

EPITOME OF EVENTS

PARAGRAPHS THAT PERTAIN TO MANY SUBJECTS.

ARE SHORT BUT INTERESTING

Brief Mention of What is Transpiring in Various Sections of Our Own and Foreign Countries

WASHINGTON.

The senate requested the interstate commerce commission to investigate charges that rebates have been received from the railroads by the United States Steel corporation.

Secretary Wilson adversely reported on the plan to place doctors and nurses aboard all immigrant ships, suggesting instead international cooperation.

Former Senator J. C. S. Blackburn of Kentucky has been appointed a member of the Lincoln memorial commission by President Wilson, to succeed the late Senator Shelby M. Calton of Illinois.

To expedite administration of Alaska affairs, Senator Chamberlain has introduced a bill for an Alaskan development board, to have jurisdiction and control over business of the territory now distributed among various departments in Washington.

The nomination of Colonel George W. Goethals to be governor of the Panama canal was confirmed by the senate. The appointment becomes effective April 1, 1914, with President Wilson's order creating a permanent civil government for the canal zone.

Representative Moon of Tennessee, chairman of the postoffice committee reintroduced a postoffice bill, amended so as to prohibit any rural free delivery carrier, after June 30, next, from receiving more than \$1,200 a year salary.

Postmaster General Burleson issued an order directing that parcel of miscellaneous printed matter weighing more than four pounds shall be accepted for mailing at parcel post rates when within the limit of size and weight for parcel post matter.

Further hearings on the proposal to have the government take over independent oil fields in Oklahoma and construct a pipe line to the Gulf of Mexico to conserve a fuel supply to the navy were held at the interior department before Commissioner Sells of the Indian office, and Lieutenant Commander Boyd of the navy, designed by Secretary Lane and Daniels to make the inquiry.

DOMESTIC.

The dome of the capitol at Washington has recently been renovated with sixty-five tons of paint.

Of 7,591 national banks in the United States 6,912 have applied for membership in the new federal system.

The New York district attorney's office asserts that habit-forming drugs are sold in that city in appalling quantities.

A Lemero & Co. of New Orleans, one of the largest state exporting concerns in the south have been placed in the hands of a receiver.

Former Mayor James D. Phelan of San Francisco has formally announced his candidacy for the democratic nomination for United States senator.

"I sincerely hope that when the new charter of New York city is presented to the state legislature it will contain a provision for the recall of the mayor, in order that the people of the city may recall him, if his policies are not right," Mayor Mitchell said at a luncheon given at the city club of New York.

Senator Pomeroy of Ohio has presented to President Wilson the name of Representative Sharp of Ohio for ambassador to Russia. The president said he would take the name under consideration.

Gifford Pinchot, former chief forester of the United States, has been formally invited to be the progressive candidate for United States senator from Pennsylvania to succeed Boies Penrose. The invitation was extended at a conference of Washington party leaders at Harrisburg, Pa.

The Portland, Maine board of health ordered all schools closed for an indefinite period as a precautionary measure to prevent the spread of smallpox. Thirteen thousand pupils are affected.

A newly formed organization, with headquarters in Washington, is promising the Wilson and succeeding administration a demonstration of the first "pitiless publicity" really is, the first bulletin of what is known as the national voters' league has been issued. It contains some spicy facts.

Bustles are going to be popular again this year among the women of fashion, according to designers who are exhibiting at a style show opened under the auspices of the Chicago Garment Manufacturers' association.

The Missouri State Board of Pardons declined to grant commutation or pardon to Frederick Seymour ("Lord" Harrington), who has served seven years for the murder of James P. McAnn, a wealthy stockman, June 17, 1907. Harrington claims to be a member of the English nobility.

William Ash, member of a band of counterfeiters, who made \$5 bank notes in Troy, N. Y., and circulated them in New York, has been sentenced to two years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta.

Joe Tinker says the Federals plan a raid of minor baseball leagues.

The original manuscript of Bret Harte's "Thankful Blossom," brought \$735 at an auction in New York.

Frederik W. Vanderbilt's yacht Warrior, which went aground recently off the coast of Columbia, has been floated and is being towed to Jamaica.

The revision committee of the New York cotton exchange, decided at its monthly meeting to make no change in the differences between grades of spot cotton.

Rigid federal restrictions regarding canned goods and a nation-wide campaign for publicity among those using them were urged by speakers at a meeting of the seventh annual convention of the National Canners' association at Baltimore.

