

IN MY FAMILY

"I Have Used Pe-ru-na at Various Times for Several Years."



MR. EDWARD M. BURTT.

I Recommend Pe-ru-na.

MR. EDWARD M. BURTT, 5 N. Jefferson Ave., St. Louis, Mo., writes: "It affords me much pleasure to announce that I have used your medicine at various times for several years, and that it has given entire satisfaction, not only in my own family, but also that of others of my friends. And would cheerfully recommend the use of Peruna, as I certainly do endorse your medicine."

Catarrh of Head, Nose, Throat. Mr. Charles Levy, 80 Allen St., New York, N. Y., writes:

"I am very glad to tell you of the cures wrought by Peruna in my family. My son, aged seven, who had catarrh of the nose, was cured by two bottles of Peruna, and I had catarrh of the head, nose, throat and ears. One bottle of Peruna cured me."

Peruna Tablets.—Some people prefer tablets, rather than medicine in a fluid form. Such people can obtain Peruna Tablets, which represent the solid medicinal ingredients of Peruna. Ask Your Druggist for Free Peruna Almanac for 1908.

As to the Searchers. "Do many endurance race autos pass here?" asked the city boarder, peering down the road.

"Yes, stranger," replied the old farmer. "They are all endurance racers to us."

"To you?" "Sure. It is an endurance test of patience to keep from blazing away at them every time they run over a cow or scare a horse."

Showing Ge Furniture. "I tell you I was at my best last night while calling on the Smiths; Mrs. Smith laughed at every remark I made. I must be quite a humorist when I'm in the humor."

"No, it wasn't that. Mrs. Smith got her new teeth yesterday."—Houston Post.

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"Martha Smith, the village postmistress, is in a fine humor," confided the rural mail carrier.

"Going to get a raise in salary?" asked the city boarder. "Nope! That wouldn't please her half as much as the new postal cards."

"New postal cards?" "You bet! Since people are allowed to write on both sides of them, she has had twice as much to read every mail."

Possible Explanation. Traveler—Why is it that Manila, under American occupation, is cleaner and more wholesome than many of our American cities—New York, for example?

Native—Uncle Sam has thoroughly assimilated Manila. He hasn't assimilated New York yet.

Uncle Allen on Reform. "I sometimes think," remarked Uncle Allen Sparks, "that it's a pity the Lord doesn't know as much as these people that are trying to make the world over. He'd have made it so much better than it is."

For Lung Troubles

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral certainly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption. And it certainly strengthens weak throats and weak lungs. There can be no mistake about this. You know it is true. And your own doctor will say so.

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Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills and thus hasten recovery.

ITALY'S NAVY.

New Battle Ships of the Dreadnought Type are Planned.

The Italian admiralty has drawn up a bill asking for credit to the extent of \$8,000,000 for the construction of four new battleships, loosely described as Dreadnoughts. There is good reason, however, to believe that the vessels about to be commenced will be a considerable advance on the British ship, says the London Chronicle.

The caliber of the guns is believed to be 13.5 inches, the weight of the shot fired from such guns being 1,200 pounds, as compared with 850 pounds of the Dreadnought's weapons. The Italian vessel is to carry eight of these guns, "so arranged as to obtain the fullest efficiency possible from them."

The main armament will be arranged in the same way as that of the new British cruisers of the inflexible class. There will be four turrets, one at each corner of a rhombus, two being on the center line of the ship, and one on either broadside, one near the fore and one near the after center-line turret. In this way it is possible for all the guns to be brought to bear on either broadside, and six ahead or astern.

The gun efficiency, with eight weapons arranged in this way, is the same as that obtained with ten mounted as in the Dreadnought, apart altogether from the superior power of the 13.5-inch weapon over the 12-inch.

The speed of these new ships is to be in excess of that of the latest Italian battle ships now building, which is 22 knots, and they are to have a complete belt of nearly uniform thickness. In each of these respects they will mark a considerable improvement on the Dreadnought, and they will cost \$250,000 more than that ship.

Among the Ancients.

Aristides had been sentenced to banishment from Athens for ten years. "Just my luck," he said, "because it is my luck to be just."

But when he heard the newsboys yelling "Hextry! All 'bout old 'Stides canned fer chinnin' de umpire!" and listened to the graphophones playing the latest minstrel song to the effect that—

"Then go you must, Aristide the Just! Skiddoo For you! Git up an' dust!"

he said bitterly that he'd go—but he would return some day.—Chicago Tribune.

Out of the Ordinary.

Goodley—He always seems to be very earnest, at any rate.

