

PERUNA IN THE HOME.



JOHN O. ATKINSON AND WIFE, INDEPENDENCE, MO.

Under date of Jan. 10th, 1897, Dr. Hartman received the following letter: "I feel it my duty to suffering humanity to say a good word for Peruna and Mamin. You will perhaps remember my writing you from Freeport, Ill. in June, July and August, 1895, in reference to my wife's health, who had been suffering from a complication of diseases for the past 25 years.

"Her case had baffled the skill of some of the most noted physicians. One of her worst troubles was chronic constipation of several years' standing. She also suffered with general debility and prostrations—sometimes as often as six or eight times a day.

"At this time she was passing through that most critical period in the life of a woman—change of life. In June, 1895, I wrote to you about her case. You advised a course of Peruna and Mamin, which we at once commenced, and have to say it has completely cured her. She firmly believes that she would have been dead only for these wonderful remedies.

"About the same time I wrote you about my own case of catarrh, which has been 25 years' standing. At times I was almost blind, so that I commenced to use Peruna according to your instructions and continued its use for about a year, and it has completely cured me.

"Your remedies do all that you claim for them, and even more. Catarrh cannot exist where Peruna is taken according to directions. Success to you and your remedies."

John O. Atkinson. In a letter dated Jan. 1st, 1900, Mr. Atkinson says, after five years' experience with Peruna: "I will ever continue to speak a good word for Peruna. In my rounds as a traveling man I am a walking advertisement for Peruna, and have induced many people during the past year to use Peruna with the most satisfactory results. I am still cured of catarrh."

John O. Atkinson, Box 272, Independence, Mo. Many households rely upon Peruna as their physician. It protects the family from the innumerable ills dependent on climatic conditions, and is suited to young and old alike. "Summer Catarrh," a book written by Dr. Hartman, which treats of the catarrhal diseases of summer, will be sent free to any address by the Peruna Medicine Company, Columbus, Ohio.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. Frank Davis entertained very pleasantly Monday afternoon complimentary to Miss Winifred Wagner. Miss Wagner was especially honored as this was the first affair given by Mrs. Davis in her pretty new home. At the close of the informal afternoon, delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. Davis was assisted by Misses Myrtle and Ivah Davis.

The affair was a china sherry, but Miss Wagner knew nothing of it until she was taken into the room where the table was loaded with pretty bits of rare china, and needless to say the surprise was a delightful one.

The invited guests were Mrs. James Shadel of Hlawatha, Mrs. R. T. Herrick, Mrs. George Esterly, Mrs. Byron Davis, Mrs. Walter Smith, Mrs. George Foster, Miss Wagner, Mrs. Barnes, Miss Myrtle Davis, Miss Ivah Davis, Miss Charlotte Page of Denver, Miss Elizabeth Harlett of Chicago, Miss Edna Crane, Miss Edna Lewis of St. Louis, Grace Welles, Miss Mary Thompson, Miss Anna Whitehead, Miss Vera Low and Miss Susie Gay.

For Miss Wagner. Miss Winifred Wagner was the guest of honor at an informal dinner Monday evening, given by Mrs. and Mrs. Barnes at their pretty suburban home. The table decorations consisted of brilliant hued nasturtiums. The guests were Miss Wagner, Mrs. Barnes, Miss Charlotte Page, Mr. E. Junior Bennett, Mr. Frank Tichenor of Chicago and a few others. On June 30, she will sail for Europe on the same boat with Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Davis. Mrs. Hilben expects to remain abroad until fall.

Notes and Personal Mentions. Miss Roberta Akers returned Monday from a visit with Miss Augusta Doney in Abilene.

Mrs. J. B. Hilben passed through Topeka the first of the week en route for New York where she will visit relatives for a few days. On June 30, she will sail for Europe on the same boat with Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Davis. Mrs. Hilben expects to remain abroad until fall.

Miss Katherine Stone of Leavenworth is visiting friends in Topeka. A party composed of Mr. W. W. Mills, Dr. Gubler and son Charles, Mr. L. E. McClintock, Mr. G. D. Wolp and Mr. C. B. Tyler left today for a camping expedition in the southern part of Colorado. They expect to be gone several weeks.

Mrs. Walter Lang is visiting friends for a few days in Leocompton. The following young people enjoyed a picnic at Vinewood Thursday evening: Miss Katherine Fleishman, Miss Mabel Wood, Miss Berice Ott, Miss Anna Marie Walsh, Miss Agnes Walsh, Mr. Charles Wolf, Mr. Paul Palmer, Mr. Walter McLaughlin, Mr. Herbert Robinson, Mr. Malcolm Garrard and Mr. J. H. Farrarworth.

