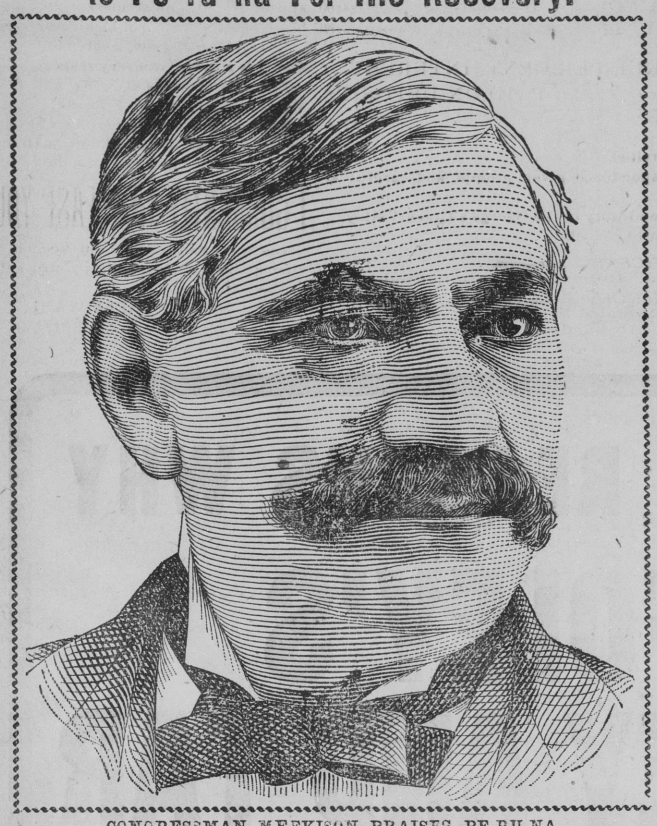
HAD CATARRH THIRTY YEARS

Congressman Meekison Gives Praise to Pe-ru-na For His Recovery.



CONGRESSMAN MEEKISON PRAISES PE-RU-NA.

Hon. David Meekison, Napoleon, Ohio, ex-member of Congress, Thirty-fifth District, writes:

"I have used several bottles of Peruna and I feel greatly benefited thereby from my catarrh of the head. I feel encouraged to believe that if I use it a short time longer I will be fully able to eradicate the disease of thirty years' standing."---David Meekison.

ANOTHER SENSATIONAL CURE: Mr. Jacob L. Davis, Galena, Stone County, Mo., writes: "I have been in bad health for thirty-seven years, and after taking twelve bottles of your Peruna I am cured."—Jacob L. Davis.

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.

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DON'T be miserable any longer.

DON'T let ill health destroy your happiness, make your life a burden and hasten its melancholy end.

DON'T waste any more time, energy and money. **DON'T** endure that "Hope deferred which maketh the heart sick," trying to cure yourself with worthless patent nostrums.

DON'T think you can't be cured because you have not sought relief in the right place.

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My life has been devoted to the study of chronic disease. To overcome the ravages of these terrible complaints, I have given years of research and to equip my perfectly appointed laboratory I have expended large sums of money.

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Write your name and address plainly on the dotted lines in the Free Medical Advice Coupon, cut it out and mail it to me at once. **DR. BRIGHAM,** Disease Expert and Bacteriologist, P. O. Box 2832, Boston, Mass.

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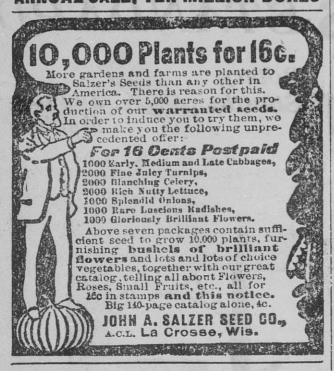

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If afflicted with weak eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**

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FINANCE AND TRADE REVIEW

WEATHER AFFECTS TRADE.

