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# THE OLD FOLKS AT HOME

Are Never Without Peruna in the House for Catarrhal Diseases.



MR. AND MRS. J. O. ATKINSON, INDEPENDENCE, MO.

UNDER date of January 10, 1897, Dr. Hartman received the following letter: "My wife had been suffering from a complication of diseases for the past 25 years. Her case had baffled the skill of some of the most noted physicians. One of her worst troubles was chronic constipation of several years' standing. "She also was passing through that most critical period in the life of a woman—change of life. In June, 1895, I wrote to you about her case. You advised a course of Peruna and Manalin, which we at once commenced, and have to say it completely cured her. She firmly believes that she would have been dead only for these wonderful remedies. "About the same time I wrote you about my own case of catarrh, which had been of 25 years' standing. At times I was almost past going. I commenced to use Peruna according to your instructions and continued its use for about a year, and it has completely cured me. "Your remedies do all that you claim for them, and even more. Catarrh cannot exist where Peruna is taken according to directions. Success to you and your remedies." John O. Atkinson. In a letter dated January 1, 1900, Mr.

Atkinson says, after five years' experience with Peruna: "I will ever continue to speak a good word for Peruna. In my rounds as a traveling man I am a walking advertisement for Peruna and have induced many people during the past year to use Peruna with the most satisfactory results. I am still cured of catarrh." John O. Atkinson, Box 272, Independence, Mo. When old age comes on catarrhal diseases come also. Systemic catarrh is almost universal in old people. This explains why Peruna has become so indispensable to old people. Peruna is their safeguard. Peruna is the only remedy yet devised that meets these cases exactly. Such cases cannot be treated locally; nothing but an effective systemic remedy could cure them. This is exactly what Peruna is. 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, O.

Japan's Coal Supply. The coal of Japan's navy comes from Hakodate and Otaru, on the island of Jezo, which lies directly north of Nippon, upon which Tokio is situated. They are two of the largest coal-shipping ports in the world. The island is about five hundred miles, or two days' steaming, for a man-of-war, from Vladivostok.

The Reichstag has enacted a law granting its members free railroad passes. Congress considers legislation upon this subject wholly unnecessary.

10,000 Plants For 16c. This is a remarkable offer by the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., makes. They will send you their big plant and seed catalog, together with enough seed to grow: 1,000 fine solid Carrots, 2,000 delicious Carrots, 2,000 Blanching, nutty Celery, 2,000 rich, buttery Lettuce, 1,000 splendid Onions, 1,000 rare, luscious Radishes, 1,000 glorious, brilliant Celery. This great offer is made in order to induce you to try their warranted seeds—for when you once plant them you will grow no others, and ALL FOR BUT 16c. POSTAGE. providing you will return this notice, and if you will send them 20c. in postage, they will add to the above a package of the famous Berliner Cauliflower. [A.C.L.]

When love and hope first met they formed a partnership which has never been dissolved.

Arthur Hill, of Saginaw, Mich., has donated eighty acres of land to the University of Michigan to serve as an experiment farm for the forestry department of the university.

The late Italian premier, Zanardelli, was a great lawyer and author of the penal code of Italy, which is regarded as well nigh a perfect work of its kind.

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. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. WEST & TRUXAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. WALKING, KINMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

"Why does Mrs. Clubwoman look so sad?" "The world's injustice to women has just struck her forcibly again." "How was that?" "She happened to think that Martha Washington isn't called the Mother of her Country."—Cincinnati Times Star.

A grocer at Glasgow with a beer license had his shop broken into the other night by burglars. He is now wondering whether he will be charged with allowing drink to be taken from his premises after regulation hours.

## FINANCE AND TRADE REVIEW

### STEEL TRADE IMPROVING.

Manufacturers of Agricultural Implements Busy—Miners Action Had Good Effect

Improvement in trade and industry continues, favorable reports largely outnumbering adverse influences. The most important event of the week was the vote by bituminous coal miners to accept the proposed reduction in wages. This will probably prevent a serious struggle that would paralyze manufacturing just when it is beginning to revive. Traffic delays are still causing complaint and the movement of exhibits to the St. Louis exposition provides a temporary measure of importance. Railway earnings thus far available for March show a decrease of only 8 per cent, as compared with last year's figures. Another week has brought no check to the progress in the iron and steel supply, nor is there any inclination to advance prices by bounds, as in the boom four years ago. This conservatism will bring beneficial results if continued. All divisions of the pig iron market are more active, and the level of prices tends gradually upward. The leading interest is closing its option by taking the iron and will probably accept the May delivery when the option expires next month. Several large undertakings are progressing satisfactorily, providing a good market for steel and much contemplated work is becoming more tangible as the season advances. While no material increase is reported in sales of steel for railroad or structural purposes, the tone of the market is better and there is more confidence in the future. Pipe is one of the strongest features of the industry. The fuel situation is attracting attention, coke shippers being unable to secure cars. Failures this week numbered 229 in the United States, compared with 220 last year, and 21 in Canada against 22 a year ago.

Bradstreet's says: The backwardness of spring trade, generally attributed to almost interrupted bad weather—things most reports from distributive centers, but several developments of the week have been notably favorable, chief among these being the continued improvement in the iron and steel trade and the decision of the bituminous miners not to strike against proposed reduction of wages. The improvement noted in iron and steel has progressed favorably. The large buying interests have shown some weeks ago has induced freer purchasing by smaller interests. Agricultural implement manufacturers are doing the best business in years. The railroads are reported still backward in taking supplies, but late reports point to some leading systems coming into the market for steel rails. West coast car works are reported actively employed and shop supplies and tools are reported to be in more active request.

