

MISS ELLA OFF, Indianapolis, Ind. SUFFERED FOR MONTHS.

Pe-ru-na, the Remedy That Cured

Miss Ella Off, 1127 Linden St., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I suffered with a run down con-

stitution for several months, and feared that I would have to give up my work.

Write Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio, for free medical advice. All correspondence is held strictly confidential.

Mocking Bird Attends Church. An English mocking bird wandered into Hagerstown, Md., and had quite a time. It attacked first an apple in the street in front of a fruit store on West Franklin street, and when some sparrows interfered knocked them right and left. They formed a chattering ring and speculated on the new champion. The bird then flew off and entered Christ Reformed church by the bay window. Rev. Charles Shaffer of Thurmont was reading his text, when the bird lit on the edge of the bible. He gently wared it off and it flew down to the edge of the pulpit and came back and stood on the text. The reverend gentleman read, though, and the bird flew to the top of the organ and sat awhile, and then came back and perched right over the preacher until he was through his sermon. It seemed very attentive. When the organ opened it flew to that and enjoyed the music and, finally, after a comprehensive flight over the congregation, turned to the chandeller. There it was when the congregation went out. Mr. Spielman went to the church this morning and easily captured it.

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RECORDS OF THE PULSE RATE.

Instrument Shows Heart's Action During Muscular Work and After.

A recent publication of the University of Michigan describes an instrument for securing a continuous graphic record of the pulse rate in man which afford valuable indications of the heart's work. The records showed that the commencement of muscular work is followed almost simultaneously by a marked acceleration of the pulse. In fact, this modification of the pulse rate is observed in the next heart cycle after the work begins.

In typical cases there are three wellmarked stages-a primary rise, a period of sustained acceleration and a secondary rise. Similar stages of decrease in rate occur after the work stops. The rapidity of the pulse during work depends not only upon the amount of work done, but much more upon the manner in which it is done. Speed and resistance are factors requiring separate consideration and of these two speed has the greater influence.

These records show that while muscular work may not appreciably require the expenditure of bodily force it immediately reacts upon the heart and that conversely cessation of muscular exertion is an immediate relief to the heart.

High Prices for Engravings.

When the mezotints after Reynolds, which at the Huth sale at Christie's sale rooms in London fetched such remarkable sums the other day, were first published at the end of the eighteenth century 15s. would buy any one of them, and even Mr. Huth, when he made the collection which has just been dispersed, doubtless secured most of these portraits for comparatively small sums. It is interesting to trace the rise in price my work. "On seeking the advice of a physi-cian, he prescribed a tonic. I found, however, that it did me no good. On secking the advice of our druggist, he asked me to try Peruna. In a few weeks I begantofeel and act like a different person. My appetite in-creased, I did not have that worn-out feeling, and I could sleep splen-didly. In a couple of months I was entirely recovered. I thank you for that your medicine has done for me."---Ella Off. Write De Wieles Councils

A Kipling Souvenir.

Of an interesting Kipling relic, Charles Warren Stoddard writes:

"The object that first caught my eye was an old desk, black with age, and no doubt rheumatic in every joint. Its lid was a solid panel, but curved in the fashion of a roll-top desk. Across the length of it, cut deep in large letters, such as schoolboys love to carve was this legend:

"'Oft was I weary when I tolled at Thee,'

"So sang the galley slave in a faultless verse; and so, in the hour of triumph, Rudyard Kipling graved upon the cover of the desk at which he won his fame."-National Magazine.

Snake Follows Like a Dog.

NEW YORK DAY BY DAY ****

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.

Three years ago Matilda C. Hepke was 15, and she met Ralph Kummler, 305 Jefferson street, Union Hill, at a picnic. It was a case of love at first sight, and he went to her parents, 142 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street, but they objected. For three years their objections continued, on account of her youth, but Friday they eloped and were married by Rev. D. R. Andrae, of Union Hill. When the objection first began to give him trouble the young man drew up a form of promissory note, not ex-actly fathered by Cupid, and she certified it under oath before a magistrate: This is to certify that I, Matilda C.