Low Temperature and Deep Snow Interfere With Traffic and Check Revival of Business.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says: Weather conditions still dominate the trade situation. Low temperature and deep snow have interferred with traffic and checked the revival of business that was well under way in most sections of the country. Retail distribution is not maintained and the deleterious effects are visible in all outdoor work, while the interruption to movement of freight has affected manufacturing to some extent.

Prices of staple commodities at the exchanges are advanced by the restricted receipts at primary markets. There is a partial offset in the largely increased demand for heavy weight wearing apparel and other winter goods, which promises to reduce supplies in all positions at the end of the season. Meanwhile there is evidence that confidence in the future remains unshaken, preparations for spring and summer trade continuing unabated, except where fuel and other supplies are temporarily blockaded in transit. Jobbing trade in dry goods is on a liberal scale. Railway earnings thus far reported for February were 1.9 per cent. smaller than a year ago, probably another result of bad weather. Foreign commerce at New York for the last week made a remarkable record for imports, exceeding in value those of the corresponding week last year by $4,376,517. Exports decreased $1,804,888.

Dispatches from leading iron and steel centers indicate no check in progress, except the temporary interruption to output and delivery, caused by storms and continued cold weather. It is possible to trace the affect of the elements upon receipt of coke, which prevented resumption of work at several blast furnaces. Quotations are firm with little fluctuation, although in several departments it is probable that higher prices will soon be asked, particularly for tin plate, which the mills cannot deliver promptly. In the textile industries the most significant event of the week was the revival of export buying of cotton goods for China.

Failures this week numbered 258 in the United States, against 287 last year, and 32 in Canada compared with 20 a year ago.

MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

Wheat—No. 2 red	$1 08	1 09
Rye—No. 2	88	89
Corn—No. 2 yellow, ear	52	53
No. 2 yellow, shelled	50	51
Mixed ear	48	49
Oats—No. 2 white	35	36
No. 3 white	34	35
Flour—Winter patent	5 80	5 85
Straight winters	5 50	5 60
Hay—No. 1 timothy	12 50	13 00
Clover No. 1	12 00	12 50
Feed—No 1 white mid. ton	22 50	23 00
Brown middlings	19 00	19 50
Bran, bulk	20 50	21 00
Straw—Wheat	8 00	8 50
Oat	8 00	8 50

Dairy Products.

Butter—Elgin creamery	32	34
Ohio creamery	18	19
Fancy country roll	14	14
Cheese—Ohio, new	11	12
New York, new	11	12

Poultry, Etc.

Hens—per lb	12	13
Chickens—dressed	15	16
Turkeys, live	16	17
Eggs—Pa. and Ohio, fresh	32	35

Fruits and Vegetables.

Potatoes—New per bu	35	40
Cabbage—per bbl	75	1 00
Onions—per barrel	2 25	2 50
Apples—per barrel	2 50	4 00

BALTIMORE.

Flour—Winter Patent	$5 55	5 80
Wheat—No. 2 red	1 14	1 16
Corn—mixed	65	66
Eggs	30	32
Butter—Creamery	35	34

PHILADELPHIA.

Flour—Winter Patent	$5 15	5 75
Wheat—No. 2 red	1 14	1 16
Corn—No. 2 mixed	58	59
Oats—No. 2 white	36	37
Butter—Creamery, extra	32	33
Eggs—Pennsylvania firsts	30	32

NEW YORK.

Flour—Patents	$6 00	6 50
Wheat—No. 2 red	1 18	1 19
Corn—No. 2	59	60
Oats—No. 2 White	36	37
Butter—Creamery	29	31
Eggs—	30	31

LIVE STOCK.

Union Stock Yards, Pittsburg.

Cattle.

Extra heavy, 1400 to 1600 lbs	$5 40	5 60
Prime, 1300 to 1400 lbs	5 20	5 35
Medium, 1200 to 1300 lbs	4 85	5 20
Tidy, 1050 to 1150	4 60	4 80
Butcher, 900 to 1100 lbs	3 50	3 75
Common to fair	2 00	2 75
Oxen, common to fat	2 75	4 00
Common to good fat bulls and cows	2 50	3 50
Milch cows, each	16 00	50 00

Hogs.

