PE-RU-NA CONQUERS CATARRH THE WORLD OVER.

ALL over the world Peruna is known and used for catarrhal diseases. The Peruna Girl has traveled 'round the globe.

Her face is familiar everywhere that civilization reaches.

Universally Praised.

From Africa to Greenland, from Manchuria to Patagonia, the face of the Peruna girl is familiar and the praises of Peruna as a catarrh remedy are heard.

Recommended in North and South.

Peruna crossed the Equator several years ago, to find in the Southern Hemisphere the same triumphant success that has marked its career in the Northern Hemisphere.

A Standard.

Peruna is a standard catarrh remedy the world over.

It cures catarrh by eradicating it from the system.

Permanent Cure.

It obviates the necessity of all local treatment and its relief is of permanent character.

Without a Peer.

No other remedy has so completely dominated the whole earth as Peruna.

In Every Tongue.

In all languages its glowing testimonials are written.

In all climes the demands for Peruna increase.

An Extensive Laboratory.

To supply this remedy to the whole world taxes to the utmost one of the best laboratories in the United States.

A Word From Australia.

Walter H. Woodward, Bomadier Royal Australian Artillery, Hobart, Tasmania, writes:

"I suffered for several years with a distressing condition of the head and throat, caused by continual colds.

"My head and nostrils were stopped up most of the time and there was a discharge, and my sense of smell was affected badly.

"After two weeks use of Peruna I found this condition quite changed, and so I continued to use this remarkable medicine for over a month.

"I am very glad to say that at the end of that time I was cured and felt in fine health generally, and am pleased to give Peruna my honest endorsement."

From Hawaii.

Prince Jonah Kalaniana'ole, delegate in Congress from Hawaii, writes from Washington, D. C., as follows:

"I can cheerfully recommend your Peruna as a very effective remedy for coughs, colds and catarrhal trouble."

A Cuban Minister.

Senor Quesada, Cuban Minister to the United States, writes from Washington, D. C., as follows:

"Peruna I can recommend as a very good medicine. It is an excellent strengthening tonic, and is also an efficacious cure for the almost universal complaint of catarrh."—Gonzalo De Quesada.

From All Quarters of the Globe.

We have on file thousands of testimonials like those given above. We can give our readers only a slight glimpse of the vast number of grateful letters Dr. Hartman is constantly receiving from all quarters of the globe in behalf of his famous catarrh remedy, Peruna.

SLAVS IN FLIGHT

JAPANESE IN FULL CONTROL OF TIE PASS.

RUSSIAN ARMY IS IN RETREAT

The Movement is Now Toward Harbin—The Muscovites Have Been Slightly Reinforced, but There is Little Hope of Their Escape.

TOKIO—The Japanese occupied Tie Pass at midnight, March 15. Details of the occupation have not yet been received at imperial army headquarters. An official bulletin reports the action and that the Japanese are in hot pursuit of the retreating Russians, but it does not mention any particulars about the fight.

The Japanese captured many prisoners at Tie Pass and the Russians destroyed vast stores.

General Kouropatkin and the remnants of the army which was defeated by the Japanese on the Shakhe and Hun rivers, and again around Mukden and Tie Pass, are now in the mountains a few miles north of the southern entrance of the Pass trying to shake off their pursuers, who apparently are not going to repeat the mistake of Liao Yang and allow the Russian army to escape. Kouropatkin has been reinforced by the garrisons of Tieling and other northern towns and a few new troops who were on their way from Russia when the battle of Mukden began.

