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Many weak, suffering women do not know that their kidneys are sick. Backache tells of sick kidneys, and so do urinary disorders. Sick kidneys make bad blood, and bad blood makes bad digestion, heart palpitation, dizzy headaches, nervousness, sleeplessness, sciatica, rheumatic pains and constant depression.

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I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. T. B. BROWN, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

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When Herbert Spencer was in the habit of dining out with his scientific and literary friends, a lady of conspicuous mental ability and learning was generally one of the company and Spencer was invariably asked to take her down to dinner. His hosts thought they were paying him a compliment in giving him the most brilliant lady of the company, but he resented always being associated with the same lady. At last, when his host on one occasion said, "Mr. Spencer, will you take Miss down to dinner?" the philosopher emphatically replied, "No, I will not," and another companion had to be found for him.

**It Made Him Dizzy.**  
When Paul Meyer, the new sub-conductor of the Chicago orchestra, came from Rigi, Russia, he was not allowed to play until he had joined the musicians' union. The committee that examined him proposed to have some fun with him, so the most tangled piece of rag-time they could find was put on the music rack before him. Meyer took up his violin, studied the music, then essayed to play it. Then he took a long rest. Twice more he tried it, then exclaimed: "Was it? If you have the menu of a Chinese restaurant bring it out and I'll play it, but this stuff makes me dizzy."

**THIN DIET.**  
No Nourishment in It.  
It's not easy to keep up when coffee has so ruined the stomach that food won't digest.

A Mo. woman says: "I had been an invalid for two years from stomach trouble caused by coffee, got so bad I couldn't digest food and for quite a while I lived on milk and lime water—nothing but that—a glass of milk and lime water six times a day. In this way I managed to live, but of course did not gain."

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# NEBRASKA STATE NEWS

## NEIGENFIND EXECUTION COSTS.

**After a Long Wait the Money Has Been Paid Over.**

LINCOLN.—At last the expenses incurred by the state for the execution of Neigenfind have been paid. The money was taken from the penitentiary cash fund for the purpose and of the last payment made \$50 went to Douglas county for the scaffold and \$130 is charged up to "execution expenses." Of the amount allowed George Stryker, the Omaha specialist, received \$73.80. In all the board of public lands and buildings appropriated \$255.83 for this execution and the payments have been made in installments from the penitentiary cash fund, the auditor having refused to audit the account. The original bill handed in by the warden was for \$300, but the board thought this excessive. Because of all the squabble in settling the account of Neigenfind's taking off the board adopted a resolution to pay in the future only \$150 for an execution, the warden to receive that amount and pay the expenses. This was done in the Rhea case, and Stryker received \$73 for his part of the affair, though all of the bill has not yet been paid.

## MUST USE THE WATER EARLY.

**Likely to Be Shortage for Irrigation Purposes Late in Season.**

LINCOLN.—State Irrigation Engineer Dobson is authority for the statement that the farmers along the North Platte who depend on irrigation for their crops will run risks of not having enough water unless they take their supply early while the river is carrying away the spring rise. He says that the small snowfall in the mountains makes the outlook rather poor for a normal flow late in the season and advises land owners to flow their lands in June or the beginning of July in order to have the soil thoroughly soaked when the crops need moisture. In this way he believes they can escape the threatened difficulties which confront them.

## Found Dead in Pasture.

STELLA.—Jacob Mann was found dead in the pasture on his brother a few miles northwest of Stella. Mr. Mann was a widower and had made his home with his brother, John Mann, for a long time. He was an eccentric character and rarely left the farm. After dinner he started on an adjoining pasture to water the stock and he was gone so long the family became uneasy and made a search for him, finding him dead, apparently having been dead for several hours. He is supposed to have died from a paralytic stroke.

## Fire at Peru Normal School.

PERU, Neb.—Fire threatened the Peru Normal school and for a time the whole building was expected to burn. The fire originated in the upper stories of the main building and burned through the floor to the rooms above. The authorities sent to Nebraska City for aid and a special was made up to take the local department down. The fire was soon got under control.

