

**COMMODORE NICHOLSON
OF OUR NAVY
Recommends Pe-ru-na—Other Pro-
minent Men Testify.**



Commodore Somerville Nicholson, of the United States Navy, in a letter from 1837 R St., N. W., Washington, D. C., says:

"Four Peruna has been and is now being used by so many of my friends and acquaintances as a sure cure for catarrh that I am convinced of its curative qualities, and I unhesitatingly recommend it to all persons suffering from that complaint."—S. Nicholson.

The highest man in our nation have given Peruna a strong endorsement. Men of all classes and stations are equally represented.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

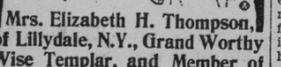
Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Ask Your Druggist for a free Peruna Almanac for 1904.

Difference in Climate.

The difference in latitude between the extremes of New York, taken with the difference in elevation and the presence of the sea in the southern part makes an appreciable difference in climate. There is decidedly more snow also a somewhat lower average with winter temperature on the edge of Yonkers than at the southwestern extremity of Staten Island. While the highest point of the city is the ridge near the center of Staten Island, where the elevation at several points exceeds four hundred feet above sea level, the general elevation in the city is considerably greater than that of the parts south of Central Park.

There are at least 150 Filipino students in American colleges.



Mrs. Elizabeth H. Thompson, of Lillydale, N.Y., Grand Worthy Wise Templar, and Member of W.C.T.U., tells how she recovered by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I am one of the many of your grateful friends who have been cured through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and who can to-day thank you for the fine health I enjoy. When I was thirty-five years old, I suffered severe backache and frequent bearing-down pains; in fact, I had womb trouble. I was very anxious to get well, and reading of the cures your Compound had made, I decided to try it. I took only six bottles, but it built me up and cured me entirely of my troubles. My family and relatives were naturally as gratified as I was. My niece had heart trouble and nervous prostration, and was considered incurable. She took your Vegetable Compound and it cured her in a short time, and she became well and strong, and her home to her great joy and her husband's delight was blessed with a baby. I know of a number of others who have been cured of different kinds of female trouble, and am satisfied that your Compound is the best medicine for sick women."—MRS. ELIZABETH H. THOMPSON, Box 105, Lillydale, N.Y.—\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

P. N. U. 4, '04.

DROPS NEW DISCOVERY; gives quick relief and cures worst cases. Best of testimonials and 10 days' treatment free. Dr. E. H. GREEN, Box 2, Atlanta, Ga.

PISO'S CURE FOR CURS WHERE ELSE FAILS. Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.

CONSUMPTION

MANNERS IN BUSINESS.

Brains and Good Department a Winning Combination. The value of brains in business cannot be overestimated, of course. But neither can the value of manners. Don't make the error of supposing that brains are everything. You may have the best set of brains in the town, but if you haven't the manners of a gentleman nobody is going to appreciate you. Your manner is the outward indication of what you are within, in the estimate of most people, and if the manner is disagreeable few will take the trouble to examine into you any further.

The consensus of general opinion is that the man who goes about with porcine quills as his manners hasn't any brains worth bothering about. Did you never notice that the men who employ large forces of intelligent people look at an applicant closely, ask a few seemingly unimportant questions and promptly employ or dismiss him? They don't sound his brain depth; they don't obtain his biography; they don't inquire into his social standing; they size him up from his manners, and if he is brass on the surface they don't look for gold within.

The employer knows that if an applicant's manner strikes him favorably it will also favorably strike people with whom he comes in contact in his work. And nobody knows better than a big business man that a favorable first impression means half the sale. People are apt to think that if there is any place where manners are of little consequence, it is in business, where cold calculation so often takes the place of feeling. But the truth is that nowhere else are manners of such importance as in every day dealings. There is no capital and equipment any young man can have that will pay him better than good manners. There is no possible calling for which this does not better fit him. If he has brains, the world owes him something, but unless he has good manners he will have a hard time collecting it.—Kansas City World.

