

# "PE-RU-NA SAVED MY LIFE,"

Writes Mrs. W. McRoberts.

Women Made Strong and Happy Mothers.

Catarrh of the Pelvic Organs is a Frequent Cause of Barrenness.

Pe-ru-na Eradicates Catarrh From the System.

TO the woman of ancient Israel not to become a mother was regarded as the greatest of earthly calamities. To become a mother—more especially the mother of a strong, healthy boy—was the thought of every faithful woman of the good old Bible days. Even now, when maternity is not esteemed as of yore, the mother of healthy children is an object of admiration, and sometimes envy, by her neighbors. As compared with ancient peoples, the average American woman has a low appreciation of motherhood. There are, however, a great many exceptions to this statement.

The accompanying letters from grateful women who have been made strong, healthy and happy mothers need no added words of praise to make them convincing. Catarrh had weakened and impaired their entire systems. Pe-ru-na made them strong and well.

Mrs. L. M. Griffith, Aroo, Idaho, writes: "Your medicine did me a wonderful amount of good. It cured me of leucorrhoea. I am 30 years old and never had any children, but since beginning your medicine

## "I Do All My Housework and Take Care of My Baby and I Feel So Good."



### A YOUNG MOTHER'S LETTER.

Mrs. W. McRoberts, writes to Dr. Hartman from Delano, Miss., the following:

Doctor S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio:

Dear Sir:—I feel perfectly well of catarrh. I did as you directed me to and took Pe-ru-na and Mergal. The third of March I gave birth to a 10-pound baby girl and we are both well and happy. I am very thankful to you, and Pe-ru-na saved my life. I recommend it to everyone and can't praise it enough.

"I send you my own and my baby's picture. She is so sweet and good,—she is a Pe-ru-na baby. I have such good health now. I do all my housework and take care of my baby, and feel so good.

"There are three or four of my neighbors using Pe-ru-na now, since it did me so much good. They were just run down, and they think it is fine. It is so good to give strength."—Mrs. W. McRoberts.

I gave birth to a 10-pound baby girl. She is now six months old and weighs 25 pounds. My friends were all surprised. Some would not believe it until they came to see me. My husband says he never saw such a change in any one as there was in me after I had taken three or four bottles of Pe-ru-na. I am stronger than I have been since I was quite young. God bless you and your medicine forever. I can not tell you all. My letter is too long already, but I will say Pe-ru-na cured me. I never saw or heard of anything half so good. I can never thank you enough for your kindness. In cases of leucorrhoea it works like a charm. It cured my baby when other medicines failed. She was real bad with the grippe."—Mrs. L. M. Griffith.

Mrs. E. E. Thomas, Alpha, Mo., writes: "I have used your Pe-ru-na and Mergal. I had been doctoring for several years, but

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Dr. Patton was delivering a lecture recently in his course on ethics at the Princeton Theological seminary and experienced much annoyance because of the students' attitude toward him. He finally administered this rebuke: "Gentlemen, I have delayed starting the most important part of today's lecture hoping that the stock of peanuts would be consumed and a restful quiet be restored. As the quantity seems ample to meet the demands and the supply appears inexhaustible, I feel constrained to request that your appetites be restrained until the conclusion of this lecture. I would be greatly pleased if in the future anyone wishing to conduct a 5 o'clock tea in the classroom would confine the refreshments to sponge cake."

Feels Younger and Stronger. Festus, Mo., May 4th.—Mr. January S. Lilly, a highly respected old gentleman, aged 76, and whose home is in Festus, says: "For many years I was falling in health. My kidneys were weak and gave me no end of trouble. I had pains in my back and hips so bad that I could not sit up straight without bracing my back, and could not sit only a few minutes in any one position.

"I had to get up during every night very frequently to relieve myself. "Our doctor said I had Kidney and Bladder Inflammation. I have suffered for over five years in this way, always worse at night.

"I could get no relief, and was getting worse till I used Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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There is one article of manufacture that is used so extensively in the United States that no one has an idea of the annual quantity consumed, namely, wooden toothpicks. According to an expert the number is simply incalculable. Millions upon millions of the tiny wooden slivers are turned out every year from American factories alone, and on top of this tremendous output come importations from Portugal and Japan and other countries nearly as large as the domestic product.

Most of the American toothpicks come from Franklin county, in Maine, near the forest home of the white birch, out of which 95 per cent of the domestic toothpicks are made. This wood is soft and pliable and of admirable resistance for the purpose for which it is used. Whole mills in Maine are devoted to supplying the country with toothpicks, and in the industry it is to be found some of the finest and most intricate machinery.

The felling of toothpick trees is only incidental to the regular lumber work of the Maine foresters. No special men are sent out to hunt up suitable trees. But whenever the foreman of a gang of woodsmen comes across a tree especially adapted to toothpicks he orders it felled and laid aside. The branches of the tree are then trimmed and only the trunk itself is transported to the mills. There the bark is skinned and the naked trunk is run through a machine which severs it into veneers.

"Veneers" is the technical expression for this strip of wood no thicker than a piece of blotting paper and no wider than the length of a toothpick. Once the trunk has been cut into these sheets of wood, only one process remains to turn out the toothpicks fit for packing and shipping to market.

The veneers are fed into a second machine supplied with sharp, rotary knives that whirl at tremendous high speed, snapping the veneers into toothpicks at the rate of hundreds of thousands an hour.

It is only the so-called "fancy" toothpick that is not made in this country. In Portugal, from where most of the orange-pick sticks are imported, the sticks are sharpened by young girls, who, in return for turning out "pickers" are paid three cents a day.

