

A TRUE STORY.

How a Young Wife Regained Her Health and Beauty.



W. E. Birch, Afton, Va., an extensive
Peruna grower of that place, writes the
 following letter to the *Peruna* Medicine
 Co., of Columbus, Ohio. We print the
 letter in full:

Afton, Va., June 4, 1900.
 The *Peruna* Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:
 Gentlemen—The country is so flooded
 with patent medicines of every kind that
 are worthless and a humbug, that I for
 one, am glad to be able to say I have
 found one that is everything and more
 than is claimed for it.

"My wife was very much run down
 and out of sorts in every way. She had
 a gastric disorder which left her very
 weak, nervous and no appetite at all.

"One day I happened to be at my
 father's store, S. A. Birch, Coresville,
 Alb county, Va., and noticed your medicine
 he had there for sale.

"I thought it might help my wife, so
 I brought a bottle of it home and within
 a week she commenced to eat and now
 she is hungry all the time and not half
 the medicine has been taken. We both
 agree that it beats any medicine to bring
 on an appetite and to put the nerves in
 good shape that we have ever had any-
 thing to do with. We had our family
 doctor to give her medicine and he did
 all he could, but she did not improve the

least. She has con-
 sumption in her family
 and she was in
 such bad shape; so
 run down, nervous,
 weak, and could not
 eat, that I had begun
 to get very uneasy, but your medicine
 made an entirely new woman of her. I
 believe she eats and feels better now
 than she has for years.

"I have not the slightest doubt but
 that your medicine has saved her from
 a long spell of sickness, if nothing
 more. All my family had begun to
 get uneasy, but, of course, she did not
 know it and I have only just told her
 of it since she has improved so much.
 I had no idea it would do half what it
 has and don't think there is another
 medicine made that will begin to com-
 pare with it."—W. E. Birch, Fruh
 Grower, Afton, Alb county, Va.

If you do not derive prompt and sat-
 isfactory 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 ad-
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Address Dr. Hartman, President of
 The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

TRAGEDY CAUSED BY HOODLUMISM

Details of Corvallis Gun Bat-
 tle Show That Lawless
 Element Exists

Keady Had Previously Said
 He Would Shoot Sheriff
 Burnett If They Tried
 to Arrest Him

In speaking of the fatal shooting
 affray which occurred in that city, the
 Corvallis Times says that hoodlum-
 ism, in which a gang of Corvallis boys
 have engaged for two or three years
 past, is what led up to the tragedy
 which occurred there Sunday night.

Chester Keady was often a partici-
 pant in the doings of the gang, and,
 on several occasions, fell into the
 hands of the authorities. Though less
 than 19 years of age, he was of great
 physical strength, and the equal of
 any ordinary man in a flat fight.

Saturday night Keady was under
 the influence of liquor. He wanted
 to renew hostilities with Ben Guier,
 with whom Keady and his gang pre-
 viously had trouble. A crowd was
 gathered in front of Broder's saloon.
 Keady and Guier were among the
 crowd, and a general question arose
 as to whether Keady could whip
 Guier. Keady removed his coat and
 hat, and hung them on hooks in front
 of a butcher shop nearby, turned his
 gun over to his friend, Bert Turner,
 and indicated that he was ready to
 fight. At this, Guier went away, and
 in a few minutes returned with ex-
 Sheriff Osburn, who pleaded with Ke-
 ady to go home. Keady finally started
 away, saying that he was going to
 find Guier and whip him. Osburn
 then decided to arrest Keady, when
 the latter drew his gun, and told
 Osburn, who was advancing toward
 him, not to approach any nearer.
 Keady passed into and through a
 crowd that had gathered. Among oth-
 ers James Dunn approached Keady,
 and tried to persuade him to give up
 the gun, but all met with Keady's in-
 variable defy.

All the time Osburn was following.
 Keady left the crowd, took to the
 street, walking backwards towards the
 postoffice. Both Osburn and Dunn
 were then following him. Keady
 warned Osburn not to come nearer or
 he would shoot. Keady then stopped
 within a few feet of the postoffice
 pavement. Osburn and Dunn contin-
 ued to advance. Keady discharged
 his gun at Osburn. The latter crouched
 as Keady fired, staggered and was
 caught by Dunn.

Keady was then joined by Bert
 Turner, and, after a detour of several
 blocks they were approached by
 Sheriff Burnett and James Dunn, while
 talking near James Taylor's house.
 Keady saw the men approaching,
 stepped off the sidewalk and remarked
 to Turner that he "would drop those

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STORES AT SALEM AND ALBANY

EYE RESTORED TO ITS COLOR.

Tattooing Operation Proves Success-
 ful in Boston Hospital.

Boston, April 27.—That the color
 of the human eye can be changed by
 the use of tattoo needles has been
 shown by an operation performed at
 the Massachusetts Eye and Ear In-
 firmity.