About one thousand six hundred skilled glass cutters in 20 towns in Bohemia have struck. Work is done by the piece at prices which give the average wage 45 cents a day. The highest man in our nation have given Peruna a strong endorsement. Men of all classes and stations are equally represented.

The average annual rainfall of Ohio for fourteen years is thirty-seven inches.

PTIS permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. \$2 trial bottle and treatise free. Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

It is easier for a woman to conceal her love than it is to hide her indifference.

Salzer's Home Builder Corn. So named because 50 acres produced so heavily that it proceeds built a lovely home. See Salzer's catalog. Yield in 1903 in Ind. 137 bu., Ohio 160 bu., Tenn. 98 bu., and in Mich. 220 bu. per acre. You can beat this record in 1904.

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THESE YIELDS PER ACRE?

120 bu. Beardless Barley per acre.
310 bu. Salzer's New National Oats per Acre.
80 bu. Salzer's Speltz and Macaroni Wheat.
1400 bu. Pedigree Potatoes per acre.
14 tons of rich Billion Dollar Grass Hay.
60,000 lbs. Victoria Rape for sheep—per A.
160,000 lbs. Teosinte, the fodder wonder.
54,000 lbs. Salzer's Superior Fodder Corn rich, juicy fodder, per A.

Now, such yields you can have, Mr. Farmer, in 1904, if you will plant Salzer's seeds. [A.C.L.]

JUST SEND THIS NOTICE AND 10c. in stamps to John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., and receive their great catalog and lots of farm seed samples.

When a man thinks he knows it all he is happy until he wakes up.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

A failure to start often saves a miserable finish.

The big, red, American apple has long been a favorite with the people even in the remote regions of Germany while the fine California dried fruit now for sale in every grocery is indispensable to the average household.

2,000,000 Italians in France. There are 2,000,000 Italians in France, chiefly engaged in artistic, educational or laboring pursuits. Most of them are found in the eastern, especially in the southeastern departments, but they are scattered all through the country. On the other hand, there are only 10,000 French in Italy.—London Globe.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured With LOCAL APPLICATIONS as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. It is a blood purifier, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

W. J. CHERRY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price, 35c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Wreath of Human Bones. On a grave in a cemetery at Chichester, England, there is a wreath which at first glance appears to be a coral. In reality it is composed of human bones. The bones were collected during his travels by the deceased, who carved them with a penknife, and formed them into the wreath which now adorns his grave.

MAKE MONEY. Small amounts carefully invested through us will pay you handsome interest. Send for our latest booklet and learn how it is done.

U. S. SECURITY CO., 317 Third Avenue, Pittsburg, Pa.

MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

Wheat—No. 2 red	85	86
Rye—No. 2	68	69
Corn—No. 2 yellow, shelled	49	50
Oats—No. 2 white	47	48
Oats—No. 3 white	46	47
Flour—Winter patent	4 80	4 85
Straight winter	3 85	4 00
Hay—No. 1 timothy	18 50	19 00
Clover No. 1	15	16
Feed—No. 1 white mid. ton	21 00	22 00
Brown middlings	21 25	22 50
Straw—Wheat	8 50	9 00
Oat	8 50	9 00

Dairy Products.

Butter—Eggs creamery	26	28
Ohio creamery	24	25
Fancy country roll	16	17
Cheese—Ohio, new	12	13
New York, new	12	13

Poultry, Etc.

Hens—per lb.	14	15
Chickens—dressed	17	18
Turkeys—extra	14	17
Eggs—Pa. and Ohio, fresh	37	38

Fruits and Vegetables.

Potatoes—Fancy white per bus.	00	1 00
Cabbage—per bu.	25	30
Onions—per barrel	2 50	3 00
Apples—per barrel	2 00	4 00

BALTIMORE.

