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Dear Sirs— I have had occasion to use your Peruna medicine in my family for colds, and it proved to be an excellent remedy. I have not hesitated to use it for other ailments. Yours very truly,
W. M. Lord,
It will be noticed that the ex-governor says he has not had occasion to use Peruna for other ailments. The reason for this, most other ailments begin with a cold. Using Peruna to promptly cure colds, he protects his family against other ailments. This is exactly what every other family in the United States should do—keep Peruna in the house. Use it for colds, coughs, la grippe and other climatic affections of winter, and there will be no other ailments in the house. Such families should provide themselves with a copy of Dr. Hartman's free book, entitled "Chronic Catarrh."
Address Dr. S. B. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio. All correspondence held strictly confidential.

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Russia's Lack of Statesmen.

As a matter of fact, there has not been a statesman of the first class in Russia since Peter the Great, and none of the second class since Nicholas and the first Emperor Nicholaj are to be excepted. To consider Prince Gortchakoff a great chancellor on account of his elaborate dispatches is absurd. The noted epigram regarding him is doubtless just, "C'est un Narcisse qui se mire dans son encrier." To call him a great statesman, in the time of Cavour, Bismarck, Lincoln and Seward, is preposterous. Whatever growth Russia has made in the last forty years has been mainly in spite of the men who have posed before the world as her statesmen; the atmosphere of Russian autocracy is fatal to greatness in her public men—November Century.

Woolless Sheep.

The Department of Agriculture has recently imported five woolless sheep for use in the extreme Southern States. A heavy crop of wool is a burden in hot, dry districts, resulting in a direct hit effect on the quality of the mutton. These sheep are being experimented with by the Bureau of Animal Industry. They are hardy and are easy keepers. They were brought from the Barbadoes, where they proved profitable.

HITS HERMAN'S CURS FOR CONSUMPTION

The Chinese still make the best india ink.

As Medical Record.

The chief medical examiner of the Royal Arcanum reports that 103 members committed suicide during 1903. Among the supposed causes were: Domestic trouble, sixteen; financial difficulties, twenty-six; ill health, thirty-one; loss of employment, ten.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: E. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Tagging Fishes.

The United States Fish Commission has contracted the small boys' habit of tagging fishes. Metal tags are fastened to marine fishes, which are let loose in the ocean with the idea of identifying them in case they are caught at any future time.

No Doubt They Do.

In China spurious coin may be lawfully manufactured when it is intended to be placed in the coffins of the dead. The Chinese believe that those bad coins make the dead just as happy as good coins would.

FINANCE AND TRADE REVIEW

CONFIDENCE GROWING.

Aggregate of Year's Business in Most Lines Show Healthy Increase Over 1903.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says: Business was retarded by the storms, which interrupted telegraphic communications, but the loss was quickly recovered, and retail trade responded to the lower temperature, while a large jobbing distribution of holiday goods occurred. Fall River mills were reopened, but the operatives did not return in sufficient numbers to keep the machinery active, and there is still difficulty regarding the water supply in the Connecticut, coked region, which handicaps the blast furnaces. Other commercial reports are encouraging, and on the whole, conditions steadily improve. Gradual progress is desirable, providing less danger of such advances in prices as will curtail consumption.

Confidence is increasing, particularly in the steel and textile industries, and building operations are very vigorous for the season, while mercantile collections are more prompt. Farm staples are slightly cheaper in response to splendid dispatches from agricultural centers and several freight blockades have delayed the delivery of grain and merchandises. Railway earnings thus far reported for November are 8.6 per cent. larger than last year. Foreign trade is exceeding the most sanguine expectations. Official returns for October make the value of exports \$162,570,893, exceeding every month on record, with the exception of October, 1900, which reported only \$100,000 larger exports. From the highest forms of machinery, and other finished steel products down to scrap and pig iron there is evidence of a better demand and an upward tendency in quotations. Restricted supplies of coke have some influence, but more permanent and wholesome factors predominate. If the natural disposition to inflate prices is resisted, there is every reason to anticipate a satisfactory year's business in this industry during 1905, but recovery will be slower if consumption is discouraged by prohibitive quotations.

Failures this week numbered 217 in the United States against 248 last year and 27 in Canada compared with 17 a year ago.

MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.	
Grain, Flour and Feed.	
Wheat—No. 2 red	\$1.05 1/8
Wheat—No. 2 white	90 1/8
Corn—No. 2 yellow	63 5/8
Mixed ear	59 5/8
Oats	45 1/8
Flour—Winter patent	6.20
Flour—No. 1	5.75
Hay—No. 1 Timothy	13.00
Hay—No. 2	12.00
Feeder	12.50
Brown middlings	19.50
Straw—No. 1	12.00
Oat	7.00

Dairy Products.

Butter—Elgin creamery	26 3/8
Ohio	25 3/8
Essy country roll	25 3/8
Cheese—Ohio new	11 1/8
New York	11 1/8

Poultry, Etc.

Hens—per lb.	12 1/8
Chickens—dressed	16 1/8
Turkey	23 1/8
Eggs—Pa. and Ohio, fresh	23 1/8

Fruits and Vegetables.

Potatoes—New per bu.	50
Cabbages—per bu.	75
Onions—per bu.	1.85
Apples—per barrel	150 1/8

BALTIMORE.

Flour—Winter Patent	\$3.55 5/8
Wheat—No. 2 red	1.13 1/8
Corn—mixed	65 5/8
Butter—Creamery	50 3/8

PHILADELPHIA.

Flour—Winter Patent	\$3.15 5/8
Wheat—No. 2 red	1.11 1/8
Corn—No. 2 white	65 5/8
Butter—Creamery	50 3/8
Eggs—Paeninsula brand	24 3/8

NEW YORK.

Flour—Patents	6.00
Wheat—No. 2 red	1.13 1/8
Corn—No. 2 white	65 5/8
Butter—Creamery	50 3/8
Eggs	24 3/8

LIVE STOCK.

Union Stock Yards, Pittsburg, Cattle.

Prime heavy, 1400 to 1600 lbs.	\$5.50
Prime, 1200 to 1400 lbs.	4.50
Medium, 1000 to 1200 lbs.	3.40
Butcher, 500 to 1000 lbs.	2.40
Canner to fat	2.00
Oxen, common	2.00
London (weight fat bulls and cows)	2.00
Milch cows, each	16.00

Hogs.

Prime heavy hogs	5.00
Best heavy Yorkers and medium	4.80
Good pigs and light Yorkers	4.75
Pigs, common to good	4.75
Roughs	4.50
Stags	3.50

Sheep.

Strutted medium wethers	4.30
Good to choice	4.00
Medium	3.40
Spring Lambs	3.00

Calves.

Veal, extra	5.00
Veal, good to choice	4.00
Veal, common heavy	3.00

A Good Old Age.

There are three sisters living in the South whose combined ages is 260 years. They are Mrs. Epsy Morris of Talladega, Ala., who is 89; Mrs. Spar-tacogler of Atlanta, Ga., who is 87, and Mrs. Harriet Pope of Stockbridge, Ga., who is 84. The mother of the three sisters lived until she was 92.

In London the unusual heat of the last summer gave a further vogue to the straw hat and made silk hats so unpopular that the factories dismissed many of their workmen.

The Mexican Navy.

Mexico recently added two modern gunboats to its small naval fleet, and two similar vessels are now in process of construction at Genoa, Italy. In recent years Mexico has devoted some attention to fortifying her coasts, but has not increased her navy until now. The two vessels building in Italy will be named Bravo and the Morelos. Exclusive of these Italian built ships the Mexican navy consists of four gunboats in the Gulf of Mexico and two on the Pacific coast, besides several small patrol boats in southern waters. The two vessels recently built in the United States are the most formidable ships in the Mexican navy. There is a naval school at Vera Cruz, also an arsenal and a small floating dock, as well as a small wooden dock at Guaymas in the Gulf of California—Washington Star.

Mrs. Roosevelt Disapproves.

Mrs. Roosevelt has recently stamped with disapproval the cabinet dinners which each member of the president's cabinet is supposed to give every year in honor of the president. These dinners cost from \$1,000 to \$2,000 apiece, and they prove too hard a burden for cabinet members who have no fortune.

Japs Will Suffer in Winter.

Americans who have lived in Japan and watched the sufferings of the Japanese in the mild cold of their island winters, say that the armies of the Mikado must inevitably undergo great hardships and endure much sickness and serious losses by death in the bitter winter of the Manchurian hills.

'WHACKS' And What They Mean.

