

SCHOOLBOYS ARE NOT TOO GIRLISH

BRITISH PROFESSORS ASSERT THEY ARE

TYPICAL AMERICAN REPLIES

Moseley Commission of British Educational Experts Start a Lively Discussion by Their Report

"Are American school boys girlish?" This question, which has been agitating England for the past few months and which has been creating a sensation in the east, has at last arrived in Los Angeles in a report of the Moseley educational commission of London, which recently visited the United States to study the American plan of education and to get a true solution of this question.

The Britishers spent some time in this country, and when they had returned to England they scratched their English heads, twisted their British beards and met in important session, in which they proceeded to throw mud at the American schools, and particularly at the American school boy, whom they declared was sissy and girlish in his habits. They then went to great lengths to explain that co-education, tempered by so many women instructors in the public schools, was the cause of this "sissiness."

Here is what the learned gentlemen had to say about us. It is an extract from the special treatise of Prof. Henry E. Armstrong, Ph. D., LL. D., F. R. S., and then some more:

"Most of us who are conversant with school work were struck by the distinctly low average of attainment in the American high schools. To what is this attributed? In part probably to the conditions which prevail in American life, but in large measure also, I venture to think, to the prevalence of mixed schools and the preponderance of women teachers.

"Admitting that it may be possible, even desirable, to bring up the two sexes together in the early years of school life, I venture to think that we must sooner or later come to admit that it is wrong to do so during the later years, if the object be the development of a virile man. To put the matter in very simple terms, it seemed to me on the occasion of my former visit—and the impression was confirmed during my recent visit—that the boy in America is not being brought up to punch another boy's head, or to stand having his own punched in a healthy and proper manner; that there is a strange and indefinable air coming over the man; a tendency toward a common, if I may call it, sexless tone of thought.

"But if co-education be had in itself, it becomes infinitely worse when the teachers are mostly women; they should rather be men mostly. Nowhere is the claim made on behalf of women to equality with men put forward so strongly as it is in the United States. Nowhere, I believe, would it be found to be more disproved in practice if carefully inquired into. Women have sought in recent times to prove that they can compete successfully with men in every field; they claim to have succeeded, but the claim cannot be allowed, I think. They have shown—that it was unnecessary to show—that

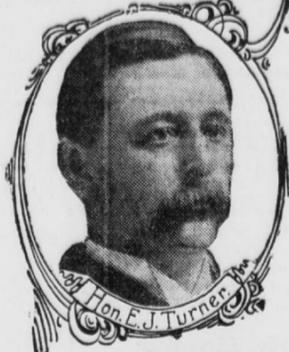
CONGRESSMEN FROM MANY STATES PUBLICLY ENDORSE PE-RU-NA.

Hon. G. W. Smith, member of Congress from Illinois, writes from Murphysboro:

"I take pleasure in testifying to the merits of Peruna. I have taken one bottle for my catarrh and I feel very much benefited. To those who are afflicted with catarrh and in need of a good tonic, I take pleasure in recommending Peruna."

Hon. David Meekison, ex-member of Congress from Ohio, writes from Napoleon:

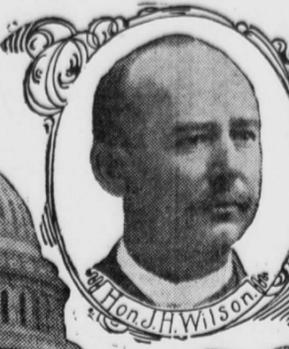
"I have used several bottles of Peruna and I feel greatly benefited thereby from my catarrh of the head. I feel encouraged to believe that if I use it a short time longer I will be fully able to eradicate the disease of thirty years' standing."



Hon. E. J. Turner, ex-member of Congress, from Kansas, writes from the Pacific, Washington, D. C., as follows: "Your Peruna is a great medical composition and should command the gratitude of all persons suffering from catarrh."