Flour—Winter Patent	4 50	4 75
Wheat—No. 2 red	88	89
Corn—mixed	50	51
Eggs—common	32	31
Butter—Creamery	45	44

PHILADELPHIA.

Flour—Winter Patent	4 50	4 00
Wheat—No. 2 red	88	89
Corn—No. 2 mixed	49	51
Oats—No. 2 white	43	44
Butter—Creamery	45	44
Eggs—Pennsylvania firsts	35	36

NEW YORK.

Flour—Patent	4 11	4 37
Wheat—No. 2 red	98	91
Corn—No. 2 mixed	52	54
Oats—No. 2 white	43	44
Butter—Creamery	45	44
Eggs—State and Pennsylvania	33	32

LIVE STOCK.

Union Stock Yards, Pittsburg, Cattle.

Prime heavy, 1400 to 1600 lbs.	5 20	5 40
Prime, 1300 to 1400 lbs.	5 00	5 15
Medium, 1200 to 1300 lbs.	4 65	4 80
Fat heifers	4 50	4 65
Butcher, 900 to 1000 lbs.	3 80	4 00
Common to fair	3 00	3 70
Oxen, common to fat	4 00	4 00
Cow, common to good fat bulis and cows	2 50	3 50
Milch cows, each	2 50	3 00

Hogs.

Prime heavy hogs	5 00	5 05
Prime medium	5 00	5 00
Best heavy Yorkers and medium	5 00	5 00
Good pigs and light Yorkers	4 75	4 85
Medium	4 50	4 50
Hogheads	3 75	4 15
Stags	3 00	3 30

Sheep.

Extra, medium wethers	4 40	4 65
Good to choice	4 10	4 35
Medium	3 50	4 00
Common to fair	3 00	3 50
Spring Lambs	4 00	5 30

Calves.

Veal, extra	6 00	6 50
Veal, good to choice	5 50	6 25
Veal, common heavy	5 00	6 00

REVIEW OF TRADE.

Easy Money Market an Improving Factor—Purchasers Contend for Lower Prices. R. G. Dunn & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says: Reports of improvement in the volume of business outnumber unfavorable dispatches, although the situation is decidedly irregular. As the money market becomes easier there is better prospect of postponed work being resumed, as all structural lines are largely dependent upon the ability of the railroads to borrow money and the restoration of confidence among investors. Many iron and steel plants have resumed, but the preceding curtailment was very severe. Distribution of merchandise increases with more normal weather and clothing houses report general orders for spring goods from salesmen at the West and South. Only a moderate improvement has appeared in the demand for iron and steel products, although the resumption of idle plants has attained encouraging proportions. In so far as pig iron is concerned the week has brought a slightly lower range of prices without stimulating inquiries, and most departments report no change in the attitude of purchasers, who are waiting for more attractive terms. This disposition is specially conspicuous as to steel rails, consumers insisting that the price should change in response to the lower cost of materials.

Bradstreet's says: While war talk and weather conditions have operated to raise prices of food products, the unquestionable improvement in the tone of trade is the mainspring of the upward swing in prices of iron and steel, the other metals and hides and leather, which, with the advance in raw textiles, helped to raise the general level of values of staple products to close to the highest for a year past and 37 per cent. above the low point of 1896, though 7 per cent. below the high point of 1900.

Old Pen Sketches of Dante Found. Prof. Giovanni Livi, director of the state archives at Bologna, which town is the center of Dante's fame, has found a parchment dated 1323 on which are two pen sketches representing Dante crowned by Bologna. This will prove of great interest to those who are searching for an authentic picture of him.

Some of the old Nile lakes, which were formerly dry salt plains in summer and covered with a few inches of alkali water in the wet season, have been reclaimed by the "British government and are now worth from \$200 to \$300 an acre. They produce magnificent crops.

General Shearer, aged 62 years, labor boss at the Fannie blast furnace and President of the West Middlesex Borough Council, was killed by fall from a 10-foot trestle last night while at work at the furnace.

