

## MANY RELIABLE WITNESSES

Prove That Old Cases of Chronic Catarrh can be Cured.

A Medicine That Will Cure Cases of Catarrh of Long Standing Deserves a Very High Place in the Annals of Medical Discovery.

Such a Medicine is Peruna.

THOUSANDS of testimonials are pouring in every day of old cases of chronic catarrh that have resisted all treatment for years, being promptly and permanently cured by Peruna.

These reports do not all come from obscure places, signed by obscure people. A large proportion of these letters are written by men and women prominent in business and professional circles and many of them well known from ocean to ocean.

Colonel John Franklin Waters occupies a prominent position among the leading trial lawyers of Chicago. He has probably obtained more verdicts against corporations in suits for personal injuries than any man of his age in the United States, and during his practice of over fifteen years he has not lost a single case in the Supreme Courts of Illinois and Missouri. He is a hard worker and has the energy of four men.

For a number of years he had been afflicted with chronic catarrh and having recently been thoroughly cured of his old affection, an interview was obtained with him by one of our reporters in which he gave the following statement to the public:

CHICAGO, ILL., Aug. 6, 1900.

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.: Gentlemen—It gives me great pleasure to testify to the merits of such a worthy remedy for catarrh as your Peruna. I had suffered for a number of years from this very disagreeable disease and had tried many so-called remedies, but until I used Peruna none had the desired effect. I feel that I am perfectly cured and can cheerfully recommend Peruna to any one suffering from catarrh.

JOHN F. WATERS,

120 E. Randolph St., Chicago, Ill.

Another case equally well-known in Chicago, is reported through a letter from a veteran Railroad man.



COLONEL JOHN FRANKLIN WATERS, OF CHICAGO.



Captain John H. Lyons, of Chicago.

passenger agent for various railroad companies for the past twenty-four years, connected with the Postoffice Department for six years, the Police Department for six years, and at present connected with the Grand Trunk railroad, had a similar case. He is a

veteran soldier and a prominent member of G. A. R. Camp No. 102.

Captain John H. Lyons, 1612 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes:

"For twenty years I suffered with chronic catarrh but thanks to Peruna I am now entirely cured."

"It affords me much pleasure to make a statement in behalf of your meritorious remedy, Peruna. I have used same for catarrh and have found it to be all you claim for it. I had suffered for twenty years. I cheerfully recommend Peruna to anyone suffering from catarrh, as I believe that, as in my case, it will prove a sure cure."—Captain John H. Lyons.

Address The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, for instructive free literature on catarrh.

### Deaths of a Week.

Mrs. Emily Gibson, a highly respected woman of Eagle Creek, died Friday, the 23d inst. Her remains were interred in the Eagle Creek cemetery the following Sunday. Deceased was 74 years old and leaves, beside a husband, a number of grown children to mourn her demise.

Mrs. Margaret Dodge, of Canby, died at her daughter's home, Mrs. Daisy Maines, on the West Side Wednesday afternoon, from typhoid fever. Mrs. Dodge was 63 years old and leaves a husband, three daughters and a son to mourn her demise. She was an excellent lady, wife and mother and her demise is deeply deplored by all who knew her. The remains will be taken to Canby Saturday where funeral services will be conducted after which they will be laid to rest.

The infant daughter of L. D. Shank, of Canby, died Wednesday afternoon and the remains were buried in the Canby cemetery Thursday afternoon.

### Prof. Wortman starts the World

It is not known to the scientific sharps of the East that Dr. J. L. Wortman, professor of Paleontology in the Peabody Museum of Yale College, spent his boyhood in Canemah—his father supporting the Wortman brood by store-keeping in Oregon City—nor is it likely, on the other hand, that his brother, Banker John, of McMinnville, is as proud of his brother's, the doctor's, scholarly renown as he is of his own accumulation of dollars. Be that as it may, the man from Canemah dug up in Wyoming the skull of a novel kind of monkey and now he has set the dry bones of the Anthropological Club of Yale to rattling by announcing, as deductions from study of the skull, that Eden was in the North Polar regions and that when the icy peaks began to form, he, the half-ape man, discovered fire. Prof. Condon, of the University of Oregon, maintains that before the Cascade Range uprose Alaska was kept tropical by the Japan current. Prof. Wortman is a man of authority in his department and his ideas will not escape the consideration of investigators.

### Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the Oregon City postoffice Jan. 29, 1903:

Women's List—Mrs. Maud Eaton, Miss Maryn Haynes, Mrs. Geo. McGinness, Miss Mary Stouffer.

Men's List—A. S. Brown, T. F. Brown, S. D. Carpenter, Leo Cook, Mr. Edmonds, Lewis Freeman, Floyd Kirk, W. D. Lampman, Mr. Min, Wm. M. regor, J. M. Turner, Foreman Yeoman Lodge.

G. F. Horton, P. M.

### Frog Pond.

The garden spot of Clackamas county better known as Frog Pond, was lightly covered with snow Wednesday morning.

O. T. Tooez was transacting some legal business with Justice G. F. Aden Tuesday.

John Aden had to remove some hay that he had in the warehouse for reason of high water.

Henry Elligson was visiting at Woodburn the past week.

George Peters is building some fence at Dead Man's Valley.

Tualatin Gaange No. 111, will install their new officers Saturday, January 31, for the ensuing year. A good program will be rendered, and several of the state officers are expected to be present. A dance will be given in the evening.

### Roast Pig a la Lamb in China.

A correspondent of the North China Herald writes this dissertation upon roast pig: "How little western writers understand the Chinese! Who has not read and rejoiced over Lamb's 'Dissertation Upon Roast Pig'? It is not everybody who has the chance of seeing Lamb's fascinating story worked out in real life. In the beginning of the present Chinese year I passed through a busy market village where the people kept many pigs. In the middle of the night a fire broke out in the market village and destroyed the whole place. No lives had been lost, but most of the pigs had been roasted, especially those too fat to run quickly. Roast pigs! Burning houses! Lamb's story in real life! Quite naturally I remarked that some folk must have had a splendid meal of roast pork in those days. To my surprise the natives asked with disgust: 'A splendid meal! Who would eat that stinking, smoky stuff? The palate of the Chinaman absolutely rejects smoky roast pork! All that magnificent epicurean description culminating in the one word 'cracking'—a delusion, a yarn, a lie! I gloated over that yarn when a boy and grew excited as the story went from one page to another. Now to find the whole thing go up in smoke!"

### Solving It.

Patrick, a thrifty tradesman in the neighborhood of the Dublin docks, was, the story goes, a man who never spent a penny more than he needed to spend, but he was nevertheless as good a man at the making of an Irish bull as any who lived between Bantry and Ballycastle.

Having one day occasion to send a letter to a place some distance, Patrick called a messenger and asked him his price for going such a distance.

"It'll be a shillin'," said the man.

"Twice too much!" said Patrick. "Let it be sixpence."

"Niver," answered the messenger. "The way is that lonely that I'd niver go it under a shillin'."

"Lonely, is it?" said Patrick, scratching his head. "Faith, an' ye're right. Now, man, I'll tell ye what we'll do: make it sixpence, an' I'll go wid ye to kape ye company!"

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Shirt Waists and Skirts, Latest Styles; Dry Goods, Underwear, Hosiery, Shoes, Etc. of the best make and quality.

Men's and Boy's Clothing, Hats, Gloves, Mackintoshes, Etc. at prices that no prudent buyer ever overlooks.

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GEO. T. HOWARD, Prop.

Court House Block, Oregon City, Oregon

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## Elgin Watch

and made 10,000,000 Elgins necessary to the world's work. Sold by every jeweler in the land; guaranteed by the greatest watch works.