Knox—Oh! very. Why, he can say "How are you?" and give you the impression that he really wants to know.

—Catholic Standard and Times.

Too Much for Him.

Huggins—By did Peckem apply for a divorce?

Huggins—He happened to be home one washday when it rained.

Truth and Quality

appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing. Accordingly, it is not claimed that Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna is the only remedy of known value, but one of many reasons why it is the best of personal and family laxatives is the fact that it cleanses, sweetens and relieves the internal organs on which it acts without any debilitating after effects and without having to increase the quantity from time to time.

It acts pleasantly and naturally and truly as a laxative, and its component parts are known to and approved by physicians, as it is free from all objectionable substances. To get its beneficial effects always purchase the genuine—manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only, and for sale by all leading druggists.

The Pigeons London Eats.

A description of the manner in which pigeons are brought over from Italy to the London market is unpleasant reading, especially for those who are in the habit of eating the birds. During the journey, which occupies nearly three days, the pigeons are closely packed in crates and only once fed. The feeding takes place when they reach Paris. By that time a number are dead. These are removed, and the survivors are fed, the birds being too young to feed themselves, "by men taking soft food into the mouth, opening the beak and blowing it into the gullet." A day or so later pigeons, which are imported at the rate of 8,000 to 10,000 a week, are served up as dainty dishes for our consumption. After this I imagine that many people will cease to eat pigeons in any form unless assured that the birds do not come from Italy.—London Truth.

\$36.00 per M. Lewis' "Single Binder" straight 5c cigar, costs more than other brands, but this price gives the dealer a fair profit—and the smoker a better cigar. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

A Prediction.

"There'll be bread riots in this country yet," growled the cross boarder. "Do you think bread will ever be so scarce as to cause that?" queried the landlady. "I referred to the quality," returned the boarder, permitting a slab to fall with ominous thud on the table.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Catarrh

One of the most common of blood diseases, is much aggravated by the sudden changes of weather at this time of year. Begin treatment at once with Hood's Sarsaparilla, which effects radical and permanent cures. This great medicine has received

40,366 Testimonials

in two years, which prove its wonderful efficacy in purifying and enriching the blood. Best for all blood diseases. In usual liquid form or chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs. 100 doses \$1.

Not a Merger.

Jonah was explaining matters. "It wasn't a consolidation," he said. "It was a clear case of absorption. I was merely one of the whale's assets."

Rejoicing that he had come out whole, as it were, and landed on his feet, he resolved not to engage in any more such enterprises, and fared hopefully on his way to Nineveh.

A Fallacy.

She—Those white shoes of yours squeak. I bet they are not yet paid for.

He—Oh, there's nothing in that superstition, or why don't these white flannels and this Panama hat squeak, too?

Good Plan.

"How can I prevent the flies getting into my sugar basin?" wrote a "Constant Reader" to a journal.

"Fill the sugar basin with salt," was the laconic reply.—Pete Mele.

THOUSANDS TRY IT

HOME-MADE MIXTURE SAID TO BE CURING ALL RHEUMATISM.

The Philadelphia and New York Newspapers Print Simple Prescription Which Thousands of Readers Take Advantage Of.

Some remarkable stories are being told in the large Eastern dailies of this simple home-made mixture curing Rheumatism and Kidney trouble ever after the noted health resorts failed. Here is the recipe and directions for taking: Mix by shaking well in a bottle one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Take as a dose one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

No change need be made in your usual diet, but drink plenty of good water. This mixture, writes one authority in a leading Philadelphia newspaper, has a peculiar tonic effect upon the kidneys; cleansing the clogged-up pores of the eliminative tissues, forcing the kidneys to sift and strain from the blood the uric acid and other poisonous waste matter, overcoming Rheumatism, Bladder and Urinary troubles in a short while.

A New York druggist who has had hundreds of calls for these ingredients since the first announcement in the newspapers last October stated that the people who once try it "swear by it," especially those who have Urinary and Kidney trouble and suffer with Rheumatism.

Any druggist can supply the ingredients, which are easily mixed at home. There is said to be no better blood-cleansing agent or system tonic known, and certainly none more harmless or simple to use.

A Wise Youngster.

"To begin with," said the country merchant to a boy who had applied for a job in the store, "I will give you \$2 a week and your board."

"Will you let me have all I want to eat?" queried the boy.

"Certainly," replied the merchant.

"Why do you ask that?"

"Because," explained the boy, "the more I eat the quicker I will be able to work my weight up. See!"

It Does Indeed.

"I wonder why young Wildrake doesn't settle down," remarked Coakley.

"Oh, I suppose that goes against the grain," said Jockley.