But even with these there is little hope for him. True, he has some thirty or forty miles of hilly country extending from Tie Pass to Fenghuatsien, which might enable him to hold off the enemy for a time, but once out of the hills he has before him nearly 300 miles of flat, open country and innumerable rivers and streams to cross. This is what is termed the great valley of the Sungari, but is in fact an immense plain, bounded on the east by high mountains and extending northward into Siberia and westward into Mongolia. Kirin, east of the railway and Harbin, the most northerly point on the railway where it branches off to Vladivostok eastward and to Siberia westward, are the centers of this wonderfully rich country, resembling in many respects the northwest territories of Canada. From Tie Pass the railway runs over a hill known as the Divide of Kaiyan, twenty miles, then striking into a valley, on either side of which rise high hills, emerges onto the plain just northeast of the important Chinese city of Fenghuatsien. From there to Harbin hardly a hill can be seen from the railway train, the line running almost straight, except where an occasional curve is necessary to reach a city or favorable crossing of a river. Beside the railway there is a splendid wagon road from Tie Pass to Kaiyan, where it branches, one branch making a detour to the westward, skirting the mountains and running almost direct to Harbin; the other branch passes through the mountains to Kirin, from which center there are many roads. The distance from Tie Pass to Harbin is very little less than 300 miles, and except for the first few miles every acre is under cultivation or supporting herds of cattle, sheep and horses. So far as the commissariat is concerned the Russians need have no fear. Hardly a pound of last year's crop of beans, millet or wheat left the country, the Russians buying it all, but storing it in stations along the railway, immense shelters being erected for its reception. They also purchased all the cattle and horses and have Cossacks herding them.

FORCING THE ISSUE.

Trouble With Venezuela Coming to a Head.

WASHINGTON—France has officially informed the United States of the action of the Venezuelan government against the French Cable company, which she regards as high-handed and unwarranted. While insisting that diplomatic means will be exhausted in an effort to relieve the situation, it is declared that President Castro is rapidly exhausting French patience and thereby forcing France toward the limit of diplomacy.

France has invited the attention of the American government to the Venezuelan situation because of its interest in all American affairs and in order that it may obtain the probable course which this government will take against Venezuela. It is the wish of the French government to aim against parallel lines as far as practicable.

These developments in the Venezuelan situation are regarded as the preliminary step toward the relief of the situation in Caracas which Europe as well as the United States has for some time regarded with dissatisfaction.

Dr. Harper Goes to Lakewood.

NEW YORK—President William R. Harper of the University of Chicago, who arrived from Chicago, left this city for Lakewood, N. J., where he is to take an X-ray treatment.

Indicts Adjutant General.

SANTA FE, N. M.—General W. H. Whiteman was indicted by the grand jury on Thursday on a charge of obtaining public funds under false pretences. He was at once time justice of the New Mexico supreme court and for the past seven years was the adjutant general of the territory. He was removed from office a month ago by Governor Otero, against whom he filed charges accusing the executive of the misappropriation of military equipment furnished by the United States.

ROME—After two weeks' fruitless attempt to form a new cabinet Deputy Fortis declined the task and the members of the old Giolitti cabinet held a council under the presidency of King Victor Emmanuel, who decided that they should all return, before parliament, Foreign Minister Tittoni taking the premier's portfolio and also ad interim that of the minister of the interior. The decision tends to bring about in the chamber of deputies a vote which will enable the king to decide which man or party now has the confidence of parliament.

READY FOR PEACE.

It is Said Both Belligerents Want It.

WASHINGTON—When the czar calls the war council Tuesday he will be able to inform his ministers that the Japanese will welcome peace on reasonable terms and will promptly name its conditions provided it receives trustworthy assurances that they will be seriously considered.

This, the emperor has learned from friendly chancelleries in Europe, as well as the general terms acceptable to Japan.

These, it is said, include the retention by Japan of Port Arthur, a Japanese protectorate over Korea and an indemnity.

From a high official the Associated Press hears that Russia has recalled its second Pacific squadron.

An attache of a Russian embassy in Europe is quoted expressing the belief that Kouropatkin's recent defeat will force Russia to ask for peace.

Briefly, these were the reports current in the diplomatic corps, and as a result of this important information official Washington believes that Russia and Japan are on the verge of peace. If it be true that the second Pacific squadron has been recalled even the most optimistic of Russia's friends admit that this is a strong indication that Oyama's mighty blow has made for peace.

Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, is the notable exception in the group of foreign envoys here. "However generous the terms which Japan might offer," the ambassador said, "Russian prestige is not among them. That is one thing for which the war will be fought to the end. Victory for the Russian arms will alone make for peace. If not at Tie Pass, then at Harbin. Russia will assemble another army mightier than before and with that army it will settle the issue. It may be six months, a year, or perhaps two years. Time will be no consideration."

At the Japanese legation it is declared that St. Petersburg and not Tokio is the capitol from which the world must hope for peace proposals. Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister, said in the most emphatic manner that Japan had not directly proposed peace. He did not deny that neutral powers, through their envoys from time to time, had sounded Japan as to the terms on which it would accept peace, but these, he said, necessarily changed with the progress of hostilities, the intimation being that Russia could have obtained better terms after the fall of Port Arthur than after the capture of Mukden.

If the Japanese government were assured that peace proposals would be considered by Russia there is authority for the statement that Japan would respond immediately. But it will insist that these assurances shall be of the most positive character. Japan's experience in the negotiations preceding the war, it is said, will make it exceedingly cautious in the future. It will insist that such assurances shall come from the Russian government and not from this or that party or this or that friend of the emperor.

CUTS OFF SINEWS OF WAR

French Bankers Practically Refuse to Loan Money to Russia.

LONDON—The revolt of the French bankers is considered by the London newspapers as the most hopeful and important news of the day, promising an early conclusion of peace between Russia and Japan. Apparently the proposed loan has not been absolutely refused, but only "postponed." This, however, is regarded as being tantamount to a refusal, and is expected to speak louder to the Russian war party even than Kouropatkin's reverse at Mukden. It is regarded that by the death of M. Germain, the late governor of the Credit Lyonnais, Russia lost its strongest financial friend in France, and that had he been alive no difficulty would have been experienced. With the American and English markets closed to it, it is thought that Russia can only turn to Germany, which is not likely to be much more responsive than France, and the only alternative would seem to be to make peace.

LAND FRAUDS FOUND IN UTAH

Agents of Federal Government Said to Have Unearthed Them.

SALT LAKE, Utah.—Special agents of the federal government are reported to have been engaged for some time past in investigating public land frauds in Utah. The Salt Lake Herald states that hundreds of thousands of acres of valuable coal lands have been acquired by corporations by questionable methods. Vast tracts of coal lands are said to have been filed on and patented as agricultural and grazing land and then transferred to coal companies. In many instances, it is stated, lands have been settled upon as coal lands under the law which permits every adult citizen to acquire sixty acres of coal land by purchase on payment of ten dollars an acre for such lands when situated more than fifteen miles from any railroad.

Twenty-four Miners Killed.

CHARLESTON, W. Va.—As a result of the horrible explosion in the Rush Run and Red Ash mines near Thurmond Saturday night, twenty-four men now lie stark in death in the two mines. Ten of these were killed in the explosion Saturday night and the other fourteen were a rescuing party which entered the mine Sunday morning to take from the mines the charred and blackened remains of their fellow workmen. These latter were killed by a second explosion and the afterdamp.

Senate Confirmations.

WASHINGTON—The senate made the following confirmations: Peter V. De Graw of the District of Columbia, to be fourth assistant postmaster general; Nelson O'Shaughnessy of New York, to be third secretary of embassy at Berlin; Francis G. Lander of New York, to be second secretary of embassy at Vienna; Francis M. Wright, to be United States district judge in eastern district of Illinois; Fenton W. Booth of Illinois, to be judge of the court of claims; Clarence L. Hobart collector of customs for Alaska.

Blessed Be the Peacemakers.

The noblest of all the beatitudes is the consecration promised to the peacemakers. Even if we may not win the wreath of olive; may not hear the golden clamor of the trumpets celebrating the reign of universal peace, it is something to have desired it, to have wished, for it in the measure of our favors. And if you labor the peace of God that passeth understanding will be your all-sufficient reward.

Consider Well Your Wishes.

It is an old but a good rule, "Never wish for anything for which you dare not pray." Such wishes cannot lead to happiness. The good things of life are, and must be, good—approved of God, in line with right. We can, therefore, freely ask for anything that is really going to make us happy. The things barred out by this rule are only things that must inevitably make us miserable before we are through with them.

