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Miss Maggie Welch, Secretary of the Betsy Ross Educational and Benevolent Society, writes from 328 North State street, Chicago, Ill., the following glowing words concerning Peruna.



Miss Maggie Welch.

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The Chestnut Going.

The former millions of wild pigeons of Ashtabula county, Ohio, says the Jefferson Sentinel, are only known to the "oldest inhabitant," and now the chestnut, the king of all nuts for boys, will soon only be known as a cultivated nut. Parties at Harrison, Tenn., are preparing to locate a mill for grinding chestnut timber into pulp for tanning purposes. It is proposed to consume one hundred cords per day. At this rate, and with the destruction the hard-headed borer is doing, chestnuts to eat will soon be a thing of the past. In the early settlement chestnuts, it is said by early settlers in Tennessee, were so abundant that the Indians, after burning the leaves off the ground, would pick them up roasted and sell them at the stores for six and a quarter cents per bushel.

The General Federation of Trade Unions of Great Britain has 76 affiliated unions, with a total paying membership of 421,772.



Another club woman, Mrs. Haule, of Edgerton, Wis., tells how she was cured of irregularities and uterine trouble, terrible pains and backache by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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News Happenings of Interest Gathered From All Sources.

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Pensions granted.—Erastus H. Page, West Pike, \$8; Jeremiah Holtz, Port Royal, \$12; Philip Forney, Newville, \$8; James M. Galloway, Huntingdon, \$8; Andrew Fisher, Pittsburg, \$12; Jacob Gruber, Claysville, \$16; Andrew J. French, Lewistown, \$12; Peter Beige, Venango, \$14; Jacob Harshbarger, Indiana, \$8; Henry A. Fress, Northeast, \$17; Thomas Hudson, Rochester Mills, \$10; D. S. Gordon, Red, \$10; Andrew Hoover, Suncliff, \$12; Melchior Summers, Potters Mills, \$12; Orange J. Michael, Grant, \$12; George Koontz, Everett, \$10; Abram R. Miller, Union, \$10; Herman Fosbrink, Nicely, \$8; Sarah A. Fowler, Altoona, \$12; James Noah, Burgettstown, \$12.

An attempt was made to blow the safe of the bank at Dayton, and only by the brave attack made by one of Dayton's citizens was the attempt frustrated. Mrs. Reed Marshall, who lives across the street from the bank, was awakened by an explosion. She went to a window and looking across the street saw a light in the bank. Her husband loaded his Winchester rifle and, going down stairs to a front room, shot through the window into the bank five times at three men he saw at work on the safe. His ammunition ran out and while he was searching for more the robbers fled. Before they left they directed a shot through the window, where they thought Marshall stood.

The Devonian Oil Company has struck another gusher on the A. W. Starr farm, at Middletown, and the well is the best yet found in that territory. The well opened the fourth sand two days ago and in response to further drilling, began flowing at the rate of 60 barrels an hour. The new strike is located 800 feet west of the Devonian Company's well on the same farm, which started off about two months ago at a 300-barrel-a-day rate. This company has under lease all the territory in that vicinity.

Although their terms have not expired, two young men named Carr and Crate, prisoners in the Brookville jail, have been released. Sheriff Chestnut found they were covered with a rash resembling smallpox. Dr. Lawson, president of the Brookville board of health, diagnosed their ailment as Cuban smallpox. They were immediately started for their homes. Precautions to prevent a spread of the disease were taken, but as all the other prisoners had been exposed, considerable apprehension is felt.

The store of J. D. Wilkinshaw, of Cokeville, was robbed of provisions by burglars.

The annual reunion of Company A, Seventh regiment, Pennsylvania Reserves, was held at Carlisle.

George Stucke and William White were arrested at Meadville, charged with passing counterfeit money.

The Continental Iron Works, at Wheatland, which have been closed down because of a lack of fuel, resumed.

An epidemic of typhoid fever has broken out at Monessen, and each day new cases are reported to the board of health. At present there are 40 cases and at the same rate of increase as during the past week, it is likely that the number of cases will reach the 100 mark. The Monessen Emergency hospital is taxed to its capacity. The cause of the spread of the disease is said to be the water used for domestic purposes.

Mrs. Mary E. Leech, aged 99, the oldest woman in Erie county, is dead. She was a granddaughter of Roger Sherman, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.

The jury in the case of the Ellen Griesemer estate against the Oley Valley Railway Company, to recover \$2000 damages for the taking of half an acre of the farm in Exeter Township, near the Black Bear, and for the "meanness of the company" in refusing to stop cars where desired after having occupied the land, returned a verdict of \$250 in favor of the plaintiff. Viewers some months ago awarded the estate \$350, but the plaintiff appealed to court.

At the meeting of the Mifflin County School Directors' Association in connection with the Teachers' Institute, the tobacco habit among teachers of public schools was discussed, and it was warmly condemned by all. The following officers were elected: President, W. T. Horton; vice-president, J. M. Wagner; secretary and treasurer, W. W. Trout, of Lewistown.

Thieves effected an entrance to the office of the machinery establishment of Edward Conroy, at Malvern. They drilled a hole into the safe, but three citizens noticed a light in the office and started to investigate. Before they reached the office a shot was fired, probably by a confederate, and when they entered the thieves had escaped.

A row of frame dwellings along the Pennsylvania Railroad on the outskirts of Pottstown, were burned, the fire being caused by the upsetting of a lighted lamp during a fight among the occupants.

The Krupp family of Lansdale are related to Herr Krupp, of Germany, the famous gun manufacturer, now dead. Rev. John Krupp bought a farm in 1828 three miles from Lansdale, in New Britain Township, Bucks county, near the county line of Montgomery. He was a Mennonite preacher and his grandson, Abraham Krupp, owns a portion of the same track.

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