Mrs. Beckley and daughter Edith of Valley Falls are in the city visiting Mrs. H. W. Moore on Tuesday. The ceremony was performed by Dr. J. T. McFarland of the First Methodist church. Mr. and Mrs. Jones left at once for a visit with relatives in Iowa, after which they will go to their future home near Denver.

Miss Beulah Broughton entertained informally Monday afternoon complimentary to Miss Anna Murphy. The guests were Mrs. Beckley, Miss Laura Ewing, Miss Effie Graham, Miss L. W. Hughes, Miss Viola Troutman, Miss Mary Barkley, Miss Murphy and Miss Hannah Oliver of Leavenworth. Most of the guests were associated with the high school.

A party composed of Mrs. George M. Noble, Mrs. Walter Noble, Mrs. L. M. Powell and family, Mrs. W. L. Fuller and children, Mrs. Ward Burdette, Mrs. Hukill and daughter, Miss Kate Hukill, and Mrs. J. F. Hughes left today for Ludington, Mich., to spend the summer.

Mrs. Avery Turner returned to her home in Chicago the last of the week after a several weeks' visit with Topeka friends. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilbur and family left Monday for Euzzard's Bay to spend the summer.

Mrs. J. T. Barkley and daughter Mary are spending the day in Lawrence. The regular dancing party will take place this evening at the Elmwood club. Mrs. Lizkie Sabin has gone to Evansville, Ind., to spend the summer.

Miss Mabel Horton spent Sunday with friends in Holton. Mrs. B. O. Hagen returned to her home in Newton Saturday after a two months' stay in Topeka. Mrs. Charles Leidburg is spending two weeks at Excelsior Springs. Miss Ethel Shaw of Mineville, Kan., is visiting Miss Laura Crow at 711 Quincy street.

SNAP SHOTS AT HOME NEWS.

The supreme court will convene next Tuesday. The streets on the west side of town are being graded. Governor Stanley has gone to Chicago on private business.

P. H. Coney will deliver the Fourth of July oration at Overbrook. Isabella Seebacher has filed suit for divorce from Peter Scheerer. Harrison street from Eleventh to Twelfth will soon be paved.

The Presbyterians are planning at the reform school this afternoon. People go to the police court sessions nowadays to get in the shade. Will Wadsworth will join a camping party in Colorado next month.

Ex-State Printer John S. Parks, of Beloit, was a Topeka visitor today. Mrs. Warren Dobbins, of North Vernon, Ind., is visiting friends in Topeka. The Citizens' Protective league will discuss the waterworks question, 6 State Treasurer Grimes was the first to return from the Philadelphia convention. The city seals will be moved this week, probably to the lot opposite the city prison.

Judge J. S. West, of the attorney general's office, has returned from Fort Scott. The tax rolls will close July 1. Taxes paid before that time are not subject to a penalty. Prof. F. W. Blackmar, of Lawrence, has returned home after a business visit in July, making a source of 130.

A Vinewood party for Friday night is being agitated by some of the society girls, making a source of 130. J. G. Waters will make the Fourth of July address to the inmates of the state insane asylum. John A. Anderson and Frances Benedict were married yesterday afternoon by Judge Dolman.

Mrs. and Mrs. John Reese have returned home to Louisville, Ky., after a visit with Topeka friends. The Santa Fe office young man who essayed side whippers is now outwitting a small mountaineer. Horace Swayze leaves today for Pittsburg, Kan., where he has accepted a position on the Daily Post.

There are several Topeka who put on mixed Minnie and Mr. Cecil Rhodes. The asphalt sidewalk at Sixth and Kansas streets running east on the south side of the street is being resurfaced. H. L. Brown broke the quarterly duck pin record last night on the T. A. A. billiard table.

William O. Trainer, now of Chicago, formerly of Topeka, was recently married to Miss Katherine Stone of Leavenworth. Some of the witnesses summoned in a recent case in the district court are now returning to the city from short vacation trips. The hot weather is killing the grass in the state house lawn. It may be unknown to the man in charge that there are water mains in the grounds subject to use.

Charles S. Glead, of Topeka, has an interesting article in the July Cosmopolitan on "The Central City of the West and the Disadvantages of the Advantages of Kansas City." Street car No. 4, Topeka railway system, made a record today. The car frame oscillates like a pendulum when the car is in the old court house to discuss the waterworks question.

A man with athletic tendencies was arrested yesterday afternoon because in the sunshine on Kansas avenue he stopped a friend to talk to him about organizing a bowling league. The man who sees destruction for everything because there has been no rain for several days is now doing business on the street corners. This same man would not lose live cents' worth of property if he never rains.