Prime heavy hogs	$5 50	5 50
Prime medium weights	5 50	5 55
Best heavy yorkers and medium	5 50	5 55
Good pigs and light yorkers	4 90	5 00
Pigs, common to good	4 00	4 75
Roughs	3 75	4 10
Stags	3 25	3 50

Sheep.

Extra, medium wethers	$5 90	6 00
Good to choice	5 60	5 80
Medium	5 00	5 55
Common to fair	2 50	3 50
Spring Lambs	5 50	8 00

Calves.

Veal, extra	5 00	7 50
Veal, good to choice	3 50	4 50
Veal, common heavy	3 00	3 75

Christmas and New Year's Day both falling on Sunday the Petit Journal of Paris has commenced a campaign to induce the French Parliament to vote two "working day" holidays.

Clinton Whittling, 39 years old, assistant superintendent of the Beaver Falls street railway, committed suicide by cutting his throat at the home of his mother in Cochranton. Ill health led to the act.

The company store of the Pittsburg and Baltimore Coal Company, at Edna No. 1, near Adamsburg, was destroyed by fire to-day. The loss is about $8,000, with small insurance.

James M. Smith, 42 years old, dropped dead in the Central hotel at Dunbar. He was section foreman of the New Haven and Dunbar railroad.

TORTURING PAIN.

Half This Man's Sufferings Would Have Killed Many a Person, But Doan's Kidney Pills Cured Him.

A. C. Sprague, stock dealer, of Normal, Ill., writes: "For two whole years I was doing nothing but buying medicines to cure my kidneys. I do not think that any man ever suffered as I did and lived. The pain in my back was so bad that I could not sleep at night. I could not ride a horse, and sometimes was unable even to ride in a car. My condition was critical when I sent for Doan's Kidney Pills. I used three boxes and they cured me. Now I can go anywhere and do as much as anybody. I sleep well and feel no discomfort at all."

A. C. SPRAGUE.

A TRIAL FREE—Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cts.

Telegraphing in Abyssinia is done under difficulties. The monkeys swing on the wires and the elephants use the poles for scratching posts.

The First White House.

The residence of Daniel Parke Custis, first husband of Martha Dandridge, was called the White House. George Washington lived there for a short time after their marriage, and from it the White House at Washington was named.

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 & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

WALDING, KINNAN & 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.

All Due Precautions Taken.

Nervous Old Lady (on seventh floor of hotel)—"Do you know what precautions the proprietor of the hotel has taken against fire?"

Porter—"Yes, mum; he has the place inshoored for twice wot it's worth."—Pittsburg Gazette.

A Guaranteed Cure For Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists will refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Freezing politeness is on a par with cold comfort.

Many School Children Are Sickly.

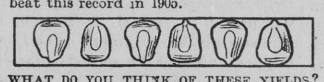
Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, break up colds in 24 hours, cure Feverishness, Constipation, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders and Destroy Worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N.Y.

The capital invested in the mineral water industry in Great Britain is $75,000,000.

American railways handle about $12,000,000 worth of grain a year.

Salzer's Home Builder Corn.

So named because 50 acres produced so heavily, that its proceeds built a lovely home. See Salzer's catalog. Yielded in Ind. 157 bu., Ohio 160 bu., Tenn. 198 bu., and in Mich. 220 bu. per acre. You can beat this record in 1905.



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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. [A. C. L.]

Aluminum, once hailed as the coming metal, is not so much heard of now. No satisfactory process of welding it ever has been discovered.

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Blotches on Hands, Ears and Ankles For Three Years—Instant Relief and Speedy Cure by Cuticura.

"Thanks to Cuticura I am now rid of that fearful pest, weeping eczema, for the first time in three years. It first appeared on my hand, a little pimple, growing into several blotches, and then on my ears and ankles. They were exceedingly painful, itching, and always raw. After the first day's treatment with Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills, there was very little of the burning and itching, and the cure now seems to be complete. (Signed) S. B. Hege, Passenger Agent B. & O. R. R., Washington, D. C."

