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Under date of January 10, 1897, Dr. Hartman received the following letter:

"My wife has been a sufferer from a complication of diseases for the past twenty-five years. Her case has baffled the skill of some of the most noted physicians. One of her worst troubles was chronic constipation of several years' standing. She was also passing through that most critical period in the life of a woman—change of life.

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In a letter dated January 1, 1900, Mr. Atkinson says, after five years' experience with Peruna:

"I will ever continue to speak a good word for Peruna. I am still cured of catarrh."—John O. Atkinson, Independence, Mo., Box 272.

Ask your Druggist for a free Peruna Almanac for 1905.

Franklin's Wise Advice.

Let all your things have their places; let each part of your business have its time. Resolve to perform what you ought; perform, without fail, what you resolve. Lose no time, be always employed in something useful.—Benjamin Franklin.

Adds Milk to Water.

An Irish dairyman, accused of adding water to his milk, vehemently denied the charge. It turned out that he had spoken the truth. He always put the water in first, and added the milk to the water.

It sometimes happens that a girl hides the family bible in order to keep her age hid.

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HOW TO FIND GROUSE.

Uncertain Birds to Which Rules Do Not Always Apply.

The ruffed grouse is one of the uncertain birds to which no hard and fast rules will apply, says a writer in *Outing*, yet he has a few small peculiarities of which advantage may be taken. In wild, heavy woodland, his original haunt, he has a weakness for two things—an old totoroad, or any seldom used road, and the bank of a stream.

A man trying a bit of woods with which he is unaccustomed probably will see more grouse near an old road than anywhere else. In hilly country the lower slopes of the ravines are apt to be the best ground. In level country the long strips of thicket bordering large blocks of standing timber are ideal places and if the thicket happens to mark the edge of a clover field so much the better.

Never pass even a small thicket which stands out in a clover field with a wood upon any side. Grouse are fond of clover and until the winter sets in are apt to be in any fair shelter near the field. Later, in snow time, the borders and interior of large woodland swamps are the chosen places. If there be a region of thick, low-lying forest, having close-grown beech ridges here and there, these surely will repay the labor of beating them, for they are almost certain to be the strongholds of all the ruffed grouse of the neighborhood. Old windfalls and slashings are good because they afford acres of the sort of shelter the birds prefer in cold weather.

Should a single bird flush, proceed warily and ready for instant action, for a second and perhaps three or four stragglers may be within gunshot of the spot. Ground good for one bird may be as attractive to three or four, although each individual remains some slight distance from the others. When beating border thickets with a comrade, I prefer to work in the cover about along the line where thicket and forest join. Most men will choose the outside, but ruffed grouse almost invariably dash for the wood, hence across the line of fire of the inside man. Such shots are none too easy and trees have a knack of getting in the way, yet as a general thing the inside position means the most fun.

An Ingalls Story.

Mr. John J. Ingalls, who was always stoical, who was not seemingly affected by passion and who was perfectly indifferent to pleasure or pain, was some years ago making a long drive in the western part of the state with a companion. They were out campaigning, were full of gyp water, were wholly enveloped in the dust of the desert, their broncos being completely fagged while wearily approaching the end of a fifty-mile drive. Not a word had been spoken for half an hour. Ingalls sat stiffly beside his companion, his hair, his face, his clothing thick with the alkali dust that floated in clouds above them. Clearing his throat as he turned his face to the west, he majestically waved his hand to his companion, and, speaking in his characteristic guttural tones, said: "What a magnificent sunset."—Eldorado (Kan.) Republican.

No Money in Voting.

A colored man who registered in Brooklyn seemed rather stupid, and most of the questions bothered him. He asked that they be repeated and thought long before answering them.

"Where did you live when you voted last?" asked the chairman.

"Now, what do you want to know that for?" he asked.

"The law requires it," was the reply.

"I never voted before," he answered. Then he seemed to think that an explanation was demanded, so he added: "You see, I've lived in Noth Calliny. An' down ther you hev to pay poll tax of two dollars er ye kain't vote. An' arter ye pay the tax they give ye only one dollar fer votin'."

Society to Teach Hygiene.

A new association, the Institute of Hygiene, has been formed, says *Nature* of London, having for its object the dissemination of knowledge on the subject of personal and domestic hygiene. It aims to be self-supporting, and in order to accomplish this has organized a permanent exhibition of hygienic products and appliances, consisting of foods, clothing, filters, stoves, etc., open free to the general public, and a special section devoted to drugs and medical and surgical appliances to which medical men alone are admitted. The revenue gained from the rents paid by exhibitors will be devoted to educational work, which will take the form of local lectures, with examinations and certificates.