The unequalled collection of manuscripts and letters of Robert Louis Stevenson owned by the late Harry Elkins Widener of Philadelphia, will be presented by his mother to Harvard university upon the completion of the Widener memorial library at the university.

Secretary Bryan and Joaquin B. Calvo, Costa Rican minister, have agreed upon the terms of a new treaty by which the United States and Costa Rica agree to investigate for at least one year questions arising between the two countries which cannot be adjusted through diplomacy.

Fines aggregating \$28,000 were imposed at Juneau on six corporations which pleaded guilty to discriminations in restraint of trade and conspiracy to monopolize wharf facilities at Skagway, Alaska. Cases against officers of the corporations who also were defendants were dismissed.

Mrs. Charlotte C. Rhodes, president of the woman's party of Cook county, comes out flat-footed for the abolition of tobacco smoking on the streets of Chicago and her party followers have fired several hot resolutions at "the degrading and intolerable practice."

"This country should have a commerce court similar to those in several European countries to protect shippers from the railroads," said F. W. Brockman, head of a St. Louis produce company, in an address before the convention of the Western Fruit Jobbers' association at Kansas City recently. Mr. Brockman charged "the monstrous complexity of the law with its technicalities" enabled the railroads to save millions of dollars every year that rightfully should go to shippers for losses and damages.

FOREIGN.

Turkey will participate in the Panama Pacific exposition.

The rate of discount of the Bank of Austria has been reduced from 5 to 4 1/2 per cent.

No credence is given to rumors circulated that an attempt had been made on the life of King Alfonso.

A strong continental demand appeared for the \$5,500,000 South African gold offered in the open market at London.

The French aviator, Garaix, established a new altitude record with five passengers ascending to a height of 7,382 feet.

The Netherlands government decided to send a Dutch warship to take part in the ceremonies at the opening of the Panama canal.

The United States battleships New Hampshire, Kansas, Minnesota and Louisiana of the Atlantic fleet have arrived at Guantamo, Cuba, from Mexican waters.

Rear Admiral Walter C. Cowles, commander-in-chief of the Pacific fleet with twelve officers and 125 blue-jackets from the cruiser Pittsburgh, now lying at Manzanillo visited at Guadalupe. The visit was merely one of courtesy and recreation. The sailors were entertained by the American colony. This is the second visit made by Rear Admiral Cowles to Guadalupe.

The herring fishery on the west coast of Newfoundland, in which a number of Canadian and American vessels engaged, closed with a total catch of 45,500 barrels against 71,700 barrels last year.

A treaty was signed at Teheran by the American minister to Persia, Charles W. Russell, and the Persian foreign minister agreeing to refer for advice to an imperial arbitration commission all differences incapable of settlement by ordinary diplomatic means.

The success of the recent Prussian loan of approximately \$90,000,000 in treasury notes at 4 per cent has led the government to decide on a further issue of \$50,000,000 on the same terms.

At a conference between the British and Scandinavian steamship lines engaged in the trans-Atlantic trade, it was decided that they should act together in the threatened passenger rate war. An organization was created to take the measures necessary to protect the interests of the lines.

By a large majority the British Columbia Federation of Labor at a meeting at Westminster, B. C., adopted a protest against the entrance of Asiatics into British Columbia on any terms.

The American Red Cross society has been granted by the Chinese government a year in which to obtain \$20,000,000 to carry out a project for controlling the river Hwai, whose overflow have hitherto caused every year great loss of life and damage to property.

NOT A GOOD POLICY

PRESIDENT DOES NOT FAVOR FREE CANAL TOLL.

GIVES HIGH PRAISE TO BRYAN

In a Letter to a Baltimore Friend Wilson Pays Glowing Tribute to the Secretary of State.

Baltimore.—President Wilson, in a letter to William L. Marbury of this city, says that the exemption of American coastwise ships from Panama canal tolls "constitutes a very mistaken policy from every point of view and benefits for the present, at any rate, only monopoly." The president also pays a high tribute to Secretary of State Bryan.

The letter follows: "My Dear Mr. Marbury: I have your letter of January 20 with regard to the question of canal tolls my opinion is very clear. The exemption constitutes a very mistaken policy from every point of view. It is economically unjust, as a matter of fact it benefits, for the present at any rate, only a monopoly, and it seems to me in clear violation of the terms of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. There is, of course, much honest difference of opinion as to the last point, but it is at least debatable, and if the promises we make in such matters are debatable, I for one do not care to debate them. I think the country would prefer to let no question arise as to its wholehearted purpose to redeem its promises in the light of any reasonable construction of them rather than debate a point of honor.