Hon. John H. Wilson, member of Congress, from Kentucky, writes from Barboursville:

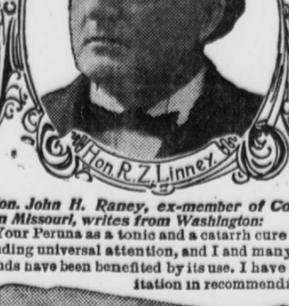
"After an experience in the use of Peruna as a remedy for catarrh as well as an invigorating tonic, as developed by the relief experienced by a large number of my personal friends and acquaintances, I have no hesitation in giving it my emphatic praise and recommendation."



Hon. John H. Raney, ex-member of Congress, from Missouri, writes from Washington, D. C., as follows: "Your Peruna as a tonic and a catarrh cure is commanding universal attention, and I and many of my friends have been benefited by its use. I have no hesitation in recommending it."

Hon. Romulus Z. Linney, ex-member of Congress, from North Carolina, writes from Washington:

"My private secretary has been using Peruna for several weeks and I wish to testify as to its great value and merits in cases of catarrh. He had as bad a case as I ever saw, and since he has taken one bottle he seems like a different man. His system was very much run down, and at times he could not work at all, but ever since his first bottle he has been building up. I don't think any man who is under a nervous strain should be without it."



NATIONAL CAPITOL, WASHINGTON, D. C.

A Popular Remedy

The popularity of Peruna as a remedy for coughs, colds and catarrh among the United States senators and congressmen has been the talk and astonishment of the whole country.

Endorsed by National Representatives

That a proprietary medicine should have won its way into the Capital of the United States and secured the confidence of so many of the distinguished statesmen has been the talk and astonishment in the history of medicine.

Praised by National Representatives

Senators recommend Peruna to each other. Congressmen speak of it in private and in public in most lavish terms of praise.

Endorsed by Army and Navy

Diplomats and consuls, representa-

tives of the army and navy, prominent figures in many departments of the federal government have given unqualified endorsement of the prompt and permanent relief afforded by Peruna in all cases of catarrhal diseases.

All Classes Use Peruna

Thus it is that the highest homes in the land, the dwelling places of the most famous, have become the stronghold of Peruna as well as the millions of more modest homes of the middle classes.

Does What is Claimed for it

The only way to account for the immense popularity of Peruna among the high and lowly is that Peruna actually accomplishes what is claimed for it.

For All Climatic Diseases

It cures catarrh in all its phases. It stops a cough by removing the cause. It wards off colds, pneumonia and other climatic diseases.

Universally Endorsed

This is the only possible explanation of the fact that Peruna has received a universal endorsement, such as no other remedy has ever received.

Peruna Excellent for Catarrhal Complaints

Hon. Geo. H. Latham, ex-member of congress from West Virginia, writes: "After using it, I have no hesitation in certifying to the excellence of Peruna for all catarrhal complaints."

An Effective Cure for Coughs and Colds

Hon. John Lamb, member of congress from Virginia, writes from Washington, D. C.: "I can cheerfully recommend your Peruna as a very effective cure for coughs and colds."

An Excellent Tonic

Hon. C. F. Trigg, ex-member of con-

gress from Virginia, writes from the National hotel, Washington, D. C.: "I was advised to use Peruna, and find it an excellent tonic, also a good remedy for coughs and colds."

Used Peruna in His Family

Hon. J. F. Wilson, ex-delegate to congress from Arizona, writes from Washington, D. C., as follows: "I have used Peruna in my family and with satisfactory results."

Prince Recommends Peruna

Prince Jonah Kalaiananoale, 1522 K street, N. W., Washington, D. C., delegate in congress from Hawaii, writes: "I can recommend your Peruna as a very effective remedy for coughs, colds and catarrhal troubles."

For Catarrh in Various Forms

Hon. W. E. Andrews, ex-congressman

from Nebraska, writes from Washington, D. C.: "I cheerfully recommend Peruna as a healthful tonic and a successful remedy for catarrh in its various forms."

Other congressmen who have used and endorsed Peruna are as follows:

Hon. B. F. Rice, ex-U. S. Senator from Arkansas.

