WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES

Regard Peruna as Their Shield Against Catarrh, Coughs, Colds, Grip and Catarrhal Diseases.

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Catarrh may attack any organ of the body. Women are especially liable to catarrh of the pelvic organs. There are one hundred cases of catarrh of the pelvic organs to one of catarrh of the head. Most people think, because they have no catarrh of the head, they have no catarrh at all. This is a great mistake, and is the cause of many cases of sickness and death. "Health and Beauty" sent free to women only, by The Peruna Medicine Co., Clumbus, Ohio.

The Ark Not Found.

Little might it be thought that the Emerald Ise was suspected of entombing any relics of Bible times. But the imagination of some one has been more active and eccentric. In County Meath there is a Royal Mound of the Hill of Tara, on which, for 1,000 years the kings of Ireland were crowned. A gentleman named Glover, who has obviously developed some strong symptoms of British Israelism, was convinced that the Ark of the Covenant lay buried beneath the mound, and, consequently, proceeded on a subterranean expedition in search of the lost treasure. But, after expensive excavations, which the landlord permitted and the board of works had no legal power to prevent, and after weeks of fruitless search, the fancied explorer gave up his quest.

The Ruling Passion.

The clergyman had finished and the organ was pealing forth the sonorous rapture of the Mendelssohn march.

"One moment, George," said the radiant bride, and, facing the audience, she raised her exquisitely bound though somewhat bulky prayer book in her daintily gloved hands and pointed it directly at the brilliant audience. There was a sharp click.

"All right, George," said the bride, "come along."

And as they marched down the aisle she showed him that the supposed prayer book wasn't a prayer book at all. It was a camera!

"It's my own idea, George," she whispered. "Clever, isn't it?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Professor Tieman, who died in Germany recently, was an eminent chemist. He made two noted discoveries, one an extract used largely in place of vanila, and the other the production of an odor of violet that is so near perfection that florists now use it to spray odorless violets, thereby giving them that matchless perfume that makes the violet the most popnlar flower of the day. His vanila substitute is said to be an exact copy of the true vanila extract and impossible of detection save by analysis, and not always then.

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A Georgia Literary Blowout.

From the the Whitsett Courier: The closing exercises of the Literary club were highly successful. Perfect order was preserved without the attendance of the town marshal, whose children were laid up with measles, from which we sincerely hope they will recover soon. There was high tumbling by a stranded circus performer, a wrestling match in which nobody was hurt, after which a delightful hot supper was served, consisting of more than we have space to mention. It was said that the sheriff overate himself and had fits, but the report is false, for we were personally present until daylight, and we positively assert that all went merry as a marriage bell.

It is asserted that no two countries in the world make and eat the same kind of bread. In England and America there is the greatest similarity in this respect, but the Englishman never eats bread hot from the oven, nor does he use biscuits made with shortening.

A new rival to Niagara Falls is projected at Newfane, N. Y., where a 50-foot dam is to be erected, and a large number of factories are to be erected preliminary to making it, as its promoters say, the greatest manufacturing town in America operated by electricity.

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The pumpers in the oil field at Wabash, Ind., having been granted an advance in wages from $50 to $55 per month by the companies, the drillers and tool dressers are now clamoring for $3.50 a day. It is said that a compromise will be effected on the basis of $3.

ANECDOTE AND INCIDENT

There was once a discussion between Reeve and Carlyle which so upset the ideas of the former that some one said to the latter: "You have destroyed that man's identity. Henceforth he will be a mere Carlylate of Reeve."

A kind-hearted duchess one day stopped her carriage to give alms to a ragged woman by the roadside. "God bless your ladyship for your kind heart," fervently ejaculated the poor woman; "I am sure we shall meet in heaven!" This was too much for the high-born dame's nobility. "Oh goodness gracious!" she said; "drive on, John!"

Some one had told Alice's father that his little daughter sometimes said naughty words. So one evening he took her on his lap to talk to her about it. "Who told 'oo I said naughty words?" she asked, her big brown eyes full of wonder. He was smitten to the heart and reproved himself for his credulity. "A little bird," he answered, shamefacedly. "Oh!" said the child, her face expressing great disgust, "I bet it was one of 'ose dam 'ittle sparrows!"

Ole Oleson went to the circus the other day, and got into trouble for assaulting the elephant. "What made you kick him in the shins?" said the judge. "Vell, you see, eet vas dis vay. Ay dadn't not know. Ay take ma vooman to circus. Ay buy um peanut. Ay see big elephant. Hay got—vot you tank?—hay got two tails. Vel, bynby hay take hay darn tail, hay stole ma peanuts. Ay tell ma vife eef ay know which end hay got um head on av skall break hay dam face. Ay dadn't not know."

