

CAUGHT BY THE GRIP-- RELEASED BY PE-RU-NA

Pneumonia Followed La Grippe--Pe-ru-na the Remedy That Brought Relief.
Mr. T. Barnett, West Aylmer, Ontario, Can., writes:
"Last winter I was ill with pneumonia after having la grippe. I took Pe-ru-na for two months when I became quite well, and I can say that any one can be cured by it in a reasonable time and at little expense."
Systemic Catarrh, the Result of La Grippe. Pe-ru-na Receives Credit for Present Good Health.
Mrs. Jennie W. Gilmore, Box 44, White Oak, Ind. Ter., writes:
"Six years ago I had la grippe, which was followed by systemic catarrh. The only thing I used was Pe-ru-na and Maralin, and I have been in better health the last three years than for years before. I give Pe-ru-na all the credit for my good health."
Pe-ru-na--A Tonic After La Grippe.
Mrs. Chas. E. Wells, Sr., Delaware, Ohio, writes: "After a severe attack of la grippe, I took Pe-ru-na and found it a very good tonic."
"Most Effective Medicine Ever Tried for La Grippe."
Robt. L. Madison, A. M., principal of Cullowhee high school, Painter, N. C., is chairman of the Jackson county board of education. Mr. Madison says: "I am hardly ever without Pe-ru-na in my home. It is the most effective medicine that I have ever tried for la grippe."
Mr. Jane Gift, Athens, O., writes:
"I had la grippe very bad. My husband bought Pe-ru-na for me. In a very short time I saw improvement and was soon able to do my work."



Suffered Twelve Years From After Effects of La Grippe.
Mr. Victor Patneaud, 328 Madison St., Topeka, Kan., member of Knights and Ladies of Security, writes:
"Twelve years ago I had a severe attack of la grippe and I never really recovered my health and strength--but grew weaker every year until I was unable to work."
"Two years ago I began using Pe-ru-na and it built up my strength so that in a couple of months I was able to go to work again."
"This winter I had another attack of la grippe, but Pe-ru-na soon drove it out of my system."
"My wife and I consider Pe-ru-na a household remedy."

The Matter of Allowance.
"My dear," whispered the young man, "as we are so soon to be married we should take a practical view of life and profit by the mistakes of others. For instance, there is the subject of a regular allowance every week for spending money, you know."
"Oh, I've thought of that," she replied, sweetly.
"Have you?"
"Yes, indeed--hundreds and hundreds of times; and lately I haven't thought of much else."
"Oh?"
"Yes. Your income is \$2,000, isn't it?"
"Yes; I want it to go as far as possible toward your happiness."
"Of course. Well, I've talked it over with mamma and she thinks an allowance of \$1 a week will be plenty."
"Indeed?"
"Oh, yes. You can walk to the office, you know, and carry your lunch, you know, and so you can use the whole dollar for shirts and neckties and things."--Judge.

THE CHARM OF CHINA.
Beauty of Its Landscapes, the Tea-houses and Its Landscapes.
With all the offensive sights and smells there is no denying a mysterious and alluring fascination in China for all who come in contact with her people under their native conditions, says Guy M. Walker in the Chautauquan. Even the recollection of the discomforts of travel by the native means cannot blot out the beauty of the landscape, the terraced mountain sides, the persimmon groves, the tea houses, the diminutive gardens, the little patches of ripening grain, and the great tolling throned, always cheerful and contented in spite of their unending tasks. All who have been visitors to China seem irresistibly drawn back to the country. They hear the call of the East, and they never cease to look forward to the time when they shall return to it again.
Those who have once lived in China are never satisfied to live anywhere else. Soothing and insinuating, the fatalism of the Chinese creeps upon them, and they, too, learn to accept things as they come. Other landscapes lose their interest, the oldest ruins of other climes seem cheap and new, while the bustle and haste of Occidental life, with its harsh customs and abrupt manners, bruise their spirit and they long for the peace of Cathay.