"What grain?"

"Why, the wild oats."—Philadelphia Press.

The name of the Empress of Japan is O Haru—"spring." The name of the crown prince is Yoshi Hito.

20 Mile Team BORAX

Sample, Booklet and Parlor Game. White 10 cents, Pacific Coast Borax Co., Oakland, Cal.

Words and Deeds.

"There never was a time in my life, fellow citizens," exclaimed the candidate, "when I hadn't the courage to call a spade a spade!"

"Yes," spoke up an old farmer in the audience; "and there never was a time in your life when you had the courage to take one in your hand!"

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Some Queer Indian Names.

However rapidly the Indian is traveling the path of civilization, it is plain from a casual reading of the notices in the South Dakota newspapers of inherited Indian lands for sale that their names do not change. In one of these advertisements appear the following:

Edward Snow Boy, Emily Crow Dog, Joseph Red Leaf, Little Bird, R. Spotted Eagle, Lob Long Ear, Lizzie Lone Bull, Jonah Iron Whip, Sampel Four Star, John Omaha, Julia Humming Bird, J. Pretty Feather, Jonah One Elk, R. Crazy Eyes, Lizzie Long Ear, Medicine Horn, Feather-in-the-Ear, Cecilia Curly Feather, Robert Kill Bear.

Probably a fourth of these Indian heirs bear the names of white fathers. Half a century ago a colony of Frenchmen settled in the vicinity of the Mandans and Bruie Sioux and nearly every one of them married an Indian. Their progeny are represented by such names as Picotte, Archambeau, Arconge, De Fond, Brunot, Dezera, Tasgye, Bruyer.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner in the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

(Seal) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Too Many Syllables.

Justice Holmes of the Supreme Court of the United States recently had to announce the decision of the court in the case of David Kawananakoa, Jonah Kalanialoe, Abigale W. Kawananakoa and Elizabeth K. Kalanialoe against Ellen Albertina Polyland and others.

Justice Holmes hesitated, the Washington Star affirms, and although announcing a decision of the supreme tribunal of the land, was obliged to acknowledge that he would have to forego the form of pronouncing the names. He spoke in a low tone and said, as a smile played about his lips:

"This is Case 273, but I will not undertake to pronounce the names of the appellants, which are a matter of record."

No member of the court smiled in sympathy except Justice McKenna, but the assembled attorneys enjoyed the situation thoroughly.

Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

The Brute.

"Such an angel of a hat," chirped the vain woman as she twirled before the mirror. "Yellow and white. What does it remind you of, my dear?"

The big man in the embroidered slippers looked up from his paper.

"Yellow and white?" he repeated.

"Well, now, on the level, it reminds me of a fried egg."

Health in the Jungle.

The gorilla was looking at his reflection in the water.

He noted the corded muscles of his enormous shoulders, his tremendous biceps, the phenomenal development of his forearm, and the massive proportions of his hairy trunk.

"And all this," he said, "on a diet of fruits and vegetables!"

Thumping his broad chest, he emitted a roar that resounded through the forest and carried terror to every carnivorous animal within the sound of his mighty voice.—Chicago Tribune.

Every young man and woman should improve their hand-writing by enrolling with Los Angeles Correspondence School of Penmanship and Lettering, San Fernando Building, Los Angeles, Course, Five Dollars.

She Knew.

Mrs. Sharp—This magazine says that a good cry is healthful.

Mrs. Sharp—And it's the truth.

Mrs. Sharp—How do you know?

Mrs. Sharp—A good cry gained me a month's sojourn at the seashore last summer and I came back feeling like a new woman.

Balanced.

"Mr. Hefty called on me last evening," said the dear girl. "Isn't he awfully light on his feet for such a big man?"

"Yes," rejoined the young man in the case, "but he isn't any lighter on his feet than he is in his head."

Nothing Wasted.

"We use the low pressure system in this plant," explained the engineer. "That is, we use the steam over and over again." "I see," said the visitor. "It's something like the system of ventilation in the sleeping cars."

Prohibition.

Physician—You must not eat between meals.

Boarder—But that is the only chance I get.—New York Sun.

