



**HAD GIVEN UP ALL HOPE, CONFINED TO HER BED WITH DYSPEPSIA.**

**"I Owe My Life to Pe-ru-na," Says Mrs. Huffaker.**

Mrs. Mittie Huffaker, K. R. No. 3, Columbia, Tenn., writes: "I was afflicted with dyspepsia for several years and at last was confined to my bed, unable to sit up. We tried several different doctors without relief. I had given up all hope of any relief and was almost dead when my husband bought me a bottle of Pe-ru-na. At first I could not notice any benefit, but after taking several bottles I was cured sound and well. It is to Pe-ru-na I owe my life today. I cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers."

**Revised Formula.** For a number of years requests have come to me from a multitude of grateful friends, urging that Pe-ru-na be given a slight laxative quality. I have been experimenting with a laxative addition for quite a length of time, and now feel gratified to announce to the friends of Pe-ru-na that I have incorporated such a quality in the medicine which, in my opinion, can only enhance its well-known beneficial character. S. B. HARTMAN, M. D.

**Queen Alexandra's Attendants.** There are in all 15 ladies in personal attendance upon Queen Alexandra, the first being mistress of the robes, then the ladies of the bed chamber and maids of honor.

**DON'T MISS THIS.** A Cure For Stomach Trouble—A New Method, by Absorption—No Drugs. Do You Belch? It means a diseased stomach. Are you afflicted with Short Breath, Gas, Sour Eructations, Heart Pains, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Burning Pains and Lead Weight in Pit of Stomach, Acid Stomach, Distended Abdomen, Dizziness, Colic? Bad Breath or Any Other Stomach Torment? Let us send you a box of Mull's Anti-Belch Wafers free to convince you that it cures.

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**W. L. DOUGLAS MAKES & SELLS MORE NEW \$3.50 SHOES THAN ANY OTHER MANUFACTURER IN THE WORLD.** \$10,000 REWARD to anyone who can disprove this statement. If I could take you into my three large factories at Brockton, Mass., and show you the infinite care with which every pair of shoes is made, you would realize why W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes cost more to make, why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other \$3.50 shoe. W. L. Douglas Strong Made Shoes for Men, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.75, \$1.50. CAUTION—Beware of cheap imitations. W. L. Douglas shoes have his name and price stamped on bottom. Foot Color Effects used—they will not wear cheap. Write for Illustrated Catalog.

**SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY**

**Akonia** is the name of a substance manufactured in England which, dissolved in the water with which the streets are sprinkled, is said to prevent dust from rising. The heat developed by the firing of heavy guns is remarkable. During some recent tests a gun that had been fired seventy-five times melted solder placed upon the chase, while another was hot enough to soften lead, indicating a temperature of 600 degrees F.

According to information gathered by the American Iron and Steel Association, seventeen blast furnaces were in course of erection in the United States at the close of 1905, and three furnaces were being rebuilt. Of the furnaces building two were in New York, four were in Pennsylvania, one was in Tennessee, two were in Alabama, three were in Ohio, two were in Illinois, one was in Michigan, one was in Wisconsin, and one was in Colorado. With the exception of the Michigan furnace all of these furnaces, when completed, will use coke or mixed anthracite coal and coke for fuel. The Michigan furnace will use charcoal.

Phosphate rock varies, according to the mines from which it is taken. A ton of material from the mines may contain fifty, or even as much as eighty, per cent. of phosphate of lime, the remainder usually being iron and alumina. The percentage of phosphoric acid applies to the pure phosphate of lime only. The rock is not generally sold in this country until acidulated, so as to render the phosphoric acid soluble, about 100 or 115 pounds of sulphuric acid being required to acidulate 100 pounds of rock, the lime then being changed in composition to sulphate of lime, leaving the phosphoric acid free and uncombined. The sources of phosphate rock are Tennessee, Florida and South Carolina.

The experiment of growing tea, on a commercial scale, on American soil has been made at Summerville, South Carolina. A writer in the Technical World says that this year 12,000 pounds of tea will be shipped from what is at present the only tea farm in the western hemisphere. The experiment has been conducted with the advice and assistance of the Department of Agriculture, and is said to have demonstrated that we can, if we choose, grow the finest kind of tea at home. The greatest practical difficulty in competing with China, India and Ceylon is the high price of labor here. The fact that the tea-plant would flourish in some of our Southern States was experimentally established 100 years ago in a garden on the Ashley River, near Charleston.