## Jails in Bad Shape.

LINCOLN.—The State Prison association, in its annual report, vigorously assails the methods employed in handling prisoners in the various county jails and the penitentiary. The matter will be taken up at a meeting to be held Tuesday night at the Lindell hotel.

## Matinee Races May 30.

BEATRICE.—At a meeting of the board of managers of the Beatrice Driving association it was decided to hold the first matinee race in this city Decoration day, May 30.

## Hotly Contested Land Case Settled.

NEBRASKA CITY.—In the county court Mike Gardner of that city, charged with selling land without title, was discharged. This case was hotly contested, numerous counsel on both sides presenting the arguments. The defendant applied for a writ of habeas corpus and claimed that there was no intent to defraud and this was sustained by the county judge.

## Seized Barrels of Vinegar.

LINCOLN.—Food Commissioner Thompson has seized a consignment of six barrels of vinegar sent to Auburn. The vinegar was manufactured in Paducah, Ky., and Mr. Thompson claims that it is made with acid instead of being of the pure cider variety.

## Accidentally Killed by Brother.

OXFORD.—George Lynch, 16 years of age, was killed in his home, fourteen miles north of this place, by the accidental discharge of a shot gun in the hands of an older brother. The victim was struck in the side, while seated at an organ, and died thirty minutes later.

## Young Girl is Burned to Death.

WYMORE.—A terrible accident occurred at the home of L. W. Welch, living three miles east of Blue Springs. The family had retired for the night, with the exception of one girl, who was just ready to go to bed and started to blow out the light. As she did so a terrific explosion occurred, the flames igniting her clothing and a number of articles in the room. After a slight of fearful agony the girl died. The accident was due to the fact that the lamp had been filled with gasoline instead of coal oil.

## NEWS IN BRIEF.

A prairie fire in Mira Valley, in Valley county, destroyed considerable property.

The State Banking board denied the application of the Farm Land Investment company of Omaha to do business in the state.

The members of the Tecumseh Christian church have called Elder C. W. Cooper of Hartford, Kan., to the pastorate to serve half time.

The Germans of the Lutheran faith have just completed a substantial church four miles south of Grafton. The church was dedicated Sunday.

Thirty-three of the thirty-five county assessors of Gage county met with County Assessor W. W. Scott and discussed the new revenue law as it pertains to assessments.

A. K. Smith of Brainard sold to Joseph Moravec and Jacob Sokup four hundred and eighty acres of land in Richardson township for \$3,750. This land is but little improved.

Josephine, the wife of Joseph Steele, of Falls City, died several days ago in Chicago after a long illness following a surgical operation. She was brought home for burial.

A movement is on foot to organize a building and loan association in Tecumseh and indications have it the plan will be successful. Something over 200 shares have already been subscribed.

Word was received at Elk Creek that Harvey Alsopch, a young man residing east of that place with his brother in Nemaha county, met with a serious accident, by having his foot caught in a horse power.

At a mass meeting of voters in Tecumseh it was decided to give the license question a direct vote at the coming municipal election. Two candidates were chosen for each of the offices to be filled and party politics will play no part in the election.

J. L. McLean, a young mechanic who came to Humboldt during the winter and opened a blacksmith shop, quietly took his departure the other day without informing any of his creditors and friends of his intention.

The barn, catshed, granary and corncrib belonging to J. A. McLaughlin, one mile west of Edgar, took fire and were entirely consumed. The fire is supposed to have been set by sparks from the engine of a freight train.

The coming of spring will mark the inauguration of a building boom in Humboldt and present indications are that more business blocks will be erected than have been put up during any year recently. Material is already on the ground for some of the structures.

The county commissioners of Colfax county have employed an auditor to go through the county books, requiring him to file a bond for the correct and faithful performance of the work in the sum of \$10,000. Frank E. Moore has just completed such auditing of the records of ex-Treasurer F. W. Shonka.