Hopke, do hereby agree to be true to Rudolph Kummler, until the opportunity arrives when I can be his bride despite all obstacles.

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When a driver for Thomas Brady, son of the Mayor of Bayonne, upset 1000 bricks into the water at the foot of Thirty-first street the owner charged them up to profit and loss. But Frederick Koepke, 14 years old, knew that his father needed a chimney for the house, and he considered himself something of a hero and bread-winner when he dived for a whole afternoon, bringing up 400 bricks and loading them into his

But Brady couldn't see it that way, and had the boy and his father both arrested. They had been held to the Grand Jury on the charge of stealing bricks from the bottom of Newark Bay.

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Fannie Hayden, 16 years old, with a red scar seven inches long from the eye to chin, tells a strange story which the police of Elizabeth refuse to believe.

The girl is a devout church member, and recently left the Fulton-Street Methodist Church to join the East Baptist Church. She says she received a number of letters containing threats because of her change of faith. Then, she declares, a man threw acid in her face as she was on her way home. Several months ago the same girl was found "unconscious" near her home, with a tale of sand-bagging. Chief Tenney of the police accused her of faking, and she is said to have confessed.

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With her three sisters acting as brides. maids, Miss Julia Knox Wheeler, daughter of Gen. Joseph Wheeler, became Mrs. William Julius Harris at St. Thomas' Protestant Episcopal Church, Rev. Ernest M. Stires officiating. General Wheeler gave the bride away, and the ushers included Capt. Joseph Wheeler, Jr., of the United States Army. The groom is well known in the South and is a member of a prominent Georgia family.

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Mrs. Annie Gade, who a week ago killed her baby, attempted her husband's life and then tried to end her own, because she was jealous of her sister, broke away from two policemen in the Clerk's room yesterday and rushed into the Manhattan-Avenue Court screaming at the top of her voic for her child. Her husband, who was in court, caught her eye, and she rushed for him wildly, pleading for her baby. Later she attempted to leap from a window. Magistrate Naumer was obliged to suspend business while she was taken away. There seems to be little doubt that she has completely lost her mind, and an inquiry will be made on August 11.

Scott and the Simple Life. Sir Walter Scott was an out-ofdoors man, as he had been a tramping boy, says McClure's. It is impossible to think of him without his horses and dogs. His duties as sheriff took him across country continually, and he always had more months out of Edinburgh that in it, notwithstanding his court clerkship. He was thus in constant contact with Scotch life and country, and he never lcor relaxed his first impulse to know and see with his eyes, so far as eyes could see it, all the local history. He was also in love with the genius of Scotland as it was stamped in the people of all sorts and conditions. Human nature, the rough, hard article free from its alloy of the town, was treasure trove to him. On those annual "raids into Liddesdale," and on many another journey, he made himself master of this book of truth out of which came so much of the character, anecdote and phrase that are

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medicine for coughs and colds.-N. W SAMUEL, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900 Mme. Patti's voice has brought her in more than \$5,000,000.

15 YEARS OF TORTURE

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An immature banana is apt to be in-sipid in flavor and to cause dyspepsia.

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View of Happiness.

I have been trying to figure out a general condition of happiness, and I reach the conclusion that it consists mainly in the ability to march with one's own generation, neither deploring the progress the generation makes nor grumbling because it doesn't make more, says Frank Putnam in the National Magazine. We can understand best the men and women of our own age, or near it. Dr. Osler spoke truth when he said that most men cease to be receptive to new ideas after 40; hence our elders in the 50s and 60s and 70s, say, who have ably guided the affairs of the world during the decades immediately ahead of us will often seem to us to mave less rapidly than we think they should, toward new industrial conditions. And the generation immediately behind usthe restless chaps in their 20s, are putting more pressure upon us from the rear than we are able to believe is wholly justified.

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Relic of John Wesley.

A relic of John Wesley was found on the beach at Sheephead Bay, N. Y., recently in the form of an open faced oval locket, containing what is supposed to be a lock of the reformer's bair.

The copper plate forming the face of the locket was originally covered by hair. It is badly corroded and only traces of the hair are visible. The other side, which is formed of a gold plate with a medallion in the center containing hair, is in a good state of preservation. It bears the following distinct inscription: "Rev'd Jno Wesley A M obt 2 March 1791 Æ' 88."