**A Strenuous Dentist.** "Do not stir. I am going to extract all the defective teeth in your mouth, and you will not have any more to pay than if one was taken out." "But I have only one for one," replied the patient, a young man, who was already suffering horribly. "I tell you that I shall extract the lot, and instead of thanking me you object. You see that revolver. Well, if you move I shall shoot you," and the dentist laid a revolver on a table by him.

The luckless patient, perceiving that he had fallen into the hands of a lunatic, resigned himself to his fate, and had an awful time. When, however, it was all over, the dentist was as good as his word. He only asked for a very trifling sum, and after expressing the hope that his victim would send him some customers, and would himself return some day, bade him farewell. As soon as the young man was clear of the place he proceeded to the nearest police station with the story of his woes, and the dentist, who was known to have been in a queer state of mind for some time, has been removed to an asylum. But this will not restore the lost grinders, and the patient has received such a shock to his system that some time must elapse before he can be himself again.—Paris correspondence of The London Telegraph.

**Must the Housemaid Go?** Consul Covert reports that during the months of July and August, 1906, there will be held in Lyons, France, a general exposition of all electrical devices that can be applied to domestic uses. It will be conducted under the auspices of the Agricultural and Scientific Association of Lyons, and no motor will be accepted for exhibition which is over one-horse power. The object of the exhibition is to bring cheap electrical appliances nearer to the people, in order that the great mass may derive some benefit from them—motors that may be used on embroidery, sewing and knitting machines, ventilators, vacuum carpet and rug cleaners, house-cleaning machines, floor polishers, carts for transporting objects, turning spits in cooking, etc. Motors for weaving are excluded. They have been in use in and around Lyons for the last three years, and it is deemed advisable to have an exhibition at an early day expressly for such motors. Americans wishing information may apply directly to Consul Covert, United States Consular Reports. An inventor promises a boat that will cross the Atlantic in two days.

**The Point of the Proverb.** An old proverb advises the shoemaker to stick to his last. It means that a man always succeeds best at the business he knows. To the farmer it means, stick to your plow; to the blacksmith, stick to your forge; to the painter, stick to your brush. When we make experiments out of our line they are likely to prove expensive failures. It is amusing, however, to remark how every one of us secretly thinks he could do some other fellow's work better than the other fellow himself. The painter imagines he can make paint better than the paint manufacturer; the farmer thinks he can do a job of painting better, or at least cheaper than the painter, and so on.

A farm hand in one of Octave Thane's stories tells the Walking Delegate of the Painters' Union, "Anybody can slather paint," and the old line painter tells the paint salesman, "None of your ready made mixtures for me; I reckon I ought to know how to mix paint." The farm hand is wrong and the painter is wrong. "Shoemaker, stick to your last." The "faucy farmer" can farm, of course, but it is an expensive amusement. If it strikes him as pleasant to grow strawberries at fifty cents apiece, or to produce eggs that cost him five dollars a dozen, it is a form of amusement, to be sure, if he can afford it, but it's not farming. If a farmer likes to slish around with a paint brush and can afford the time and expense of having a practical painter do the job right pretty soon afterward, it's a harmless form of amusement. If the painter's customers can afford to stand for paint that comes off in half the time it should, they have a perfect right to indulge his harmless vanity about his skill in paint making. But in none of these cases does the shoemaker stick to his last.

There is just one class of men in the world that knows how to make paint properly and have the facilities for doing it right; and that is the paint manufacturers—the makers of the standard brands of ready-prepared paints. The painter mixes paints; the paint manufacturer grinds them together. In a good ready-prepared paint every particle of one kind of pigment is forced to join hands with a particle of another kind and every bit of solid matter is forced, as it were, to open its mouth and drink in its share of linseed oil. That is the only way good paint can be made, and if the painter knew how to do it he has nothing at hand to do it with. A paint pot and a paddle are a poor substitute for power-mixers, buhr-mills and roller-mills. The man who owns a building and neglects to paint it as often as it needs paint is only a degree more shortsighted than the one who tries to do his own painting or allows the painter to mix his paint for him. P. G.

