

PERUNA A TONIC OF GREAT USEFULNESS.



Hon. R. S. Tharin, Attorney at Law and counsel for Anti-Trust League, writes from Pennsylvania, N. W., Washington, D. C., as follows: "Having used Peruna for catarrhal disorders, I am able to testify to its great medicinal excellence and do not hesitate to give it my emphatic endorsement and earnest recommendation to all persons afflicted by that disorder. It is also a tonic of great usefulness."

Some people prefer to take tablets, rather than to take medicine in a fluid form. Such people can obtain Peruna tablets, which represent the solid medicinal ingredients of Peruna. Each tablet is equivalent to one average dose of Peruna.

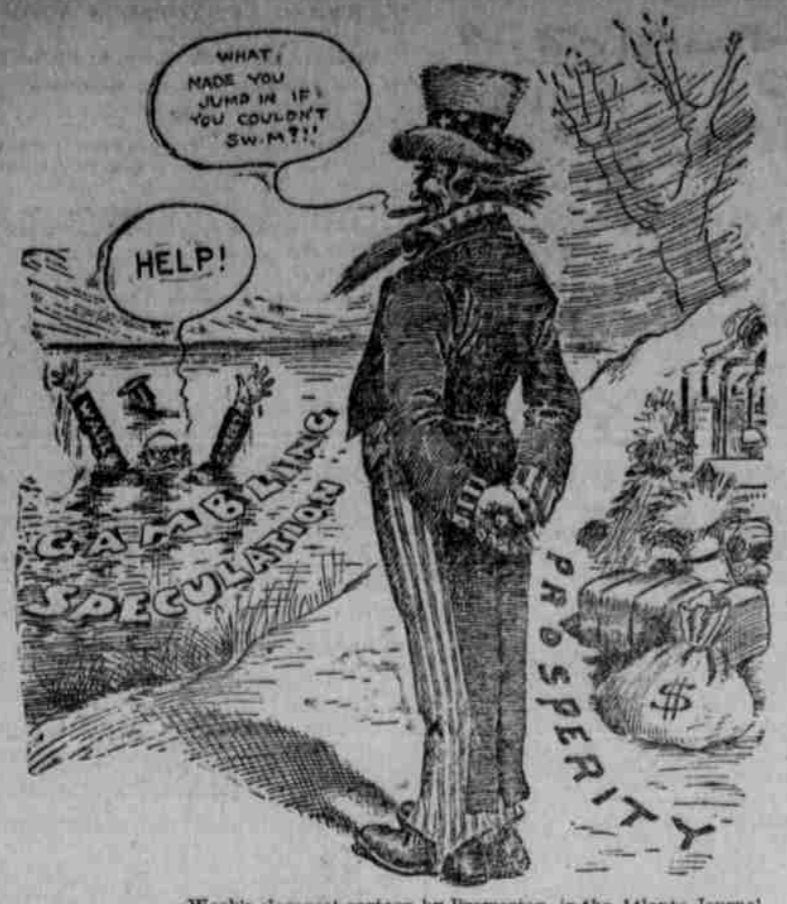
Nobody had ever accused Nathan Harlow of indulging in romance or sentiment. When it came to a question of young Jared Parker's marrying one of Mr. Harlow's daughters, the practical father was amazed to find how little influence his wisdom had.

Dr. Marage recently presented before the Academy of Medicine, at Paris, the results of an investigation of the amount of work performed by orators and singers. It appears from his experiments that a bass voice, in order to produce the same impression upon the ears of hearers in a hall, requires the performance of from seven to ten times as much work as a soprano or tenor voice.

"There is a man in my town," said Richard Sanders, of Los Angeles, at the Maxwell, "who attracts a deal of attention by driving a beautiful ostrich to a small lightweight vehicle. The great bird draws the vehicle in the finest kind of manner and can make some awfully fast time. Not long ago the bird raced against a fast horse and won the race by three good lengths. The ostrich can kick like a battering ram. That is his only means of defense. Winter tourists visiting Los Angeles go wild with delight at seeing the ostrich driven about the city."—Nashville Tennessean.