Hint for Young Wives.

The main thing is to realize that a man is as he is. You can't change him much. And the sooner you leave off trying to reform him the sooner will you be able to make him go through his paces and do the cute tricks he is capable of. Indeed he can be made quite tame by gentle treatment and may in time learn some of the finer things of life from his mistress. The proper study of womankind is man.—Syracuse Journal.

Fox Too Much for Dog.

One of the fiercest fights I ever witnessed was between a village cure and a bix fox. One moonlight night this dog, in my company, found Brer Fox mousing round some corn stacks, and pinned him by his foreleg. They louped the loop together, and for some time it was impossible to say where the fox begun and the dog left off. But for my intervention the dog would have been killed.—County Gentleman.

The One Thing Needful.

She doesn't care for operas, the drama or the play; she doesn't care for dancing—she isn't built that way; she doesn't care for housework, for flowers or for books, she doesn't care for poodles—she doesn't like their looks; she doesn't care for dresses, for hats or fancy hose—the only thing she does care for is a man who will propose.

Inventor in Doubt.

"Is your invention a success?" "I don't know yet," answered the mechanical genius. "It is such a simple and effective device that I don't know whether I can develop enough imaginative eloquence concerning it to make people subscribe for stock."

A Brand From the Burning.

Early Wednesday morning a fire broke out on the East side at Coahoma and wiped out everything except the Chinaman, whom the insurance companies had refused.—Friars Point (Miss.) Coahomian.

United States of South America.

Argentina is the United States of South America. It is made up of fourteen states and nine territories. The population is about 5,000,000.

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. 25c.

First Newspaper Illustration.

The first attempt to illustrate news was made in 1607. It depicted a flood in Monmouthshire, England.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Largest Pontoon Bridge.

The largest pontoon bridge in the world is at Calcutta, and is a permanent structure.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound—while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in ¾-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

Demand for Banana Skins.

Banana skins are in demand in England, particularly at hotels, for the cleaning of boots.

If you don't get the biggest and best it's your own fault. Defiance Starch is for sale everywhere, and there is positively nothing to equal it in quality or quantity.

Little sins are never alone.

WOMEN NOT TRUTHFUL!

This Statement Has Been Unjustly Made, Because Modest Women Evade Questions Asked by Male Physicians.

An eminent physician says that "Women are not truthful; they will lie to their physician." This statement should be qualified; women do tell the truth, but not the whole truth, to a male physician, but this is only in regard to those painful and troublesome disorders peculiar to their sex.

There can be no more terrible ordeal to a delicate, sensitive, refined woman than to be obliged to answer certain questions when those questions are asked, even by her family physician. This is especially the case with unmarried women.

Is it any wonder, then, that women continue to suffer and that doctors fail to cure female diseases when they cannot get the proper information to work on?

This is the reason why thousands and thousands of women are now corresponding with Mrs. Pinkham. To her they can and do give every symptom, so that she really knows more about the true condition of her patients, through her correspondence with them than the physician who personally questions them.

If you suffer from any form of trouble peculiar to women, write at once to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and she will advise you free of charge.

The fact that this great boon, which is extended freely to women by Mrs. Pinkham, is appreciated, the thousands of letters received by her prove. Many such grateful letters as the following are constantly pouring in.

Mrs. Ella Lee, Frankford, Ind., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I want to thank you for what your medicine has done for me.

"Three years ago I had inflammation of the ovaries and ulcers on my womb. I was under the doctor's care for about three months, and the only time I was not in pain was when under the influence of morphine. The doctor finally said I never would be better, and would be an invalid the rest of my life. I had given up in despair, but one evening I came across one of your advertisements and decided to write you for advice. I did so and commenced to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I began to improve at once, and to-day I am a well woman, and I know it is all due to your advice and medicine.

Mrs. J. H. Farmer of 2809 Elliott Avenue, St. Louis, Mo., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I cannot thank you enough for what your advice and medicines have done for me. They have done me more good than all the doctors I ever had.