In the days of the public worship regulation act in England, Sir William Harcourt was invited to visit Lord Beaconsfield, at Hughenden Manor. On Sunday the young politician accompanied his host to the village church, and on the way thither was warned that some hints of the high-church movement had penetrated even that sylvan solitude. "My friend, the vicar," said the lord of the manor, "will take what I call a collection and he calls an offertory, and afterward what I call a plate and he calls an alms dish will be placed on what I call a table and he calls an altar."

Dr. B. A. Gould, the American astronomer, while a student at Berlin, was beardless, but had a good head of hair. When he returned some years later he had become bald, but had made up for it by having a full, long beard. He entered the study of Argelanders, the famous observational astronomer under whom he had studied, without being announced. At first the professor did not recognize him. "Do you not know me, Herr Professor?" The astronomer looked more closely. "Ach! It is Gould mit his hair struck through."

An Ohio woman, visiting Boston for the first time, had her greatest thrill at Copp's Hill burying-ground. "As soon as my sister-in-law and I got into the place," she said, "I found myself almost stepping upon a grave with an inscription on a queer, little iron-cover sort of a tomb. I jumped back, feeling the way you do when you step on a grave, and read the inscription, just three initials, no name or date. 'Isn't it pathetic?' I said to my sister-in-law. 'Oh, I don't know,' she answered, 'B. W. W. means Boston Water Works.'"

The late King of the Netherlands lost no opportunity of impressing on his daughter Wilhelmina an idea of her great importance. On one occasion the Baroness Van R——was taking the prescribed promenade with the young princess, when a man on horseback appeared. It was the baroness' brother, who had just returned from Java. Leaping from his horse, he clasped his sister in his arms, covering her face with kisses. Wilhelmina, who was seven at the time, was thoroughly scandalized, and the baroness hastened to send off her brother. Not another word was spoken, and the walk being ended, they returned to the palace. The little girl recounted the story, which the queen listened to attentively, thinking of the irate king and his thick cane. "Finish your luncheon," she said to her daughter; "I will speak to the king." "It is for me to speak. Papa made me promise never to hide anything from him." "Your father was in good health then; now he is very ill, and I forbid you to trouble him." Without replying, the little girl rose and went toward the door. "Princess, the Queen of Holland orders you to stay here and keep silent," said Queen Emma. Wilhelmina stopped, drew back, then, making a profound courtesy, said: "Since it is the queen who gives the order, I obey, but"—turning toward the trembling governess—"I hope such a thing will never occur again."

Acephalous Roosters.

It was once thought impossible that a human being could live and walk with a broken neck, and perhaps still more doubted that a rooster could live, stand and be fed after the hatchet had severed its head from the body. But such are the real hard facts. The phenomenal rooster was exhibited some years ago in Huntington, W. Va. The exhibitors said they got the fowl from a farmer who had decapitated it, after which it got upon its feet. However this may be, the headless, living rooster was not a deception. It was fed through a tube inserted in its throat. It is obvious that the farmer's stroke was a little too high, and that a portion of the back brain still remained, and partially performed its functions. How long the fowl lived I did not hear. One thing is certain—he died "game."

A negro, seeing "millions in it," then experimented on the gallinacious tribe, and succeeded in turning out a fair duplicate of the aforesaid acephalous curiosity (for whom I made a picture of the rooster with which to advertise), and he started on a tour of exhibition. He returned not long after and told me he was doing well, and could have made some money at decapitating roosters for other parties who wanted them for exhibition, but that he was prevented by the authorities, upon the accusation of cruelty.—Forest and Stream.

Canadian Boatmen.

An English army officer who visited Canada some years ago, tells how he was ferried across the St. Lawrence at Quebec one January day when the river was full of moving ice. Under such circumstances the passage of a river is likely to turn out a pretty lively experience.

Huge fields of ice were hurrying down the current, and looking at the distance between my side and the other, I could hardly see how we were to escape being knocked to pieces. However, I resigned myself to my fate and to my French-Canadian crew; and they, five in number, as soon as I was ready, began sliding the canoe down the beach into the river, each springing in and snatching his paddle as the boat was launched.

Four of the crew knelt in the front part of the canoe, working their paddles furiously and yelling like so many demons. The fifth, placing himself behind me, assumed the duties of coxswain.