Charles Capatoni was killed and his wife probably fatally injured to-night while sleighing at Bradenville, the sleigh being run down by a freight train at the Pennsylvania crossing.

George Davis and wife of Monaca, Pa., were thrown from a sleigh harn by their horse taking fright and running away. Both were injured.

MRS. COL. GRESHAM Was Given Up BY THE DOCTORS. Pe-ru-na Saved Her Life

It was catarrh of the lungs so common in the winter months.]



MRS. S. JENNIE DRISCOLL

Miss Jennie Driscoll, 870 Putnam Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., writes:

"If people knew how efficient Peruna was in the cure of catarrh, they would not hesitate to try it. I have all the faith in the world in it as it cured me, and I have never known of a case when the person was not cured in a short time."—Jennie Driscoll.

Mrs. Col. E. J. Gresham, Treasurer Daughters of the Confederacy and President Hernden Village Improvement Society, writes the following letter from Hernden, Fairfax Co., Va.:

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio:

Gentlemen—"I cannot speak too highly of the value of Peruna. I believe that I owe my life to its wonderful merits. I suffered with catarrh of the head and lungs in its worst form, until the doctors fairly gave me up, and I despaired of ever getting well again.

"I noticed your advertisement and the splendid testimonials given by the people who had been cured by Peruna, and determined to try a bottle. I felt but little better, but used a second and third bottle and kept on improving slowly.

"It took six bottles to cure me, but they were worth a King's ransom to me. I talk Peruna to all my friends and am a true believer in its worth."—Mrs. Col. E. J. Gresham.

A PLAIN TALK

On a Plain Subject in Plain Language.

The coming winter will cause at least one-half of the women to have catarrh, colds, coughs, pneumonia or consumption. Thousands of women will lose their lives and tens of thousands will acquire some chronic ailment from which they will never recover.

Unless you take the necessary precautions, the chances are that you (who read this) will be one of the unfortunate ones. Little or no risk need be run if Peruna is kept in the house, and at the first appearance of any symptom of catarrh taken as directed on the bottle.

Peruna is a safeguard, a preventative, a specific, is a cure for all cases of catarrh, acute and chronic, coughs, colds, consumption, etc.

If you do not receive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

SILOS, LUMBER, BOXES, GRATES.

You cannot afford to do without a SILO. If you want one (concrete, or steel) any lumber, timber, mill work to repair or build, or Boxes, or Grates, write G. ELLAS & BRO., Buffalo, N. Y., and get the best for the least money. Direct from the Manufacturers. Catalogues FREE. Silo contracts accepted.

The payment for the transportation of mails is at practically the same rate as it was a score of years ago, while the cost of transporting other classes of matter has been reduced one-third to one-half.

H. H. GREEN'S SONS, of Atlanta, Ga., are the only successful Dropsy Specialists in the world. See their liberal offer in advertisement in another column of this paper.

The world will forgive a man almost anything except failure.

In Emmons County, Dakota. We can sell you 100 acres of fine land. You can break 100 acres this spring, sow it to Salzer's Flax and reap enough to pay for the land, etc., having a fine farm free the first year. Have 100 such pieces for sale. John A. Salzer Seed Co., [A.C.L.] La Crosse, Wis.

The secret of popularity is always to remember what to forget.

JUNE TINT BUTTER COLOR makes top of the market butter. All things come to those who stop waiting and go after them.

Pico's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. SAUERLE, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

The lady man would rather sit down and hope than go after a certainty.

Quit Coughing. Why cough, when for 25c. and this notice you get 25 doses of an absolutely guaranteed cough cure in tablet form, postpaid. Dr. Slierwin Co., La Crosse, Wis. [A.C.L.]

A woman will forgive a man anything except his refusal to ask forgiveness.

PAXTINE TOILET ANTISEPTIC FOR WOMEN

A Boston physician's discovery which cleanses and heals all inflammation of the mucous membrane wherever located.

