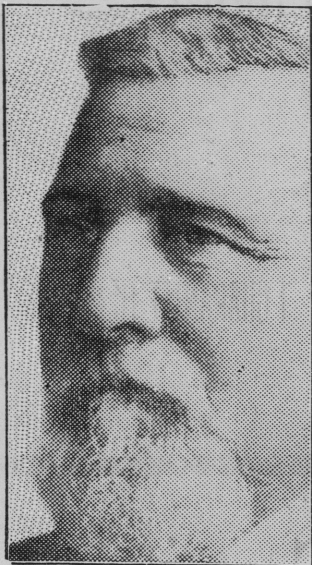


EX-MAYOR CRUMBO RECOMMENDS PE-RU-NA



"My endorsement of Pe-ru-na is based on its merits."
—Ed. Crumbo.

Ed. CRUMBO, ex-Mayor of New Albany, Ind., writes from 31 E. Oak street:
"My endorsement of Peruna is based on its merits.
"If a man is sick he looks anxiously for something which will cure him, and Peruna will do the work.
"I know that it will cure catarrh of the head or stomach, indigestion, headache and any weary or sick feeling.
"It is bound to help anyone, if used according to directions.
"I also know dozens of men who speak in the highest terms of Peruna and have yet to hear of any one being disappointed in it."
Mr. Crumbo, in a later letter, dated Aug. 25, 1904, says:
"My health is good, at present, but if I should have to take any more medicine I will fall back on Peruna."
Had a Few Lives Left.
After being missing for two weeks a cat belonging to a family in Wiltshire, England, was found clinging to the side of a well 35 feet from the surface and just above the water. She was apparently none the worse for her experience when she was brought to the top.

DISFIGURED WITH ECZEMA.

Brushed Scales From Face Like Powder—Under Physicians' Gaze—Cuticura Works Wonders.
"I suffered with eczema six months. I had tried three doctors, but did not get any better. It was on my body and on my feet so thick that I could hardly put a pin on me without touching eczema. My face was covered, my eyebrows came out, and then it got in my eye. I then went to another doctor. He asked me what I was taking for it, and I told him Cuticura. He said that was a very good thing, but that he thought that my face would be marked for life. But Cuticura did its work, and my face is now just as clear as it ever was. I told all my friends about my remarkable cure. I feel so thankful I want everybody far and wide to know what Cuticura can do. It is a sure cure for eczema. Mrs. Emma White, 641 Cherrier Place, Camden, N. J., April 25, 1905."

Mark's Books Barred.

Mark Twain's "Huckleberry Finn" and "Tom Sawyer" have been barred from children considered under the age of discretion by an order issued by the Brooklyn public libraries.

When We Begin to Grow Old.
Dr. Osler's joice remark about the comparative uselessness of man for the activities of this life after the age of 60, has brought out a rival in the person of Prof. Minot, of Harvard. Prof. Minot declares old age begins at 25. A man of 60, he says, is not nearly as likely to have an original idea as a man of 20. The Harvard professor, like Dr. Osler, must be speaking in a Pickwickian sense. If he was in earnest he certainly would have placed the beginning of old age at birth, for there is where it really begins.—Pittsburgh Gazette.

Journalism in the Laboratory

If the Eastern colleges have been somewhat slow in establishing schools of journalism, the faculties in the West have perhaps been over-bold in experimenting with newspaper-making. The University of Kansas has established a department of Journalism, and at the University of Chicago, Professor George E. Vincent has conducted for three years a course entitled "The History and Organization of the American Press." At both places practical newspaper workers have been engaged to explain the details of actual day-to-day writing, editing, and printing. At Chicago, Professor Vincent's class was set to work last spring to issue a four-page morning newspaper. This laboratory experiment he describes in the American Journal of Sociology. It was doubtless an interesting excursion into the practical, but we suspect that it gave the students an exaggerated notion of the importance of the technique of journalism. The theory that the only way to become a newspaper writer is to write for the newspapers, is sound, but we doubt if Professor Vincent's Daily Times supplied a real test.