### MARKETS.

#### PITTSBURG.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

Wheat—No. 2 red.....	\$ 81	95
Rye—No. 2.....	85	86
Corn—No. 2 yellow, ear.....	52	53
Do, do, do, do, do.....	49	50
Mixed ear.....	49	50
Oats—No. 2 white.....	48	49
Do, do, do, do, do.....	46	47
Flour—Winter patent.....	4 75	4 80
Straight winter.....	4 50	4 55
Hay—No. 1.....	15	16
Clover No. 1.....	13	14
Feed—No. 1 white mid. ton.....	21	22
Do, do, do, do, do.....	20	21
Straw—Wheat.....	9	10
Oat.....	6	7

#### Dairy Products.

Butter—Elgin creamery.....	\$ 28	29
Ohio creamery.....	26	27
2nd country roll.....	23	24
Cheese—Ohio new.....	11	12
New York.....	12	13

#### Poultry, Etc.

Hens—per lb.....	\$ 15	16
Chickens—per lb.....	14	15
Turkeys, live.....	14	15
Eggs—Pa. and Ohio, fresh.....	21	22

#### Fruits and Vegetables.

Potatoes—Early white per bu.....	\$ 1.05	1.10
Cabbage—per head.....	2	2.25
Onions—per barrel.....	2	2.50
Apples—per barrel.....	3	3.75

#### BALTIMORE.

Flour—Winter Patent.....	\$ 5.20	5.50
Wheat—No. 2 red.....	1.04	1.05
Wheat—No. 2 white.....	1.03	1.04
Oats—No. 2 white.....	.99	1.00
Butter—Creamery.....	.27	.28

#### PHILADELPHIA.

Flour—Winter Patent.....	\$ 5.15	5.45
Wheat—No. 2 red.....	1.01	1.03
Corn—No. 2 mixed.....	.49	.50
Oats—No. 2 white.....	.97	.98
Butter—Creamery, extra.....	.25	.27
Eggs—Pennsylvania firsts.....	.20	.21

#### NEW YORK.

Flour—Patents.....	\$ 5.07	5.40
Wheat—No. 2 red.....	1.07	1.08
Wheat—No. 2 white.....	1.06	1.07
Oats—No. 2 white.....	.94	.97
Butter—Creamery.....	.25	.27
Eggs—State and Pennsylvania.....	.20	.21

#### LIVE STOCK.

Union Stock Yards, Pittsburgh.		
Cattle.		
Prime heavy, 1400 to 1600 lbs.....	\$ 5 10	5 25
Prime, 1300 to 1400 lbs.....	4 90	5 10
Medium, 1200 to 1300 lbs.....	4 75	4 85
Fat heifers.....	3 10	4 40
Butcher, 900 to 1000 lbs.....	3 00	4 40
Common to fair.....	2 50	3 50
Oxen, common to fat.....	3 00	4 00
Common to good fat bulls and cows.....	2 50	3 50
Milk cows, each.....	20	30 00
Hogs.		
Prime heavy hogs.....	\$ 5 80	5 80
Prime medium weight.....	5 80	5 80
Best heavy Yorkers and medium.....	5 75	5 80
Good pigs and light Yorkers.....	5 00	5 80
Pigs, common to good.....	4 50	5 00
Roughs.....	4 60	5 20
Stags.....	3 75	4 25
Sheep.		
Extra, medium weight.....	\$ 4 90	5 10
Good to choice.....	4 60	4 85
Medium.....	4 00	4 50
Common to good.....	3 50	4 00
Spring Lambs.....	5 90	6 10
Calves.		
Veal, extra.....	5 50	7 00
Veal, good to choice.....	3 00	4 50
Veal, common heavy.....	3 00	4 00



Miss M. Cartledge gives some helpful advice to young girls. Her letter is but one of thousands which prove that nothing is so helpful to young girls who are just arriving at the period of womanhood as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly, for it is the only medicine I ever tried which cured me. I suffered much from my first menstrual period, I felt so weak and dizzy at times I could not pursue my studies with the usual interest. My thoughts became sluggish, I had headaches, backaches and sinking spells, also pains in the back and lower limbs. In fact, I was sick all over.

"Finally, after many other remedies had been tried, we were advised to get Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am pleased to say that after taking it only two weeks, a wonderful change for the better took place, and in a short time I was in perfect health. I felt buoyant, full of life, and found all work a pastime. I am indeed glad to tell my experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for it made a different girl of me. Yours very truly, Miss M. Cartledge, 533 Whitehall St., Atlanta, Ga."

At such a time, the grandest aid to nature is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It prepares the young system for the necessary changes, and is the surest and most reliable cure for woman's ills of every nature. Mrs. Pinkham invites all young women who are ill to write her for free advice. Address, Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. Estes, of New York City, says: "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I write to you because I believe all young girls ought to know how much good your medicine will do them. I did dress-making for years before I was married, and if it had not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I do not believe I could have stood the strain. There is no other work that is such a strain on the system. Oh, how my back used to ache from the bending over! I would feel as though I would have to scream out from the pain, and the sitting still made me so tired and weak, and my head throbbed like an engine. I never could eat after work, I was so worn out. Then I was irregular, and had such frightful cramps every month they would simply double me up with pain, and I would have to give up working and lie down. But Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound changed me into a strong, well woman. Yours very truly, Mrs. Martha Estes, 513 West 125th St., N. Y. City."

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