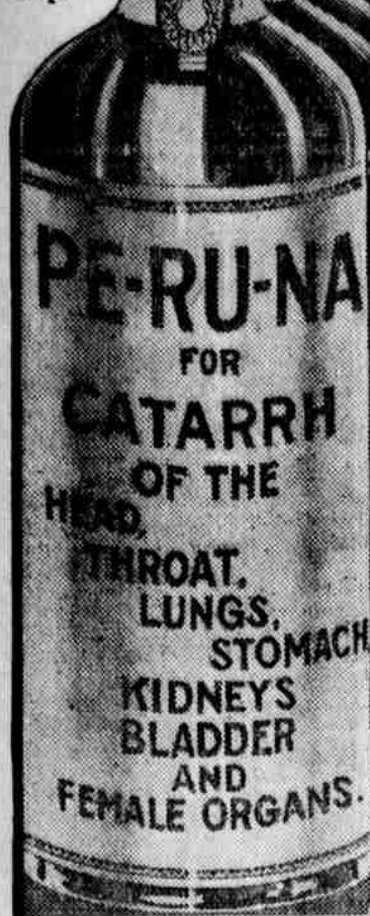


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Pe-ru-na
for
Catarrh,
Coughs,
Colds,
Grip.



Peruna is a household friend in more than a million homes. This number is increasing every day. Peruna has become a household word all over the English speaking world. It is an old tried remedy for all catarrhal diseases of the head, throat, lungs, stomach, kidneys, bladder and female organs.

Ask Your Druggist for Free Peruna Almanac for 1907.

Africa has 3,000,000 native Christians.

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, Ld., 601 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

United States Stamps.
The government of the United States has decided to give up printing its postage stamps. The Bureau of Engraving and Printing in Washington has done the work since 1894 at a loss which has amounted to considerable each year and has been made up by deficiency appropriations by Congress. The American Bank Note Co. has now secured the contract, and its work will be done in the same manner as that which this company turned out before 1894. The main feature of the new printing will be the engraving upon the stamps themselves of the names of 25 postoffices in the United States which do the largest business. There are 6,000 smaller offices, and the stamps of these will have the names printed on them. This is done in order to prevent postoffice robberies, as it will be impossible to dispose of any large number of stamps with the name of the office printed upon them after a robbery has been committed. An interesting field for collection is opened by this action on the part of our government. The attempt to gather a collection of stamps issued from every different postoffice in a state or in the United States may be made, and in many cases will undoubtedly be successfully accomplished. This form of stamp collecting will naturally take the place of postmark collecting, and in many ways is likely to be more interesting and instructive, as it will be the stepping stone to the general collection of the stamps of the world.—St. Nicholas.

WHITE BREAD
Makes Trouble For People With Weak Intestinal Digestion.

A lady in a Wis. town employed a physician, who instructed her not to eat white bread for two years. She tells the details of her sickness, and she certainly was a sick woman.

"In the year 1887 I gave out from over work, and until 1901 I remained an invalid in bed a great part of the time. Had different doctors, but nothing seemed to help. I suffered from cerebral-spinal congestion, female trouble and serious stomach and bowel trouble. My husband called a new doctor, and after having gone without any food for 10 days the doctor ordered Grape-Nuts for me. I could eat the new food from the very first mouthful. The doctor kept me on Grape-Nuts, and the only medicine was a little glycerine to heal the alimentary canal.

"When I was up again doctor told me to eat Grape-Nuts twice a day and no white bread for two years. I got well in good time, and have gained in strength so I can do my own work again.

"My brain has been helped so much, and I know that the Grape-Nuts food did this, too. I found I had been made ill because I was not fed right, that is, I did not properly digest white bread and some other food I tried to live on.

"I have never been without Grape-Nuts food since and eat it every day. You may publish this letter if you like, so it will help some one else." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Get the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

HORTICULTURE HINTS

WATCH LATELY STORED ROOTS.

Look to the lately stored roots of cannas, dahlias, caladiums and gladioli. If you find any that show decay remove them at once, as they will communicate disease to the others if allowed to remain. If mold has set in you may be sure of one of two things: That the roots are not properly "cured" before putting in the cellar or the place is too damp for them. It is a good plan to expose them again to sunshine on pleasant days, also to arrange shelves for them at some distance from the floor, on which they can be spread in such a manner that they do not touch one another.

HANDLING ROSES FOR WINTER.

In handling roses in getting them ready for winter provide yourself with thick canvas gloves. In laying the bushes down work slowly and carefully. Never bend abruptly or suddenly. If you do, broken or cracked canes will result, and that means a lost cane nine times out of ten. Take the bush firmly in hand, close at its base, and bend it gradually and in a curve. It may be well to bank some soil about the base of it over which to bend the bush, thus avoiding sharp turns. In order to minimize the amount of covering, lay the bushes close together, all pointing in the same direction.

