

"POOR DIGESTION LANGUID AND TIRED."

An Interesting Letter Concerning Peruna.



MISS DELLA JANVEAU

Miss Della Janveau, Globe Hotel, Ottawa, Ont., is from one of the oldest and best known French Canadian families in Canada. In a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, she says:

"Last spring my blood seemed clogged up, my digestion poor, my head ached and I felt languid and tired all the time. My physician prescribed for me, but a friend advised me to try Peruna. I tried it and am pleased to state that I found it a wonderful cleanser and purifier of the system. In three weeks I was like a new woman, my appetite had increased, I felt buoyant, light and happy and without an ache or pain. Peruna is a reliable family medicine."

Adia Brittain, of Sekitan, O., writes:

"After using your wonderful Peruna three months I have had great relief. I had continual heaviness in my stomach, was bilious, and had fainting spells, but they all have left me since using Peruna."

—Adia Brittain.

If you do not derive prompt and satis-

Relics of Roman Period.

A stone coffin, containing the remains of a man and woman, was discovered while plowing a field at Templethorpe Farm, Temple Newsam, near Leeds, England, recently. The remains, which are in a wonderful state of preservation, are thought to date from the Roman period. Near the spot where the coffin was found the foundations of a building, said to be that of a temple, were brought to light.

Surprise for the Parson.

A clergyman having occasion to go to London before Christmas, his wife asked him to buy a text for the gallery of the church for the Christmas decorations, according to "The King." He was very busy and forgot all about it till just before leaving, so wired for instructions to his wife as to words and dimensions. She wired back the following message: "Unto us a son is born, nine feet long by three feet high."

Charcoal Eph's Daily Thought.

"Wenevah yo' sees er man dogdz/ saucepans an' er woman runnin' f'm er brick," said Charcoal Eph, passing his plate for another piece of ham, "yo' kin mo' gin'ally conclude dat dey am some incompatibility ob tempah in de fambly, Mistah Jackson."—Baltimore News.

Mexico's Big Millionaire.

Pedro Alvarado, the Mexican millionaire, who, two years ago, was a penniless peon, is to-day the most famous man in our sister republic. He keeps \$1,000,000 always on hand in his palace at Chihuahua and makes a practice of carrying the sum of \$300,000 in his vest pocket every day.

Of Value to Seamen.

An interesting feature of the application of electricity on shipboard is the so-called Schotten telegraph, or bulkhead telegraph. In the moment of danger caused by a collision this telegraph enables the captain on the bridge to see whether all the watertight doors are closed or not.

Canada's Pig Iron Production.

The American Iron and Steel association has received direct from the manufacturers the statistics of the production of pig iron in Canada in 1902. They show an increase of 74,581 gross tons, or over 30 per cent, as compared with 1901. The total production in 1902 amounted to 319,557 gross tons, against 244,976 tons in 1901 and 86,090 tons in 1900.

POWER OF THE HYPNOTIST.

Scientific Wonder Disconcerted by Subsequent Happening.

It was last Friday afternoon, while I was going up Columbus avenue in an electric car, that a man entered, at Sixty-fifth street, and took a seat directly opposite me. At the next corner another man entered, and, for want of a seat, held to a strap.

"Fares!" cried the conductor as he held his open hand in front of the newcomer, who shook his head.

"Give me a seat, and I will pay," said the passenger.

"Pay or I will put you off," answered the conductor.

"Try it and I will throw you through the window," replied the passenger.

The usual talk indulged in under such circumstances began, and the other passengers took apparent interest in it. The man who had entered at Sixty-fifth street got into quite a discussion with the passenger next to him, and after a minute it ended by each of them displaying a five dollar note.

"Hold on, conductor!" said the Sixty-fifth street man. I can put that brute off without any trouble. Here hold these bills, and if I get him to go they are mine, and if I don't give them to this man."

The conductor, glad to be relieved, took the money, and the Sixty-fifth street man began to make gentle passes with wiggling fingers in front of the non-fare-paying passenger's face. Then he gently beckoned him as he moved backward, and, much to our astonishment, the man who wouldn't pay followed him to the street. Leaving him standing there in an apparently dazed condition, the hypnotist boarded the car, got his ten dollars, and away he went.

At the next corner I got off, and so did the hypnotist. He walked down the street, met the man he had put off the car, and the two entered a corner saloon.—New York Tribune.

ARE CITIES ONLY IN NAME.

Some Aspiring Municipalities Are So Small as to Be Ridiculous.

The recently completed census of the United States reveals some singular facts relative to the towns and cities that compose the nation at large. There are quite a number of so-called "cities" which are so ridiculously small in population as to make it a matter of wonder and amazement that they are really cities. The populations of a few such cities may be given as illustrations. The city of Johnson, Kan., has a population of only fifteen and the population of the city of Coronado, in the same state, is even less, being only ten.

There are several cities in Kansas which have very diminutive populations, as follows: Bird, 88; Brainerd, 70; Ford, 82; Freeport, 83; Horace, 90; Hugoton, 54; Richfield, 61; Tribune, 62; Ulysses, 40. The city of Sloan Springs, Mo., has a population of 98. The city of Brigantine, N. J., has a population of 99, but, small as is the population of that city, it is nearly five times as large as that of the city of Lavallette, in the same state, which has a population of only 21. The city which exceeds all the others in the diminutiveness of its population is the city of Rainy Lake, Minn., which has a population of only 7.

Old Frost.

Zip! 'Tis the frost! Like an arrow it flies
And the hands of the schoolboy are stung
till he cries:
And sometimes the wounds that it makes
are so deep
That the victim forever must sink into sleep.