**Richest Gold Field.** Kalgoorlie, Western Australia, is one of the newest and richest gold fields in the world. The following advertisement was prominently displayed in a recent issue of the Kalgoorlie Miner: "Watch the progress of the British elections. Balfour, the cooperator, is defeated. Should his mate, Chamberlain, be also defeated, all comers can indulge in a little 'light refreshment' free of charge for a period of six hours, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., at Paddy Whalen's Shamrock Hotel."

**ULCERS IN EYES.** Awful Discharge From Eyes and Nose—Grateful Mother Strongly Recommends Cuticura. "I used the Cuticura Remedies eight years ago for my little boy who had ulcers in the eyes, which resulted from vaccination. His face and nose were in a bad state also. At one time we thought he would lose his sight forever, and at that time he was in the hospital for seven or eight months and under specialists. The discharges from the eyes and nose were bad and would have left scars, I feel sure, had it not been for the free use of the Cuticura Remedies. But through it all we used the Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent, and lots of it, and I feel grateful for the benefit he received from them. The Cuticura Resolvent seemed to send the trouble out, the Ointment healed it outwardly, and the Soap cleansed and healed both. He is entirely cured now, but since then I have bought the Cuticura Resolvent to cleanse and purify the blood, and the Soap I cannot speak too highly of as a cleansing and medicinal beautifier. Mrs. Agnes Wright, Chestnut St., Irwin, Pa., Oct. 16, 1905."

**The Universal Washday.** "Wash-day is Monday everywhere," said a globe-trotter. He made a gesture of amazement. "How strange that is," he said. "We believe in the Bible, the Algerians believe in the Koran, but both of us believe in the same wash-day." "The Germans, the French, the English, the South Americans, the Arabs, the Japs, the Chinese, all have Monday for wash-day. Go where you will over the world, and on Monday clothes, white and wet from the tub, flap lazily in the wind.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

**TWICE-TOLD TESTIMONY.** A Woman Who Has Suffered Tells How to Find Relief. The thousands of women who suffer backache, languor, urinary disorders and other kidney ills, will find comfort in the words of Mrs. Jane Farrell, of 600 Ocean Ave., Jersey City, N. J., who says: "I reiterate all I have said before in praise of Doan's Kidney Pills. I had been having heavy backache and my general health was affected when I began using them. My feet were swollen, my eyes puffed, and dizzy spells were frequent. Kidney action was irregular and the secretions highly colored. To-day, however, I am a well woman, and I am confident that Doan's Kidney Pills have made me so, and are keeping me well." Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

**FINANCE AND TRADE REVIEW**

**MANUFACTURING BOOMS** Returns indicate but few strikes and little idle machinery—Railway Earnings Increase.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "Higher temperature accelerates the movement of seasonable merchandise and improves agricultural conditions, except where the precipitation has been insufficient. The season was somewhat backward on the farms until this week, but lost ground is being regained, although the scarcity of labor delays operations."

"Customary quiet prevails in certain lines that are between seasons, and mercantile collections are still irregular, yet the future is regarded with increasing confidence. Manufacturing returns indicate few strikes and little idle machinery, some sections of the iron and steel industry having secured contracts covering output more than a year ahead and shipments of footwear from Boston are surpassing all records, while textile mills operate freely, notwithstanding the high prices for raw materials."

"Despite the coal strike and interruption to freight handling at lower lake ports, railway earnings for the first week of May were 10.2 per cent. larger than in the corresponding week last year. Foreign commerce in April surpassed the same month in any preceding year, both as to exports and imports, and it is especially gratifying to note the gain in shipments of manufactured products. At New York for the last week imports gained \$3,421,929 and exports lost \$1,280,609 in comparison with last year's figures."

"Strength still prevails in the hide market, although large tanners are not operating freely, but numerous small orders make a good showing in the aggregate, and there is no evidence of trading below full rates. Leather is well maintained on the whole. Failures this week numbered 211 in the United States, against 234 last year, and 16 in Canada, compared with 11 a year ago."

