SISTERS OF CHARITY

Rely on Pe-ru-na to Fight Catarrh, Coughs, Colds and Grip.

SISTER BEATRIX.

A letter recently received by Dr. Hartman from Sister Beatrix, 410 W. 30th street, New York, reads as follows:

Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio:

Dear Sir:—"I cannot say too much in praise of Peruna. Eight bottles of it cured me of catarrh of the lungs of four years' standing, and I would not have been without it for anything. It helped several Sisters of coughs, and colds and I have yet to find one case of catarrh that it does not cure."—SISTER BEATRIX.

Interesting Letters From Catholic Institutions.

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Dr. Hartman receives many letters from Catholic Sisters from all over the United States. A recommend recently received from a Catholic institution in Detroit, Mich., reads as follows:

Dr. S. B. Hartman,
Columbus, Ohio:

Dear Sir:—"The young girl who used the Peruna was suffering from laryngitis and loss of voice. The result of the treatment was most satisfactory. She found great relief, and after further use of the medicine we hope to be able to say she is entirely cured."—Sisters of Charity.

This young girl was under the care of the Sisters of Charity and used Peruna for catarrh of the throat, with good results as the above letter testifies.

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W. A. Palmer, who lived here at the time (1901), was down with a severe attack of rheumatism, and for six weeks had to be turned in bed on a sheet. After the use of several bottles of RHEUMACIDE, he was pronounced well by the attending physician, who is a great believer in the efficacy of your medicine.

Yours truly, J. L. O. THOMPSON, Editor *Pickens Sentinel*, Pickens, S. C.

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THE BROOM DISPLACED.

In place of sweeping by the old-fashioned broom and mop, some of New York's office buildings are now cleaned by suction of an air current. The device, which takes the place of the broom, is nothing but a tube with

THE DUST SUCKED OUT OF CARPET.

a narrow T-shaped nozzle, attached to a hose, which connects it with an engine in the basement.

The air-drawing machine, for that is the name of the device that is supplanting the broom and the feather duster in modern business blocks, is not such a complicated affair, says the New York Tribune. Built low, with a cylinder at either end and a heavy fly-wheel on one side, it is a very common-place looking machine. The machine is operated by steam furnished from the plant heating the building in which it is installed, and the cost of running it is of course small, being only the expense of a few pounds of steam daily in the few hours the machine is in operation. There is steam in one of the cylinders on the machine, air in the other, and each stroke of the piston draws air through big pipes from the tanks with which it is connected.

The operation of the machine causes a tremendous suction through the T-shaped heads attached to the pipes on the floors above, and by this force the dirt is drawn into a three-inch smooth jointed pipe running the entire height of the building and called a "riser." The lofty building has two suction

"SWEEPINGS" COLLECTED IN BASEMENT.

pipes. Down the pipe the dirt is drawn into the first of the big thirty-inch cylinders in the sub-cellar. Inside this tank there is another smaller one, the top of which is connected by a big curving pipe with the bottom of the other big thirty-inch tank. This second big tank is one-quarter filled with water and the space above the water is a vacuum. As the dirt-laden air from the floors above comes down through the pipe it is sucked into the first of the big tanks, which is known as the dry separator. There the heavy particles of dirt are propelled to the bottom of the big tank, while the smaller and lighter particles find their way into the smaller inside tank, thence through the pipe to the second big tank, where they pass into the water. This water has previously been treated with disinfectants and all the germs are killed.

After the cleaning, traps in the bottoms of both tanks are opened by the operation of cranks on the sides, and the solid dirt is taken from one, while the dirty water is drawn from the other.

IMPROVED VARNISH POT.

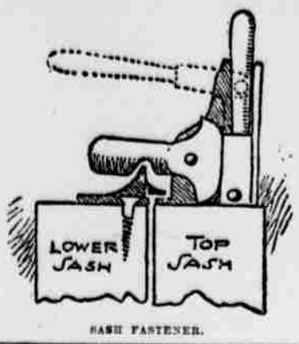
The object of the pot shown herewith from the American Machinist is to prevent the evaporation of alcohol. The varnish or shellac is placed in the large compartment A and cut with

NON-EVAPORATING VARNISH POT.

grain alcohol as thick as it is possible to cut it. By means of a screw top, the compartment is made perfectly air tight and the alcohol cannot evaporate. When wanted for use the varnish is let out into compartment B through valve C in any quantity desired, and thinned up with wood alcohol ready for use, thus saving the expense of thinning up a quart or more of varnish when only a spoonful is required. The pot is 5x5x9 inches high, and holds one gallon. It is substantially made to stand rough usage.

EFFECTIVE SASH FASTENER.

The chief merit of the sash fastener, illustrated herewith, is that it cannot be forgotten; that is to say, you cannot close a window equipped with it without automatically locking the sash in position. Its minor merits are positiveness of action and freedom from springs or loose parts. Assuming the window is closed, the first operation is

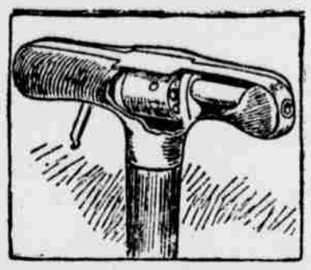


SASH FASTENER.

to lift the lever and allow it to fall over, as shown by the dotted lines. The sash can then be raised, and when this is done the lip on the lower sash throws the bolt over and restores the lever to its vertical position, but above, instead of behind, the toe end of the bolt. In this position the fastener is ready to lock itself automatically when the sash is closed.

A NEW GERMAN REVOLVER-CANE.

