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You may be the next stricken— Build Up Your Strength Now with Pepsinol

THE health commissioner of one of America's largest cities has issued a warning that another influenza epidemic is coming! He has advised the people of his city to guard their health—to build up their strength.

Pepsinol is a marvelous strength-builder. It is reconstructive, restorative tonic that will fortify you against disease. It acts quickly on the blood, the nerves and the tissues, giving the whole constitution the strength to throw off disease.

Influenza, the horrible disease which took fully 500,000 American lives in the last epidemic, strikes all ages. Last year it was particularly fatal to those between 25 and 45, fifty per cent of all deaths being in that group, according to the most reliable statistics.

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able opportunity. Its opportunity comes when you are weak, nervous, run down, exhausted. Build up your strength quickly. Pepsinol, the world-famous tonic, is what you need for strength.

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SAM PATCH'S "FATAL LEAP"

In the first quarter of the past century no name was more familiar in America than was that of Sam Patch, who gained fame through the daring leaps that he accomplished. His astonishing exhibitions made his name familiar from one end of the country to another, and in those days the expression, "As crazy as Sam Patch," was very common.

Sam Patch was born in Rhode Island and went to sea in early life. He afterwards settled at Paterson, N. J., where he was a cotton spinner. Because of his threats to jump from a bridge over the Passaic river he was finally placed under arrest. A few months afterwards the successful performance of the feat gave him such wide-spread notoriety that he traveled about leaping from the yardarms or topmasts of ships.

Sam Patch died young, but during his comparatively short life he gained great distinction of a certain kind. This high-jumping idiosyncrasy amounted to a mania with Sam, and as his feats were accomplished before the day of prize fighters, foot-racers, balloonists or aeroplanists, he was regarded as a marvellously daring fellow.

After his Passaic river jump his next most famous jump was at Niagara Falls, from a slanting rock midway between the highest point on Goat Island and the water, and he achieved this successfully. After a few more leaps of less heights he announced that on a certain date he would jump from the bank of the Genesee river, at Rochester, N. Y., into the water below the falls, a distance of 125 feet.

A great crowd gathered to witness the performance. Sam made the jump on November 13, 1829, but it was his

last. On this occasion he seemed to lose control of himself, doubled up and struck the water broadside. It is probable the impact killed him, though some say that in trying to swim ashore under the cataract he became entangled in the roots of a large tree and was drowned.

There is, however, no contemporaneous evidence that he was seen alive after striking the water. His body was found, after several months near the mouth of the Genesee river and was buried there. This last act of Patch's furnished a fruitful theme for a considerable time.

After his fatal jump at Rochester the Niles Register, a weekly paper published at Baltimore on Nov. 23, 1829, said: "Sam Patch, famous for his jumps at the falls of the Passaic, between seventy and eighty feet high, made his last jump on the 13th inst. The falls of the Genesee river are 100 feet high and a stage was raised twenty-five feet above them. He sprang off, appeared to lose his balance before he reached the water, and was seen no more. Many thousands of persons witnessed this fearful undertaking and were horror-stricken at its termination."

Human Frailties Our structure, both external and internal, is full of imperfection; yet there is nothing in nature but what is of use, not even inutilty itself. There is nothing in this universe which has not some proper place in it. Our being is cemented with certain mean qualities: ambition, jealousy, envy, revenge, superstition, despair, have no natural a lodgment in us that the image of them is discerned in the brute beasts; yet cruelty itself a vice so much out of nature; for even in the midst of compassion we feel within us an unaccountable bitter-sweet titillation of ill-natured pleasure in seeing another suffer; and even children are sensible of it.—Montaigne.

WHISKEY STOLEN AT MONROE

Ruston.—Last Wednesday morning two thieves, said to be from Fort Worth, Texas, stole twenty-two cases of whiskey and attempted to run it into Texas in a high power automobile. The car and the whiskey was captured by officers of the sheriff's office at Arcadia, but the two occupants of the car escaped. Soon after the theft of the liquor was discovered the officers at Monroe notified officers at Ruston, Arcadia and other places. The car had passed through Ruston before the officers here got the word and could head it off. At Arcadia the thieves led the officers a merry chase. Just before the car with the whiskey in it reached Arcadia the occupants of the car saw the officers coming for them. They whirled around, came back through Simsboro, and then took the old wire road and beat the officers back to Arcadia and passed on toward Homer. The officers were in hot pursuit, overtaking the car near Homer and its occupants took to the tall timber. They were captured later.

Did More Than Come Back Jane's mamma left Jane home alone for a few moments while she ran around to the store. Before going she told Jane that she positively must not let the cat in before she returned. Jane assured her mother that she would do as she was told and not let them in. Ten minutes later Jane's mamma returned and Jane sat where she left her, petting the cat.

"Jane," said mamma, "I think I told you not to let kitty in until I came back."

"You did, mamma," replied Jane, "n' I didn't let him in. He opened the door hisself and walked in."

