Kneeling by her bedside, with one hand clasped in mine, the other resting on my head, she whispered, 'My boy, you know your mother loves you. Will you give me a

promise that I may take it up to heaven?' 'Yes, yes, mother, I will promise you anything.' 'Johnny, my son, I am dying,' said she; 'promise me that you will never drink intoxicants, and then it will not be so hard to leave this world.' Dear reader, need I tell you that I promised 'yes'; and whenever I am asked to drink, that scene comes up before me and I am safe."

Hereafter all the guest rooms of the Galesburg, Ill., hotels and boarding houses will be provided with Bibles, and people that occupy these rooms will have on the table a silent reminder of the way they should go. Even the presence of such a book has an influence and gives character to a room. The work of placing copies of the scriptures in hotels has spread throughout the country as a result of the activities of the Sons of Gideon, an organization of traveling men that is doing a good work among the members of the knights of the grip.

Did you ever stop to think that it was one thing to talk about people and another thing to have people talk about you. If those of us who use our tongues a little too freely about our neighbors would stop and reflect about the matter and know the great evil that comes from too much talk and tattling, we are sure we would call a halt and gossip no more forever.

The fact is much to be deplored that with most boys and girls the boy who spends the greatest amount of money for them, in furnishing them entertainment, is the boy most admired and caajoled. But, oh, what becomes of him when his money plays out? He plays out too. Consequently, to keep his footing, he stifles his conscience and robs his employer, commits some other theft or gambles, in order to keep in the swim. This state of affairs is applicable to men and women in society. Many dark deeds are committed thru a desire to supply the demands of worldly-minded wives and daughters. And again an honorable man, rather than sell his principles of integrity or meet the wants and upbraidings at home, when he fails to supply their demands, prefers to send his soul to eternal death and thereby rid his physical self of life's burdens.

Do any of us know the power of influence? Give a child his first years in a loving Christian home, a good, noble mother, a consecrated, loving father, all harmoniously working together for the good of all mankind, that home may be humble, but home in the truest sense of the word. And after years may bring temptations and trials and cares, but the influence of that home can never be blotted out nor its power for good ever overestimated. Surely environment is stronger than education. First influences will last until life itself is gone. If our influence counts for so much ought we to ever grow weary striving to make that influence strong for good? But how soon when we have made good resolutions and promised to be more thoughtful and kind, do we fall back into the old listlessness and let opportunities for good pass by, that would make us rich with their blessings.

No matter how small a sin is, examine its tracks and you will find that they point straight toward the pit.

Suppose you are given to the habit of profanity. You enter into conversation with a man who never swears, or in other words a gentleman. By and by you begin to see that he is the superior man. Your own remarks have a tame, flat, feeble sound to your ears. Your cheeks begin to burn with a sense of your friend's excellence and drop out of your sentences, ashamed to remain in the company of good, honest, English words, until you discover that you are carrying on your part of the conversation without swearing you feel easier, your intellectual stature increases by a foot.

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War News Of The Week.

THURSDAY.

M. Dimitracopoulos, former Minister of Justice, has been asked by King Constantine to form a new Cabinet. The resignation of the Zaimis Cabinet has been accepted. Dimitracopoulos, a supporter of the policies of Venizelos, has expressed the opinion that with Rumania in the war it was time for Greece to abandon her neutrality.

North of the Somme the French enlarged their positions opposite Comblès and stormed new trenches. The Paris report claims that 2,300 Germans were made prisoners within the past two days.

FRIDAY.

On the Somme front the French have captured Le Priez farm and enlarged other positions close to Comblès, according to the official statement issued by the War Office. There has been hard fighting north and south of Bouchavesnes. The fall of Comblès is said to be imminent.

SATURDAY.

Capture by the Italians of the Austrian positions on the Isonzo front and in the Trentino near Monte Cauroli was announced officially by Rome.