The Spots of War.
Benevolent Old Lady (to little boy in street)--Why, little boy, how did you ever get such a black eye?
Small Boy--Me and Sammy Jones was fightin' for an apple in school, an' he smashed me.
Benevolent Old Lady--Dear, dear! and which glutton got the apple?
Small Boy--Teacher, ma'am--Harper's Weekly.

Against Conscientiousness.
The idea of conscientiousness has become more unpopular than ever in England since the Japanese introduced the new style of fighting. The Trades Union congress in Leeds has declared by sedation against any Britisher being compelled to fight for his country.

Domestic Joy.
"Such a man as you are," snapped the angry better half of the fumbler, "doesn't deserve to have a wife."
"That's right, my dear," calmly replied pa. "I've often wondered what I ever did to deserve such an affliction."--Chicago Daily News.

Soot.
"Ma," said Tommy, as he puzzled over the paper, "what does the 'black hand' mean?"
"I don't know, my son," replied his mother, "but I know what two black hands mean."
"What?"
"That your father has been trying to clean out the furnace."

Cures for Colds.
"Coal oil will knock any cold silly," said C. C. Warren. "The idea of drinking coal oil may seem repugnant to some esthetic tastes, but one tablespoonful will fix the business for the most stubborn cold in head or body."
"Turpentine is another fine thing for general conditions. I firmly believe that if a man will take fifteen to twenty drops of turpentine in sugar once every two months he will never be really sick. It's an internal Turkish bath in effect, and leaves the system thoroughly cleansed and in good shape to take on new strength. There's no excuse for a cold, and it's a dangerous thing to pass by."--Baltimore News.

After a Meal.
Mrs. Wagers (reading)--A well-known physician says that one should never go into the water after a hearty meal.
Wagers--That's right. It's better to go into a first-class restaurant after it if one happens to have the price.

CATARRH ANNOYING-- DANGEROUS

Catarrh is usually regarded as nothing more serious than a bad cold or slight inflammation of the inner skin and tissues of the head and throat, when it is, in fact, not only a vexatious and troublesome disease, but a complicated and dangerous one. It is true that Catarrh usually begins with a cold in the head, but when the poisons, which are thrown off through the secretions, find their way into the blood, it becomes a constitutional trouble that affects all parts of the body. It has more annoying and disgusting symptoms than any other disease. There is a sickening and offensive discharge from the nostrils, a constant buzzing noise in the ears, headaches and pains in the eyes are frequent, while filthy, tenacious matter drops back into the throat requiring continual hawking and spitting, and in certain stages of the disease the breath has an odor that is very offensive. Catarrh is worse in winter, because the cold weather closes the pores and glands, and the poisons and unhealthy vapors which should pass off that way are thrown back on the tender linings and tissues, causing the inflammation which starts the unhealthy secretions to be absorbed by the blood. When the blood becomes diseased with this catarrhal matter all kinds of complications may be looked for. As the blood circulates through the body the foul matter finds its way into the stomach, ruining the digestion and producing chronic Dyspepsia, or Catarrh of the stomach. It also affects the Kidneys, Bladder and other members of the body, while the general health is weakened, appetite lost and the patient feels despondent and half sick all the time. But worst of all, if the trouble is not checked the lungs become diseased from the constant passage of poisoned blood through them, and Catarrh terminates in Consumption, the most fatal of all diseases. You cannot get rid of Catarrh by treating it with sprays, washes, inhalations, etc., because they only reach the membranes and tissues, while the real cause of the trouble is in the blood. These relieve the annoying symptoms for a time, but the poison is all the while getting a stronger hold on the system and when they are left off will manifest itself in worse form than before. S. S. S. is the greatest of all blood purifiers, and when it has cleansed the blood, this pure, rich stream circulates through the body, carrying healthful properties to the diseased parts. Then the inflamed membranes and tissues begin to heal, the discharges cease, the general condition of the system is strengthened, every one of the annoying and disgusting symptoms pass away, and the patient is left in perfect health. S. S. S. is the best remedy for Catarrh. It goes right into the blood and removes all effete matter and catarrhal poison and cures the disease permanently, and at the same time builds up the entire system by its tonic effect. S. S. S. is a purely vegetable remedy--non-injurious to the system and a certain, reliable cure for Catarrh. Catarrh sufferers will find our free consulting department helpful in advising local treatment to be used with S. S. S.