"For many years I have used coffee and refused to be convinced of its bad effect upon the human system," writes a veteran school teacher. "Ten years ago I was obliged to give up my much loved work in the public schools after years of continuous labor. I had developed a well defined case of chronic coffee poisoning. The troubles were constipation, fluttering of the heart, a thumping in the top of my head and various parts of my body, twitching of my limbs, shaking of my head and, at times after exertion, a general 'gone' feeling with a toper's desire for very strong coffee. I was a nervous wreck for years. A short time ago friends came to visit us and they brought a package of Postum with them and urged me to try it. I was prejudiced because some years ago I had drunk a cup of weak, tasteless stuff called Postum, which I did not like at all. This time, however, my friend made the Postum according to directions on the package, and it won me. Suddenly I found myself improving in a most decided fashion. The odor of boiling coffee no longer tormented me. I am so greatly benefited by Postum that if I continue to improve as I am now, I'll begin to think I have found the Fountain of Perpetual Youth. This is no fancy letter but stubborn facts, which I am glad to make known."

IT DOESN'T BOTHER YOUR UNCLE SAM.



DAY OF CHEAP MEAT IS OVER

According to Statistics, a Large Part of the Population Will Have to Do Without It—People Eat Less and Less—Only 59.3 as Much Per Capita as in 1840—Many Causes Contribute to This Condition.

Washington, D. C.—That a time is rapidly coming when a large part of the population of this country must go without meat, just as many of the poor do in other countries, is the fact pointed to in a report on meat supply and surplus, which has recently been published by direction of Secretary Wilson, and which was written by George K. Holmes, chief of the division of foreign markets of the Department of Agriculture.

Nothing is more common in these days of prosperity than the remark that every one is eating more meat. This is not the case, according to Mr. Holmes. He has made a searching analysis of the census and other figures on meat supply, surplus and the like, and finds the stock of meat animals in the country diminishing relative to the population and the consumption per capita declining.

WOMAN POSED AS MAN FOR 60 YEARS

Once Lived as a Husband, and Only Revealed Secret Just Before Death—Ranchman and Bank Clerk—Coming to America From France, She Found She Could Get Work Best in Male Attire.

Trinidad, Col.—Charles Vanbaugh, alias Katherine Vosbaugh, a woman who for sixty years passed as a married man, and was a bank clerk and sheep herder, died at San Rafael Hospital from old age. She was born in France eighty-three years ago, and came to America when eighteen years of age, relying upon her own energies to make her living. She found that she was greatly handicapped because of her sex. After wandering around the country for two years as a woman she adopted male garb and applied for a man's position. She obtained employment in Joplin, Mo., and worked there as a bookkeeper for several years.

Viceroy Lord Minto Says It Is Impossible to Ignore India's Unrest. Simla, India.—The Legislative Council adopted a bill designed to prevent seditious gatherings. It empowers the provincial authorities to prohibit public meetings.

Insane Soldiers From Philippines Will Be Brought to Washington. San Francisco.—Seventeen insane patients, belonging to the United States Army, who were brought from the Philippine Islands to the Presidio General Hospital, will be taken to the Army Hospital for the Insane at Washington. Colonel Geo. H. Torney, Deputy Surgeon-General, will have charge of them.

VETERAN OF THREE WARS.

A Pioneer of Colorado and Nebraska. Matthias Campbell, veteran of the Civil War and two Indian wars, and a pioneer of Colorado, now living at 218 East Nebraska street, Blair, Neb., says: "I had such pains in my back for a long time that I could not turn in bed, and at times there was an almost total stoppage of the urine. My wife and I have both used Doan's Kidney Pills for what doctors diagnosed as advanced kidney troubles, and both of us have been completely cured."

Got What He Asked For. A distinguished professor of bacteriology, wishing to study infected meats, went into a butcher shop and asked the butcher if he had any meaty pork. "No, no, sir!" answered the indignant man. "All our meats are fresh first class."

Took Mule's Tail For Rope. Mistaking the tail of a mule for an electric light pull rope in the darkest corner of his barn, John McCarthy, of this city, gave the supposed contact line a sharp jerk. The lamp did not light, but McCarthy saw stars as the mule responded to the pull with both hoofs.

WISE WORDS.