A. Burgen and L. L. Betzer, administrators of the estate of G. C. Gage, filed their second account with the probate court yesterday. They have paid out \$28,873.75 in accordance with the terms of the will, and as only \$1874 of the estate is left they were released from the heavy bond of \$129,000, and gave a new bond of \$200 each. They received \$2,000 each for services as administrators.

BOER ADDRESS. Issued by the Commissioners of the African Republics. New York, June 26.—The Boer envoys who have been in this country for the past two months, today issued an address to the people of the United States. After expressing regret at their inability to accept many of the invitations extended to them they expressed their thanks to the American people for "the deep sympathy they have shown for the cause of the two struggling republics."

Continuing, the address says: "We now feel convinced that the boastful allegation of the colonial secretary and other British statesmen that the citizens of this great country sympathized with the British empire in its

HILL BUYS A YACHT. Great Northern President Will Sail on the Lakes. New York, June 26.—The rumored purchase of Mrs. James W. Martin's Cardenas steam yacht Eleanor by President J. J. Hill of the Great Northern railroad has been confirmed by the departure of the yacht from Tebas Basin, South Brooklyn, for the Great Lakes. The yacht will be used by her new owner, Mr. Hill, for his summer pleasure. According to the dealer, Mrs. Cardenas, it is understood the Eleanor's name has been changed to Wacouta.

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attempt to crush the liberty and independence of our two small states is absolutely devoid of truth." The address then goes at great length into the history of the relation between Great Britain and the Boers which it charges is one of violated faith and broken pledges cloaked under the display of magnanimous and irreproachable principles.

Coming down to the discovery of gold in Johannesburg in 1886, the address says: "All the forces of land greed and gold hunger, stimulated by the desire to avenge what is known as the battle of Majuba hill, were let loose." Then follows a history of the political agitation which culminated in the Jameson raid. Mr. Chamberlain, Sir Alfred Milner and the upper half of the car frame oscillate like a pendulum when the car is in the old court house to discuss the waterworks question.

The address declares that the capitalists of South Africa and that the editors of these subsidized journals were appointed special correspondents of the principal dailies. The broad contention that the policy of Chamberlain's revival of the suzerainty claim in 1897, his public utterances, Sir Alfred Milner's speeches and inflammatory dispatches and the efforts of the South African league under the presidency of Cecil Rhodes was all directed towards the ultimate destruction of the two Dutch republics.

The address then takes up the various internal questions which contributed towards the outbreak of war and discusses them in great detail, making wholesale denials of the English representation. The address declares that at the Bloemfontein conference both President Steyn and President Kruger endeavored to avert the catastrophe by conceding even more than the original demands on the franchise question, but their efforts were fruitless. It is asserted that war was forced upon the Boers and the claim is advanced that they took arms only in self-defense.

The Boers may be in the end defeated by overwhelming numbers and may be ultimately forced to surrender owing to difficulty of securing ammunition and provisions, but the conduct of the present war is in the history of the past 100 years justifies us in saying that they will never be conquered." The address concludes by saying that the Boers do not ask the direct or forcible intervention of the United States but a continuance of public sympathy and support. The address is signed by the Boer envoys, C. H. Westwells and A. D. Wolmarans.

COX AND COLE MATCHED. San Francisco, Cal., June 26.—The National Athletic club has matched Willie Cox and Cole against each other in a preliminary to the Moffatt fight July 18. They will weigh in at 127 pounds. Cox claims to be the champion featherweight of Australia. \$2.00. Special train from Topeka July 4, leaving here 9:55 a. m., arriving at Kansas City 11:59 a. m. Leaves Kansas City returning at 11:30 p. m.

We also have six other trains daily between Kansas City and Topeka. Tickets on sale July 2, 3 and 4. Good returning July 5. A Good Cough Medicine. It speaks well for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy when druggists use it in their own families. Preference to any other. "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the past five years with complete satisfaction to myself and customers," says Druggist J. Goldsmith, Van Buren, Mo. "It cures all kinds of coughs and colds and for the cough following influenza, grippe, and find it very efficacious." For

The Hudson River Day Boat. The Lake Shore Fast Mail No. 6 leaving Chicago daily 8:30 a. m., with through buffet sleeper, is the only train from Chicago making direct connection with the Hudson River Day Line boats from Albany. The New England Express leaves Chicago every day at 2:00 p. m. The Lake Shore Limited is the only twenty-four hour train between Chicago and New York passing through the beautiful Mohawk Valley and along the banks of the Hudson River by daylight. Summer tourist tickets are now on sale. B. F. Humphrey, T. P. A., Kansas City, Mo., F. M. Byron, G. W. A., Chicago.