The instant we were in the stream, the fields of ice seemed stationary, owing to our being swept along at the same rate; but still I could not see how we were to cross, and waited with some anxiety for the first sheet of ice.

This happened to be a large one. The men pulled straight for it, and as soon as the prow of the canoe touched it, the four who were paddling sprang out and dragged the canoe after them across the ice. On reaching the other side they launched it again, with wilder shouts than ever, springing into the canoe at the same time, and resuming their paddling as if for their lives.

These manoeuvers were repeated at every sheet of ice, and in a far shorter time than I could have imagined, we touched the Quebec side, when a number of idlers, attaching a rope to our canoe, ran us up the slope from the river, and left me sitting, with my crew still shouting and gesticulating, in the very street.—Youth's Companion.

TRAIN THE LEFT HAND.

English Plan for Doing Away with Writers' Cramp.

An English writing master of repute, named Frederick Falconer, had long puzzled over the question of how to provide a remedy for the distressing trouble known as writers' cramp, which lays hold of the wrist and hand of a man who is compelled to do much writing, and forces him to stop work and rest until the cramp departs. Now, nature does not usually provide an infliction for which there is no remedy, so argued Falconer.

Like a flash came the solution of the problem; and now all the teachers of writing, bookkeeping and clerks in England are saying to each other: "Why did we not think of that before?" Falconer's line of reasoning was simply this: Nature has provided man with two hands.

When he insists on using only one for some particular purpose, such as writing, nature steps in and raps him over the knuckles for his foolishness. In the case specified the rap over the knuckles is called "writers' cramp." Since writing first became an art, men, with the exception of a few persons naturally left-handed, have written with the right hand only. Falconer's proposition is to have the pupils at the English schools taught to write with either hand. Provided their education in this direction is begun early enough, there is no reason why the left hand should not be used to guide the pen as well as the right. Then good-by to writers' cramp. When the right hand becomes stiff with too much handling of the pen the writer only needs to shift the pen to the left hand.

"What folly," says Mr. Falconer, "to train boys and girls to use but one hand. No wonder that the left is almost losing its usefulness. Why are not carpenters trained to saw with the left hand as well as the right, ball-players to throw with either arm and soldiers to shoot from either shoulder? Fancy training a child to walk with one leg only. Yet this is just as sensible as to allow him to grow up using only one arm."

When Their Hearts Were Full.

Overhead glittered the stars of a cloudless sky in June, and the full moon beamed enchantingly on a landscape in repose. Not a breath ruffled the leaves of the trees, says the chronicler in the Chicago Tribune, that lined the avenue along which Bolivar Pyke and Buenavista McCorkle were wending their way slowly homeward from a meeting of the Gyrogeosophistical Society. Not a ripple stirred the surface of the romantic frog pond on the left, in whose bosom was mirrored the glorious firmament, and not a sound came from the suburban farmhouse on the right, whose inmates were sleeping the deep sleep of deliverance from the trials and labors which beset them by day.

"Bolivar!" exclaimed the maiden, as something by the roadside reflecting the pale radiance of the moonbeams caught her eye, "what is that on the ground?"

The young man stooped and looked at it.

"It's nothing but a snail, Buenavista," he said. "The beauty of the night has tempted it forth. It is a wonder," he continued dreamily, "that all inanimate nature is not out for a moonlight stroll. The night is too lovely to be spent indoors, even in restful slumber that tired Nature exacts after a day of incessant toil."

The enjoyment of the wondrous loveliness of the evening seemed too deep for words, however, and in silence the young people proceeded slowly on their way, communing only in that voiceless yet eloquent language that expresses itself in a glance of the eye, a pressure of the hand, or a softly breathed sigh.

Long had they walked on thus in ecstatic silence, when the gentle girl again spoke.

"Bolivar," she said, "I think I see another snail there on the ground."

The young man stooped to inspect it. Raising himself and slightly quickening his faltering steps, he said:

"No, Buenavista; it is the same snail."

Captain Paget Under Fire.

It was in this fight that a shrapnel shell struck the road within ten inches of the foot of the British naval attache, Capt. Paget, and lifted five Wisconsin volunteers off their feet and knocked them down. For a moment Paget was lost to view in a cloud of dust and smoke, from which no one expected to see him reappear alive, but he strode out of it untouched, remarking in a tone of extreme annoyance: "There was a shell in the Soudan once did exactly that same thing to me." His tone seemed to suggest that there was a limit to any man's patience. A few minutes later a solitary tree beneath which he was sitting was struck by another shell which killed two and wounded three men. Paget, who had been in a dozen campaigns, took it all as a matter of course, and assisted one of the wounded men out of the range of the bullets from the side of a steep and high hill. The sight did more to popularize the Anglo-American alliance with the soldiers than could the weightiest argument of ambassadors or statesmen.—Scribner's.