Your reference to the secretary of state shows how comprehensively you have looked on during the last few months. Not only have Mr. Bryan's character, his justice, his sincerity, his transparent integrity, his Christian principle, made a deep impression upon all with whom he has dealt, but his tact in dealing with men of many sorts, his capacity for business, his mastery of the principles of each matter he has been called upon to deal with, have cleared away many a difficulty and have given to the policy of the State department a definiteness and dignity that are very admirable. I need not say what pleasure and profit I myself have taken from close association with Mr. Bryan or how thoroughly he has seemed to all of us who are associated with him here to deserve not only our confidence, but our affectionate admiration. "Sincerely yours, "WOODROW WILSON."

Will Have a Free Hand.

Washington.—Organization of the permanent force of officials and employees to operate the Panama canal has been entrusted to Colonel George W. Goethals, who becomes first governor of the canal April 1. Under an order by President Wilson, issued at the request of Secretary Garrison, and just made public, Colonel Goethals is authorized to make appointments and fix salaries, exercising his own judgment as to the force needed. It is estimated that the number of men will be about 2,500. The only exceptions to the new governor's right of appointment are in the cases of the district judge, the district attorney and the clerk of the court, whose resignation is retained in the hands of the president under the terms of the canal act.

Nominations Are Referred.

Washington.—The senate interstate commerce committee has referred to a subcommittee the nominations of Winthrop M. Daniels of New Jersey, and Henry Clay Hall of Colorado Springs, to fill vacancies on the interstate commerce commission. Several republican members, among them Senators La Follette and Cummings, have expressed a desire to look into the qualifications of the president's appointees for these posts.

Propose Sharp As Ambassador.

Washington, D. C.—Senator Pomeroy of Ohio presented to President Wilson the name of Representative Sharp of Ohio for ambassador to Russia.

Progressives Oppose Merger.

Portland, Ore.—The progressives of the state have rejected a proposal of the republicans for amalgamating the two parties. It was decided to place a complete ticket in the field at the state election and to oppose any form of merger.

Trade Commission Is Urged.

Washington.—J. R. Moorehead of Lexington, Mo., secretary of the National Federation of Retail Merchants, spoke for an international trade commission before the house.

Will Have \$180,000 Building.

Washington, D. C.—Charge Harvey at Santiago, Chile, has advised the state department that the bill appropriating \$180,000 gold for the Chilean participation in the San Francisco exposition has passed both houses of the Chilean congress.

Rejects Resolution for Impeachment. Washington.—Dispatches from Minister Sullivan say the Dominican senate has rejected the resolution of the lower house for the impeachment of President Bordas.

A Draconic Bill.

Washington, D. C.—A bill to prohibit the interstate transportation of so-called strike-breakers has been introduced in the house by Representative Baltz of Illinois. It also prohibits the interstate shipment of arms or ammunition for strike-breakers.

Treaty With Denmark Signed.

Washington, D. C.—Secretary Bryan signed a peace treaty with Denmark, providing for the submission of a question in dispute to a commission.

BRIEF NEWS OF NEBRASKA

Fremont is agitating an auditorium project.

Floyd Smith was accidentally shot during a wolf hunt south of York.

The Wabash Grain company will erect a new elevator at that place. Jack Neice of Hyannis broke an arm while cranking an automobile.

August Schultz of Germantown is dead from the effects of blood poisoning. A number of well-developed cases of smallpox have been discovered at Salem.

The next meeting of the Nebraska Bottlers' association will be held at Hastings.

There is a movement on foot for the organization of a local Y. M. C. A. at Havelock.

Two hundred carloads of alfalfa and alfalfa meal have been shipped from Shelton the past fall and winter.

The Fremont retail merchants' association is opposed to the support of a baseball club at that place in 1914.

Over 3,000 men have attended the religious meetings of the Y. M. C. A. at Beatrice in the past three months.

Burglars visited the home of William Yager at Hastings and appropriated a diamond ring valued at \$125.

More hay has been baled and shipped from Albion this winter than in all the years it has been a shipping station.

Bernard, the seven-year-old son of U. G. Chapman, living a mile south east of Wymore, was drowned while skating.