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IN HEART OF MOORISH CITIES

Houses to Which Few Visitors Penetrate Are Frequently Luxurious in Their Appointments

Through the narrow lanes of Moorish cities the water carrier, who has filled his goat-skins at the nearest fountain, piles his trade from house to house. The town of Morocco does not extend open, smiling arms to the stranger. The houses present cold, forbidding fronts. The winding, irregular streets twist and turn in a bewildering fashion, and the low arches, often linking house with house, convert the streets into a series of high-walled, semi-open courtyards, still more confusing to the uninitiated. But if one is privileged to enter through the massive gates formidable-reinforced with heavy iron bands and heavily bolted, one may step into courtyards inlaid with mosaics and ornamented with laced arabesques, surrounded with arched passageways, richly carved and covered with luxuriant hangings; into a melancholy garden flagged with ancient white stones, where a marble fountain plays softly and great orange trees are outlined voluptuously against the white walls and the unclouded sky. Who knows how many wistful harem ladies have languished there, what fantastic tragedies have been spun on curiously fatalistic silken threads?—From "Through the Gates of the Moghreb," by Elsie F. Weil, in Asia Magazine.

Question Before the House "I wonder," said the discontented bachelor, "what one is going to do when one buys woolen wear guaranteed not to shrink, and patronizes a laundry that guarantees not to shrink the unshrinkables, and then finds that the unshrinkable laundry shrinks the unshrinkable garments!" — London Sketch.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

TAKEN UP One spotted heifer, about one year old; branded.

Has been at my farm in West Bellevue for two months. Owner of the above heifer is notified to come forward, claim animal and pay all costs or the same will be sold according to law. SAUL RICHARD, Oct 11, Ront 5, Opelousas, La.

SUCCESSION SALE ESTATE OF LEON PITRE AND WIFE LEONISE RICHARD, BOTH DECEASED.

No. 7919, Probate Docket Sixteenth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, Louisiana.

By virtue of an order of the Honorable B. H. Pavy, Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial District Court, holding session in and for the parish of St. Landry, La., bearing date September 18, 1919, and in pursuance to a commission to me directed by the clerk of the said court there will be sold at public auction by the undersigned or any duly qualified auctioneer to the last and highest bidder at the last residence of the deceased at Opelousas, La., on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1919, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

1. A certain tract of land with the fencing thereon situated near Coteau Plaquemine in St. Landry Parish, La.,

containing Sixty-eight acres more or less, bounded on the North, by Union Irrigation Canal; South, by S. J. Gossett; East, by S. J. Gossett and John Hidalgo, and West, by Leon Pitre. Being the same property acquired by Leon Pitre from Eugenie Bihm wife of Theobert Thibodeaux on December 24th, 1889, by Act before Isaac Roos, Notary Public Recorded in Conveyance Book "Y" No. 2, on pages 394 and 395 and also in Mortgage Book No. 28, at page 304 and 305 of the files of the Clerk's Office of St. Landry Parish, La.

2. A certain lot of ground with building and improvements thereon (last residence of deceased) situated in the City of Opelousas, La., measuring One Hundred and Eighty feet on each side and being square in shape, bounded on the North, by property of Morgan J. Sandoz; South by continuation of Landry Street; East by property of Dr. Jno. A. Haas, and West, by John Moury, acquired by Leon Pitre on July 31, 1901, by Act before B. H. Pavy, Notary Public, Recorded in Mortgage Book No. 399 pages 444 and 445, also in Conveyance Book X No. 3 pages 21 and 22, of the files of the Clerk's Office of St. Landry Parish, La.

3. A certain lot of ground with buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Village of Port Barre, St. Landry Parish, La., having a front of about Seventy-feet more or less running back to the Bayou Courtaubeau, bounded North, by property of Mrs. Eunice May Pitre; South by property of Haas & Bennett; East by Public Road and West, by Bayou Courtaubeau, being the same property acquired by Leon Pitre from Mrs. Clara Louise Drummond, wife of John A. Drummond, on April 20th, 1917, by Act before John H. Harmanson, Notary Public, Recorded in Conveyance Book "G" No. 4 1-2 page 431, of the files of the Clerk's Office of St. Landry Parish, La.

4. A certain lot of ground with building and improvements thereon, situated in the City of Opelousas, La., at the corner of Landry Street and R. R. Avenue, known as the "Branch Saloon" measuring 20 feet wide and bounded on the North, by property of J. L. Cahain; South by Landry Street; East by formerly Joseph Bordelon, now Camille and West by R. R. Avenue, being same property acquired by deceased, Leon Pitre from Leonore Ledoux, naturalatrix on February 8th, 1906, Recorded in Mortgage Book No. 45, page 118, and also in Conveyance Book "G" No. 4, page 523, and from Willie Ardoin, on February 7th, 1906, Recorded in Mortgage Book "A", page 344, and also in Conveyance Book "B" No. 4 1-2, page 125, of the files of the Clerk's Office of St. Landry Parish, La.