HOUSE PLANTS AND INSECTS.

If house plants are started free from insects they are rarely much troubled with them in winter, but vigilance must be exercised to keep them clean, as their health is greatly dependent on this. Nearly all house plants should, in early autumn, be removed from their pots and set out in rich soil in the open after being pruned to half their original size. Then, when the foliage begins to grow vigorously, they should be reported and returned to the house. In this way nearly, or quite all of the insects which flourish in the house but perish in the open will be gotten rid of and proper care will prevent them from reappearing.

TO WINTER VERANDA PLANTS.

Certain potted plants add much to the comfort and beauty of the summer veranda. They are especially useful where vines are lacking, since the taller varieties make excellent screens, while the bushy ones serve admirably for decorative purposes. It proves an expensive matter, however, to buy new specimens each year.

Such hard-wooded plants as lemon verbena, oleander, fuchsia and hydrangea may be carefully carried over winter in the cellar; but the cellar must be exactly right for them; not all cellars are adapted to the needs of slumbering shrubs. It should be cool, moderately damp and at the same time absolutely frostproof. Ordinarily the cellars in furnace-heated houses are much too dry and warm for the safe storage of plants. Where this is the case, however, it is often possible to board off a portion of the basement to be used for this purpose. Geraniums, too, may be kept in this way. But in whatever way one may preserve them it frequently happens that these useful plants are devoid of blossoms at setting-out time in the spring. One may require scarlet geraniums for the window boxes, salmon ones for the beds and white ones for cemetery use, but without blossoms the plants look so nearly alike that the gardener is unable to arrange them with any certainty of a pleasing result later on. By labeling them while still in blossom and before putting them to bed for the winter, the planting will prove much more satisfactory.—Indianapolis News.

HORSERADISH CULTURE.

The little German village of Badersdorf is famous for the fine quality of its horseradish product. Over 1300 acres are devoted to the crop and the average yield is over six million pounds, selling at nearly \$120,000, at a price ranging from two and a half to four cents per pound. The land is moist valley soil which is well fertilized, divided into beds thirty inches wide and set with roots in March in rows sixteen to twenty inches apart, with plants eight to ten inches apart in the row. Of the shoots which start, all but the strongest are taken off. The soil is frequently cultivated and the weeds kept out. From about the end of June to the middle of July, on cloudy days, the soil should be uncovered from the stem and the side roots rubbed off with soft rags. Great care must be taken that the lower roots, which nourish the main root, be not injured or broken off. In heavy soil this uncovering is necessary but once; in lighter soil it should be repeated about four weeks later. After the little fibers have been removed, the soil should be again pressed on the roots, and the beds should be watered well—if possible by rain water or light liquid manure. Between the end of August and the middle of September the stalks are cut off by means of a rickie like knife, and the end roots remain in the ground until the following March to serve as plants for the next crop. If a change of crop is contemplated for a horseradish field, good care must be taken to remove all the roots carefully, for every fiber remaining will again sprout. Stable manure is used mostly for fertilizing, but some farmers have utilized artificial manure with very good results.

THE MERRY SIDE OF LIFE

PAINTING HER RAINBOW.
"He is my rain beau," she remarks; "He blushes redly when he speaks. At times it may be plainly seen That as to woman's wiles he's green. When I smile on another fellow With jealousy he then is yellow Until he thinks I am not true, And then he is the darkest blue."
—Judge.

THE BENIGHTED TRAVELER.
"Where do you expect to get off at?"
"Lord knows. This train don't make connections anywhere."—Atlanta Constitution.

BEGINNING AT THE BOTTOM.
Father—"You must begin at the bottom."
Son—"Huh! What's the use of crawling under the auto till it stops?"—New York Sun.

VIEWPOINT.
"Ah, old man, you're a star at last."
"Yes."
"Assisted by a large company, eh?"
"Well, not retarded much."—Washington Star.

THE MOTIVE.
Sallie—"Now that I have moved into your neighborhood, you must tell me where to go to church."
Alice—"Well, I prefer St. Luke's for choir and St. Luke's for curates."—New York Times.

TWO KINDS.
"I have perfected a new kind of airship," said the enthusiastic inventor.
"Which kind," asked the sardonic friend, "something to fly or something to write about?"—Washington Star.

HE DID.
Lounger—"Don't you get tired of answering the same questions, day after day?"
Ticket Agent (at railway station)—"Awfully. Somebody is always asking me that one, you know."—Chicago Tribune.

THE POINT OF VIEW.
A man was looking at a chicken in a cage.
"And to think that is what they term a well dressed chicken."



PRESCRIBING FOR THE COLONEL.
"What did the doctor prescribe for you?"
"Quinine and whisky."
"Does he think you are a teetotaler; why did he not content himself with prescribing quinine?"—Houston Post.

