

CAUGHT BY THE GRIP--
RELEASED BY PE-RU-NA.



La Grippe is Epidemic Catarrh. It spares no class or nationality. The cultured and the ignorant, the aristocrat and the pauper, the masses and the classes are alike subject to it. None are exempt—all are liable. Grip is well named. The official French term is grippe, but often shortened by the busy American to read "grip."

Without intending to do so, a new word has been coined that exactly describes the case. As if some hideous giant with awful grip had clutched us in its fatal clasp.

Men, women, children, whole towns and cities are caught in the baneful grip of a terrible monster.

Have you the grip? Or, rather, has the grip got you? If so, read the following letters.

These testimonials speak for themselves as to the efficacy of Peru-na in cases of the grippe or its after-effects:

A Southern Judge Cured.
Judge Horatio J. Goss, Hartwell, Ga., writes:
"Some five or six years ago I had a very severe spell of grip, which left me with systemic catarrh."

One Woman's Wisdom.
Miss Jones—And so your former sweetheart married your rival, did she?
Mr. Brown—Yes. You see she didn't really know which of us she liked best, so we agreed to have a fist fight for her.
Miss Jones—And you were the loser.
Mr. Brown—No, I won the fight all right enough. The other fellow was in the hospital for two weeks, but she married him just the same. Guess she thought it would be a good idea to marry a man she could handle.

A Happy Horse.
Said the man whose equine acquaintances outnumber the humans he knows intimately, and who seems glad of it: "There is a wise old horse belonging to a grocer in Wentworth avenue and he might appropriately be called the children's friend. The store is close to a schoolhouse, and this horse friend of mine spends much of his time standing in front of the store when his wagon is not in committalision."

"He has a habit of standing with his forefeet on the sidewalk gazing into the store. At such times the children fairly swarm on him. They jump into the wagon and hold the reins then climb on top of and walk underneath the kindly animal, and he looks benignly down upon them, and is often rewarded for his good nature with bits of sugar and candy and other things that horses like."

"There are few happier faces in town, if you know how to read horse faces, than this of my four-legged friend. May he live long and always be as happy."—Chicago Inter Ocean.



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PULSE of the PRESS

This is a world in which there is always something going on and something coming off.—Dallas (Texas) News.

It is to be hoped that the government assault on the paper trust will not be a mere light on paper.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The discontent due to the Asiatic war compels the czar to realize that nothing fails like failure.—Washington Evening Star.

Mrs. Dodge-Morse has reversed the Mormon plan and is struggling with a few surplus husbands.—Newport News Times-Herald.

Young Tiffany says he can't live on \$18,000 a year. Well, why doesn't he shuffle off and give some one else a chance to try?—Memphis News.

When Bathhouse John is elected Mayor of Chicago we presume that Dead Horse Jake will become Chief of Police.—Memphis Commercial-Appal.

Dr. Chadwick now threatens to write a book. He had better begin on a check book and keep his family together.—Newport News Times-Herald.

The Mormon idea of marrying a man to a dead woman would certainly seem to indicate that the Mormons take matrimony gravely.—Richmond News-Leader.

The political grafter is always on the lookout for new worlds to conquer, so it is not surprising that he is now after the irrigation system.—Colorado Springs Gazette.

A distinguished contributor to the Medical Record announces that gout is getting less common. The boarding habit must be getting more common.—Columbia (S. C.) State.

The unpolicy in Russia of the Asiatic war causes but little anxiety in St. Petersburg. The war is only one item in a long list of unpopular things.—Washington Evening Star.

A New Jersey preacher advises young women never to marry a man until they know his past. What most concerns young women who marry is the young man's future.—New York Press.

It turns out that the people of Fort Gaines burned only one bale of cotton. Which isn't such a very expensive Christmas jag, after all, with cotton at 6 cents a pound.—Augusta Chronicle.

One Mormon has been discovered who has been sealed for eternity to forty wives. If he gets all that he is sealed for, there will be no need after his death to ask where he went.—Atlanta Journal.