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IN THE NATIONAL HALLS OF CONGRESS

Monday, February 5.
Washington, Feb. 5.--The senate was treated to a sensation today by Patterson, Dem., Colo., who followed up his retirement of last Thursday from the Democratic caucus by introducing a resolution in effect declaring the action of the caucus to have been contrary to the constitution of the United States. Gallinger succeeded during the day in securing the fixing of a date for voting on the shipping bill, the hour named being Wednesday at 3 p. m.

Several bills were passed during the day and Teller made a speech in opposition to the shipping bill. Foraker announced that he had no intention of attempting to delay action on the statehood bill, which he opposed.

Washington, Feb. 5.--Considerable fault was found with the railroad rate bill in the house today, considering the fact that it is a measure of both parties. Littlefield, of Maine, and Grosvenor, of Ohio, both spoke against the bill. Ten other speeches were made, all of them by members who will vote for the bill, but some of whom would like an opportunity to amend it. Gaines, of Tennessee, has an anti-pass amendment which he will bring forward at the proper time.

At the conclusion of the day Hepburn, in charge of the measure, said it looked now as though debate would conclude at 3 o'clock Wednesday. The reading of the bill will begin at once, and he thinks it can be concluded, all proposed amendments disposed of and the bill passed that day before adjournment.

Saturday, February 3.
Washington, Feb. 3.--Various phases of the railroad rate question were threshed over in the house today in the course of nine speeches which occupied six and a half hours. This concludes the fifth day of the discussion, but the end is not yet. Many members on both sides of the house desire to record their views and general debate will be allowed to continue.

Representative Randall today offered a bill that he will offer as an amendment. It makes stringent provisions against the giving or accepting of railway passes or franks by senators, congressmen and judges. He proposes a fine of not less than \$1,000, or imprisonment for not less than one year, or both, and disqualification from ever again holding public office. The agent or official of the company giving the pass or frank, upon conviction, is to be fined not less than \$100, nor more than \$1,000, or imprisoned for not less than six months nor more than one year, or both.

Friday, February 2.
Washington, Feb. 2.--Oratory on the railroad rate bill held the attention of the house for six hours today. The speeches of Burton, Ohio, McCall, Mass., and Russell, Tex., were featured, while Thomas, N. C., Burke, S. D., and Gooden, N. Y., took up particular and specific topics.

Before proceeding to consideration of the rate bill the house passed a bill extending the public land law to a tract of land ten miles square in Wyoming ceded to the government in 1897 by the Shoshone and Arapahoe Indians.

Washington, Feb. 2.--There was for a moment today a prospect that the statehood bill would receive its first formal reading in that body, always the initial step in the consideration of any measure reported from a committee. The senate took up the calendar immediately after disposing of the routine business and, as the statehood bill occupied the first place, the secretary had begun to read it before any of its opponents realized the situation. He had covered but a few pages when Teller put a stop to the proceedings for the time.

The shipping bill was made the basis of a running debate between Patterson in opposition and Gallinger and Perkins in support.

At the conclusion of this debate a bill authorizing the treasury to investigate certain Missouri state war claims was passed.

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"That's easy," replied the sporting editor, "a pair of scissors."--Philadelphia Press.