RAW HEIR.
"Will your Highness have the rich white man's only son cooked or served as natural?" asked the cannibal King's chef.
"Cook him thoroughly," replied his Majesty. "Raw heir is very bad for me."—New York Times.

ONE ON THE PANAMA.
Kiggins—"Snooks, the astronomer, declares that Mars is a million years older than the earth."
Higgins—"How does he prove it?"
Kiggins—"By showing that the interoceanic canals in Mars have been completed."—New York Times.

PROOF POSITIVE.
Tommy paused a moment in the work of demolition.
"This is angel cake, all right," he said.
"How do you know?" asked Johnny.
"I've found a feather in it."—Chicago Tribune.

HE MIGHT.
Schroeder (to his neighbor, a widower)—"Why did you send your housekeeper away, since she was such a good cook?"
The Widower—"She made such splendid puddings I was afraid I should marry her."—Fliegende Blaetter.

HOW SHE BROKE THE CUP.
Signora Veronelli (seeking a servant)—"Why were you sent away from your last place?"
"Because I broke a coffee cup."
"Was that the only reason?"
"Certainly, except that on that occasion my mistress had a little wound on the head."—Il Riso.

Within a year England will have 52 submarine boats, while France will have 82; Russia has 29, Japan 10.

AWFUL EFFECT OF ECZEMA.

Covered With Yellow Sores—Grew Worse—Parents Discouraged—Cuticura Drove Sores Away.

"Our little girl, one year and a half old, was taken with eczema or that was what the doctor said it was. We called in the family doctor and he gave some tablets and said she would be all right in a few days. The eczema grew worse and we called in doctor No. 2. He said she was teething; as soon as the teeth were through she would be all right. But she still grew worse. Doctor No. 3 said it was eczema. By this time she was nothing but a yellow, greenish sore. Well, he said he could help her, so we let him try it about a week. One morning we discovered a little yellow pimple on one of her eyes. Of course we 'phoned for doctor No. 3. He came over and looked her over and said that he could not do anything more for her, that we had better take her to some eye specialist, since it was an ulcer. So we went to Oswego to doctor No. 4, but that he could help it. We thought we would try doctor No. 5. Well, that proved the same, only he charged \$10 more than doctor No. 4. We were nearly discouraged. I saw one of the Cuticura advertisements in the paper and thought we would try the Cuticura Treatment, so I went and purchased a set of Cuticura Remedies, which cost me \$1, and in three days our daughter, who had been sick about eight months, showed great improvement, and in one week all sores had disappeared. Of course it could not restore the eyesight, but if we had used Cuticura in time I am confident that it would have saved the eye. We think there is no remedy so good for any skin trouble or impurity of the blood as Cuticura. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abbott, R. F. D. No. 9, Fulton, Oswego Co., N. Y., August 17, 1906."

The clearance from Japanese ports to foreign countries are about 12,000 vessels a year.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.
Pazo Ointment is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded, 50c.

Heat Cures Burns.
Observing in the tropics how the intense heat of the sun accelerated the healing of wounds and burns a French physician, Dr. Asbeck, used the heat of ordinary fire in 600 cases of burns and wounds, after putting on the usual dressing, and with uniform success.

More than 90,000,000 ties were bought by railroads in the United States last year, involving 3,000,000,000 to 4,000,000,000 feet of sound timber.

TERRIBLE TO RECALL.

Five Weeks in Bed With Intensely Painful Kidney Trouble.

Mrs. Mary Wagner, of 1367 Kosuth Ave., Bridgeport, Conn., says: "I was so weakened and generally run down with kidney disease that for a long time I could not do my work and was five weeks in bed. There was continual bearing down pain, terrible backaches, headaches and at times dizzy spells when everything was a blur before me. The passages of the kidney secretions were irregular and painful, and there was considerable sediment and odor. I don't know what I would have done but for Doan's Kidney Pills. I could see an improvement from the first box, and five boxes brought a final cure."

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The Interrupted Prayer.
An Aroostook youngster was kneeling before his white cot with head bowed and hands folded. He was repeating his "Now I lay me," and had got as far as "I pray Thee, Lord, my soul to keep," when his little sister advanced from behind and tickled his feet. With head still bowed Arthur continued: "If you'll excuse me just a minute, Lord, I'll knock the stuffing out of Nellie."—Kennebec Journal.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CLEMENT & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, etc.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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

A spider will eat 27 times its own weight in one day.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

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Many women suffer in silence and drift along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to have immediate assistance.
How many women do you know who are perfectly well and strong? The cause may be easily traced to some feminine derangement which manifests itself in depression of spirits, reluctance to go anywhere or do anything, backache, dragging sensations, flatulency, nervousness, and sleeplessness.
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