

WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES

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



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Mrs. Belva Lockwood, the eminent barrister of Washington, D. C., is the only woman who has been a candidate for the Presidency of the United States. She is the best known woman in America. As the pioneer of her sex in the legal profession she has gathered fame and fortune. In a letter to the Peruna Medicine Company, she says:

"I have used your Peruna both for myself and my mother, Mrs. Hannah J. Bennett, now in her 83rd year, and I find it an invaluable remedy for cold, catarrh, hay fever and kindred diseases; also a good tonic for feeble and old people, or those run down, and with nerves unstrung."

Yours truly,
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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., Columbus, Ohio.

The Ark Not Found.

Little might it be thought that the Emerald Isle was suspected of containing 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, 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 vanilla, and the other the production of an odor of violet that is so near perfect that florists now use it to spray their bouquets, thereby giving them that matchless perfume that makes the violet the most popular flower of the day. His vanilla substitute is said to be an exact copy of the true vanilla extract and impossible of detection save by analysis, and not always then.

According to a chemical analysis 15 parts of the flesh of fish have about the same nutritive value as 12 parts of boneless beef.

Bookbinders in Omaha are organizing. Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

To CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

New York jewelers now enjoy the eight-hour day.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED By local applications, as they cannot reach the hearing nerve, and that is by constitutional means. Deafness is cured by the use of the Muesel's Hearing Tube. When this tube gets into the ear, it has a rubbing sound, or tickling, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for a cure of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best. Philadelphia will add 400 officers to its police force.

Improved Train Equipment. The O. R. & N. and Oregon Short Line have added a buffet, smoking and library car to their Portland-Chicago through train, and a dining car service has been inaugurated. The train is equipped with the latest chair cars, air coaches and luxurious first-class dining cars.

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Cactus is a genus of plants, the type of the natural order of cactaceae, and comprises numerous species, all of which are native to America. The name was originally given by Thunberg to a spiny plant found in Sicily.

The stems of the cactus are usually leafless and fleshy, globular or columnar, and are armed with spines or bristles. The structure of many of the species is singular and grotesque in the extreme, and the roughness of the stalks and the beauty of the flowers make them one of the most interesting botanical curiosities of our continent. They are found in the hot, dry places of tropical America, and their tough and almost impenetrable skin incloses abundant juice, which enables them to support a sluggish vital action without inconvenience even in a parched soil.

Some of the varieties of cactus are only a few inches high, while others attain a height of forty feet. It is a curious fact that the cactus flourishes ten at the foot of Mount Etna, in Sicily. The most splendid example of the cactus family is still standing, although it is slowly rotting and will soon fall. It was found at a point eight miles south of Phoenix, Arizona, near the Pima reservation. It is about