What is home without a good cook? Better an ounce of example than a pound of advice. The more a man knows the less he pretends to know. No man is totally bad and no woman is totally good. Jealousy is a vine which produces a crop of sour grapes. Everybody knows how everybody else ought to do things.

Test of Truth. A Scotchman went to London for a holiday. Walking along one of the streets, he noticed a bald-headed chemist standing at his shop door, and inquired if he had any hair restorer.

Riches in English Dialect. There are in English dialect about 1550 words meaning to give a person a thrashing, 1300 meaning a fool, 1350 meaning a slattern, and an almost innumerable quantity meaning to die and to get drunk.—County Life.

The average elevation of North America is 1550 feet, and of South America 1200 feet. The one thousandth anniversary of the founding of St. Peter's Church, Chester, England, finds the structure in good condition, portions of it having been rebuilt in 1440 and 1673.

Far Eastern Notes. Fine tobacco is being raised in India on irrigated lands. Barbers at Windsor, Ont., have received an increase in wages. Manitoba flour is seriously cutting into Australian flour in the markets of China. Shantung Province, China, may yet be one of the great fruit gardens of the world.

Prominent People. Senator Gore, who comes from the new State of Oklahoma, is blind. Lord Ashbury, of England, says the United States needs a central bank. The three living "war Governors" of the United States are Frederick Hobbs, of Vermont; Samuel J. Crawford, of Kansas, and William Sprague, of Rhode Island.

Watch The Watch Pocket.

"Why do watches get dirty?" said the jeweler. "You'll find the answer in your watch pocket. Turn it out." The patron turned out his watch pocket, sheepishly bringing forth a pinch of mud-colored dust, some lint and a small ball of black stuff.

Gunpowder And Matches. Austin Miller, employed by the Illinois Steel Company, at South Chicago, was the victim of a peculiar accident the other day, when a quantity of gunpowder, which he carried in his coat pocket, exploded.

Strenuous Times, These! We are passing rapidly from strenuous to more strenuous times. A hundred years ago our forefathers did not violate the Queen's English when they chanced to miss a sailing vessel across the Atlantic and had to wait six months for the next.

They Went To Church. Attendance at church service is obligatory upon the part of soldiers at certain English posts, and amusing stories are told of the excuses that are sometimes resorted to in order to escape this requirement.

One Cartoonist's Record. Cartoonist Davenport has the unique record of electing more men to office than any other cartoonist in the country, and his method is unique in that he does it by opposing them.

Nerve Scents. "Nerve scent" is the newest form of drugging for the smart woman. Her vanity bag is furnished with a dainty, innocent looking, gold stoppered scent bottle. It contains essence of Parma violets from Paris, which is heavily charged with ether.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

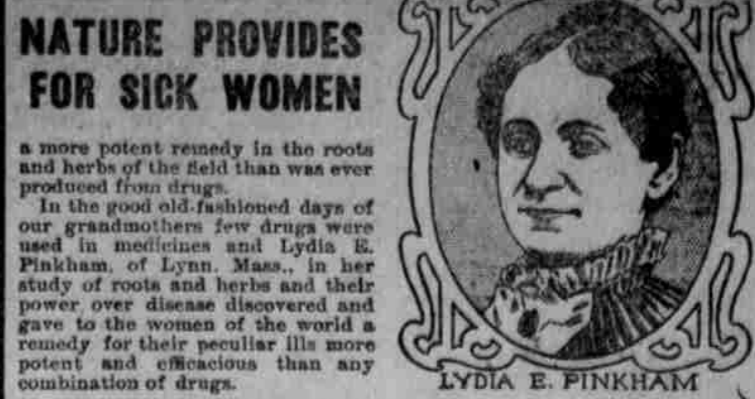
Quite Human. Mrs. Kiyi—Tony, there's a tramp dog at the door begging for an old bone. Mr. Kiyi (Irritably)—You know I don't approve indiscriminate giving. Cleo. Direct the mendicant to the pound!—Puck.

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Real Cause Of Colds. The fact that colds are more common in winter than in summer is not due simply to the lower temperature. It is mainly because people spend less of their time in the open air.

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UNFORTUNATE. Is the man or woman who, loving a good dinner, trust their appetite through fear of an consequences. Parson's Pills are an aid to digestion, insure assimilation of food, and make hearty eating possible without distress or regret.

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