Merely as an experiment, however, the paper produced by the Chicago students is worth notice. It was written and "set up" between nine o'clock in the morning of June 6 and one o'clock in the morning of June 7. The editor of the college daily acted as managing editor, a student employe of the Associated Press as telegraph editor, and two student reporters as news and city editors. Its staff numbered forty, and was divided among the usual departments. From five o'clock in the afternoon until the experiment ended the plant of the Chicago Evening Journal was turned over to the students. The various news associations furnished "copy," and the morning journals allowed the reporters of the Daily Times to go out with their own men on assignments. Nothing could be more favorable for a trial, especially as one "rehearsal" was had.

Professor Vincent's verdict upon the Daily Times, which was actually sent to press but five minutes late, is that it was "on the whole a success." It did not attempt innovations, merely striving to print the day's news in a clean, attractive form. Its front page, he says, corresponded closely, so far as the choice of news went, with those of the Chicago morning papers. It erred only in giving to the account of the marriage of Emperor William's son a place on the first page with this equivocal headline, "Oldest Son of Emperor and Duchess Cecilia Married Yesterday." As it turned out, the evening papers of June 6 had "covered" the Prussian wedding so thoroughly that it was bad newspaper judgment to "feature" it on the morning of June 7. A number of "graduate students in political science and economics" wrote the editorials. Such weighty matters were discussed as the future of English diplomacy, the changes in President Roosevelt's Cabinet, democracy in unionism, and "two kinds of reformers." The news that came in on June 6 called for three additional editorials on "Finance and Publicity," "Admiral Enquist and His Cruises," and "A New Theatrical Conscience." If all these matters were touched upon with the pen of authority, Professor Vincent was justified in exulting over the editorial page. In our opinion, the enterprise of the telegraph editor in turning a number of items concerning Government affairs into a special correspondent's Washington letter should not pass unnoticed. As Professor Vincent says in apology, "What are principles and policies in a crisis such as this?"—It was midnight when the letter was manufactured. The experiment strikes one as a bit of exciting fun for Professor Vincent's class, merely illustrating again what every newspaper man of experience knows—that the technique of journalism is an infinitesimal part of the equipment of a journalist. Headlines and the "make-up" of the page, the mysteries of linotype operation, and of the stereotyping room, the "lingo" of the newspaper office—these are things that the alert young reporter in an office will pick up quite as soon as he will need to know them. More to the point was the paper read before the class in journalism at the Kansas State University a few days ago by a former Topeka legislative reporter for a Kansas City newspaper. After an experience of nearly twenty years, this man declared that the essentials of a successful newspaper man are "a receptive mind and willing legs." The ability to write he subordinated, saying that in the school of the editorial blue pencil the plain recital of fact will soon come to be inevitable. Get out among people, he advised the young men ambitious to become great journalists. "Remember that it is the mind that makes the man, and if you possess a newspaper mind all the earth is yours." Insatiable curiosity as to the drift of human affairs marks the "born" journalist; the best training it is possible to give him is the widest possible acquaintance with past and present. His work will be more valuable for a knowledge of the history of Finland or of the Oregon Trail than for a year of laboratory experiments in academic newspaper building.—New York Post.

FINANCE AND TRADE REVIEW

DUN'S WEEKLY SUMMARY

New Business Increases in Volume and Orders for Rails Is Being Booked to End of the Year.

Opening spring trade is not perceptibly retarded by the partial interruption of coal mining, except in the immediate vicinity of anthracite mines. High temperature not only broadens the demand for seasonal merchandise, but stimulates agricultural operations, reopens Northern navigation and starts many contemplated building operations.