The man who wishes to evolve a carelessness apple will destroy all the pleasures of childhood if he succeeds. For then there will be nothing for the small boy to give to his smaller sister.—Atlanta Journal.

The elaborate preparation the Japs are making to rebuild Port Arthur indicates a come-to-stay attitude which is not going to yield easily to the kind of diplomacy that was handed out to them ten years ago.—Indianapolis News.

The Moscow peasants who say that they would rather be shot at home for resisting mobilization orders than slaughtered needlessly in Manchuria have a proper sense of economy. They expect to save the government their traveling expenses.—Boston Globe.

A Boston paper says: "We were eating better bread because of the Philadelphia fair in 1876." Maybe; but Chicago associates its World's Fair with cold-storage turkeys and hen fruit handed down from those halcyon days.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

It is said that the number of women who are doing "men's work" has been 40 per cent in the last ten years. From which the inference follows that a good many women are fitting themselves for the practical responsibilities of matrimony.—Atlanta Constitution.

The increase in the number of deaths of passengers on trains in 1904 was 64 1/2 per cent over 1903. The railroad presidents who say that they alone can run the American roads will see in these figures a tribute to their increasing efficiency.—San Francisco Examiner.

Cotton is now 50 per cent cheaper than this time a year ago, because of a supposed production increase of 20 per cent. If you are good in the equations of commercial economy, find the logical basis for this price-fixing. It's too hard for us down here.—Atlanta Constitution.

According to all the rules of war, Russia ought to plead for peace, having been whipped on land and sea, but the trouble with Russia is that she is so big and so dense that it takes her a long time to find out she is whipped, and a still longer time to acknowledge it.—Louisville Post.

The Russian reformers are not making conspicuous progress, but they have allies in far-away Japan who may help to persuade the czar that the freer a people are the better they will fight.—Pittsburg Times.

Apropos to the Bishop Talbot scrap, when the gentlemen of the cloth get their fingers in each other's locks they sometimes resort to tactics that would not be tolerated in any prize ring in the world.—Wheeling (W. Va.) Register.

Her Only Wish.
"You told me that when we were married you would see that my every wish was gratified," remarked the bride of a few weeks.
"Well," replied her husband, rather curtly.
"Well, I wish I was single again."—Philadelphia Press.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S SIGNATURE IS ON EACH BOX.

His Occasional Wish.
"Why don't you ever want to go to a wedding?" snipped Mrs. Enpeck. "I don't believe you've been to a wedding since you attended your own."
"No," mildly responded Mr. Enpeck. "I haven't. And," he added softly to himself, "I sometimes wish I hadn't attended that one."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

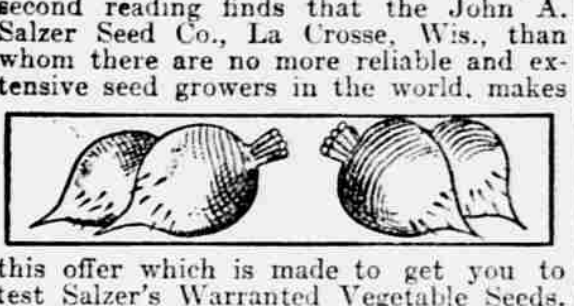
The Millcreek Philosopher.
The man who can dress in the latest style and still be a genius surely is a genius, or else he gets money from home.

Reformers seldom succeed, because they are too pure-minded to be politicians and too narrow-minded to be statesmen.

If I thought an elastic currency would help me stretch my credit, I should certainly pull for it.

Politicians usually vote as they prey.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Millions of Vegetables.
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The Hobo—Ef it ain't too much trouble, Ma'am, I'd tank youse for a couple uv despsy tablets.

Among those who have received the highest award—the Grand Prize—at St. Louis World's Fair, was the A. J. Tower Co., the makers of the FISH BRAND SLICKERS. Many of our readers who went to the Fair will recall their fine exhibit in which waterproof garments were shown adapted to so many uses that almost every department of the world's work was suggested. The Grand Prize was a deserved tribute to one of the oldest manufacturing concerns in the country.