The greater part of the Boulevard wood, High wood and the towns of Fiers, Martinpuech and Courcette have been taken by the British, who also have captured all the high ground between Comblès and the Pizieres-Bapaume road, according to London's official communication. More than 2,300 prisoners were captured in the drive. North of the Somme the French took a system of trenches 500 meters deep, rendering the encirclement of Comblès closer.

The Russian and Rumanian troops in the Dobrudja region of Rumania are in retirement northward, according to the official communication issued at Bucharest.

SUNDAY.

British forces south of the Ancre have made additional progress, according to the official statement from general headquarters. The advance since Friday along a front of six miles is estimated at from one to two miles.

Seventeen hundred additional prisoners were taken Saturday and the total number of prisoners captured in the last two days is more than 4,000. The Somme front was comparatively

quiet, according to the French War Office. The French are making progress north of Bouchavesnes.

Bulgarian troops, aided by Germans and Austrians, have occupied all the territory in Dobrudja taken by Rumania in the second Balkan war.

MONDAY.

A strong offensive has been launched by the Russians in Galicia and the Carpathians. Berlin and Vienna claim to have repulsed the Slav attack on a twelve-mile front. Petrograd reports the capture of 3,000 Germans.

The French have captured all the ground between Vermandovillers and Denicourt, on the one side, and Denicourt and Berny, on the other, south of the Somme River, according to the official statement issued by the Paris War Office. They also have taken those portions of the villages of Vermandovillers and Berny that had remained in possession of the Germans. Seven hundred unwounded prisoners were captured. Powerful counter attacks were launched by the Germans against the newly-acquired British positions on the Somme front.

TUESDAY.

The British line has advanced 1,000 yards on a mile front and captured a powerfully fortified German work called the "Quadrilateral." South of Comblès, on the Somme front, the French have carried another group of German trenches. Desperate fighting continues around Denicourt, while actions both in the Champagne district and on the Verdun front, where the French captured a trench on Deadman Hill, are recorded.

French forces have captured the important city of Florina in Macedonia and all Bulgarians are retiring in disorder toward Monastir.

DEEP HOLE.

T. H. Burchett made a business trip to West Virginia Monday.

Dr. Carier purchased a fine drove of cattle of C. H. Preece last week.

Green Gayhart of Floyd county visited S. J. Preece and family Tuesday.

Drew Adams of Cherokee, called at T. H. Burchett's Saturday and Sunday.

Bill Queen of Louisa, purchased a fine drove of cattle of C. H. and J. H. Preece last week.

Mrs. M. L. Johns of Louisa spent Saturday night with the Misses DeLong.

There will be meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Preece the last Saturday and the Sunday following in September.

Mrs. C. H. Preece and son spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Burchett.

CHARLEY.

Willie Hays was calling on C. Le-master Sunday.

Alpha Hays started to school Monday.

John Hays is having some concreting done.

North Stapleton passed through here with a large drove of cattle enroute to Mt. Sterling.

Alpha Hays made a business trip to Paintsville last week.

IN MEMORY.

Geese But Not Forgotten. Elphus Boggs, a prominent Blaine citizen, died at his home Aug. 24, 1916. He was 84 years of age and his death was not unexpected. He had for several years been bothered with heart trouble which together with old age helped to end his peaceful life. He served during the 14th infantry of the Civil war, and was an old soldier and pensioner. Having fought for the good of his country and lived a life for Jesus Christ. He was the last one of the family and lived with his son Arthur Boggs on Big Blaine.

He received all the care that human hands could give, but God saw fit to call him to his final reward, "over there." He was buried in the family and relative graveyard near his home. God has taken his spirit to the spirit land and his body to the tomb. He had served out his time here in this world of sorrow and woe, and God called him to a better and a happier land.