Carbolic acid was the method and a Northwestern refrigerator car the place chosen by Douglas W. Edwards, familiarly known to his friends as "Pete," in a successful attempt to end his life at Fremont. He drank the liquid at 12:55 and died within half an hour thereafter. He was married and leaves a wife and two children.

C. Vincent, a representative of the Farmers' Co-operative Elevator company, has organized a branch of the association at Davey and also one at Prairie Home. At Davey he secured fifty-five members and \$1,700 was subscribed. Mr. Vincent said that the Havelock association had marketed 24,000 bushels of wheat since its organization and had saved the membership \$890.

J. H. Ludwick, a pioneer furniture dealer of McCook, was found dead in bed. Deceased had been in poor health for months, but was feeling quite well upon retiring. Heart disease was cause of sudden demise.

Following is a summary of the mortgages filed and released in Colfax county during the month of February: Farm mortgages filed, 30, amounting to \$67,130; released, 14, amounting to \$13,232.31. Town and city mortgages filed, 15, amounting to \$5,088; released, 12, amounting to \$8,072.62. Chattel mortgages filed, 26, amounting to \$8,256.25; released, 17, amounting to \$2,958.62.

Diving through a plate glass window, Virgil Kelley, a man of 29 years, attempted to escape from the store of the Sprague Drug company, Lincoln, at an early hour. He was caught rifling the cash drawer by W. K. Sprague, who had stood guard over the store during the night, suspecting that burglars had designs on the place. The police were called and, after an exciting chase, Kelley was captured.

The habeas corpus case instituted by J. A. Johnson of Omaha to secure possession of two daughters now living with their grandparents in the northern part of Gage county, is being contested by every available means.

A dispatch was received in Nebraska City stating that the oldest son of E. E. Bordwell, who left some time ago to make his home at Elk, Wash., had died from the injuries received the day before while coasting. Mr. Bordwell was for years traveling auditor for the Edwards-Bradford Lumber company.

# 28 Army Generals Send Letters of Endorsement To The Inventor of the Great Catarrh Remedy, Pe-ru-na.

## Brigadier-General King of Confederate Army.

Writes: "I unhesitatingly state that I am convinced Peruna is a medicine that will effect all the cures that is claimed for its use."—J. Floyd King, Washington, D. C.

## General Smalls, Beaufort, S. C.

Writes: "I have used Peruna for catarrhal trouble and find it beneficial and to be all that it promises, and freely give it my unqualified recommendation."—Robert Smalls.

## General Abbott, of Washington, D. C.

Writes: "I am fully convinced that your remedy Peruna is an excellent tonic. Many of my friends have used it with the most beneficial results for coughs, colds and catarrhal trouble."—Ira C. Abbott, 906 M. St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

## Captain Yarnell, of Washington, D. C.

Writes: "Your medicine, Peruna, I believe to be the best medicine for catarrh on the market. I have taken only a small amount, and can see very beneficial results."—W. G. Yarnell, 2022 Lincoln street, N. E., Washington, D. C.

## General McBride of U. S. A.

Writes: "I have no hesitation in recommending Peruna to all persons who are afflicted with catarrhal troubles."—J. D. McBride, 450 Pennsylvania Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C.

## General Longstreet of the Confederate Army.

Writes: "I can testify to the merits of Peruna, both as a tonic and a catarrh remedy. Peruna enjoys the greatest reputation as a catarrh remedy of any medicine yet devised."—James Longstreet, Gainesville, Ga.

## General Noske of O. V. U.

Writes: "I commend Peruna to those who are troubled with colds producing catarrh as a most efficacious cure and as a good general tonic."—Chas. F. Noske, 213 B St. N. W., Washington, D. C.

## General Erwin's Recommendation.

"Many of my friends have used Peruna as a dyspepsia remedy with the most beneficial results."—John B. Erwin, Washington, D. C.

## Brig.-General Schell Benefited.

"Peruna is indeed a wonderful tonic, and for coughs and colds I know of nothing better."—F. M. Schell, Washington, D. C.

