

### Coleridge.

Coleridge found solace for his troubles in the forgetfulness induced by opium, and when under its influence would sit for hours threading the dreamy mazes of his own mind.

### Our Windiest Spot.

Although the Pacific Ocean is comparatively free of storms—hence its name—Point Reyes, Cal., is the windiest place in the United States.

### Fly Six Hundred Miles.

The pigeon's capacity for flight is marvelous. Many have flown from Nantes to Lancashire, 440 miles, in a day, and the winner of a race from Shetlands to London, over 600 miles, made the journey in 16 hours at an average speed of 37 miles an hour.

### An Ancient Work on Angling.

The greatest work of antiquity on angling is said to be the "Halientica" of Oppian, a Greek poet who flourished in the time of Severus, A. D. 198, from which we learn that many artifices in fishing thought to be modern were known to ancients. We also learn from Athenaeus that several other writers had written treatises or poems on fishing some centuries before the Christian era.

## Bronchitis

"I have kept Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my house for a great many years. It is the best medicine in the world for coughs and colds."  
J. C. Williams, Amica, N. Y.


All serious lung troubles begin with a tickling in the throat. You can stop this at first in a single night with Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Use it also for bronchitis, consumption, hard colds, and for coughs of all kinds.

Three sizes: 25c, 50c, \$1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. He knows. Leave it with him. We are willing.  
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### TRUMPET CALLS.

Ham's Horn Sounds a Warning Note to the Unredeemed.



**B**URNING ideas are not the same as scalding ones. Even in a restaurant a man may reveal his religion. The gospel of the times is not the gospel for the times. No man was ever yet crushed with other people's cares. Success is the test of the soul. There are no wastes with God. Our own trials test our friends. Wanderings bring to weakness. Honesty is simply heart-health. There is no progress without God in front.

A good blower is not always a good striker. Only a man of grace can be a means of grace. Genius needs to be balanced with gentleness. When life is all sport to us the devil is the hunter. The hope of glory depends on the hold on Christ. It is no use praying for the things you will not pay for. Sin needs to shine in spots to hide its whole sordidness. Our efficiency depends on whether God is our sufficiency. It is safest to flee from the act that will not bear reflection. Well begun is half done; but only half done is all undone. Better not pick up any rocks until your own record is clean. The preacher cannot study how to live by living in his study. If all men were true the world would soon be made new. The devil never yet made a lock that the love of God could not break. Sermons preached for the ears of God will reach the hearts of men. The Bible is never too deep for the child nor too shallow for the aged.

## PE-RU-NA PROTECTS THE LITTLE ONES

### Against Winter Catarrh in Its Many Phases.

#### Neglected Colds in Children Often Bring Disastrous Results.

Peruna should be kept in the house all the time. Peruna should be kept in every house where there are children. Don't wait until the child is sick then send to a drug store. Have Peruna on hand—accept no substitute.

#### Pe-ru-na Protects the Entire Household Against Catarrhal Diseases.

As soon as the value of Peruna is fully appreciated by every household, both as a preventive and cure of catarrhal affections, tens of thousands of lives will be saved, and hundreds of thousands of chronic, lingering cases of disease prevented. Peruna is a household safeguard.



ALICE SCHAFER.



ANNA R. BROWN

Mrs. J. M. Brown, Dunegan Springs, Mo., writes: "My little daughter three years old was troubled with a very bad cough which remained after an attack of catarrhal fever. She has taken one bottle of Peruna through which she has obtained a complete cure. She is now as well and happy as a little girl can be. When our friends say how well she looks I tell them Peruna did it." In a later letter she says: "Our little daughter continues to have good health."



Mrs. Schaffer, 436 Bope Ave., St. Louis, Mo., writes: "In the early part of last year I wrote to you for advice for my daughter Alice, four years of age. She had been a puny, sickly, ailing child since her birth. She had convulsions and catarrhal fever. I was always doctoring until we commenced to use Peruna. She grew strong and well. Peruna is a wonderful tonic; the best medicine I have ever used." "I was in a very wretched condition when I commenced to take Peruna. I had catarrh all through my whole body, but thank God, your medicine set me all right. I would not have any other medicine." "Peruna cured my baby boy of a very bad spell of cold and fever. He is a big healthy boy fifteen months old. I have given him Peruna off and on since he was born. I think that is why he is so well. I cannot praise Peruna enough. We have not had a doctor since we began to use Peruna—all praise to it—Mrs. Schaffer.

Be Sure to Have Pe-ru-na on Hand During the Inclement Months of Fall and Winter. Croup, capillary bronchitis, and articular rheumatism are the special bane of childhood. These all alike result from catching cold. One child catches cold and scares its mother into hysterics by having croup in the dead of night. Another child catches cold, develops a stubborn cough that will not yield to ordinary remedies. The parents are filled with forebodings. Still another child catches cold and develops that most fatal malady of children, capillary bronchitis. The doctor is called, pronounces the case pneumonia, and if the child is lucky enough to live it has developed weak lungs from which it may never recover. And yet another child catches cold and articular rheumatism is the result.