Were it not for a few labor controversies the commercial horizon would be cloudless. But some manufacturing plants will be compelled to suspend if the fuel supply is cut off and structural work is interrupted by demands for higher wages in certain localities. That the year 1906 started out to eclipse all records is evidenced by bank exchanges 18 per cent. larger than in the first quarter of the previous year, while liabilities of commercial failures averaged only 81 cents to each 5,000 of solvent payments through the clearing houses, which is the lowest commercial death rate for the first three months of any year. The average loss, if distributed through all the firms in business, was only \$24.86 to each concern; not a serious burden to be borne by the mercantile world.

Railway earnings in March were 6.9 per cent. larger than last year, and foreign commerce at New York for the last week showed gains of \$1,232,379 in imports and \$837,959 in exports as compared with the corresponding week in 1905.

Progress in the iron and steel industry has not suffered as yet from the partial suspension of coal mining and new business comes forward each week in great volume. Latest developments are most pronounced in the structural steel division.

Next in volume of new business is the tonnage of steel rails that is rapidly closing order books up to the end of the year.

Failures for last week numbered 197 as against 232 last year and 18 in Canada as against 28 last year.

MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Grain, Flour and Feed.	
Wheat—No. 2 red.....	89 83
Wheat—No. 2 yellow, ear.....	49 51
Wheat—No. 2 yellow, shelled.....	46 48
Mixed ear.....	45 47
Oats—No. 2 white.....	33 36
Oats—No. 3 white.....	31 35
Flour—Winter patent.....	4 00 4 20
Fancy straight winter.....	4 00 4 10
Hay—No. 1 Timothy.....	12 75 13 00
Feed—No. 1 white mid. ton.....	20 00 20 25
Feed—No. 2 mixed.....	19 00 19 25
Bran, bulk.....	10 00 10 50
Straw—Wheat.....	7 00 7 50
Butter.....	7 00 7 50

Dairy Products.

Butter—Elgin creamery.....	32 82
Ohio creamery.....	28 49
Fancy country roll.....	19 20
Butter—Ohio, B.W.....	13 15
New York, new.....	13 14

Poultry, Etc.

Hens—per lb.....	14 15
Chickens—dressed.....	18 18
Eggs—Pa. and Ohio, fresh.....	16 17

Fruits and Vegetables.

Apples 1b.....	8 50 9 00
Potatoes.....	12 00 12 50
Cabbage—per ton.....	13 75 15 00
Onions—per barrel.....	4 00 2 25

BALTIMORE.

Flour—Winter Patent.....	5 05 5 25
Wheat—No. 2 red.....	46 48
Corn—Mixed.....	46 47
Eggs.....	16 20
Butter—Creamery.....	44 28

PHILADELPHIA.

Flour—Winter Patent.....	5 05 5 25
Wheat—No. 2 red.....	46 48
Corn—Mixed.....	46 47
Oats—No. 2 white.....	46 47
Butter—Creamery.....	44 28
Eggs—Pennsylvania firsts.....	16 20

NEW YORK.

Flour—Patent.....	5 00 5 15
Wheat—No. 2 red.....	46 48
Corn—Mixed.....	46 47
Eggs.....	16 20
Butter—Creamery.....	44 28
Eggs—State and Pennsylvania.....	16 21

LIVE STOCK.

Union Stock Yards, Pittsburg, Cattle.	
Extra, 1,450 to 1,600 lbs.....	\$5 60 \$6 00
Prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs.....	5 35 5 60
Good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs.....	5 25 5 35
Top, 1,050 to 1,200 lbs.....	4 90 5 20
Fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs.....	4 45 4 45
Common, 700 to 900 lbs.....	3 75 4 10
Common to good fat oxen.....	4 20 4 50
Common to good fat bulls.....	2 00 4 00
Common to good fat cows.....	2 00 3 75
Heifers, 700 to 1,000 lbs.....	2 50 3 60
Fresh cows and springers.....	18 00 45 00

Hogs.