Hon. L. P. Featherstone, ex-congressman from Texas.

Hon. John M. McDonald, ex-member of Congress from Maryland.

Hon. Robert W. Davis, member of Congress from Florida.

Hon. C. W. Butts, ex-member of Congress from North Dakota.

Hon. Willis Sweet, ex-member of Congress from Idaho.

Hon. J. H. Bankhead, ex-member of Congress from Alabama.

they are indefatigable workers, and they have shown that they can pass examinations with brilliant success. But what has been the character of the examinations? Almost invariably they have been such as to require the reproduction of learning, not original effort. History records but very few cases of women with any approach to originality; it proves the sex to have been lacking in creative, in imaginative power. Those who have taught women students are one and all in agreement that, although close workers and most faithful and accurate observers, yet, with the rarest exceptions, they are incapable of doing independent and original work. And it must be so. Throughout the entire period of her existence woman has been man's slave, and if the theory of evolution be in any way correct there is no reason to sup-

pose, I imagine, that she will recover from the mental disabilities which this has entailed upon her within any period which we for practical purposes can regard as reasonable. Education can do little to modify her nature. The argument is one which women probably will not, perhaps cannot, appreciate. No better proof could be asked for, however, than is afforded by the consistent failure of women to discover special wants of their own—they have always merely asked to have what men have, to be allowed to compete with men. Domestic subjects have been taught in the most perfunctory manner possible. That is the cry of the Britisher, and here is what a prominent Los Angeles business man, who has spent his life among the high school boys, has to say about it: "Well, would you listen to the pro-

cessor's yell? Are the American boys sissy? Has the influence of the girl co-eds turned their heads to such an extent as to remove their manly and untamed spirits, and make sissies of them? Let us give the question a fair consideration. "That was a long time ago. Recently a bunch of American school boys took a little trip to England. They went to Cambridge and Oxford. There they met the gentlemen of England. These English lads had not been sissified by co-education. They were the products of years of training, in schools established by the brain and brawn of Britain, and conducted by the same brain and brawn for generations. Who won? The gentlemen, free from the 'sissiness' of co-education, or the boys, made even more manly by their co-education? If the public will re-

member, the Yale-Harvard aggregation brought back the pennant. All these students had, at some time, been high school youths. "A still more recent example is that of Jabex White. This English lad flourished well on the other side and was a shining example of 'unsissiness.' He came over here with colors flying. He met Jimmy Britt, the product of the American school, and the result has been frequently published. If the English imagine that their young men are so superior, why do they not make an effort to find out where the championships of every form of athletics are. They will certainly find them on this side of the Atlantic." When a local high school aggregation was approached on the subject, their opinion was readily given, but was too 'unsissy' to print.

A Remarkable Enterprise The British Medical Institute

Three Months' Free Treatment to All Who Call on Them at Their Offices by June 1st



A GUARANTEE GIVEN IN ALL CASES

Their Inhalation Treatment for Consumption, Catarrh and Bronchitis Has Puzzled the World THE DOCTORS TREAT ALL CHRONIC DISEASES

DISEASES OF WOMEN

There is no class of disease that yields so readily to proper electrical treatment as the various ailments of women, bearing-down pains, headaches, pain in the back, debilitating discharges, falling and ulceration of the womb, ovarian and all pelvic troubles are cured permanently and with no pain or inconvenience to the patient.

Chronic diseases of men and women have been our specialty throughout our long and successful career. We have been successful because we are not faddists. We treat every case according to its individual requirements. Our offices are equipped with every modern facility that medical invention and science afford—X-ray, complete chemical laboratory, electrical machines, vibrators, stethoscopes, etc. We select the treatment that will cure you in the shortest space of time and most thoroughly without the knife or anything that will give you unwanted pain.