Medill McCormick of Chicago will be one of the speakers at the bull-moose rally and banquet at Lincoln, February 11.

Mrs. John Weiland, near Madison, suicided by hanging herself in the barn. It is thought she suddenly became insane.

An amateur horseshoe tournament was held at Exeter last week in which a large number of devotees of that sport took part.

It is thought by those in charge of the bank that failed at Superior recently that it will realize about fifty per cent on its liabilities.

The Ufa Farmers' Elevator company declared a 26 per cent dividend at its annual business meeting last week—the largest in its existence.

Farmers in the vicinity of Fairbury are having trouble with gophers in their alfalfa fields. The gophers have destroyed the roots of many plants.

Eight wolves were sighted, but only one was killed at a big circle hunt held in the vicinity of Rockford. About two hundred men and boys participated.

Three prisoners confined in the Cass county jail made an unsuccessful attempt to escape by digging their way out. They were frustrated by the jailer's wife.

After Isaac Latroc, an Omaha laborer, had spent seven years in seasoning the wood and constructing a violin, someone stole it, and Isaac is disconsolate.

The Platte river cut through the big dyke at North Bend, carrying out thousands of sacks of sand and causing damage amounting to many hundreds of dollars.

While digging a sewer trench at Crab Orchard, workmen unearthed the skeleton of a man at a depth of three feet, that had evidently been there for several years, and authorities are investigating.

The largest number of applicants for citizenship ever examined in Lancaster county appeared before Judge Cornish at Lincoln one day last week and 143 prospective citizens took out first papers.

Mrs. Henry Kemplin and two daughters had a narrow escape from asphyxiation when the hard coal stove at their home in Lincoln exploded during the night and filled the house with a deadly gas.

Game Warden Rutenbeck and W. J. O'Brien, superintendent of state fish hatcheries, are investigating the effect on fishes of throwing refuse matter from the Beatrice Gas company plant into the Bluff river.

Sixty-two conversions resulted from the revival services just closed at the First M. E. church at Fremont.

Elizabeth Rehn was knocked down by a switch engine as she was crossing the tracks at Hastings and severely but not seriously bruised and injured.

A number of horses have died in the neighborhood of Myard with what the veterinary surgeons call constalk disease. When an animal is affected with it he becomes crazed, and often runs into any obstruction which may be in the way. Some have been killed in that manner.

The five-year-old daughter of Frank Finney, at McCook, got a kernel of corn in her ear, and it required several hours work on the part of a physician before it was removed.

While George Clay, an Omaha colored sport, was entertaining a number of friends at a week-end house party, two strangers entered, held up the company and relieved them of six dollars.

Moving pictures will be introduced as a regular feature of the Christian church services at Hastings by the new pastor, Rev. J. E. Holly, who has an up-to-date outfit of his own.

Wenzel Landkammer, an eleven-year-old Powell boy, received numerous bad burns on the face and head when a 22 target rifle that had been converted into a shotgun "back-fired" when he discharged it at a rabbit.

At the second annual convention of Nebraska commercial club secretaries, just concluded at Lincoln, the following officers were elected: A. M. Conner of Grand Island, president; R. E. Riley of Fairbury, secretary-treasurer; W. E. Whitten, Lincoln; W. A. Ellis, Omaha; S. D. Thompson, Neligh; J. E. Tillotson, Harvard; C. O. Wertz, Crawford, vice presidents.

The discovery of several cases of measles in a school room at Hastings resulted in a holiday for the pupils and a thorough fumigation of the building.

A cream separator being operated by Mrs. Lars Nelson, near Upland, exploded, throwing pieces of the machine in every direction, but the lady miraculously escaped without a scratch, but very badly frightened.

Carl Grandlund of Holdrege will probably lose an eye as a result of the accidental discharge of an air gun while it was being examined by a playmate.

MONTH'S INSTITUTES

DOESN'T WANT PRINTING TO GO OUT OF STATE.

GOSSIP FROM STATE CAPITAL

Items of Interest Gathered from Reliable Sources and Presented in Condensed Form to Our Readers.

Western Newspaper Union News Service. During the month of February extensive meetings will be held at forty-eight different Nebraska points by the department of agricultural extension. A short course will be in session each week. A total of ninety-six days' work has already been scheduled. Probably more meetings will be added before the month closes.

February is one of the heaviest months. In addition to the meetings scheduled, a number of the county demonstrators are planning meetings for almost every day of the month.