ELGIN NATIONAL WATCH CO.  
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## The Best Laundry is the Cheapest

## The Troy Steam Laundry is the Best

Does not wear out or destroy your linen.

Our Wagon will call for your soiled linen each week and deliver your laundered goods to your home. Perfect satisfaction assured.

E. L. JOHNSON, The Barber, Agent.

## New Era Flouring Mills

We have purchased of Streje Bros. the New Era Flouring Mills and are now in possession and doing business at the old stand. We guarantee satisfaction to all who may come our way. To our friends and patrons we ask a continuance of their kindness and courtesy to us and assure them that we shall do our very best to please them.

Bread is the staff of life, without good flour you can not have good bread

### Good Bread Makes Happy Homes

Give us your trade and we will give you kind treatment and the BEST FLOUR that can be made.

Sevcik Bros. Successors to Streje Bros. New Era, Or.

### FEBRUARY WEATHER.

Record for Past Thirty-Two Years.

The following data, covering a period of 31 years, has been compiled by the weather bureau records at Portland, Oregon: For the month of February for 31 years.

Temperature—Mean or normal temperature, 42. The warmest month was that of 1885 with an average of 47. The coldest month was that of 1887 with an average of 32. The highest temperature was 68 on the 28th, 1901. The lowest temperature was 7 on the fifth, 1883.

Average date on which first killing frost occurred in autumn, November 15. Average date on which last killing frost occurred in spring, March 17.

Precipitation—(Rain and Melted Snow)—Average for month, 5.9 inches.

Average number of days with one hundredth of an inch or more, 18. The greatest monthly precipitation was 13.06 in 1881. The least monthly precipitation was 1.01 inches in 1895. The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 3.51 inches on the first and second 1890. The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 hours, (record extending to winter of

1884-5 only) was 8.5 inches on the third 1892.

Clouds and Weather—Average number of clear days, 3, partly cloudy days, 7; cloudy days 18.

Winds—The prevailing winds have been from the south. The highest velocity of the wind was 47 miles from the southwest on the 6th, 1894.

### Wilsonville.

The ferry boat here has been tied up since Saturday on account of high water. There are several passengers on both sides of the river waiting for the Willamette to get down to its natural flow.

Both of the bridges at Boise's mills are washed out by back water, and Mr. Taughman's high-water wood dock was completely swept away by a land slide.

Peter Bros. have sold their real estate, which they recently purchased from Henry Miley, to C. T. Tooez.

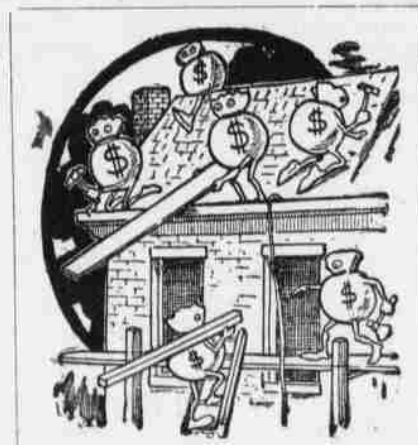
A very little snow has fallen in this vicinity. The ground was barely covered Wednesday morning.

The basket social given by the M. B. A. lodge last Saturday night was well attended. A fine program was rendered, and several hitting remarks were made by W. J. Applegate, state manager of the order.

Frank Busch  
The Housefurnisher

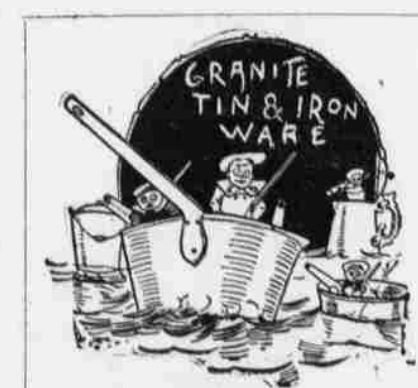
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## The Building Season will soon be on



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