"For the last eight years I have suffered with female troubles; was very weak; had nervous prostration, and could not do my work; but I am happy to say Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has made a different woman of me. I am in perfect health and have gained in weight from 98 pounds to 122 pounds."

No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine has such a record for actual cures of female ills as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands A Woman's Ills.

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(Name on application)

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The world-wide popularity of Oiled Clothing proves the buyer of the positive worth of the genuine bearing the Sign of the Fish.

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TOWER CANADIAN CO., LIMITED

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"CREMO"

IF THE DEALER TRIES TO SELL YOU SOME OTHER ASK YOURSELF WHY?

A Dimpled Chin.

Not one girl in 10,000 has a dimple in her chin. Indeed, the kind of dimple seems to be more frequent in men than in women. It has another peculiarly—namely, that is permanent, whereas other dimples of the face come and go with changes of expression.

The Handy Encyclopedia.

"Every household ought to have an encyclopedia," observed the professor. "I think so, too," responded Miss Flutterby brightly. "They are so handy to press crumpled ribbons and flowers and letters and things."—Pittsburg Post.

Good Character the Best of All.

A good character is the best tombstone. Those who loved you, and were helped by you, will remember you when forget-me-nots are withered. Carve your name on hearts, not on marble.

Storekeepers report that the extra quantity, together with the superior quality of Defiance Starch makes it next to impossible to sell any other brand.

An old-fashioned cure for a cold is to wrap a silk handkerchief over the head, after having soaked the feet in the customary mustard water.

Dealers say that as soon as a customer tries Defiance Starch it is impossible to sell them any other cold water starch. It can be used cold or boiled.

Take care of your living, and your dying will take care of itself.

An Old Offender.

"There's nothing new under the sun. The theory that mosquitoes transmit disease is not a recent development, as many suppose. At a late meeting of the Asiatic society, in Ceylon, Sir Henry A. Blake, governor of the island, announced that Cingalese medical books of the sixth century described sixty-seven varieties of mosquitoes and 424 kinds of malaria fever caused by mosquitoes.

Child's Idea of Bliss.

A small child had been promised that if she were very good she should be taken to a hotel with her father and mother. When there, some old ladies, with a view to improving her mind, asked if she were a good little girl, and if she knew where good little girls went to. "Yes," she said; "they go to hotels."

Law of Life is Toil.

If you want knowledge, you must toil for it; if food, you must toil for it; and if pleasure, you must toil for it. Toil is the law. Pleasure comes through toil, and not by self-indulgence and indolence. When one gets to love work, his life is a happy one.

Something Doing.

This morning the sweet slumber of our peaceful and quiet town was aroused by bang, bang, bang, like the report of firearms, about 3 o'clock, indicating that a shooting affray was taking place in some part of town.—Monument Enterprise.

Two Kinds of People.

Some are all right all day if they begin the day all right; but some other people are all right all day anyway, because if they don't begin the day right, they jerk it into right.—Orvice Sisson in "Short Talks."

FACE LIKE RAW BEEF.

Burning Up With a Terrible Itching Eczema—Speedily Cured by Cuticura.

"Cuticura cured me of a terrible eczema from which I had suffered agony and pain for eight years, being unable to obtain any help from the best doctors. My scalp was covered with scabs and my face was like a piece of raw beef, my eyebrows and lashes were falling out, and I felt as if burning up from the terrible itching and pain. Cuticura gave me relief the very first day, and made a complete cure in a short time. My head and face are now clear and well. (Signed) Miss Mary M. Fay, 75 West Main St., Westboro, Mass."

Nature's Last Citadel.

"Ex fur's I've noticed," said Uncle Ephr'm, "party much ev'erything that's adulterated tastes better'n the ginoine, 'ceptin' maple m'lasses, an' I'm wonderin' how much longer that'll hold out agin science."—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

$500 Reward, $500.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Egypt, with 10,000,000 people, has only one lunatic asylum, and that with only 500 beds.

Smokers find Lewis' "Single Binder" straight 5c cigar better quality than most 10c brands. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

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