If you want your hair to grow, don't waste time with hair tonics. Get at the foundation, which lies in the hair cells and blood vessels that supply them with life. Beers' Hair Renewer will do it. It has grown hair on hundreds of bald heads and will do it for you. R. W. Squire, Pharmacist, 72 Kansas ave. Chicago and Return \$14.00 via Santa Fe. Tickets on sale June 25, 26, 27, good returning July 3. Short line to Chicago. Unless food is digested quickly it will ferment and irritate the stomach. After each meal take a teaspoonful of Kodol Digestive. It digests what you eat and will allow you to eat all you need of what you like. It never fails to cure the worst cases of dyspepsia. It is pleasant to take. All drug stores.

Chicago and Return via "The Rock Island Route." Tickets on sale June 25, 26 and 27, final return limit July 3. Chicago and Return \$14.00 via Santa Fe. Tickets on sale June 25, 26, 27, good returning July 3. Short line to Chicago. Bradshaw, hand-made harness, \$10 K. av.

Why suffer the pangs of rheumatism when KOHL'S RHEUMATIC CURE gives quick relief and permanent cure. All Druggists. Price \$1.00. Rest and Health to Mother and Child. MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over FIFTY YEARS BY MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE BREASTING with the BEST RESULTS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOOTHES THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure to ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle. WE'LL DO YOUR HAULING RIGHT. TOPEKA TRANSFER CO. 509 Kansas Avenue. Office Tel. 320. F. P. BACON, Proprietor. SUMMER TOURS ON LAKE MICHIGAN. THE ELEGANT MANITOU STEAMSHIP COMPANY. For passenger service, especially adapted for family parties, Bay View, Petoskey and Mackinac Island connecting with all Steamship Lines for Lake Superior, Lake Huron and Canadian Ports. LEAVES CHICAGO AS FOLLOWS: Tues. 9 a. m. Thurs. 11 a. m. Sat. 4 p. m. Manitou Steamship Company. OFFICE & DOCKS, Rush and N. Water Sts., Chicago. Use Woodbury's FACIAL CREAM. Naturally follows the use of WOODBURY'S Facial Soap and WOODBURY'S Facial Cream. Being strictly antiseptic, their cleansing and purifying effect is unequalled. For sale every where.

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Take advantage of these cheap rates and spend your vacation in Colorado. Sleeping car reservations may be made now for any of the excursions. Write for full information and the beautiful book "COLORADO—THE MAGNIFICENT"—sent free. R. W. THOMPSON, A. G. P. A., Topeka, Kan. JOHN SEBASTIAN, G. P. A., Chicago.

BIG TRADE WITH RUSSIA.

America to Be Given Preference Over Other Markets.

New York, June 26.—Adolf Rothstein, the Russian financier, before sailing for Europe, said of the Chinese eastern railroad: "Up to the present we have expended some \$40,000,000 but before completion an additional \$100,000,000 will be disbursed. The road will not be completed until, I should say, quite fifteen months. It is not yet started to bore a tunnel some four and a half miles long on the Russian side of Harbin, the headquarters of the railroad. The benefits which American manufacturers will derive in the shape of contract will be most important. The proposal for the awarding of the immense contracts for materials etc., have first to be submitted to the Russian government as it has guaranteed the payment of interest on the bonds of the road. Mr. White, minister of finance, has assured me, however, that he will place no obstacle in the way of contracts being sent to the United States, which in diplomatic language I take to mean that he might object to the filing of orders in other foreign countries. I am therefore confident in stating that possibly everything required outside Russia will be purchased in this country.

It is hard at the present stage to arrive at other than approximate figures of what the material and labor contracts for the Chinese eastern railroad will amount to, but I consider that they will reach an aggregate of about \$100,000,000. I may also state that the czar's government is extremely friendly to the United States it may be counted on as a certainty that in the many commercial undertakings—both road and industrial—which Russia is now becoming interested in preference will be given American manufacturers the supply of requisite material, etc."

Unnecessary Loss of Time. Mr. W. S. Wheldon, cashier of the First National Bank of Winterset, Iowa, in a recent letter gives some experience with carpentering in his country, that is of value to other mechanics. He says: "I had a carpenter working for me who was obliged to stop work to sever his fingers on account of being troubled with diarrhoea. I mentioned to him that I had been similarly troubled and that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy had cured me. He bought a bottle and returned to me, saying that it remedied me that one case cured him, and he is again at his work." For sale by all druggists.

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Account annual meeting of the National Educational Association. Tickets on sale July 2, 4, 5 and 7. Final limit Sept. 1st. Passengers may go one way and return via another, except that the same route must be used north of the Ohio River and west of Memphis. We also have a rate going or returning via Washington, D. C., for \$44.00. The same route must be used west of Chicago, St. Louis or Memphis. Stop overs will be allowed at Washington within the final limit of Sept. 1st. This will enable passengers to visit New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and the Atlantic Coast resorts.

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