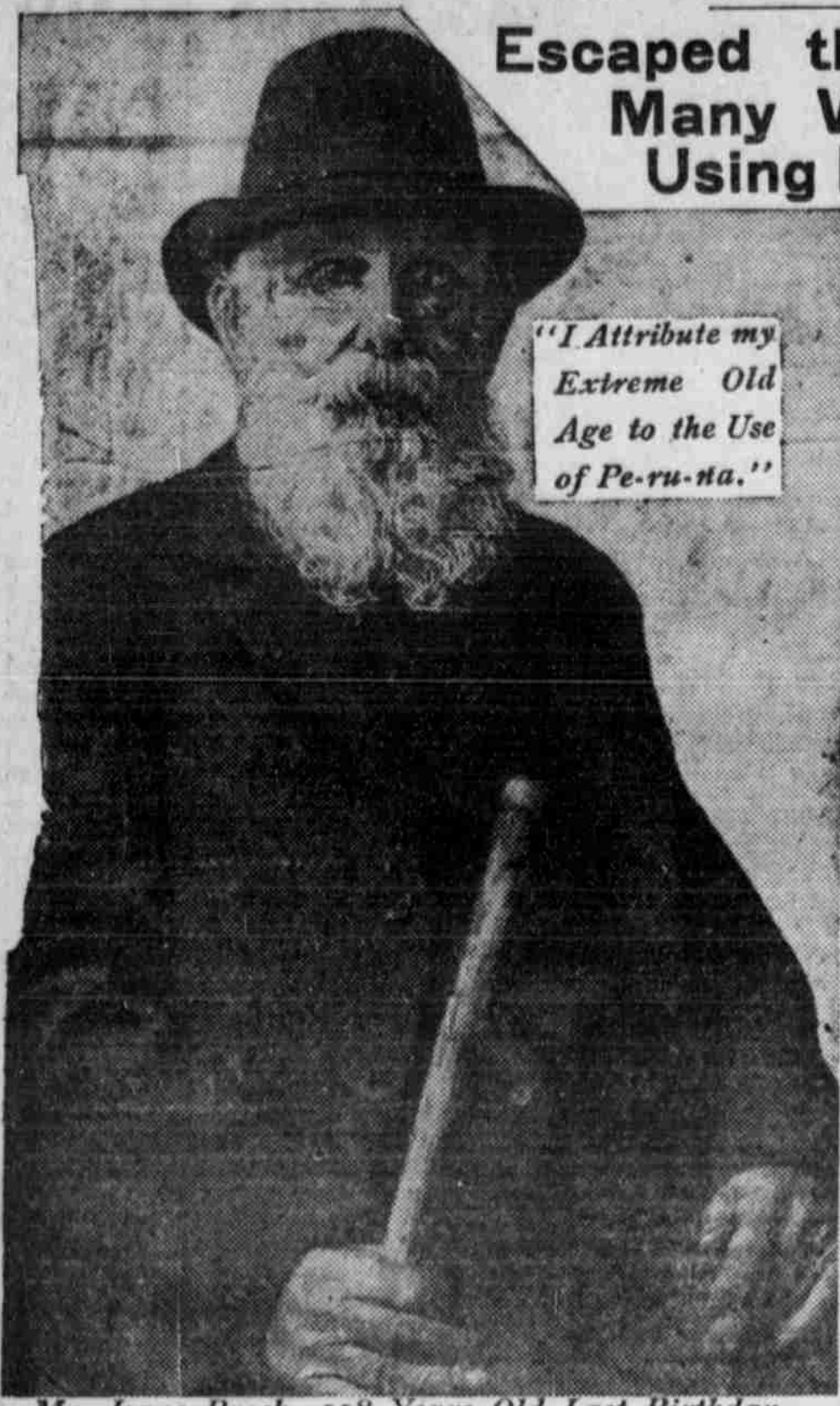


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Escaped the Terrors of Many Winters By Using Pe-ru-na.



"I Attribute my Extreme Old Age to the Use of Pe-ru-na."

Mr. Isaac Brock, 118 Years Old Last Birthday.

ISAAC BROCK, a citizen of McLennan county, Texas, has lived for 118 years. For many years he resided at Bosque Falls, eighteen miles west of Waco, but now lives with his son-in-law at Valley Mills, Texas. Some time ago, by request, Uncle Isaac came to Waco and sat for his picture, holding in his hand a stick cut from the grave of General Andrew Jackson. Mr. Brock is a dignified old gentleman, showing few signs of decrepitude. His family Bible is still preserved, and it shows that the date of his birth was written 118 years ago.

Born before the United States were formed. Saw 22 presidents elected. Pe-ru-na has protected him from all sudden changes. Veteran of four wars. Shod a horse when 99 years old. Always conquered the grip with Pe-ru-na. Witness in a land suit at the age of 110 years. Believes Pe-ru-na the greatest remedy of the age for catarrhal troubles.

