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We shall not particularize here as to the symptoms of those peculiar affections incident to women, but those wanting full information as to their symptoms and means of positive cure are referred to the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser—1008 pages, newly revised and up-to-date Edition, sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, or, in cloth binding for 31 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.



BATH TUB BUILT FOR TAFT

WILL BE PUT ABOARD THE BATTLESHIP TO TAKE HIM TO PANAMA—A MONSTER.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The navy department, appreciating the great difficulty Mr. Taft has experienced in his travels of getting a bath tub of sufficient proportions to accommodate his modest requirements, has decided that its prospective commander in chief is entitled to a real bath tub on the battleship when he makes his visit to Panama soon, and has ordered from the establishment of Jordan L. Mott, 118 Fifth Avenue, New York City, a specially prepared white enamel bathtub of huge dimensions.

The manufacturer declares the bath tub will hold four ordinary men and is the largest they have ever turned out. It is 7 feet, one inch long, 41 inches wide and weighs a ton.

Manufacturers do not make Taft size bath tubs for the trade, and as the president-elect will probably find it rather embarrassing to use the one now at the White House when he desires to make his ablutions, there is no reason why it should not be transferred from the battleship North Carolina to the White House, that is if Mr. Taft should take a fancy to its pond like dimensions.

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SLAIN IN HIS OFFICE.

Kansas City Insurance Man is Shot to Death.

Kansas City, Jan. 24.—Stephen P. Hood, agent for the Fidelity & Casualty company here, was shot and instantly killed by Walton Blanton it is said in the office of the company this evening. Immediately after the shooting Blanton, who was formerly employed by the Fidelity & Casualty company, surrendered himself to the police. The two men were alone in the office and it is not known how the quarrel started. Hood was shot three times, once in the abdomen, once in the chest and once below the left eye.

Read This. Yates Center, Kan., Sept. 18, 1908.—After my doctors gave me up to die Hal's Texas Wonder cured me of kidney and bladder trouble. It is the best medicine on earth. Mrs. H. S. Johnson. Sold by all druggists. D&W

The Choral Club will meet at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, at 7:30.

HE'D STOP THE GRAIN FRAUDS

SENATOR DOLLIVER URGES A SYSTEM OF FEDERAL GRAIN INSPECTION TO GRADE GRAIN.

GRAIN DISCREDITED ABROAD

Under Present Conditions Grades Are Juggled and Other Countries' Products Are Preferred Abroad—A Uniform Plan Wanted.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Senator Dolliver in the report from the senate committee on agriculture in favor of the bill for federal grain inspection, has presented a strong indictment of the present lax methods with respect to the inspection and grading of grain.

The report attacks the "many abuses which have crept into the system of handling and grading grain at the great terminals and which operate as a fraud and injustice upon both the producer and the consumer." "Due to the improper certification and the almost impossibility of securing a high grade on American grain abroad," continued the report, "our grain is being discredited in all foreign countries to such an extent as to rapidly decrease export trade in many sections, while that of Argentina, Canada and Australia is increasing in the same proportion that our trade is decreasing."

The reports of the state warehouse commission show that there are shipped out from the great terminals from two to four times as much of the higher grade as received, while almost all of the lower grades disappear entirely in the out shipping. This is regarded as proof of juggling. It is shown that the manipulators and mixers of grain in this fashion receive large profits, but always at the still greater detriment to the producer.

One trouble with the present system whereby inspectors are appointed by boards of trade, is that there is lack of uniformity in the grading of grain at the various terminal markets. The fact is cited that the grain raised on the farm in Iowa may be shipped to three different points, Minneapolis, Chicago and Kansas City. The standards in each city are different and this same grain would therefore have three different prices placed upon it at these places.

Many little lives have been saved by Foley's Kidney and Bladder Remedy. It is the only safe remedy for infants and children as it contains no opiates or other narcotic drugs and children like Foley's Kidney and Bladder Remedy. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists. d & w

Order for Hearing Petition to Sell Real Estate. State of Oklahoma, Carter County. In the Matter of the Estate of Thoburn and Forrest Donnell. Now, on this 12th day of December 1908, Edwin L. Deen, having filed herein his petition for the sale of the real estate described in said petition, for reasons in said petition stated. It is ordered, That said petition be and is hereby set for hearing on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1909 at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and show cause, if any they have, why an order should not be granted for the sale of so much of the real estate of said Thoburn and Forrest Donnell as is necessary for the reasons in said petition stated.

It is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published for three successive weeks in the Weekly Ardmoreite of Ardmore, Oklahoma. I. R. MASON, County Judge.

WHEN U. S. GRANT PROPOSED.

Ludicrous Attire Did Not Deter the Young Lover From His Purpose. When young Grant reached the banks of the Graviose he found it a mad, muddy torrent, which had torn trees and bridges from its banks and was carrying them with a roar of waters through the valley to the river. But what was that to daunt a lover's ardor? Like the hero of

Invocation. Battle Hymn of the Republic. Short Sketch of Abraham Lincoln, Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. Patriotic Hymn. Extra and Quotations of Lincoln by Pupils. Star Spangled Banner. Benediction. The committee hopes that the day will be made a holiday and observed fittingly all over the country. J. B. SPRAGINS, DAVID REDFIELD, Committee.

Carter County Teachers' Examination Examination for Carter County Teachers will be held in the district court room, Thursday and Friday, Jan. 28th and 29th, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock, a. m. Examinations for conductor and instructor certificates and Reading Circle students and teachers will be held at the same place Saturday, Jan. 30th.

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