British Army Eye Tests.

Of the candidates for the British army who fail to pass the tests four out of five are rejected because of defective vision. The eyesight test consists of being able to count correctly with both eyes, as well as each eye separately, a number of small black dots exhibited on a card ten feet from the candidate.

Some men never do a charitable act unless there is some one around to applaud.

COLLECTS BILLS FOR DOCTORS

Man Whose Business It Is to Make Patients Pay Promptly.

There was nothing remarkable about the appearance of the man. Nevertheless, one of the party felt himself called upon to say that he probably had the most curious job of anybody in the city. "He's a business manager for doctors," he explained.

"There's nothing new in that," was the retort of another member of the party. "I know of a number of physicians and dentists who pay a certain sum each month to have their bills made out. The man so employed goes to their offices for a day or two, writes up their books, makes out their bills, and mails them. Sometimes three or four doctors having offices in the same building will employ one man among them for this purpose. Members of these professions are notoriously poor business men, and some of them lose about half they make owing to that fact.

"But this man," persisted the first speaker, "does even more than that. He has taken up that idea and carried it to its logical conclusion. He has an office of his own, and all bills are payable at that office. He takes the books of his clients to his own office, makes out the bills, and collects the money. Of course he has to be a man of standing, in whom the professional men he serves place confidence, but he is all of that, and he does just the work a physician needs to have done. For some reason a doctor's bill is the very last that most men pay. The average citizen will pay his grocer or his butcher or any other tradesman with reasonable promptness, but will let his doctor wait.

"Now, this young man of whom I am speaking simply conducts the financial part of the doctor's business on business principles. He does just as much as a merchant would do and no more. The first bill is followed by another and if that receives no attention he goes out as a collector and presents the third in person. But he says, the mere fact of the bills being sent out on time and followed up with reasonable promptness, sometimes with a courteous letter requesting that they receive early attention, has had a wonderful effect in increasing the number that are paid promptly, for, after all, the doctors are largely responsible for their own trouble in getting pay for their services. The young man is not a lawyer, and he never sues for the money. He does not pose as a bad-debt collector, never writes threatening letters, and never resorts to bulldozing tactics. Yet, as I say, he has been most successful and has proved himself worth far more to his clients than they have to pay for having their business affairs methodically conducted. After he is through, if he has failed to get the money, it rests with the doctor to decide whether he wants the bill put into the hands of a lawyer, and he has the further satisfaction of finding out in a much shorter time than ever before just what bad debts he has on his books."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

HOMESPUN PHILOSOPHY.

Observations of Commonplace Things by the Atchison Globe Man.

Every man hates the consequences.

Only a very wise man can take the world easy.

Some men never go anywhere, except when there is a fire.

If you want to be forgiven for lying, tell lies that are interesting.

Tears have been greatly overdone: crying is becoming ridiculous.

When a man can get fun out of his business, instead of going out of town for it, he is all right.

There is a good deal said about "forever" by lovers; meaning, probably, some time next week.

There may be some gain in casting bread on the waters, but there is more in throwing a bait in.

Some people take a notion to be your friends, the same as some people take a notion to be your enemies.

Those people who are always "visiting," to avoid paying board, accept some very funny invitations.

After the first baby arrives a man finds it more difficult to get sympathy from his wife when business is dull.

An elderly woman who is admired by her elderly husband, in spite of the storms of life, is always worthy of it.

These days, when you speak of a widow, people want to know whether she is a cemetery or a court house widow.

A doctor's favorite charge against another doctor is that he learned all he knew while acting as errand boy at a drug store.

One of the funniest things in the world is to hear a quiet, timid little woman trying to entertain a man who is very deaf.

When a woman sends her children out of the room when another woman calls, it means that she regards the caller as a gossip.

A woman cannot keep moth out of a few old duds in a single closet, but think of the genius of men who keep moth out of clothing stores!

When a man dies who has been married twice, there is always some curiosity as to how his widow feels at burying him beside his first wife.

A Dwarf Queen.

Probably the smallest monarch in the world reigns over the Hindoo vassal state of Bhopaul, and governs a people of more than 1,000,000 souls. This dwarf is a woman, Djihan-Begum by name, but, although she is about 50 years old, she does not appear larger than a child of 10. Her diminutive size does not prevent her, however, from holding the reins of government with a firm hand, and in her realm quiet and order are supreme.

