

A PASTOR WHO WAS BEFRIENDED BY AN EMPEROR SAVED BY PE-RU-NA.



Rev. H. Stubenvoll, of Elkhorn, Wis., is pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran St. John's Church of that place. Rev. Stubenvoll is the possessor of two Bibles presented to him by Emperor William of Germany. Upon the fly leaf of one of the Bibles the Emperor has written in his own handwriting a text.

This honored pastor, in a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, says concerning their famous catarrh remedy, Peruna:

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.
Gentlemen: "I had hemorrhages of the lungs for a long time, and all despaired of me. I took Peruna and was cured. It gave me strength and courage, and made healthy, pure blood. It increased my weight, gave me a healthy color, and I feel well. It is the best medicine in the world. If everyone kept Peruna in the house it would save many from death every year."—H. STUBENVOLL.

Thousands of people have catarrh who would be surprised to know it, because it has been called some other name than catarrh. The fact is catarrh is catarrh wherever located; and another fact which is of equally great importance, is that Peruna cures catarrh wherever located.

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THE KEYSTONE STATE.

News Happenings of Interest Gathered From All Sources.

Pennsylvania patents.—Edwin E. Arnold, Pittsburg, valve for gas engines; Adoniram J. Campbell, Media, sad iron; William C. Coffin, Pittsburg, blast furnace; Charles A. Conn, Pittsburg, oil filter; William P. Flint, Pittsburg, igniter apparatus for gas engines; Andrew W. Graham, Bradford, surgical splint; William S. Halsey, Pittsburg, means for transmitting fluid under pressure; Marshall W. Hanks, Pittsburg, treating glowers for direct current electric lamps; Washington D. Keys, Kittanning, apparatus for annealing glass; John H. King and E. M. Wolf, Beaver Falls, mill for rolling seamless tubing; Harry M. McColl, Pittsburg, starting valve for explosive engines; Lemel Patterson, Warren, sash lock; John C. Reed, Allegheny, mold emptying apparatus; Frank Siegrist, Coopersburg, attachment for rocking chairs; John A. Titzel, Franklin, electric motor or generator; William G. Waring, Tyrone, extracting zinc, producing pure white pigment, making pure hydrogen sulfide from furnace gases.

While a 10-month-old child of Harry McKinley, a Burnham, was creeping about the floor on January 6 it was heard to utter a scream. The mother could find nothing wrong with the child, but he continued to give evidence of suffering until Saturday morning when the mother saw a small black spot on one of the child's hips. This proved to be a knot on the end of a black thread. When the mother tried to remove the thread she found it was of considerable length. She became frightened and called in a neighbor. The two women, after much difficulty, succeeded in getting out a long thread with a needle attached, which had evidently entered the child's flesh and worked its way into the body until its progress was stopped by the knot on the end of the thread.

Orders have been issued by the United States Steel Corporation to resume work at the Sharon steel plant.

The Allentown County Commissioners fixed the rate for county tax at 1.8 mills. In 1900 the rate was 3 mills.

Going into the cellar of his furniture store at Lock Haven, H. E. Pursley shot himself in the head and died a few hours later.

Eleven boys and three junk dealers were arrested in Shamokin in connection with numerous thefts of iron from the Shamokin Wagon Works.

Five additional free rural mail delivery routes will be placed in operation on February 2, having the York Post Office as their distribution center.

At the annual meeting of the Yardley Pastime Club, Irwin Aaron was elected president, Edwin V. Comly secretary, and Thomas S. Cadwallader treasurer.

Samuel Leith, of Rittersville, 19 years old, has been arrested, charged with attempting to shoot his father when the latter desired to visit his wife, from whom he is separated.

Shortly after eating dinner, the five members of the family of Harry Spade, of Shamokin, became violently ill, but a physician afforded relief. It is supposed they ate poisoned food.

The Stone Masons in Bethlehem, through their union, have demanded of their employers a reduction of the working day to nine hours and an increase of wages to 30 cents an hour.

While alone with her infant at her home in Roxbury, Mrs. John Nicklas was burned to death.

The family of George Roemer, of Plummer, numbering ten persons, were poisoned, a can of poison having fallen into buckwheat that was used to make cakes for the family.

Several men and women charged with rioting at Lykens and Wisconsin during the late anthracite coal strike pleaded guilty in the Dauphin County Court. Sentence was suspended.

A verdict for \$2000 was awarded in court at Reading against the city in favor of John Frig for injuries sustained in falling through a hole in the pavement.

The Auburn Bolt and Nut Works, in Auburn and West Brunswick Township, in which State Senator Quail was interested, passed into possession of Philadelphia and Wilmington capitalists who have organized the Delaware Seamless Tube Company.

The Harrisburg Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has elected Mrs. R. J. Haldeman and Miss Caroline Pearson delegates to the national convention, to be held next month in Washington. Miss Mary Calder, Miss Jennie and Mrs. C. A. Rabter are the alternates.

Clarence McCoy and William Guterman, of Columbia, who are awaiting trial for the murder of Trackwalker Jacob H. Bostic, at Bainbridge, on December 13, were taken into court on a habeas corpus proceeding, but Judge Landis dismissed the writ and remanded the men to jail to stand trial.

How He Came to Swear.

It was four in the morning when he got home. He didn't fumble around the latch for an hour, stutter in his talk, or awaken every one in the neighborhood with unseemly noise. He was sober; hadn't drunk a drop.

Instead, he struck the keyhole at the first attempt and entered. All was quiet. He put his hat and coat on the hall rack, and was about to take off his shoes before going up-stairs when an old, familiar voice sounded gratefully on his ear.

"Yes, Nell?"

"Is that you, Jack?"

"Yes, Nell." Then he began: "It's three minutes after four. I did not let the cat follow me in. I've just returned from one of our lodges. The gas is turned down low. The doors are all locked; the windows fastened. I paid the taxes this afternoon. Mary's baby's got the measles. That isn't our dog barking."

And when he tumbled into bed, Nell looked at him out of sleepy eyes and said—

"Jack, you've been drinking."—Pick-Me-Up.

The Pe-ru-na Almanac.

The druggists have already been supplied with Peruna almanacs. There is sure to be a great demand for these almanacs on account of the articles on astrology which they contain. The subject of astrology is a very attractive one to most people. The articles on astrology in the Peruna almanac have been furnished by a very competent astrologist, and the mental characteristics of each sign is given, constituting almost a complete horoscope. A list of questions and answers on astrology sent free upon request. There will be a great rush for these books. Ask your druggist for one early before they are all gone.

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The number of lepers in the Philippine Islands is estimated at about 12,000.

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—J. W. F. Boyce, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1902.

It is becoming quite usual for girls to take part in bull fights in Spanish cities.

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