He was beloved by all who knew him and leaves a host of friends and relatives to mourn his loss, he died leaving

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hot an enemy in all the land. Dont wish this much could be said of us when we have to shuffle the mortal coil of death? Though it is hard to say how well we realize our loss is only his gain. So we weep not friends and relatives about "Uncle Life" for he is only sleeping his spirit is at rest. He was honest, industrious, clever, accommodating and religious, and had been a member of the United Baptist church for many years. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. (Clim Boggs of Canaan creek. If everybody would live the life that he did we would have no use for the laws of our land. He has passed through the lonely station of death and has gone to live and reign in heaven with the King of Glory. To his many relatives we feel like expressing some consoling words of love. But we realize he lived a model life, a life which we could all safely follow.

But what rejoices us most now is to know according to the teaching of the blessed old book, that in the judgment morning when the trumpet shall sound that uncle Life will arise and pass in through the pearly gates of the new Jerusalem and sit down at the right hand of his Saviour and receive the harp and a golden crown and begin shouting, glory to God in the highest and singing Hosannah to the King. ONE OF HIS FRIENDS.

MATTIE.

Mrs. W. A. Hays and little son of Adams were the pleasant guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ball Saturday and Sunday.

Several boys from this place have gone to Ohio to cut corn.

Aunt Lou Ball spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Ball, Jr.

Walter Stambaugh of Blaine, was on our creek Sunday.

Alma Hays has returned home from Busseyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Moore spent Sunday last with Mr. Tom Moore and wife of Rich creek.

Mrs. G. V. Ball, Jr. was called to Greenup county Monday to attend the burial of her brother, Jake Moore.

Minnie Moore was visiting relatives in Louisa Wednesday last.

Jay Moore is having his house remodelled.

Bert Ball was on our creek Saturday.

J. D. Ball made a business trip to Louisa recently.

Clyde and Woodward Moore, who have been visiting relatives at this place, returned to their home in Ohio Wednesday last.

The infant child of Dora Moore is very ill at this writing. A LONESOME BOY.

CASH IN ADVANCE PLAN TO BE ADOPTED

On October 15th, 1916, the Big Sandy News Subscription List Will be on a New Basis, and the Paper will be Sent Only until the Date Paid in Advance.

INCREASED COST OF PRODUCTION FORCES THIS CHANGE

As announced in the above headlines the Big Sandy News will change its policy in handling the subscription list. We are compelled either to increase the subscription to \$1.50 per year or to take steps that will stop all leaks and waste. We hope by doing the latter to keep the subscription price at one dollar.

We are making announcement of our new policy several months in advance of its adoption so that all our friends and subscribers will have ample time to get on the new basis.

It has been customary from "time immemorial" almost, for country papers to extend credit to subscribers and to continue sending the paper until death, poverty, disease, hopeless delinquency, or an earthquake caused a break. This is bad business and oftentimes very unsatisfactory. Some people get the impression that the publisher is trying to force the paper on them. This is one thing the publisher of the Big Sandy News can truthfully say he has never intended nor had any desire to do. In soliciting we do not even insist strongly upon anyone subscribing for the paper, because we never want to push it upon any person. Our efforts are directed chiefly to making a paper worth the subscription price. Nevertheless, a few people seem

to think the paper is being forced upon them when it continues beyond the date paid for.

On the other hand, we have had a number of subscribers to resent our action in stopping the paper at the expiration of the period paid for, saying it was a reflection on their credit. This is the source from which we anticipate most of the trouble that is likely to come in changing to a strictly cash in advance system. But when the change is made it will be absolutely necessary to enforce it impartially. The mailing list will be in charge of an employee who doesn't know any better than to stop every subscription at its paid expiration. Although as above stated, the proposition has two sides, we believe our friends and patrons will like the new system better. We ask their kind cooperation in establishing this new business-like plan.

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Farm, 50 acres, one mile from Fort Gay, W. Va. On railroad and county road and river. Good land. No house. Price \$1000.

About 25 acres fertile river bottom land, one-half mile below Fort Gay. Also 100 acres adjoining Fort Gay. Good grass land, six or seven acres of it level. Price \$2,000. F. H. YATES, Louisa, Ky.

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