Now They Don't Speak.
Mildred—Congratulations, dear Mr. Higgins proposed to me last night and I accepted him.
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What He Wanted.
Jones (in the hall)—What's the matter, old man? Can't you find your umbrella?
Smith—Yes; but somehow I am unable to find a better one.

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Still in Doubt.
Frank—So you proposed to Miss Cash-leigh last night, eh? Well, what was the result?
Harry—At the present writing I'm like a small boy's stocking on Christmas eve.
Frank—How's that?
Harry—in suspense.

Pico's Cure for Consumption promptly relieves my little 5-year-old sister of cough.—Miss L. A. Pearce, 23 Pilling street, Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 2, 1901.

The Peruvian government is about to found a national museum of natural science, which will have its home in Lima, and in which there will be three departments, one devoted to animal life, another to plant life and a third to minerals.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.
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How It Happened.
Geraldine—Did you hear about Miss Elderleigh's elopement?
Esmeralda—Elopement!
Geraldine—Yes. Her horse ran away with her yesterday.



Mrs. Elizabeth H. Thompson, of Lillydale, N. Y., Grand Worthy Wise Templar, and Member of W. C. T. U., tells how she recovered from a serious illness by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I am one of the many of your grateful friends who have been cured through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and who can today thank you for the fine health I enjoy. When I was thirty-five years old, I suffered severe backache and frequent bearing-down pains; in fact, I had womb trouble. I was very anxious to get well, and reading of the cures your Compound had made, I decided to try it. I took only six bottles, but it built me up and cured me entirely of all my troubles. My family and relatives were naturally as gratified as I was. My niece had heart trouble and nervous prostration, and was considered incurable. She took your Vegetable Compound and it cured her in a short time, and she became well and strong, and her home to her great joy and her husband's delight was blessed with a baby. I know of a number of others who have been cured of different kinds of female trouble, and am satisfied that your Compound is the best medicine for sick women."—MRS. ELIZABETH H. THOMPSON, Box 105, Lillydale, N. Y.

Thousands upon thousands of women throughout this country are not only expressing such sentiments as the above to their friends, but are continually writing letters of gratitude to Mrs. Pinkham, until she has hundreds of thousands of letters from women in all classes of society who have been restored to health by her advice and medicine after all other means had failed.

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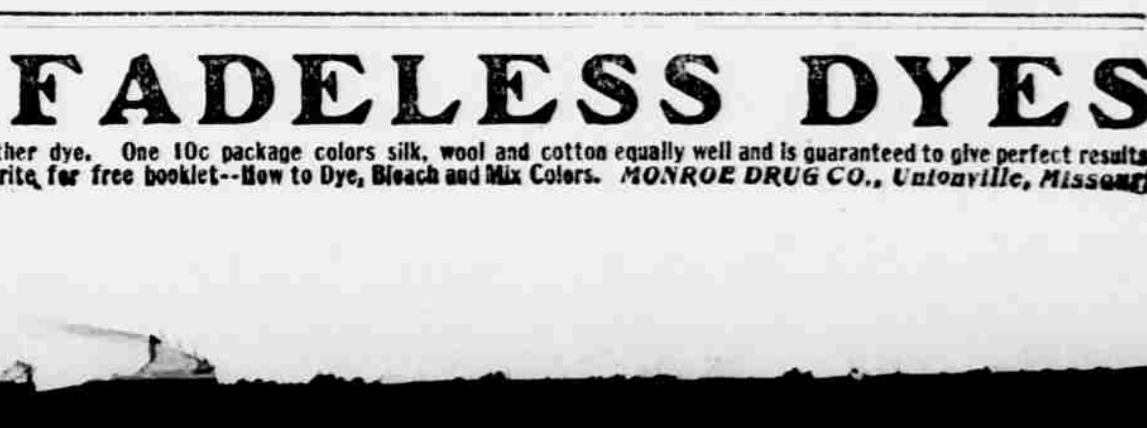
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