When Old Mother Nature gives you a "whack" remember "there's a reason" so try and say "thank you" then set about finding what you have done to demand the rebuke, and try and get back into line, for that's the happy place after all.

Curious how many highly organized people fail to appreciate and heed the first little, gentle "whacks" of the good old Dame, but so right along with the habit whatever it may be, that causes her disapproval. Whiskey, Tobacco, Coffee, Tea or other unnatural treatment of the body, until serious illness sets in or some chronic disease.

Some people seem to get on very well with those things for awhile, and Mother Nature apparently cares but little what they do.

Perhaps she has no particular plans for them and thinks it little use to waste time in their training.

There are people, however, who seem to be affected by Nature to "do things." The Old Mother expects them to carry out some department of her great work. A portion of these selected ones and again seek to stimulate and then deaden the tool (the body) by some one or more of the drugs—Whiskey, Tobacco, Coffee, Tea, Morphine, etc.

You know all of these throw down the same class of alkalis in Chemical analysis. They stimulate and then depress. They take from man or woman the power to do his or her best work.

After these people have drugged for a time, they get a bit, or mild "whack" to remind them that they have work to do, a mission to perform, and should be about the business, but are loading along the wayside and become unfit for the fame and fortune that waits for them if they but stick to the course and keep the body clear of obstructions so it can carry out the behests of the mind.

Sickness is a call to "come up higher." Those hints come in various forms, it may be stomach trouble or bowels, heart, eyes, kidneys or general nervous prostration. You may depend on it when a "whack" comes it's a warning to quit some abuse and do the right and fair thing with the body.

Perhaps it is Coffee drinking that offends. That is one of the greatest causes of human disorder among Americans.

Now then if Mother Nature is gentle with you and only gives light, little "whacks" at first to attract attention, don't abuse her consideration, or she will soon hit you harder, sure.

And you may also be sure she will hit you very, very hard if you insist on following the way you have been going.

It seems hard work to give up a habit, and we try all sorts of plans to charge our will-sorts to some other cause than the real one.

Coffee drinkers, when ill will attribute the trouble to bad food, malaria, overwork and what not, but they keep on being sick and gradually getting worse until they are finally forced to quit entirely, even the "only one cup a day." Then they begin to get better, and unless they have gone long enough to set up some fixed organic disease, they generally get entirely well.

It is easy to quit coffee if you find for it, by having well made Postum with its rich, deep, seal brown color, which comes to the beautiful golden brown when good cream is added, and the crisp snap of good, mild Java's, there if the Postum has been boiled long enough to bring it out.

It pays to be well and happy for good Old Mother Nature then sends us her blessings of many and various kinds and helps us to gain fame and fortune.

Strip off the handicaps, leave out the deadening habits, heed Mother Nature's hints, quit being a loser and become a winner. She will help you sure if you cut out the things that keep you back.

"There's a reason" and a profound one.

Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."



Women who work, whether in the house, store, office or factory, very rarely have the ability to stand the strain. The case of Miss Frankie Orser, of Boston, Mass., is interesting to all women, and adds further proof that woman's great friend in need is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered misery for several years. My back ached and I had bearing down pains, and frequent headaches. I would often wake from a restless sleep in such pain and misery that it would be hours before I could close my eyes again. I dreaded the long nights and weary days. I could do no work. I consulted different physicians hoping to get relief, but finding that their medicines did not cure me, I tried Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it was highly recommended to me. I am glad that I did so, for I soon found that it was the medicine for my case. Very soon I was rid of every ache and pain and restored to perfect health. I feel splendid, have a fine appetite, and have gained in weight a lot." —MISS FRANKIE ORSER, 14 Warren St., Boston, Mass.

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Last winter I broke down suddenly and had to seek the advice of a doctor. I felt sore all over, with a pounding in my head, and a dizziness which I had never experienced before. I had a miserable appetite, nothing tasted good, and gradually my health broke down completely. The doctor said I had female weakness, but although I took his medicine faithfully, I found no relief.

"After two months I decided to try what a change would do for me, and as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was strongly recommended to me I decided to try it. Within three days I felt better, my appetite returned, and I could sleep. In another week I was able to sit up part of the day, and in ten days more I was well. My strength had returned, I gained fourteen pounds, and felt better and stronger than I had for years. I gratefully acknowledge its merits. Very sincerely yours, Mrs. BERT E. LENNOX, 120 East 4th St., Dixon, Ill."

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