A Schiller Memorial.

On the occasion of the hundredth anniversary of the death of Schiller (May 9, 1905) the Swiss Government intends to give every pupil in the public schools a copy of that poet's play, "William Tell." The sum of $20,000 has been set aside for this purpose.

The Paris Municipal Council has issued notices warning all inhabitants to boil the water they intend to use for drinking purposes.

Poser For the Professor.

A professor in an agricultural college had a hobby. He believed and preached on all occasions that the food of animals should be cooked, just like that of human beings. One day, while out driving in the country, he passed a farm the owner of which was standing in a pen near the road feeding a drove of swine generous quantities of corn in the ear. This caused the learned theorist to stop and forthwith hail the violator of his theory: "My friend, don't you know it is wrong to give those hogs feed that has not been cooked? Don't you know that if you would cook that grain before issuing it they would digest it in just one-half the time it takes them as it is now eaten?" "Wall, stranger, suppose they would; I'd like to know what in the ——— time is to a hog!"—New York Tribune.

There is an establishment in Brussels for teaching the lugubrious art of grave digging. It was founded by a cemetery company and was so successful that it received official approbation. All candidates for the post of sexton in Belgium must have been graduated at this unique academy.

A New Element.

What he calls "emanium" is supposed by Gisel to be a new element existing in a strongly radio-active earth, consisting chiefly of lanthanum. On a zinc blende screen this earth gives flashes brighter than radium.

FITS 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.

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To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on box. 25c.

It is a Parisian doctor who insists that love is the result of a microbe.

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

In Germany only 413 out of 1000 males reach the age of fifty years.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'BRIEN, 322 Third Avenue, N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

The English language is spoken to-day by 135,000,000 of people.

Single eyeglasses are prohibited in the German army.

Health of American Women

A Subject Much Discussed at Women's Clubs—The Future of a Country Depends on the Health of Its Women.

At the New York State Assembly of Mothers, a prominent New York doctor told the 500 women present that healthy American women were so rare as to be almost extinct.

This seems to be a sweeping statement of the condition of American women. Yet how many do you know who are perfectly well and do not have some trouble arising from a derangement of the female organism which manifests itself in headaches, backaches, nervousness, that bearing-down feeling, painful or irregular menstruation, leucorrhœa, displacement of the uterus, ovarian trouble, indigestion or sleeplessness? There is a tried and true remedy for all these ailments. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored more American women to health than all other remedies in the world. It regulates, strengthens and cures diseases of the female organism as nothing else can. For thirty years it has been curing the worst forms of female complaints.

Such testimony as the following should be convincing.

Mrs. T. C. Willadsen, of Manning, Ia., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I can truly say that you have saved my life and I cannot express my gratitude to you in words. For two years I spent lots of money in doctoring without any benefit for menstrual irregularities and I had given up all hopes of ever being well again, but I was persuaded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and three bottles have restored me to perfect health. Had it not been for you I would have been in my grave to-day."

Miss Mattie Henry, Vice-President of Danville Art Club, 429 Green Street, Danville, Va., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Many years' suffering with female weakness, inflammation and a broken down system made me more anxious to die than to live, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored my health and I am so grateful for it that I want every suffering woman to know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will do for her."

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhœa, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating, (or flatulency), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. No other medicine in the world has received such unqualified endorsement. No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

A light heart, a cheerful countenance, and all the charms of grace and beauty are dependent upon proper action of the bodily organs. You cannot look well unless you feel well.

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LION COFFEE, the LEADER OF ALL PACKAGE COFFEES, is of necessity uniform in quality, strength and flavor. For OVER A QUARTER OF A CENTURY, LION COFFEE has been the standard coffee in millions of homes.

LION COFFEE is carefully packed at our factories, and until opened in your home, has no chance of being adulterated, or of coming in contact with dust, dirt, germs, or unclean hands.

In each package of LION COFFEE you get **one full pound** of Pure Coffee. Insist upon getting the genuine. (Lion head on every package.)

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