It comes like a shaft from a cowardly foe
And the brave and the young and the fair
are laid low;
Small good are the rags which the beggar
enfold,
For often 'twill pierce e'en an armor of gold.

'Tis time to assemble humanity's clan
And join to give battle the best that we can;
We'll build us a fortress in charity's name
And rejoice in a victory worthy our fame.

Skating on Water.

It would seem that skating on water may be successfully accomplished. A German inventor has made a 100-mile journey with water shoes on the surface of the River Danube. The shoes are cylindrical in shape, and are made of aluminum to give them extreme lightness. They are several feet long, and are propelled by a treading movement, which causes four con-shaped wings to revolve. The inventor claims that he can travel on water three times as fast as he can walk on land and that locomotion is as safe or rough water as on smooth. He hopes to have the shoes made a part of every well-regulated life-saving station.

Didn't Know There Was a War.

After the announcement of the British success at Tebel-Kebrir the guns in St. James' park, London, were not fired, and Mr. Gladstone, who was prime minister at the time, wrote to ask his war minister why the guns were silent. He himself, Mr. Gladstone added, had had them fired for the Indian victories in 1846. There was a poet turning of the tables in the reply Mr. Gladstone had told the house of commons that there was no legal status of war with any recognized state or power and his secretary for war wrote back that the only excuse the war office had was that, relying on the premier's statement, "we have hitherto believed that we have not been at war."

The new cruiser Baltimore will be the first warship to be fitted with steel furniture.

Physiology of Fishes.

The fact that fishes, after the loss of the ears, lose their equilibrium, but still respond to sounds, led to the belief that the ear in fishes was for equilibration, and that fish hear through the contact of sound waves with their skin. Now Parker of the United States fish commission has demonstrated that the fundulus heteroclitus hears after the nervous conductor between the skin and brain is severed.

Possibility of Human Diversity.

According to permutation, the forty-two individual or genetic instincts of which the human mind is composed may combine in 2,810,012,235,505,759,797,086,285,212,489,023,129,540,768,000,000 different ways, which will account for all the diversity of the human family in the past at present, and for millions of years in the future.

The Growth of America.

In the '70s England produced three times as much iron and steel as the United States. Later on Germany contested British supremacy and passed her record of production. In 1902 the United States produced more iron than England and Germany combined, with enough left over to equal about the product of France.

Mechanical Milker Satisfactory.

The Egin dairy report says, in speaking of the Lawrence-Kennedy milking machine, a New Zealand invention: "So far as the experience of users has gone the results are of such a satisfactory nature as to justify the belief that at length the mechanical milker has arrived."

Pleas for Industrial School.

The Rev. Edward S. Tead, secretary of the Congregational Educational society, states that there is urgent demand for an industrial school among the Spanish-speaking Mexicans of New Mexico of the same kind as that for negroes at Tuskegee and Hampton.

"Mr. Dooley's" Success.

Finley Peter Dunne, the celebrated "Mr. Dooley," is said to have been offered \$40,000 a year to write exclusively for certain American publishers. Only a few years ago he worked on a Chicago newspaper for \$12 a week.

U. S. Cadets Take Notice.

Up in Oregon the students have a new method of bazing. In Lane county they compelled the initiate to sit with feet and legs in ice cold water for an hour. Both legs had to be amputated.—Galveston News.

Quarrel Over Marconi.

Marconi has lived to see two Italian cities quarreling about their claims to his fame. He was born in Bologna, but spent his schoolboy years in Florence, where he was a very indifferent and careless student.

Cure for Drunkenness.

The French Gen. Passerieu suggests that the soldiers who give way to drink should be treated as persons suffering from illness, and that they should be segregated and treated by the regimental doctors.

Unique Birth Announcement.

To announce to his musical friends the birth of a son, a Welsh musician has sent a card simply bearing four bars of music. They were recognized as from "The Messiah": "Unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given."

Quick Trip Around World.

The development of the modern railroad and steamship makes possible a trip around the world in twenty-seven days, as follows: From New York to Hamburg, 4,800 miles, 7 1/2 days; Hamburg to Vladivostok, 7,500 miles, 6 1/2 days; Vladivostok to Seattle, 7,000 miles, 10 1/2 days; Seattle to New York, 3,300 miles, 2 1/2 days; total, 22,600 miles in 27 days.

Will Take Brooklyn Church.

The Rev. Dr. Henry Sylvester Nash, who has filled the chair of New Testament interpretation in the Episcopal Theological seminary at Cambridge, Mass., has been called to the rectorship of Holy Trinity church, Brooklyn, as successor to the Rev. Dr. S. D. McConnell.

Pay Large Sums for Wood.

France has an excess of firewood, which sells with difficulty, and an insufficiency of wood for manufacture. Her bill for imported wood amounts to \$2,000,000 a year. England's is fifty times that sum.

New Version.

The father of twins in Chanote has arrived at the conclusion, a local paper says, that the reason a doctor is called a "stork" at certain times is on account of the size of his bill.—Kansas City Star.



Miss Gannon, Sec'y Detroit Amateur Art Association, tells young women what to do to avoid pain and suffering caused by female troubles.

"I can conscientiously recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to those of my sisters suffering with female weakness and the troubles which so often befall women. I suffered for months with general weakness and felt so weary that I had hard work to keep up. I had shooting pains and was utterly miserable. In my distress I was advised to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it was a red letter day to me when I took the first dose, for at that time my restoration began. In six weeks I was a changed woman, perfectly well in every respect. I felt so elated and happy that I want all women who suffer to get well as I did."—Miss GUILA GANNON, 359 Jones St., Detroit, Corresponding Sec'y Mich. Amateur Art Association.—\$5000 for full (original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced).

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