Not a few men, upon a little study of the revolver-cane illustrated in the accompanying drawing, will conjure up the pleasure of meeting a burglar with the knowledge that he could cover the thief without the necessity of pulling a gun out of his pocket, which act in itself would be sure to call forth the robber's fire. With this weapon it is not impossible for a man to defend himself against a highwayman successfully, even if the latter has the drop on him, for a shot can be discharged with hardly a movement of the hand that is perceptible to the eye,



DANGEROUS WEAPON IN THE WALKING STICK.

speeding to its mark before the opponent has time to grasp the situation and return the fire. The cane designed to contain this weapon is but little different in pattern from those in everyday use on the street, and there is nothing but the small orifice at the end of the barrel to indicate to the casual observer that he is in proximity to a gun. The interior mechanism differs but slightly from that of the revolver, and in place of the trigger a section of the metallic shell or casing is cut out and a lever inserted which conforms to the shape of the casing when folded, but connects directly with the firing pin and cylinder mechanism when dropped into the position shown in the picture. If the cane is then grasped beneath the head and gripped by partially closing the hand the trigger will swing forward to the point where the internal spring bolt is released and descends on the firing pin. Gustav Tresenreuter is the inventor.

STRAINER FOR KITCHEN USE.

A strainer for the kitchen sink is an essential part of the equipment of the culinary department of the well-regulated household. The disposal of tea-leaves, parings and other kitchen re-

STRAINER FOR USE AT THE SINK.

fuse is at all times a scource of domestic untidiness and inconvenience. The refuse holder illustrated consists of a perforated colander with a large bowl, and a pail in which it is set. Any refuse matter is placed in the colander, where the moisture drains off into the pail, allowing the dry refuse to be disposed of in the garbage pail. For sanitary reasons it is essential that all material destined for that receptacle should be drained before being placed in it.

His Awful Curiosity.

A woman with her little son, a child of four years of age, inquired of a man standing in one of our railway stations: "Can you tell me what time the next train leaves for Scranton?"

"At t-t-wenty m-m-inutes p-p-past f-f-four." About five minutes later she again put the same question to the same man, and he repeated the same answer in the same stuttering way. When she approached him for the third time with the same query he said to her: "W-why do y-y-you a-a-ask me s-s-so m-m-many t-t-times? I-I a-a-al-ready t-t-told you t-t-twice."

"I know you did," replied the woman, "but my little boy likes to see you work your mouth." — Philadelphia Ledger.

Newspaper For Nervous People.

A newspaper is to be started in Vienna for nervous people who cannot stand the shock of reading the news as published in the daily newspapers. All great catastrophes like that at Martinique and all other horrors will be omitted from the columns of this unique paper. The New York Times thinks "Innocuous News for the Nervous" would be an appropriate title for the sheet. "Break It Gently" might be a good title.

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"I wish to give my testimony to the efficiency of the Cuticura Remedies in what seems to me two somewhat remarkable cases. I had a number of skin tumours—small ones—on my arms which had never given me serious trouble; but about two years ago one came on my throat. At first it was only about as large as a pinhead, but, as it was in a position where my collar, if not just right, would irritate it, it soon became very sensitive and began to grow rapidly. Last spring it was as large, if not larger, than a bean. A little unusual irritation of my collar started it to swelling, and in a day or two it was as large as half an orange. I was very much alarmed, and was at a loss to determine whether it was a carbuncle or a malignant tumor.

"My friends tried to persuade me to consult my physician; but dreading that he would insist on using the knife, I would not consent to go. Instead I got a small bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I took the former according to directions, and spread a thick layer of the Ointment on a linen cloth and placed it on the swelling. On renewing it I would bathe my neck in very warm water and Cuticura Soap. In a few days the Cuticura Ointment had drawn the swelling to a head, when it broke. Every morning it was opened with a large sterilized needle, squeezed and bathed, and fresh Ointment put on. Pus and blood, and a yellow, cheesy, tumorous matter came out. In about three or four weeks' time this treatment completely eliminated boil and tumor. The soreness that had extended down into my chest was all gone, and my neck now seems to be perfectly well.

"About five or six years ago my sister had a similar experience. She had two large lumps come under her right arm, the result of a sprain. They grew rapidly, and our physician wanted to cut them out. I would not listen to it, and she tried the Cuticura Remedies (as I did a few months ago) with magical effect. In six weeks' time the lumps had entirely disappeared, and have never returned.

"I have great faith in the Cuticura Remedies, and I believe they might be as efficacious in similar cases with other people, and thus save much suffering, and perhaps life. I have derived so much benefit from the use of them myself that I am constantly advising others to use them. Recently I recommended them to an office boy for his father, who was disabled with salt rheum. The man's feet were swollen to an enormous size, and he had not worked for six weeks. Two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment worked a perfect cure. You never saw a more grateful man in your life.

"I am very much interested in another case where I have recommended Cuticura just now. My housemaid's mother has a goitre which had reached a very dangerous point. The doctors told her that nothing could be done; that she could live only two or three weeks, and that she would die of strangulation. She was confined to her bed, and was unable to speak, when her daughter, at my suggestion, tried the effect of the Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent. Strange to say, she was very shortly relieved of the most distressing symptoms. The swelling seemed to be exteriorized, and she is now able to be around her house, and can talk as well as ever.

"It seems to me that I have pretty good grounds for believing that Cuticura Remedies will prove successful in the most distressing forms of blood and skin humours, and if you wish to use my testimonial as herein indicated, I am willing that you should do so, with the further privilege of revealing my name and address to such persons as may wish to substantiate the above statements by personal letter to me."

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