Prime heavy hogs.....	\$ 6 70 \$ 6 75
Prime medium weights.....	6 70 6 75
Good light hogs.....	6 70 6 75
Fig. as to quality.....	6 60 6 60
Crowns to 100 lbs.....	5 50 6 00
Stags.....	4 00 4 50

Sheep.

Prime wethers.....	\$ 6 00 \$ 6 25
Good mixed.....	5 60 5 90
Fair mixed ewes and wethers.....	5 00 5 50
Culls and common.....	2 50 3 00
Culls to choice lambs.....	55 0 60 00

Calves.

Veal Calves.....	\$ 4 50 \$ 6 50
Heavy and thin calves.....	8 00 4 00

Prohibit Opium Trade.

Australia's different states having agreed to prohibit the sale and growth of opium, the Commonwealth government has prohibited the importation of opium except for medical purposes. All the states will lose revenue by the prohibition. The loss to Queensland alone is estimated at \$80,000 yearly.

A BRIEF TRAGEDY.

A trip to the Post Office.
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You look for a check,
And you're handed a bill.
—Hastings News.

IT WAS.

His Wife—John, dear, the doctor says I need a change of climate.
Her Husband—All right, The weather man says it will be colder tomorrow.—Chicago News.

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A naturalist has been making observations on the toils of certain ants.

They have a queer way of holding antons L. Japan.

Costly Eggs.

Eggs of the aptornis, a recently extinct wingless bird, bring very high prices, fine colored specimens fetching as much as \$750 to \$1,000 apiece. The aptornis, or New Zealand kiwi, is a bird which, though still living, is becoming scarcer from day to day, and its final extinction is only a question of years. These kiwi breed very slowly, only one or two very large eggs being laid during the season, and as yet there is no record of the successful raising of young in captivity.

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The Highest Bridge.

The highest railroad bridge in the world will be built across the top of the famous Royal Gorge near Canyon City, Colo., and the construction will begin March 1. It will be 200 feet above the present hanging bridge of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, and from it the great stream will look like a thread of silver. The bridge will be for the extension of the electric railway system from Canyon City to Florence and the top of Royal Gorge, and the cost of the bridge will be about \$100,000.

England's Oldest Peer.

The only living peer who was a member of the house of lords at the time of Queen Victoria's accession is Lord Nelson. He succeeded to the lordship in 1835. Lord Nelson is not a direct descendant of the hero of Trafalgar, but is only collaterally descended from Horatio Nelson's sister, Mrs. Bolton. He enjoys a good estate and a pension of 5,000 granted to the first Lord Nelson and his heirs.

Chinese Cavalry.

In describing the Chinese cavalry, a correspondent asserts that horses in finer condition do not exist in any army in the world. He says that the Chinese is a born horseman, who has nothing to learn from Europe or America in the handling of horses, though he is ignorant of veterinary science.

Three States Beat Germany.

Germany's present railway mileage is reported at 34,183. The mileage in the United States is nearing the 220,000 mark. In three states, Illinois, Texas and Pennsylvania, the railway mileage is about equal to that of Germany. The lead would be greatly increased by including the traction lines.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Women in Our Hospitals

Appalling Increases in the Number of Operations Performed Each Year—How Women May Avoid Them.



Going through the hospitals in our large cities one is surprised to find such a large proportion of the patients lying on those snow-white beds women and girls, who are either awaiting or recovering from serious operations.

Why should this be the case? Simply because they have neglected themselves. Female troubles are certainly on the increase among the women of this country—they creep upon them unawares, but every one of those patients in the hospital beds had plenty of warning in that bearing-down feeling, pain at left or right of the abdomen, nervous exhaustion, pain in the small of the back, dizziness, flatulency, displacements of the organs or irregularities. All of these symptoms are indications of an unhealthy condition of the female organs, and if not heeded the penalty has to be paid by a dangerous operation. When these symptoms manifest themselves, do not drag along until you are obliged to go to the hospital and submit to an operation—remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved thousands of women from surgical operations.

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