## General Duffield of the Union Army.

Writes: "I have used Peruna in my family and have found it a valuable medicine, and take pleasure in recommending it to all who suffer from catarrh of the stomach or who require a tonic of efficiency."—The Cairo, Washington, D. C.

## General Butler of South Carolina.

Writes: "I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble. I have been using your medicine for a short period and I feel very much relieved. It is indeed a wonderful medicine besides a good tonic."—M. C. Butler.

## Brigadier-General Kirby

Writes: "I can recommend Peruna to all who are afflicted with catarrh."—General D. T. Kirby, Washington, D. C.

## Gen. Powell, Hecker Post No. 443.

Writes: "After using one bottle of Peruna I became convinced of its curative qualities, and continued its use to date. All symptoms of catarrh have disappeared, yet I continue its moderate use as a preventive, and an old man's tonic."—W. H. Powell, Belleville, Ill.



## Gen. Sebring of the Confederate Army.

Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend your valuable remedy Peruna as a very excellent tonic, and also good for coughs, colds, catarrh, and general debility."—W. H. Sebring, 138 W. 4th St., Jacksonville, Fla.

## General Lumax of Washington, D. C.

Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend your remedy as a permanent and effective cure for catarrh, colds and to any one who needs an invigorating tonic to build up their system."—L. L. Lumax, 1003 19th St., Washington, D. C.

## Gen. Payne of Washington, D. C.

Writes: "I join with my comrades in recommending Peruna to my friends as an invigorating tonic to build up the system."—Gen. Eugene B. Payne, 407 4th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

## General Talley of Pa., Vol. U. S. A.

Writes: "Your Peruna has been used by me and my friends as a relief for catarrhal troubles with the most beneficial results. I am so convinced of the efficacy of Peruna that I do not hesitate to give it my recommendation."—Wm. Cooper Talley, 713 D St., N. E., Washington, D. C.

## General Bigelow Cared.

Gen. J. G. Bigelow, 151 C St., N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: "Peruna has made me well and it has given me more than ordinary strength and spirit for work."

## Gen. O'Beirne of Washington, D. C.

Writes: "As many of my friends and acquaintances have successfully used your Peruna as a catarrh cure, I feel that it is an effective remedy, and I recommend it as such to those suffering from that disease as a most hopeful source of relief."—James R. O'Beirne, 290 Broadway, Washington, D. C.

## Gen. Chase, Ass't Adj. Gen'l, G. A. R.

Writes: "The excellence of Peruna as a cure or relief for catarrhal disturbances is well established. Many of my friends have been benefited by its use."—B. F. Chase, 25 Harrison St., Anacostia, D. C.

## General S. S. Yoder of Ohio.

Writes: "I have found Peruna to be a wonderful remedy. I only used it for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits."—S. S. Yoder, Washington, D. C.

## General O'Connor of U. V. Legions.

Writes: "If you are suffering from catarrh or physical debility, immediately commence the use of Peruna. It has been of the greatest benefit and service to many of my friends."—Dennis O'Connor, 738 22nd St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

## Gen. Wright of the Confederate Army.

Writes: "I take pleasure in recommending Peruna. It is a remarkable medicine and should be used by persons who are in need of a good tonic and by sufferers from catarrh."—Marcus Wright, 1724 Colorado St., Washington, D. C.

## Gen. Hawley of Washington, D. C.

Writes: "I have used Peruna and find it very beneficial for kidney trouble and especially good for coughs, colds and catarrhal troubles."—A. P. Hawley.

## Gen. Urell of Spanish War Veterans.

Writes: "Many of my friends have used Peruna with beneficial results as an effective remedy for catarrh."—M. Emmet Urell, 813 12th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

## Other Army Generals who praise Peruna are:

### Brigadier-General Cook of Washington, D. C.

### General Sypher of Washington, D. C.

### General Middleton, Hancock Regiment, U. V. U., Washington, D. C.

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