Again we say, whatever you may be suffering from, do not rest content until you have had our opinion of it. We are masters of the profession; brethren doctors consult us, why should you not? The doctors address themselves particularly to young men and middle-aged men who are suffering from the awful effects of early indiscretions, and are thereby unfitted for study, business or the proper enjoyment of either married or single life. In this distressed

condition are many thousands who, although originally strong in body and bright in mind, have permitted their ailment to run on and on until finally with physical and mental powers exhausted, death claimed them. The most obstinate cases of this character treated with our inhalation treatment, have been cured to convince the most skeptical. We use no mercury or other injurious drugs and undertake no incurable cases.

A GENUINE INVITATION

We extend a sincere, genuine invitation to every one afflicted with any manner of Chronic Disease, such as Stomach Trouble, Bronchitis, Throat and Lung Troubles, Diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder or Liver, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Female Weakness, Locomotor Ataxia or Epilepsy, Nervous Debility and diseases peculiar to men, etc., etc., to call and have a free, full and confidential talk about your case and let us show you how we are equipped with the latest electrical and other scientific apparatus, and in every way able to correctly diagnose and understand your condition. We will charge you nothing whatever for consultation and advice, and a talk with us will do you more good than you can imagine. Do not put it off longer, but come at once. Those who cannot call should write and learn about our perfect system of home treatment. Correspondence confidential. Address

INSTITUTE, 420 W. Sixth St., Opposite Central Park. Office Hours 9 to 8 Week Days, 10 to 12 Sundays

BEAUTIFUL MEMORIAL TO A NOBLE WOMAN



VIEW OF THE CHAPEL AT HOLLYWOOD CEMETERY

On this beautiful spot the gracious and loving task undertaken by the Eliza A. Otis Memorial association will be carried to fulfillment. The object of the association is known; it is to honor in this happy manner the memory of a noble woman, whose pure life, good deeds, beautiful character and valuable work for Los Angeles, for California and for every good cause are known far

and wide. The plan agreed upon is to introduce into the chapel building, already erected on the spot, a splendid chime of bells, twelve in number, including bells of different sizes and weighing from 265 pounds to 1850 pounds each, making a total weight of some six tons. The executive committee having this exquisite project in hand is composed

as follows: Mrs. Jefferson D. Gibbs, chairman; William Horace Day, vice chairman; R. J. Waters, treasurer; John Freeman, auditor; Mrs. Will Thilenius, first corresponding secretary; Mrs. D. G. Stephens, second corresponding secretary; Mrs. Albert C. Rogers, recording secretary. It is less than a month since the association was organized, yet substantial progress has already been made. Practical aid in substantial amounts

and letters of approval and encouragement by the scores and hundreds have reached the committee, which is so certain of ultimate success that negotiations for the manufacture of the chimes are already under way. It is the intention to have the chimes on the ground and installed in place by the 1st of November next, ready for dedication on the 15th of that month, which marks the first anniversary of the death of Mrs. Otis.

Full information about this unique and beautiful work may be obtained by application, in person or in writing, to any member of the executive committee, whose headquarters are in the rooms of the Ruskin Art Club, Blanchard building, Broadway. The aim of the association is to give an opportunity to the many, and not merely to the few, to have a hand in the erection of this unique and eminently appropriate memorial.

Wines!

Did You Ever Try to Deal With the German-American Wine Co. 314 WEST FIFTH STREET?

If not do so. You will be very well pleased with our goods in matter of quality and prices. All kinds of Dry Wines, red and white, from 50c per gallon and up. All kinds of Sweet Wines from 75c per gallon and up. A selected stock of all brands of Whiskey, strictly pure Rye and Bourbon, from \$2.50 to \$5.00 per gallon.

Try Once and You Will Buy All the Time
Phones: Home 4388 Sunset Red 9921
You Phone the Order We'll Do the Rest.....

Janss Investment Co.

415-420 Mason Building 4th and Broadway
Phones—Home 7763; Main 4070.

FIGUEROA PARK

Fifty-fifth street, Gardena car. Only \$250 for elegant lots, 40x125; cement walks five feet wide, curbs, streets graded, oiled. Agent on tract. No more bargains elsewhere. S. WISENANDER, 221 Laughlin Building.