In local treatment of female pelvic catarrh, nasal catarrh, sore throat, sore mouth and sore eyes, because these diseases are all caused by inflammation of the mucous membrane.

For cleansing, whitening and preserving the teeth we challenge the world to produce its equal.

Physicians and specialists everywhere prescribe and endorse Paxtine, and thousands of testimonials prove its value.

At druggists, or sent postpaid 50 cts. A large trial package and book of instructions absolutely free. Write The R. Paxton Co., Dept. 25 Boston, Mass.

CAPSICUM VASELINE

(PUT UP IN COLLAPSIBLE TUBES) An excellent for and superior to any other ointment, and will not blister the most delicate skin. The pain-alleviating and curative qualities of this ointment are well known. It will stop the toothache at once, and relieve headache and sciatica. We recommend it as the best and safest external counter-irritant now, also an excellent remedy for pains in the chest, and stomach, and all rheumatic, neuralgic and gouty complaints. A trial will prove what we say for it, and it will be found to be invaluable in the household of every person. It is the best of all your preparations. Price 50 cts. per tube. Sold by all druggists or other dealers, or by sending this money to us in postpaid stamps, we will send you a tube by mail. No article should be accepted by the public unless the same carries our label, and bears the name of genuine. CHESEBROUGH MANUFACTURING CO., 17 State Street, New York City.

INSOMNIA

"I have been using Cascarets for Insomnia, with which I have been afflicted for over three years, and I can say that Cascarets have given me more relief than any other remedy I have used. I shall certainly recommend them to my friends as being all that they are represented to be."—Thos. Gillard, Esq., N. H.

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Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, No Food, Never Sickens, Weakens or Grips. See 25c. Box Sold in Bulk. The genuine tablets stamped "G.C.C." Guaranteed to cure or your money refunded. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

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Clever Russian Tricks.

Various are the expedients which Russia brings into requisition in carrying out her ends, writes Charles W. Barnaby, in the World's Work. Privileges are obtained for her merchants and caravans to pass into or through the coveted country for trade; to open stores and banks; to trade at ports and navigate rivers; to establish post route with their various stations for exchange of drivers and horses, and to install consuls at various places. Concessions are secured for cutting timber, or operating mines on certain tracts of land, and rights are produced whereby Russia and her subjects may buy land and build consulates, stores and factories, and also dwellings for those who are connected with the various enterprises.

Rights are also obtained, or taken to protect consulates and other Russian subjects of an unchristian government. Army reconnoitering expeditions are sent into the country with goods, disguised as merchants, or accompanied by a detachment of Cossacks and claiming to be scientific expeditions. Out of pure generosity concessions which unimportant, assume great significance after they are granted, and are rigorously enforced and greatly expanded.

London slaughters 25,000 horses every year and receives 10,000 others from elsewhere.

ALL DONE OUT.

Veteran Joshua Heller, of 706 South Walnut street, Urbana, Ill., says: "In the fall of 1890 after taking Doan's Kidney Pills I testified that they relieved me of kidney trouble, disposed of a lame back with pain across my loins and beneath the shoulder blades. During the interval which has elapsed I have had occasion to resort to Doan's Kidney Pills when I noticed warnings of an attack. On each and every occasion the results obtained were just as satisfactory as when the pills were first brought to my notice. I just as emphatically endorse the preparation to-day as I did over two years ago."

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., proprietors. For sale by all druggists, price 50 cents per box.

An eight-inch pipe line has been constructed from the Bakerfield oil region 280 miles to San Francisco Bay by the Standard Oil Company. The oil is so thick that it has to be heated every twenty-seven miles as it travels. The line is covered with asbestos and delivers 20,000 barrels a day.

Pain's Master

Every nook and corner of this and other countries has seen emblazoned the words

ST. JACOBS OIL

Thousands have been cured of every form of pain and chiefly

Rheumatism and Neuralgia

Price 25c. and 50c.