By Comparison.

Not half so limpid are your eyes As some that flash me soft replies. Not half so tempting are your lips As some, alas! as some I know! Nor half so dear the chin that dips Above your bosom's timid show As chins where dimpling lilies blow.

Your smiles bewildering, your hair, Your woman's ways, the gowns you wear. Not half so heart-entangling they As those of other ladies fair. With whom I meet most every day.

Not half—ah, not but twice and thrice As captivating, sweet and nice In every charm are you than all Who ever held me in their thrall! —Town Topics.

Nine-Pound Potato.

Greeley, Colo., claims the largest potato raised in the Centennial State this year. The tuber for which the championship is claimed weighs nine pounds and was sent to the exposition at St. Louis. Roy Smith of Montrose, Colo., has five potatoes whose combined weight is twenty-two pounds.

Climate of California Desert.

The climate of the California desert in midwinter is the finest to be found in the world, bar none. The air is balmy, the days warm and the nights cool enough for comfortable sleep. Mosquitoes, fleas and other insect pests are unknown (save by the Indians and half breeds, whose society it is not necessary to cultivate), while flies are absolutely a minus quantity on the desert.

Much Waste of Coal.

A square foot of uncovered pipe, filled with steam at 100 pound pressure, will radiate and dissipate in a year the heat put into 3,716 pounds of steam by the economic combustion of 398 pounds of coal. Thus ten square feet of bare pipe corresponds approximately to the waste of two tons of coal per annum.

Description of Persian Sheep.

A traveler, giving an account of the Persian sheep in 1798, says: "The tails frequently weighed eight or ten pounds, and they have six or eight horns, some of which stood out horizontally and caused a great deal of bloodshed when the rams engaged with one another. Both the wool and flesh of these sheep were greatly valued."

Largest Sun Dial.

There is a large promontory in the Egean sea, known as Hayon Horoo, which extends 3,000 feet above the level of the water. As the sun swings around the shadow of this mountain touches one by one a circle of islands separated by regular intervals, which act as hour marks. It is the largest sun dial in the world.

Mixed Relationship.

A man brought up at St. Albans as an incorrigible rogue was proved to have married his aunt. His children are, therefore, his first cousins and he is his own uncle. His grandmother and his mother-in-law are the same person. Apparently the judge sympathized with him, for he was discharged.

Earthquake Source of Profit.

Earthquakes occasionally profit mankind, as in the case of Onzoun-Ada, a town on the Caspian. The port of the town was visited by an earthquake last year, and since then it has been found open to steamers which could not enter it before, owing to the shallow water.

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Mystery of Lost Pins.

It is calculated that only 1 per cent of the pins manufactured are worn out or broken. The other 99 per cent are lost, but what becomes of them, where they go, and who gets them, or why some of them are not afterwards discovered and again put to use are mysteries.

Another Argument for Good Roads.

"Mabel," said Mrs. Subbubs, sternly, "when that young man was leaving you at the gate last evening I heard several sounds like kisses." "Indeed!" replied the girl. "Oh, I know! What you heard was the noise he made pulling his feet out of the mud as he walked down the path."

Storr's Biting Sarcaem.

It was Emery Storr who said that a fellow lawyer reminded him of a beautiful house with massive portals and impressive cornices which, when you opened the front door, landed you immediately in the back yard.

Do You Know What An Aniline Blue Is?

The Handy Blueing Book, whose "ads" have been appearing regularly in our columns for several months past, is well deserving of special mention to all our readers.

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"My heartfelt thanks are sent to you for the great good you have done me."—Sincerely yours, Miss MARGARET MERKLEY, 275 Third St., Milwaukee, Wis.

Miss Claussen Saved from a Surgical Operation.



"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—It seems to me that all the endorsements that I have read of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound do not express one-half of the virtue the great medicine really possesses. I know that it saved my life and I want to give the credit where it belongs. I suffered with ovarian trouble for five years, had three operations and spent hundreds of dollars on doctors and medicines but this did not cure me after all.

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Laid By for a Rainy Day.

Among the belongings of an aged pauper who died at Breslau were found more than two hundredweight of stale bread and biscuits, 300 bottles of medicine from the workhouse dispensary, \$300 in cash and \$250 in securities.

Trying Spring Weather.

One of the odd observations of the medical profession is that of the deaths in all parts of the country, the number is larger in March and April of each year and smaller in October and November.

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