The Japanese toothpicks are made of the rice reeds, and are distinct from those sent to this country by the Portuguese manufacturers. A Japanese toothpick is delicate and thin as tissue paper, and nevertheless strong and pliable. The Japanese toothpick maker earns even less than his Portuguese fellow-craftsman, his remuneration being but a fraction more than two cents a day. In short, 1,000 toothpicks may be bought in Japan for as much as it costs only to pack and box 5,000 of American make.—New York Times.

Not Deserving of Sympathy. When we hear of some traveler who has been impoverished by sharpers on an ocean steamer we feel reasonably sure that he broke into their game expecting to rob them. Either that or he is an idiot, pure and simple.

The case is obviously a case of the bitter bit. We waste no emotion upon these alleged victims. A fool and his money are soon parted—why need we trouble ourselves as to the details? It is a perfectly safe assumption that in nine cases out of ten the fellow who loses his money had expected to get the better of the others. He was not looking for congenial companionship, and when the would-be spoiler is despoiled he appeals to no sense of pity or indignation in the hearts of honest and enlightened men. Nobody cares whether he gets felled or not. Nobody ought to care.

Rather Puzzling. The baby had been bawling for three long hours. "Mamma," said little Ostend, "do babies come from heaven?" "Yes, my son," responded mamma. "Well, how can they call it 'heaven of peace'?"

Rather Discouraging. Rowland—"I hear our 'angel' has been passing unfavorable comments about this vaudeville olio." Foxy—"Yes, he says the tramp sketch is the only act that is not bum, and that should be."

Better Than a Telephone. Duffy—"What I say to my wife goes." Meeker—"Is it possible?" Duffy—"Yes. As soon as I leave the house she goes over and repeats it to her mother."

To Honor Great Philosopher. There is a project of erecting a monument to the philosopher Kant in Berlin to be unveiled on the occasion of the hundredth anniversary of his death in 1904.

Continuous Performance. "Kisses and drinks are alike in one way," remarked the breakfast critic. "When a young man says 'Just one more,' he generally takes a dozen."

First Use of Envelopes. Envelopes were first used in 1839.

## DOAN'S CHANGE DOUBT TO GLAD SURPRISE

EVERETT, MASS.—I received the sample of Doan's Pills and they stopped all my trouble of pain in the back, from which I have suffered for two years. I am a sole-leather cutter, and being on my feet and lifting heavy things all day, appreciate the help Doan's Pills have given me. I feel like a new man.—Geo. A. BURGESS, 163 Belmont Street.

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ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Received sample, and am on my first bottle from the druggist they helped me wonderfully. I had a feeling of wanting to urinate all the time, and trouble in passing, burning and itching. That is all gone now, and I feel thankful.—E. K. STEVENSON, 3351 Easton Ave.

ASPEN, COLO., April 10, 1903.—Doan's Kidney Pills accomplished the desired result in my case—relief came the second day after I commenced taking them. I was troubled with retention and dribbling of the urine. Now it is natural and free as ever in my life.—D. L. STAFFORD.

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### GROWLS FROM THE TIGER.

Most girls close their eyes when they are kissed; do you blame them?

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Polliteness is the salt of life; you hate to have it rubbed into you when you are out up.

It does not make it right to do what you ought not to do when you do not do what you ought to do.

A lot of people who should be spending good time getting good money spend good money getting a good time.

It is all very well to get a good start, but the start you get when some fool puts his cold hands down your neck may be too good.—Princeton Tiger.

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Too many expect to purchase heaven with the profits made by the sale of their own souls.

Bear Worshipers in Japan. The queerest and perhaps the oldest people of the earth are the Ainos, the bear idolaters who are found in the Japanese islands of Koriyris, Sakhalino and chiefly in Yezo or Honnada. They number not more than 18,000 souls in all and they are fast disappearing. They have the broad nose and the oblique eyes which characterize the Chinese and Asiatic races generally, but there the resemblance ends. The Ainos are a large and powerful people, straight as an arrow. All the Ainos declare they sprang from the Great White Dog—the bear—and a princess of the south. The bear is their chief god.

KNOW WHEN TO QUIT. Judge Promptly Saw the Point in Politician's Advice.

One of the most hospitable citizens of Sioux Falls was Judge Fuller of the Supreme Court. He was introduced to the president's attention with the following incident of his career:

The judges made a recent campaign to get the legislature to raise their salaries. The bill met with great opposition. Judge Fuller, who had no small political influence, went up to Pierre to see about it. He was met by one of the leaders of the party.

"How about this thing?" said the judge.

"Judge," said the other politician gravely, "you better drop this salary business. I tell you as a friend. You don't want it to go through. It is not in your interest."

"Why ain't it?"

"Don't you see, Judge," explained the politician, "that if we put the salaries of the judges up to the figure you want, the people will turn around and elect real lawyers to the bench."

The point of the story is that the judge dropped the amendment at once.—New York Sun.

IN CONVENTION. Teachers Learn Something Not in the Class Books.

A number of young women attending a teachers' convention at Oklahoma City some time ago learned a valuable lesson in hygiene through a sister teacher who says: "About a year ago I had my first attack of poor health and it seemed a terrible thing to me for I had always been so well and strong. My stomach distressed me terribly; it seemed like it was raw, especially after breakfast, and it would burn and hurt me so I could not rest. I was soon convinced that it was caused by coffee drinking and at the request of a friend I gave up coffee and began to use Postum Coffee.

The change in my condition was something marvelous. I had actually given up teaching because doctors were unable to help my stomach trouble but since I quit coffee and used Postum my troubles have disappeared and I have gone to teaching again.

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