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There is a lot of difference between rat poison and cheese, as Morris Ross, 22 Clinton street, has discovered. He was in Essex Market Court, charged with attempting suicide.

"I didn't want to die," he told the Court. "I was simply hungry, and found a loaf of rye bread. I cut a slice and went to the cupboard for some butter. I found what I thought was some of this soft cheese, made a sandwich with it and ate it."

A few minutes later he was found writhing in agony, and medical aid was ummoned just in time to save his life. The Court believed his story and let him go.

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A coroner's jury was investigating the death of William D. Laackman, laborer, by an engine of the New York Central Railroad, and Engineer Toillon Elliott had just testified. Coroner Berry sent the jury out, Elliott resting his head in his arms on the table. Some one shook him, but he did not respond. Then it was seen that he had suffered a stroke of apoplexy. They were hurrying him to the hospital, when he opened his eyes and heard that the jury had exonerated

"That's good, isn't it?" he exclaimed, But his condition is critical, and he may not recover.

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Dooley, the Bostock bear, has gone into the hands of the veterinary surgeon and press agent. Henceforth Dooley, because he has a cataract, will have to wear glasses, and Dr. Ahmling is devising a big pair of goggles that will stick.

It was Dooley, by the way, that gained fame not long ago by shaking hands with President Roosevelt at Bridgeport, Connecticut

China Buying From Japan.

Berlin (By Cable) .- The National Zeitung publishes as an example of Jap-anese influence in China the statement that Chang-Chi-Tung, governor of the two Hu provinces, has ordered from the Kawasaki works at Kobe, Japan, for use on the Yangtse River six gunboats and four torpedo boats, the whole costing \$1,500,000.

Trackhands Run Down.

Amsterdam, N. Y. (Special). -- Six men, all Italian laborers, were killed and three others probably fatally injured by being struck by an accommodation train on the New York Central Railroad at Tribe's Hill, six miles west of this city. About a hundred men were engaged at work on a curve distributing sand which had been dumped there for ballasting purposes, when they were obliged to step from track No. 2 to allow a westbound freight train to pass.

London's Busy Bridges.

In twelve hours 22,118 people cross Westminster bridge on foot and 7,051 passengers go over by omnibus. At Blackfriers bridge 31,385 pedestrians cross in twelve hours and 5,399 passengers in omnibuses. Every day 1.350 electric trams are run to and from Westminster bridge, and last year a total of 53,000,000 passengers were carried. To Blackfriars bridge there are 566 cars a day, and the number of passengers last year was 38,000,000.

EVER TREAT YOU SO? Coffee Acts the Jonah and Will Come Up

A clergyman who pursues his noble calling in a country parish in Iowa tells of his coffee experience:

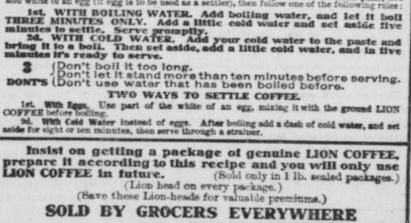
"My wife and I used coffee regularly for breakfast, frequently for dinner and occasionally for supper-always the very best quality-package coffee never could find a place on our table. "In the spring of 1806 my wife was taken with violent vomiting, which we had great difficulty in stopping.

"It seemed to come from coffee drinking, but we could not decide. "In the following July, however, she

was attacked a second time by the vomiting. I was away from home filling an appointment at the time, and on my return I found her very low; she had literally vomited herself almost to death, and it took some days to quiet the trouble and restore her stomach. "I had also experienced the same trouble, but not so violently, and had relieved it each time by a resort to

medicine. "But my wife's second attack satisfied me that the use of coffee was at the bottom of our troubles, and so we stopped it forthwith and took on Postum Food Coffee. The old symptoms of disease disappeared, and during the 9 years that we have been using Postum instead of coffee we have never had a recurrence of the vomiting. We never weary of Postum, to which we know we owe our good health. This is a simple statement of facts." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

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