The Ameer at Rawul Pindi.

The Ameer lived in the bungalow occupied in prosaic times by the Commissioner of Rawul Pindi. But the garden walls have been raised three feet higher all around, so as to secure secrecy. The drawing-room has been fitted up a la Ouida with crimson satin and furnished with gold and silver chairs. The bedroom is draped with pale blue satin, and the bed is hung with curtains of the finest lace. Musical boxes are settered about with reckless profusion, and the very decanters play a merry tune whenever they are touched—rather a drawback perhaps to the good Mahommedans who may wish to quietly taste their un-hallowed contents. Over all the electric light sheds its mild effulgence. And here, when he is not engaged in diplomatic conversation, sits His Highness Abdur Rahman, a martyr, like any country gentleman, to the gour, surrounded by his hookah-bearers, his doctor, his deaf and dumb painter, his chess-players, his tailors, his cooks, whose duty it is to taste every dish laid before him, and a host of other retainers. Somewhere in the compound hard by butchers are killing sheep and and chickens all day long, for His Highness's del cate appetite can only be tempted by certain tidbits. But though 1,500 men accompanied him to Peshawur, 500 of whom came to Rawul Pindi, advisers brought he none. Abdur Rahman has not the typical Afghan face at all, and is a burlier man than the usual lithe and sinewy Palhan. His dress, such as we have seen him wear so far, is more of a Russian pattern than any thing else. His long enforced residence in Tashkend and Samarkand made him familiar with Russian uniforms, and he very naturally turns to them as patterns. The loose, baggy blue trousers tucked into the black boot-tops, and the tightly fitting c at reaching nearly down to the knees are such as may be seen any day in Russia. He has no orders so far, though he may be decorated with the G. C. S. I. before he leaves; but, being of an inventive turn of mind, he has had made two small silver stars which he wears on his left breast. He has also a bit of ribbon there, something like the South African war ribbon, but whence it came or what it implies no one seems to know. His cap, of the purest gray Astrakhan wool, is also of his own invention. It is something like the conical cap worn by Tartar races, but has a broad border, also of Astrakahn, such as Russians wear round their circular caps in wintry weather. In this border are set a number of flat diamonds. When receiving the Vicery he wore a light maroon-colored tunic, with deep cuffs of a dark hue, the colors being matched most artistically. He has a distinctly military air.

# An Old Soldier's Story.

Boston Budget.

"The old army shoe." said a slender, dark haired man, "was a great institution. I have a pair at home, that I have preserved, not as a momento of any long march, but as a landmark in a venturous life. It was a custom among the poorly-shod Confederate troops to remove. after a bat-tle, the shoes from the dead Union soldiers. This was not done in any spirit of vandalism or heartlessness. The shoes were taken off to supply men who had much marching to do in inclement weather. We simply changed the old, worn-out shoes for the good ones worn by those who fell in the bat-

On one occasion I took a pair of nicely polished No. 6s from the body of a man who must have been in life a model soldier. I had worn these shoes with great comfort through the four or five remaining days of activity inor needed to the battle before I had an op-portunity to examine them carefully. When we were again in permanent camp and were allowed to remove our cartridge boxes and shoes at night, I made a startling discovery, or rather I was greatly startled by a discovery that I made one morning as I took up the shoes to put them on.

"On the under side of the flap or tongue, was written, in a clear, round hand, my own name. I was confident that I had never written it there, but there, on both shoes, were my initials and my family name, and I had taken those shoes, four days before, from the feet of a man killed in battle. The inferance was that I had stolen the shoes from a man related to me in some way. I could not put them on. I walked in my stocking feet to the commissary department, secured a new pair of shoes, and I have the othor shoes vet.

"The affair troubled me for a long time. I nad no opportunity for making satisfactory inquiry in regard to the man who bore my name, but in due time I did learn that there was no relationship whatever. He had come to this country from England, and had been in this country only a few months when the war broke out. He enlisted through a spirit of adventure, and I was the means of giving his relatives definite information as to his fate. The only evidence I had bearing on points in which they were tnterested was a pair of old army shoes.

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# FOUR ACTS PLAYED.

Sad Report About Ex-President Arthur.

Will the Fifth and Final Act be a Tragedy Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

"Dr. Lincoln who was at the funeral of ex-Secretary Frelinghuysen, says ex-President Arthur looked very unwell. He is suffering from Bright's disease. During the past year it has assumed a very aggravated form."

That telegram is act IV. of a drama written by ex-President Arthur's physicians. In Act I. he was made to appear in "Malaria," of which all the country was told when he went to Florida.

In Act II. he represented a tired man, worn down, walking the sands at Old Point Comfort and looking eastward over the Atlantic toward Europe for a longer rest.

The curtain rolls up for Act III. upon the distinguished actor affected with melancholy from bright's disease, while Act IV. discovers him with the disease "in an aggravated form, suffering intensely, (which is unusual) and about to take a sea voyage."

Just such as this is the plot of many dramas by play-wrights of the medical profession. They write the first two or three acts with no conception of what their character will develop in the final one.

They have not had the discernment for tracing in the early, what the latter impersonations will be. Not one physician in a hundred has the adequate microscopic and chemical appliances for discovering bright's disease in its early stages, and when many do finally comprehend that their patients are dying with it, when death occurs, they will, to cover up their ignorance of it, pronounce the fatality to have been caused by ordinary ailments, whereas these ailments are really results of bright's disease of which they are unconscious victims.

Beyondany doubt, 80 percent. of all deaths except from epidemics and accidents, result from diseased kidneys or livers. If the dying be distinguished and his friends too intelligent to be easily deceived, his physician perhaps pronounces the complaint to be pericarditis, pyæmia, septicæmia bronchitis, pleuritis, valvular lesions of the heart, pneumonia, etc. If the deceased be less noted, "malaria" is now the fashionable assignment of the cause of

But all the same, named right or named wrong this fearful scourgegathers them in! While it prevails among persons of sedentary habits.-lawyers, clergymen, congressmen,-it also pays great havoc among farmers, day laborers and mechanics, though they do not suspect it, because their physicians keep it from them, if indeed they are able to detect it.

It sweeps thousands of women and children into untimely graves every year. The health gives way gradually, the strength is variable. the appetite fickle, the vigor gets less and less. This isn't malaria-it is the beginning of kidney disease and willend-who does not know how?

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great-grandfathers practiced!

Anon, we hear that the patient is "comfortable." But ere long maybe, they "tap" him and take some water from him and again the "comfortable" story is told. Torture him rather than allow him to use Warner's safe cure! With such variations the doctors play upon the unfortunate until his shroud is made, when we learn that he died from heart disease, pytemia, septiciemla or some other deceptive though "dignified cause."

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