**MARKETS.**

**PITTSBURG.** Grain, Flour and Feed. Wheat—No. 2 red, 80 83; No. 2 white, 72 75; No. 2 yellow, 69 71; No. 2 yellow, shelled, 65 67; Mixed ear, 55 57; Oats—No. 2 white, 37 37; No. 3 white, 36 37; Flour—Winter patent, 4 30 41 15; Fancy straight winter, 4 00 4 10; Hay—No. 1 Timothy, 15 00 15 25; Clover No. 1, 10 75 11 25; Feed—No. 1 white mid. ton, 22 50 23 01; Brown middlings, 19 50 20 13; Bran, bulk, 22 00 21 50; Straw—Wheat, 7 50 7 50; Oat, 7 50 8 00.

**Dairy Products.** Butter—Eggs creamery, 24 25; Ohio creamery, 20 21; Fancy country roll, 19 20; Cheese—Ohio, new, 12 13; New York, new, 12 13.

**Poultry, Etc.** Hens—per 10, 16 15; Chickens—fresh, 16 15; Eggs—Pa. and Ohio, fresh, 17 18.

**Fruits and Vegetables.** Apples bbl., 3 51 5 50; Potatoes—Fancy white per bu., 75 80; Cabbage—per ton, 13 00 13 00; Onions—per barrel, 2 00 2 25.

**BALTIMORE.** Flour—Winter Patent, 5 05 5 25; Wheat—No. 2 red, 4 00 4 10; Corn—Mixed, 48 47; Oats—No. 2 white, 35 36; Butter—Creamery, 20 21; Butter—Ohio creamery, 14 18.

**PHILADELPHIA.** Flour—Winter Patent, 5 05 5 25; Wheat—No. 2 red, 4 00 4 10; Corn—No. 2 mixed, 47 48; Oats—No. 2 white, 35 36; Butter—Creamery, 20 21; Eggs—Pennsylvania firsts, 16 18.

**NEW YORK.** Flour—Patents, 5 00 5 13; Wheat—No. 2 red, 80 80; Corn—No. 2 yellow, 67 68; Oats—No. 2 white, 36 38; Butter—Creamery, 20 21; Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 16 18.

**LIVE STOCK.** Union Stock Yards, Pittsburg. Cattle. Extra, 1,350 to 1,600 lbs., 55 65; Prime, 1,350 to 1,400 lbs., 50 60; Good, 1,350 to 1,380 lbs., 45 55; Tidy, 1,350 to 1,400 lbs., 44 50; Fair, 900 to 1,350 lbs., 42 48; Common, 700 to 900 lbs., 40 46; Common to good fat oxen, 37 40; Common to good fat bulls, 2 50 4 15; Common to good fat cows, 2 00 4 00; Heifers, 700 to 1,000 lbs., 25 30; Fresh cows and springers, 15 00 30 00.

**Sheep.** Prime wethers, 5 65 5 75; Good mixed, 3 33 3 60; Fair mixed ewes and wethers, 4 75 5 25; Culls and common, 2 50 4 00; Culls to choice lambs, 5 00 6 50.

**Hogs.** Prime heavy hogs, 6 60 6 65; Prime medium weights, 6 65 6 65; Best heavy Yorkers, 6 65 6 65; Good light Yorkers, 5 25 5 80; Pigs, as to quality, 5 50 5 80; Common to good roughs, 5 40 5 80; Stage, 4 00 4 35.

**Calves.** Veal Calves, \$3 00 6 25; Heavy and thin calves, 3 00 4 50.

**Oil Markets.** The following are the quotations for credit balances in the different drills: Pennsylvania, \$1 64; Texas, \$1 72; Second Sand, \$1 64; North Lima, \$1 62; South Lima, \$1 62; Indiana, \$1 36; Somerset, \$1 62; Bagland, \$1 62; Canada, \$1 36.

**Voters Emigrating.** San Marino, the smallest republic in the world, will soon be without voters if its rate of emigration keeps up. It has only 1,700, including widows, but it is still a good republic. Recently its assembly decided to abolish the executive council, the members of which have been elected for life. Hereafter members will be elected by the people for three years only.

**Richest Senator.** Senator Clark, of Montana, the richest man in the Senate, and one of the richest men in the country, is the most solitary man in public life in Washington. He has no close friends.

**FITS, St. Vitus' Dance, Nervous Diseases** permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. \$2 trial bottle and treatise free. Dr. H. R. KLINE, Ltd., 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

Between 5,000 and 6,000 alcohol engines are now in operation in Germany.