The Brooklyn Bridge.

The greatest suspension bridge in the world is the Brooklyn bridge, which also leads the world in the number of its daily passengers. Its length, including approaches, is 5,989 feet, the distance between the towers 930 feet, the weight of the structure is 6,740 tons, its cost was over $15,000,000. The bridge cars carry over 45,000,000 people every year.

Most Expensive Drug.

A London specialist says the most expensive drug is physostigmine, an ounce of which would cost nearly $1,000. It is prepared from the Calabar bean and is used in diseases of the eye.

The Helpful Prune.

Prunes afford the highest nerve or brain food, supply heat and waste, but are not muscle feeding. They should be avoided by those who suffer from the liver.

No Excuse for Thirst.

In Paris there is a wine shop for every three houses.

People should be taught early that the liver is of more importance than love.

Ireland is about the size of Missouri.

Saving to the Last.

"You have only an hour longer to live," said the physician, solemnly, to the wealthy miser on his deathbed. "Is there anything you wish attended to before you pass away?"

"Yes," answered the stricken man in faint, yet eager tones. "I am glad you spoke of it. Send for the barber at once and have him shave me before I die. I only have to pay him 50 cents for coming in to shave me now, and the regular price is one $1 for shaving a dead man. Might as well save that half-dollar while I'm about it."—New York World.

The Craving for Stimulants

Has lately attracted a great deal of attention. The use of them seems to be increasing. This clearly shows an exhausted condition of the nerves and blood, which may be remedied only by strengthening the stomach. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will do this for you. It cures dyspepsia, constipation and nervousness.

Paralysis of the mouth resulting from the chewing gum habit, has caused a school girl in Wabash, Ind., to renounce this practice.

Followed the Crowd.

The innocent, uninvited guest does not always escape so easily as the Indianapolis man named by the Sentinel. This man, being in London on a bright afternoon, saw many well-dressed people going through the iron gates opposite his boarding-house. Accordingly he "dressed up" and joined the procession. He found himself inside a park, and sat on the seats and enjoyed the music. A young lady came and gave him a cup of tea and he had a good time generally. The next day at the table some one asked what was going on across the way the day before. "Mr. Humphrey Ward gave a large garden party," said the landlady.

Lima, Peru, is without umbrellas.

SALT LAKE CITY.

An Important Factor in Transcontinental Travel.

No one crossing the continent can afford to cut Salt Lake City from his route. The attractions of the place, including the Mormon Temple, Tabernacle and Church institutions, the Great Salt Lake—deader and denser than the Dead Sea in the Holy Land—the picturesque environment and the warm sulphur and hot springs, are greater to the square yard than any locality on the American continent.

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Where He'd Go.

"Aren't you afraid the law will take us in hand for gambling?" said the timid man who had just been persuaded into making an election bet.

"Never mind," answered the confident politician. "Even if it does, you're all right. They wouldn't send you to jail for making that bet. They'd send you to the insane asylum."—Washington Star.

The estimated value of manufactured products in the South is placed at $1,500,000,000.

"The Prudent Man Setteth His House in Order."

Your human tenement should be given even more careful attention than the house you live in. Set it in order by thoroughly renovating your whole system through blood made pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Then every organ will act promptly and regularly.

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They Were Not Capons.

"Waiter, I asked for a roast chicken, but I did not wish one with legs as large as a teaspoon!"

"Yas, sah, ah know, sah, but dese yere chickens is roasted in a special way, sah. Yo' see, they're hatched in one of dese yere inku-battors. When they grow a little, sah, they're shifted to one end of the instrument 'n' baked. So when we have a great many ohdahs we has to take 'em earlier, and they doesn't get so much chance ter grow, sah. That was the case with youahs, sah."

"Waiter, it is with great solemnity that I affirm that you happen to be the greatst prevaricator I have ever met. Bring me a half-dozen more of those chickens that go to roast early. See?"—Philadelphia Call.

No Longer a Competitor.

He—Don't you think that girl over there is beautiful?

She (coldly critical)—Oh, I don't know. Who is she?

He—Mrs. Nuter. Just been married.

She—Yes. I think she is—quite beautiful.—Detroit Free Press.

BOWEL BREATH!

You can always smell a "dead one."
He has a costive-looking face.
His breath knocks you down.
He drags his feet.
Listeners to his talk turn their heads the other way.
His breath poisons God's pure air.
He ought to keep clean inside;

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