Not counting the demonstrators' meetings, a total for the first four months in the season of one hundred and sixty different points reached in the state and three hundred and fifty days' work, will be reached, according to C. W. Pugsley, superintendent of agricultural extension.

The following is a list of meeting dates:

- Emerson, February 9.
- Dakota City, February 9 and 10.
- Winnebago, February 10 and 11.
- Walthill, February 11 and 12.
- Craig, February 12, 13 and 14.
- Wymore, February 15 and 16.
- Gold Rock, February 11 and 12.
- Franklin, February 12 and 13.
- Naponee, February 13 and 14.
- Hubbard, February 14.
- Prairie Gap Church, February 15.
- Gibson, February 17.
- Wood River, February 17 and 18.
- Hampton, February 18 and 19.
- Waco, February 19 and 20.
- Peru, February 16 and 17.
- Brook, February 17 and 18.
- Quincy, February 18 and 19.
- Syracuse, February 19 and 20.
- Palmira, February 20 and 21.
- Tokamah county church, February 17.
- Rosalia, February 19.
- Maceo, February 20.
- Adrian, February 23, 24 and 25.
- Humboldt, February 25 and 26.
- Stirling, February 25.
- Adrian, February 27.
- Firth, February 27.
- Cortland, February 27 and 28.
- Steneston, February 24.
- Lewellen, February 25.
- Lisco, February 26.
- Broadwater, February 27.
- Short Courses.
- Newman Grove, February 2 to 7.
- Gresham, February 9 to 14.
- Ansel, February 16 to 20.
- Minden, February 23 to 27.

Must Comply With State Laws.

Upon application of Charles D. Traphagen, citizen and taxpayer, Judge Stewart of the district court has granted a temporary restraining order forbidding Harry C. Lindsey, reporter of the supreme court, delivering to the E. W. Stephens Printing company of Columbia, Mo., manuscript opinions of the state supreme court for volume No. 95 of such reports; also forbidding William B. Howard, state auditor, delivering to the Stephens Printing company warrants in payment for volumes printed by it, and forbidding Walter A. George, state treasurer, paying any such warrant. An injunction is sought on the ground that at the time the state printing board let the contract to the Missouri corporation, to print, bind and deliver ten volumes of the supreme court reports, on August 27, 1913, that corporation was without authority to do business in the state of Nebraska, not has it ever since that date complied with the laws of this state relative to foreign corporations.

Wants Teachers to Attend.

Suggestion that every Nebraska school district containing an accredited high school should allow one representative teacher therefrom to attend the national meeting of the department of superintendents of the National Educational association, is made to school boards of the state in form letters sent out by State Superintendent Deitzel. In letters to the teachers he says: "We are sending a letter to your board of education requesting them to pay your expenses on this trip. You will notice by the enclosed schedule that you will have an opportunity to seeing many historical places and enjoying the same. I trust you can arrange to go with us."

Members of the Nebraska Legislative League are to hold a big reunion and banquet here sometime during the month of February.

To Gather Shipping Statistics.

Records of all 1913 shipments by railroads and by express companies of the state will be gathered by the state labor commission on blanks now being sent out. The returns which are to be sent not later than March 1, include the number of cattle, hogs, horses and mules; the number of bushels of corn, apples, barley, oats, onions, pop corn, potatoes, rye and wheat; the number of brick; the gallons of cider, cream, ice cream, milk, syrup and sorghum and vinegar and all products raised in the state.

Measures Are Rejected.

Thirty-eight weights and measures were condemned at Fremont last week by an inspector for the state food commission who made a general examination of the weights and measures in commercial use there. Twenty-two of the rejected articles were liquid measures which dealers were using in their business for dry products. The cubic contents of liquid pints, quarts and gallons are less than those in dry measures of the same denominations. Eleven weights used on scales were also thrown out.

In pursuance of his policy to require monthly statements from all of his appointees and their subordinates in regard to their use of railroad mileage paid for by the state, Governor Morehead intends to have the reports made out on a special blank form, giving full information on every trip taken, the exact mileage used for each trip and other essential facts. These statements will be sent in at the end of the month to the governor's office, accompanying the vouchers for salaries and expenses. They will be checked over in the executive office.

FINE SPORT IN SWITZERLAND

Many Thousands of Winter Tourists Throng Alpine Resorts on Pleasure Bent.