5. Three old cabins, situated on the land of Leon Pitre near Plaquemine Point in St. Landry Parish, La.

6. One lot of liquors, tobacco and cigars in saloon at corner of Landry Street and R. R. Avenue in the City of Opelousas.

7. One lot of bar fixtures in saloon.

8. Two cash registers in above saloon.

9. One iron safe.

10. One old ice box.

11. One lot of household furniture.

12. Three old wagons.

13. One old buggy and harness.

14. One old survey.

15. One old black horse.

16. One mare.

17. Two old mules.

18. One old mule, and four young mules.

19. One cow and calf, (Beula).

20. One cow and calf, (Rose).

21. One cow and calf, (Smoker).

22. One cow and calf, (White Face).

23. One cow and calf, (in town).

24. One cow, (Belle).

25. One cow, (Spot).

26. One heifer, 2 years old.

27. One heifer, one year old.

28. One heifer, two year old.

29. One heifer, one spotted.

30. One heifer, two spotted.

31. One Red Bull.

32. One second hand Overland car.

33. Four certain mortgage notes dated July 8, 1914, drawn to the order of Leon Pitre, signed by Ulysse Pitre, payable on or before July 8, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924, bearing 8 per cent interest from date until paid with accrued interest. Each note being for \$180.00.

34. One cutaway with ten blades.

35. One Rice harrow.

36. One Corn planter.

37. One mowing machine.

38. One hay rack.

39. Two old harrow.

40. One steel harrow.

41. One double harrow.

42. Amount received from Leon Pitre from Estate of Archille Savoie, No. 4039, and Estate of Peloise Savoie No. 4041, being amount due his deceased wife, Leonise Richard, being \$160.50.

Separate Property of Leon Pitre

1. A certain tract of land with buildings and improvements thereon, situated near Coteau Plaquemine in St. Landry Parish, La., containing Seventy-eight acres, more or less, bounded on the North, by Mistrle; South, by Schmatzenberg and Bihm and Goslin; East, by Hidalgo, and West by Young, being same property deceased acquired from

2. Three certain lots of ground situated in the Village of Lawtell, in St. Landry Parish, La., known and designated on official plat of said Village as Lots Nos. one, two and three of Block No. Eight (8) of said Village.

3. Two certain Lots of ground thereon, situated in the Village of Lawtell, St. Landry Parish, La. designated on the official plat of said Village as Lots Nos. four (4) and five (5), of Block eight (8), as per plat on file in the Recorder's office, being same property which was acquired by deceased from Leonard Prejean, on October 14th, 1918, Recorded in Conveyance Book "H" No. 4 1-4, page 226.

4. A certain tract of land situated near Lawtell in St. Landry Parish, La., being Lot No. two (2) of a plat of subdivision of the property of Louis Rivy, made by R. M. Hollier, Surveyor, attached to and made part of process verbal of sale in the Estate of Louis Bihm, No. 6838, of the Probate Docket of St. Landry Parish, La.,

acquired by deceased at successional sale of said Bihm, made by James Bihm, administrator on February 1st, 1919, containing Forty-nine and 89-100 Arpents, bounded North, by Lot No. One; South by Lot No. 4; East by Lot No. 3, of said plat, and West by Public Road.

5. One single harrow.

6. One lot double and single trees.

7. One plow.

8. One plow.

9. One disk.

10. One steel beam plow.

11. One corn mill.

12. One vice.

13. One cotton seed fork.

14. One pitch fork.

15. One mattock.

16. One lot plow harness.

17. One buggy and harness.

18. One pusher.

19. One set wagon harness.

20. One double plow.

21. One single plow.

22. One one-horse wagon, in town.

23. One wagon and body.

24. One lot about (30) head of sheep.

25. One lot about (20) goats.

26. One promissory note for \$30.00 dated Nov. 8th, 1918, payable one year after date bearing interest from maturity at 8 per cent, signed by Leonard Gallot, with accrued interest.

27. One promissory note dated April 16th, 1919, payable Nov. 1st, 1919 for two hundred and twenty dollars with 8 per cent interest from January 1st, 1919, signed by Leonard Gallot, with accrued interest.

28. One promissory note signed by Ulysse Pitre, date July 3rd, 1919, payable six months after date with 8 per cent interest from maturity until paid for \$350.00 with accrued interest.

29. Twenty-five, \$5.00 War Savings Bonds.

30. One lot of open accounts.

31. One Barber's chair.

32. Three mirrors.

33. One ceiling fan.

34. One refrigerator.

35. Twelve chairs.

36. Twenty Beer casks.

37. Seventeen M. T. whisky bbls.

38. Fifty corn and cotton baskets.

39. One old heater in saloon.

40. One black and tackle.

TERMS—CASH. ULYSSE PITRE, Administrator.

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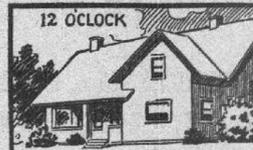
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