**Good Field for Surgery.** The surgical operations on the skulls of boys in Philadelphia and Toledo, by which they were converted from incorrigibly bad boys to models of good behavior, suggest that the scientists might find a field of work in the Senate. There is a possibility that they might discover some pressure on the brains of Senators at times.

**There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable.** For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly falling to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

**Superstitions of Farmers.** Farmers "stick to the moon" in regard to planting corn and other crops. Some of them will not under any circumstances plant corn in moonlight nights, claiming that corn planted then will produce a tall stalk with a short ear. Others just as successful plant when they are ready, when nights are dark or moonlight, as the case may be.

**The New Postal Note.** Postmaster General Cortelyou's new postal note of small denominations, designed to obviate the business necessity of transmitting stamps through the mails in lieu of coins, includes special forms for 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 cents, to be sold at their face value without a fee. The regular postal notes would represent sums from 10, 20 and 25 cents, graded by fives and tens up to \$1, besides notes of \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50. Mr. Cortelyou has asked Congress to appropriate \$150,000 to establish the change, commencing with the new fiscal year, July 1.

**BREAD DYSPEPSIA.** The Digesting Element Left Out. Bread dyspepsia is common. It affects the bowels because white bread is nearly all starch, and starch is digested in the intestines, not in the stomach proper.

Up under the shell of the wheat berry Nature has provided a curious deposit which is turned into diastase when it is subjected to the saliva and to the pancreatic juices in the human intestines. This diastase is absolutely necessary to digest starch and turn it into grape-sugar, which is the next form; but that part of the wheat berry makes dark flour, and the modern miller cannot readily sell dark flour, so nature's valuable digester is thrown out and the human system must handle the starch as best it can, without the help that Nature intended.

Small wonder that appendicitis, peritonitis, constipation, and all sorts of trouble exist when we go so contrary to Nature's law. The food experts that perfected Grape-Nuts Food, knowing these facts, made use in their experiments of the entire wheat and barley, including all the parts, and subjected them to moisture and long continued warmth, which allows time and the proper conditions for developing the diastase, outside of the human body.

In this way the starchy part is transformed into grape-sugar in a perfectly natural manner, without the use of chemicals or any outside ingredients. The little sparkling crystals of grape-sugar can be seen on the pieces of Grape-Nuts. This food therefore is naturally pre-digested and its use in place of bread will quickly correct the troubles that have been brought about by the too free use of starch in the food, and that is very common in the human race to-day.

The effect of eating Grape-Nuts ten days or two weeks and the discontinuance of ordinary white bread, is very marked. The user will gain rapidly in strength and physical and mental health. "There's a reason."

**CORDIAL INVITATION**

**ADDRESSED TO WORKING GIRLS**

Miss Barrows Tells How Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Helps Working Girls. Girls who work are particularly susceptible to female disorders, especially those who are obliged to stand on their feet from morning until night in stores or factories.

Day in and day out the girl toils, and she is often the bread-winner of the family. Whether she is sick or well, whether it rains or shines, she must get to her place of employment, perform the duties exacted of her—smile and be agreeable.

Among this class the symptoms of female diseases are early manifest by weak and aching backs, pain in the lower limbs and lower part of the stomach. In consequence of frequent wetting of the feet, periods become painful and irregular, and frequently there are faint and dizzy spells, with loss of appetite, until life is a burden. All these symptoms point to a derangement of the female organism which can be easily and promptly cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Miss Abby F. Barrows, Nelsonville, Athens Co., Ohio, tells what this great medicine did for her. She writes: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I feel it my duty to tell you the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier have done for me. Before I took them I was very nervous, had dull headaches, pains in back, and periods were irregular. I had been to several doctors, and they did me no good. Your medicine has made me well and strong. I can do most any kind of work without complaint, and my periods are all right.

I am in better health than I ever was, and I know it is all due to your remedies. I recommend your advice and medicine to all who suffer. It is to such girls that Mrs. Pinkham holds out a helping hand and extends a cordial invitation to correspond with her. She is daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham and for twenty-five years has been advising sick women free of charge. Her long record of success in treating women's ills makes her letters of advice of untold value to every ailing working girl. Address, Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

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