Geneva.—The Engadine express now runs daily until March 9, drawing its loads of duchesses who want fun. Americans who want health, rich people who want notoriety, and all the rest, half-way across Europe, to set them down on the crisp snows of St. Moritz or Davos in little more than twenty-four hours after their farewells were waved in London. One of the advantages of January in the Alps is that a winter sport cen-



Country of Skiers' Delight.

ter affords amusement for every member of a family party. The elders skate and curl and play bridge in the evenings, the smallest child can toboggan, while young people are eagerly learning skiing or ice-hockey, or negotiating the ice-run. Indeed, it is estimated that this winter the Alpine army of skiers will number close upon 100,000 men in Central Europe. The German and Austrian Federations of the Ski have insured their members, who now number 40,000, against accidents with a German firm at nominal rates.

In Switzerland there are over 40,000 persons who employ the ski for sport and even work, while in France and Italy the sport is becoming more popular every winter, and the two countries could now account for at least 20,000 devotees of the wooden shoes. This estimate does not include the number of soldiers on skis who in winter guard the mountain frontiers in Central Europe across the Alpine passes.

BLANQUET SHOT THE RULER

A Trophy From Maximilian Worn by Mexican War Minister—Recalls Tragic History.

City of Mexico.—The \$20 gold piece that Gen. Auerrillano Blanquet, Mexico's minister of war, always wears on his watch chain, was explained by him recently. It was given him by Maximilian, emperor of Mexico, elder brother of Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria-Hungary, when the ill-starred head of the Mexican empire was shot by a firing squad at Queretaro in 1867. Blanquet was sergeant of the squad.

"Who gives the final shot?" Maximilian asked as he made ready for the ordeal. Blanquet modestly admitted that it would fall to his lot to place a revolver bullet through the back of Maximilian's neck, severing the spinal cord, to make sure of the work of the firing squad's rifles.

"Very well," replied the emperor. "Take this gold piece as a souvenir and see that you do a thorough job."

Blanquet has worn the gold piece ever since, but rarely tells where he got it.

WON'T LEAVE PRISON HOME

A Pardon Fails to Drive Away a Maryland Convict—Goes Away But Returns.

Baltimore.—Pardoned by Governor Goldsborough December 21, 1912, after serving 15 years, Matthew Jones, a prisoner in the Maryland penitentiary refused to leave. Although he is given absolute freedom about the institution and permitted to go out when he chooses, he always comes back.

He has visited every moving picture show in the neighborhood of the penitentiary. With his own money about \$70 turned over to him when his pardon was granted, he is free to do what he chooses. But the outside world seems uninviting. He doesn't know what to do nor where to go.

"I'll be back," he always tells the authorities as he strolls out.

ASKS \$10,000 FOR A KISS.

Zanesville Miss Says Millionaire Sheet and Mill Owner Stole One From Her.

Zanesville, O.—A kiss, stolen, of course, is valued at \$10,000 by Miss Emma J. Evans, a servant girl of William L. Simpson, millionaire sheet mill owner of Zanesville and Middletown. Miss Evans filed a suit for \$10,000 damages against Simpson, claiming that on Dec. 4 while she was pursuing her duties in the defendant's barn, he threw his arms around her neck and kissed her.

The defendant is vice president of the American Rolling Mill company. Simpson is about sixty-five years old and the girl thirty.

Marriage Unpopular in New York. New York.—There are 750,000 men and women in New York under thirty-five who are not married and so far as appearances go intend to remain single, according to Rev. George Vandewater, who advocates social centers to bring these young persons together.

In Winter
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CATARRH TONIC
For COUGHS
& COLDS

M. R. Samuel McKinley, 1215 Grand Ave., Kansas City, Mo., writes: "I can honestly say that I owe my life to Peruna. Traveling from town to town, and having to go into all kinds of badly heated buildings, playing my trade as auctioneer, it is only natural that I had colds frequently. Last December I contracted a severe cold which, through neglect on my part, settled on my chest. I heard of Peruna. It cured me, so I cannot praise it too highly. Those who prefer tablets to liquid medicines can now procure Peruna in tablet form."

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UNCLE DAVE'S BELATED LUCK

Twenty Years of Unprofitable Time Was What Worried the Old Gentleman.

Charley Sessions, secretary of state, says that while he was taking his summer vacation up in Minnesota a couple of years ago he met a character at the little village up in the woods, known as "Uncle Dave," says the Topeka (Kansas) Capital. The old man's only occupation was carrying the sack of mail over from the depot to the postoffice once a day. It was