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LONDON'S POLICE AND CRIME.
Great City One of Safest Urban Communities in the World.
The report of the London commissioner of police for 1904, though presenting figures which in the aggregate seem to show that life and property are very unsafe in the world's metropolises, in reality proves that the great capital is one of the safest urban communities in the world. The authorized strength of the London metropolitan police force is nearly 17,000 men, who are expected to protect a population of about 7,000,000. Yet of this huge population only 129,339 were arrested during the year. In addition to those arrested, 112,723 defendants were "summoned" before magistrates for trivial offenses.

One Londoner in twenty-eight appeared before a magistrate in obedience to some form of compulsory process. In thousands of instances the offenses charged were of such venial types as riding on the steps of omnibuses, cleaning carts in the roadway and neglecting to sweep chimneys, an important requirement in London, affecting the fire risk. The many arrests for petty breaches of the law show that the London police keep very close watch on the streets. Their activities may seem meddlesome to Americans accustomed to ignore certain minor ordinances; but the comfort, safety and convenience of the public are probably more carefully considered in the streets of London--allowance being made for the great congestion of traffic--than in those of any large American city.

The most interesting feature of the report is the emphatic approval of the finger-print system of detecting criminals, a system whose value is now fully recognized throughout the United Kingdom. There were 2,610 finger-print "recognitions" during the year by the metropolitan police. The commissioner says that the result obtained is ten times larger than the highest figures secured by the "anthropometric" method, which was abandoned in 1901. The finger-prints of criminals left on cashboxes, window sills, bottles, glasses and other things have been the means of enabling the police to present to the courts valuable corroborative and circumstantial evidence.--Philadelphia Ledger.

The senate today passed 40 bills, many of them of considerable importance. The list included a number of measures for light houses, fog signals, revenue cutters and public buildings, and also the bill providing for the reorganization of the consular service.

The shipping bill was under consideration for a time. It was amended so as to relieve it of constitutional objections and Lodge delivered a speech in support of the bill, in which he gave the details of a combination of the owners of foreign sailing vessels for the purpose of controlling the freight rate in grain shipments from the United States. There was also a discussion of the bills making common carriers liable for injuries to employes, which arose over the question of their reference to committees. Patterson gave notice of a speech tomorrow on the Moroccan and Dominican questions.

Call on Venezuela to Pay.
Washington, Feb. 5.--W. J. Calhoun, the president's special commissioner in the asphalt controversy with Venezuela, has arrived in Washington, and today called at the State department to consult with Secretary Root in relation to the presentation of facts in his official report. The decision of the president agrees to demand of the Venezuelan government a settlement of at least a part of the asphalt company's claims. It is said, marks the refusal of the State department to accept the Venezuelan contention.

Would Drain Swamp Land.
Washington, Feb. 5.--The senate irrigation committee today favorably reported Senator Hansbrough's bill segregating \$1,000,000 from the reclamation fund for use in draining swamp lands in North Dakota. The bill is a slap at the national irrigation law, and, if passed, would go far to hamper the work of irrigating arid lands. It is stated that today's action was taken out of compliance to Mr. Hansbrough, it being generally understood that the bill will not be passed by either branch of congress.

Wasting No Time.
"Yes," said the friendly critic, handing back the manuscript, "that's quite a good sonnet. Why don't you mail it to the Hyacinth Magazine?"
"Mail it?" cried the struggling young poet. "I'm going to telegraph it."--Catholic Standard and Times.

Perfectly Suitable.
Clymber (to valet)--Now, John, when the guests are here to-night I shall call you John.
Valet--Very well, sir; and what shall I call you?
"Oh, you blockhead!"
"Very well, sir; anything you say."--Famille-Journal.

In Her Line.
"In this morning's paper," remarked the new boarder, "I noticed an advertisement about a 'good cotton duck'." "Now, what's a cotton duck?"
"Give it up," replied Starboard. "If it was an India rubber chicken, Mrs. Starvem might tell us something about it."--Philadelphia Press.

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