In speaking of his good health and extreme old age, Mr. Brock says: "After a man has lived in the world as long as I have, he ought to have found out a great many things by experience. I think I have done so.

"One of the things I have found out to my entire satisfaction is the proper thing for ailments that are due directly to the effects of the climate. For 118 years I have withstood the changeable climate of the United States.

"I have always been a very healthy man, but, of course, subject to the affections which are due to sudden changes in the climate and temperature.

"As for Dr. Hartman's remedy, Peruna, I have found it to be the best, if not the only reliable remedy for these affections. It has been my standby for many years, and I attribute my good health and extreme old age to this remedy.

"It exactly meets all my requirements. It protects me from the evil effects of sudden changes; it gives me strength; it keeps my blood in good circulation. I have come to rely upon it almost entirely for the many little things for which I need medicine.

"When epidemics of la grippe first began to make their appearance in this country I was a sufferer from this disease.

"I had several long sieges with the grip. At first I did not know that Peruna was a remedy for this disease. When I heard that la grippe was epidemic catarrh, I tried Peruna for la grippe and found it to be just the thing."

In a later letter, Mr. Brock writes: "I am well and feeling as well as I have for years. I would not be without Peruna."

Yours truly,
Isaac Brock.

A letter dated July 8, 1906, written for Mr. Brock by his wife, Sarah J. Brock, states:

"Last winter I had just gotten up out of a spell of sickness, when I commenced taking Peruna. I think it improved my health very much."

In a postscript, Mrs. Brock adds: "He receives a great many letters inquiring about what Peruna will do. I do not answer them all, as I think they can get a bottle and try it."

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THE TRUTH ABOUT THE CENCI.

From F. Madon Crawford's "Beatrice Cenci" in the January Century.

As a novelist I do not feel that to show the truth about the Cenci is to destroy a romance which has an artistic right to live. Nonsense is not romantic; impossible monsters that have no human trait are not romantic; foolish anachronisms, such as that involved in the supposed portrait of Beatrice by Guido, are not proper foundations for fiction; the sentimentalism manifested by the rows of poor deluded tourists who are daily brought almost to tears in contemplating a second-rate sketch in the Barberini gallery is not human sympathy. If Shelley had not been a great poet, his greatest drama would have been intolerable baldness; so, without Victor Hugo's genius, "Hernani" or "Ruy Blas" would have been ridiculous twaddle, a mere hash of absurdities.

But divest the story of the Cenci of what has grown upon it, and you have a great love-drama, less noble, but even more human, and surely far more awful, than the "Bride of Lammermoor." There is the tragedy of the sins of the father inherited by the children—sins punished by his death and theirs. Upon his soul is the dire horror of knowing that their birthright of evil is from himself; of seeing them do again what he has done, and worse; of feeling from afar off the coming of their vengeance upon him for having brought them into the world to sin and suffer, to slay, and in their turn to die. There is over all his life and theirs the shadow that overhung the priest of Nemi, the darkness of inevitable doom. There is the wild and wayward girl's unhappy love for the young warden; the irresistible, passionate call for the blood to evil; the desperate secret to be kept; the inherited, violent instinct to strike and be free; and when the moment comes at last, the invincible courage and man-like calm of Medea herself. Above all, when Beatrice's lover is dead and her child is safe, and she sets her foot upon the scaffold, there is the strength to die bravely. Maiden Polyxena's look was not more serene. Like her, Beatrice will let no common touch come near her; like her, the Roman girl bares her own neck to the steel, speaks her last quiet words, bends, and awaits the blow. All is accomplished according to the mystic law of blood-heredity; all is over; the world is behind; her sin is confessed and forgiven. There is but one second more, and then eternity. That was the real tragedy.

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Proposals for Reform School Supplies.

Sealed proposals are hereby requested for furnishing the Oregon State Reform School with supplies for the coming six months, ending June 30, 1908. Lists with specifications on what is needed will be furnished on application to the superintendent. All bids must be in by December 26, 1907, and goods must be in unbroken packages where possible, and true to contracts. Goods to be delivered at the Reform School January 11, 1907.

N. H. LOONEY, Superintendent.

Notice of Appointment of Administrator.

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of December, 1907, the County Court of Marion County, Oregon, duly appointed J. C. Robertson administrator of the estate of James C. Joseph, deceased, and having duly qualified as required by law, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them with proper vouchers, as by law required, to the undersigned at his residence in Salem, Oregon, or at the law office of F. A. Turner, in said city, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: December 21, 1907. J. C. ROBERTSON, Administrator. F. A. Turner, Attorney. 12-21-07

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