A patient has suffered for some
 time with an affection which partly
 destroyed the color of one eye, but
 affected his sight only slightly. The
 eye contained a white streak, ex-
 tend almost around the pupil.

An instrument consisting of five
 ordinary cambric needles placed side
 by side was used. The needle points
 being inserted into the sclerotic coat-
 ing of the eye to a depth of not more
 than a sixty-fourth of an inch. Each
 insertion made five tiny holes. This
 was repeated several times.

A solution of India ink previously
 shaded to match the eyes as nearly
 as possible, was then rubbed in with
 the finger and worked into each of
 the holes made by needle points. The
 patient felt no ill effects.

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 Signature of
Wm. D. Gifford

NO PHYSICIAN NEED APPLY.

La Grande Woman Says the Lord
 Will Care for Injured Son.

La Grande, Or., April 27.—A lad
 named Bruce Borders, aged 14 years
 of age, while playing about the school
 house Monday evening, met with quite
 a severe accident. A crowd of boys
 were playing with a 16-pound weight,
 throwing it. One of the boys was tak-
 ing a last shot, when young Border
 hurriedly ran by him, and was struck
 with the weight in the back of the
 shoulder and knocked insensible. He
 was taken to the school building, and
 his mother and a doctor were sent for.

The boy rallied at first, but soon
 was unconscious again. His mother
 arrived, and when she was told that
 the doctor would soon be there she
 declared that no doctor should touch
 her boy, declaring that the "Lord
 would take care of him."

The boy's shoulder blade and a rib
 were broken, and at last accounts to-
 day he is in a serious condition, but
 he has had no doctor.

"Stubbs" Wilkins and "Happy" St.
 Davis will "whirl the whirl" if they
 get in a tight place during the games.
 It is a brand new feat, and promises
 to be an attraction.

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BETTER THAN GOLD

for the teeth. It prevents decay. It
 hardens the gums and purifies the
 breath and mouth.

SAVES YOUR TEETH

two fellows." Keady had previously
 said he would shoot the sheriff if he
 attempted to arrest him.

Sheriff Burnett stepped up and laid
 his hand on Keady's shoulder, saying:
 "I want you, Keady." The answer was
 a shot from Keady's pistol, aimed at
 Burnett, but it went wide of the
 mark. Dunn stepped forward at this
 moment, and Keady fired at him, the
 shot taking effect in the abdomen.
 Dunn staggered and dropped to his
 knees. Sheriff Burnett fired, and Ke-
 ady fell. Two or three shots were then
 fired in rapid succession by Dunn, one
 of them taking effect, it is believed,
 as Keady staggered under Sheriff Bur-
 nett's shot.

Chance to Move On.

Al. Smith, a dishwasher at a local
 restaurant, has been under the ban
 for some time on account of his pro-
 clivities to get on a spree rather reg-
 ularly, but the police have tolerated
 him on his promise to straighten up.
 Last night he went on a periodical,
 and this morning Chief Gibson served
 him with a move-on order. His time
 expires at 4:30 this afternoon.

The Oregonian Tuesday had a few
 editorials not written by the \$18 a
 week barn-shinglers. They were less
 than a yard long, and had real germs
 from the think-tank scattered all
 through them, instead of a meaning-
 less decoction of mush. They started
 with a clear sentence and wound up
 with a whip cracker that stuck in the
 reader's mind. They dealt with some-
 thing right on tap, not grovelling or
 incompoop Grundyisms. Next, why
 don't the Oregonian get one man on
 its staff who can draw a cartoon?
 Any cartoonist ought to get an origi-
 nal idea once in a while, and be able
 to give it recognizable expression be-
 yond the limits of a bear-eyed blur.
 None of the Oregonian people seem
 to know these things which the gener-
 al public has felt for some time, so
 we have put them down in plain sight.

W. C. T. U. Auction Social.

The W. C. T. U. will give a local
 auction social Friday night at their
 hall at 8 o'clock. There will be some
 good musical numbers and short ad-
 dresses by T. T. Geer and others. Ev-
 erybody is invited to come.

The Property Called Health
 runs down or improves, just depend-
 on how it is cared for. It is the most
 valuable property we have, and should
 receive the most consideration. It
 helps you in business, helps you
 look, helps make friends, helps you
 in situations and helps you hold them
 and always makes happiness. Prop-
 erty like this, at the first indica-
 tion of being out of repair, should
 be looked after and a remedy applied
 once. There are any number of signs
 that show repairs are needed. In-
 fous spells, indigestion, dyspepsia,
 belching, dizziness, sick head,
 shallow complexion, pimples and
 spots on the face, a drowsy feeling
 after meals, sour stomach, etc. These
 symptoms all show loss of health.
 Druggists will sell you for 25c a box
 of Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills,
 a sure cure for all of these ailments.

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