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OLD SORES FED AND KEPT OPEN BY IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD

Whenever a sore refuses to heal it is because the blood is not pure and healthy, as it should be, but is infected with poisonous germs or some old blood taint which has corrupted and polluted the circulation. Those most usually afflicted with old sores are persons who have reached or passed middle life. The vitality of the blood and strength of the system have naturally begun to decline, and the poisonous germs which have accumulated because of a sluggish and inactive condition of the system, or some hereditary taint which has hitherto been held in check, now force an outlet on the face, arms, legs or other part of the body. The place grows red and angry, festers and eats into the surrounding tissue until it becomes a chronic and stubborn ulcer, fed and kept open by the impurities with which the blood is saturated. Nothing is more trying and disagreeable than a stubborn, non-healing sore. The very fact that it resists ordinary remedies and treatments is good reason for suspicion; the same germ-producing cancerous ulcers is back of every old sore, and especially is this true if the trouble is an inherited one. Washes, salves, nor indeed anything else, applied directly to the sore, can do any permanent good; neither will removing the sore with caustic plasters or the surgeon's knife make a lasting cure. If every particle of the diseased flesh were taken away another sore would come, because the trouble is in the blood, and the BLOOD CANNOT BE CUT AWAY. The cure must come by a thorough cleansing of the blood. In S. S. S. will be found a remedy for sores and ulcers of every kind. It is an unequalled blood purifier—one that goes directly into the circulation and promptly cleanses it of all poisons and taints. It gets down to the very bottom of the trouble and forces out every trace of impurity and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. changes the quality of the blood so that instead of feeding the diseased parts with impurities, it nourishes the irritated, inflamed flesh with healthy blood.

I was afflicted with a sore on my face of four years' standing. It was a small pimple at first but it gradually grew larger and worse in every way until I became alarmed about it and consulted several physicians. They all treated me but the sore continued to grow worse. I saw S. S. S. advertised and commenced its use and after taking it a while I was completely cured. My blood is now pure and healthy from the effect of S. S. S., and there has not been any sign of the sore since S. S. S. cured it. THOS. OWEN West Union, Ohio.

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Then the sore begins to heal, new flesh is formed, all pain and inflammation leaves, the place scabs over, and when S. S. S. has purified the blood the sore is permanently cured. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores. Write for our special book on sores and ulcers and any other medical advice you desire. We make no charge for the book or advice. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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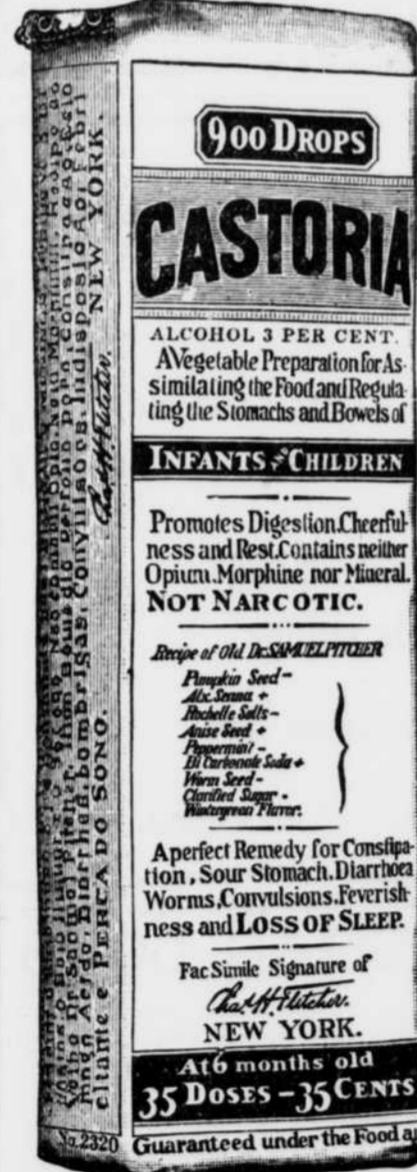
Mrs. Chugwater—Josiah, I saw the phrase, "his royal nbs.," in print the other day. Is there any meaning to it?

Mr. Chugwater—Yes; it's an English title conferred on the manufacturer who is penman to the king or queen.

Fools and Fools.

Blifkins—The only way to convince a fool is to let him have his own way.

Blifkins—Huh! I know fools even that won't convince.



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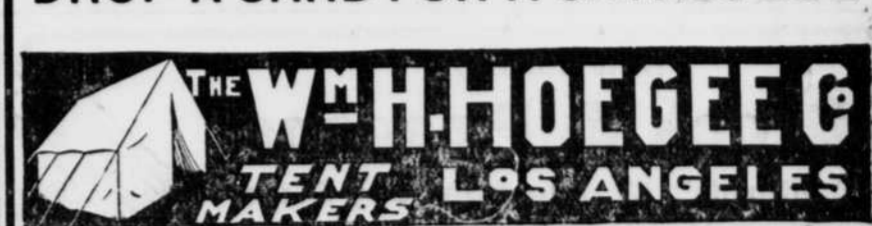
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