### Pe-ru-na Kept in the House for Five Years.

Mr. Albert Lietzman, 1596 Milwaukee Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes: "I am only too glad to inform you that I am feeling splendid and have never felt better in my life. Through the advice of a friend I tried Peruna, and am glad to say it cured me to perfection. I began to tell a friend about Peruna the other day and I had no sooner commenced than he told me his folks have kept Peruna in the house for the past five years. I am sure I wouldn't be without it. Mother also uses it to keep herself in good health."

Ankles, knees, wrists and elbows become suddenly swollen and painful. A long disastrous illness follows. The child may live and become convalescent, a miserable invalid of valvular disease of the heart. All these mishaps are the direct result of neglected cold. Peruna is the safeguard of the family. If a child catches cold, Peruna should be used immediately. A few doses of Peruna and a child's cold is gone. The apprehension of the parents flee away. The household is free from fear once more. If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis. Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

### Ask Your Druggist for Free Pe-ru-na Almanac for 1904

## No Appetite

Means loss of vitality, vigor or tone, and is often a precursor of prostrating sickness. This is why it is serious. The best thing you can do is to take the great alterative and tonic Hood's Sarsaparilla Which has cured thousands.

### The Prickly Pear.

The prickly pear of Africa is so tenacious of life that a leaf or even a small portion of a leaf if thrown on the ground strikes out roots almost immediately and becomes the parent of a new growing plant.

### Divorce Laws and Divorces.

The country with perhaps the most recent divorce laws in the world is Sweden, and there the divorce rate is higher than in the Netherlands, which, after England, has the strictest laws in the world.

## Perrin's Pile Specific

The INTERNAL REMEDY No Case Exists It Will Not Cure

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# RHEUMATISM

## NOT A SKIN DISEASE.

It is natural to rub the spot that hurts, and when rheumatic pains are shooting through the joints and muscles and they are inflamed and sore, the sufferer is apt to turn to liniments and plasters for relief; and while such treatment may quiet the pain temporarily, no amount of rubbing or blistering can cure Rheumatism, because it is not a skin disease, but is in the blood and all through the system, and every time you are exposed to the same conditions that caused the first attack, you are going to have another, and Rheumatism will last just as long as the poison is in the blood, no matter what you apply externally. Too much acid in the blood is one cause of Rheumatism; stomach troubles, bad digestion, weak kidneys and

### UNABLE TO SLEEP AT NIGHT.

Sidney, Ohio, August 26, 1903.

A few months ago I was feeling weak and run down and unable to get sleep at night. I felt extremely bad, and also had rheumatic pains in my joints and muscles. The medicine I used gave me only temporary relief at best; so seeing S. S. S. highly recommended for such troubles, I began its use, and after taking it a few days, I was well pleased with the result. It did away with the rheumatic pains, gave me refreshing sleep and built up my general system, giving me strength and energy. It is a good medicine, without a doubt, and I take pleasure in endorsing it.

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### TRANSANDEAR RAILWAY.

Work on New Road Is Being Pushed on Both Sides of Mountains.

During the last session of the Chilean congress, which closed in February, a bill was passed providing for the construction of a railway over the Andes Mountains, to connect Buenos Ayres with Santiago and Valparaiso. This will be the first line to cross the continent of South America. This railway was projected twenty years ago, and since that time some sort of measure dealing with the question has been before each session of Congress; but each in its turn failed to pass one or the other branch of the law-making body until Feb. 28 last, when the above-mentioned bill became a law. A railway extending from Buenos Ayres to the Cumbre of the Cordillera, at Uspallata Pass, to connect with the line from Valparaiso, is being constructed by the Argentine government. Work on the new road is being pushed forward on both sides of the mountains, and prospects are bright for direct railway connections within a few years between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts over the Andes, by a line extending through the heart of Chile and Argentina. This road will shorten the time between Europe and Chile by six or eight days, as traffic is now via the Strait of Magellan. The railway from Buenos Ayres is completed as far as Puente del Inca, a short distance from the Cumbre, and the line in course of construction in Chile is completed as far as Salto del Salgado, also near the pass over the Andes, and during the summer months—November to April—traffic is carried on over the mountains, along the route of the proposed railway, by mule caravans. It requires only one day to make the trip between the railway terminals. The pass is crossed at an elevation of 13,000 feet above the sea level; but the route as surveyed for the railway provides for a tunnel through the mountains, which will reduce the altitude of the highest point reached by the railroad to considerably below that of the Cumbre, where the mule transports cross.—Consular Reports.

### CONSTITUTION.

"Jenkins is a queer duck."  
"What's he done now?"  
"Why, last night he fretted and fumed and finally slanged because his wife took three minutes to dress for a car ride out to the park, and last week he sat in an open boat in the hot, broiling sun from 2 o'clock until 6 without getting a bite and enjoyed it."—Baltimore News.

For coughs and colds there is no better medicine than Piso's Cure for Consumption. Price 25 cents.

### Antson Plants.

The ant seldom injures a plant, although generally charged with all sorts of iniquity in this direction. On the contrary, they often do good work in ridding the plants of the aphides, which if left alone will soon suck away the sap which is the life of the plant.

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Boroughs—Oh, say; can't you double it?  
Goodart—Sure. Here goes! I double it—now I double it again—thus. In this shape, you see, it fits snugly in my pocketbook. So long.—Exchange.

### He Got a Blessing.

Algy—So you asked old Jones for his daughter's hand? What did he say?  
Ferdy—He said: "Take her and let me be happy."

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