

COMELY MATRONS PRAISE PERUNA

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The only valuable testimony which any household remedy can have is the testimony of those who have used it. It is worse than useless to discuss Peruna from a theoretical standpoint. It is what Peruna will do, not what people say about it, that constitutes evidence. The housewives of the United States know what Peruna will do. They have tried it. They have realized its benefit in the family. They are the ones that are competent to speak of it. Self-appointed critics know nothing of it whatever.

Peruna Their Family Medicine.

Mrs. Anna C. Hyde, 712 E. Yamhill street, Portland, Oregon, Vice President Literary and Educational Organization of New Hampshire, writes:

"I am pleased to endorse Peruna as an all-round good family medicine, and one that is safe to give children. I give it to mine at the least suggestion of a cold, and take it myself to build up my strength and nerves.

"My sister, who is living with me, uses Peruna, too, and she is loud in its praises.

"Your medicine is certainly worthy of praise."

Backache, Headache.

Mrs. Tressie Nelson, 609 N. Fifth Ave., Nashville, Tenn., writes:

"As Peruna has done me a world of good, I feel in duty bound to tell of it, in hopes that it may meet the eye of some woman who has suffered as I did.

"For five years I really did not know what a perfectly well day was, and if I did not have headache, I had backache or a pain somewhere and really life was not worth the effort I made to keep going.

"A good friend advised me to use Peruna and I was glad to try anything, and I am very pleased to say that six bottles made a new woman of me and I have no more pains and life looks bright again."

Catarrh of Bowels.

Mrs. Maggie Durbin, 1332 North street, Little Rock, Ark., writes:

"I was troubled for five years with a chronic disease. I tried everything I heard of, but nothing did me any good. Some doctors said my trouble was catarrh of the bowels, and some said consumption of the bowels. One doctor said he could cure me. I took his medicine two months, but it did me no good.

"A friend of mine advised me to try Peruna and I did so. After I had taken two bottles I found it was helping me, so I continued its use, and it has cured me sound and well.

"I can recommend Peruna to anyone, and if anyone wants to know what Peruna did for me if they will write to me I will answer promptly."

The Testimony of These Three Housewives Demonstrates Beyond All Doubt That Peruna is a Safe and Useful Remedy.

Gained Flesh on Peruna.

Mrs. Hattie Hamilton, R. F. D. No. 2, Sparta, Ky., writes:

"I have taken two bottles of Peruna and commenced on the third one. I did not really need the third one, but thought it best to take another bottle.

"I have always weighed 102 pounds, but since I began taking Peruna I weigh 120, for the first time in all my life, and I am now thirty-three years old. Your medicine has surely done me a great deal of good, and I have recommended it to several others who have begun taking it.

"My mother, who is seventy-six years old, had grown so weak she could scarcely walk. She took two bottles of Peruna and is fleshier and looking well."

Internal Catarrh.

Mrs. M. P. Jones, of Burning Springs, Ky., writes:

"No family should ever be without Peruna, for it is an unfailing cure for colds, and it is an excellent remedy to prevent and relieve croup.

"And to speak from a standpoint of experience, I can candidly say that it is the remedy for internal catarrh. I shall not hesitate to recommend it, especially to all suffering women.

"Peruna has gained full confidence and a permanent stay in our home."

Constipation, Torpid Liver.

Mrs. Anthony Rauch, 306 N. Walnut street, Bucyrus, O., writes:

"I was suffering from obstinate constipation and torpid liver, when I took your advice and purchased six bottles of Peruna and Manalin. When I had taken only one bottle I felt much better, and since I have taken two more bottles I feel entirely well, but I will continue taking the medicine for a short time to make sure of my cure.

"I think Manalin is one of the finest remedies for constipation that I ever tried. I will never be without it. It has made me so strong. I can do a day's work and never tire. I am so glad I do not get those dizzy spells any more. I haven't had one since I took your medicine.

"I cannot thank you enough for what your medicine has done for me. All sick people should give it a fair trial."

Kidneys and Bladder.

Mrs. Gus. H. Carlson, Box 201, Ortonville, Minn., writes:

"I had catarrh of the kidneys and bladder. I have taken Peruna until now, and I do not think I need to take it any longer.

"I feel well, and my tongue is clear, and I have no bitter taste in my mouth. I am very thankful for Peruna."

THREE MEN TEAMS

Winners Have But One Pin
the Best of Game Out
of Big Total

An interesting contest was pulled off at the Palace Bowling alleys last night, the first of the season, when Messrs. Will Berling, Dr. E. G. Coverdale and Tom Peterson met and defeated by one pin, a trio including Messrs. Guy Dorwin, Fred Vaughn and Dyke Frisinger. The latter bunch won two of the three games, but lost the second by a majority that they failed to overcome. It was an exciting contest and no doubt a number of similar battles will be fought out during the season. The score was as follows:

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| Coverdale | 140 | 153 | 146 |
| Berling | 171 | 176 | 147 |
| Peterson | 133 | 201 | 160 |
| Totals | 444 | 530 | 453 |
| Dorwin | 167 | 144 | 163 |
| Vaughn | 150 | 163 | 159 |
| Frisinger | 147 | 153 | 180 |
| Total | 464 | 460 | 502 |
| Grand totals | 1,427 | 1,426 | |

Every Woman Will Be Interested.

If you have pains in the back, Urinary, Bladder or Kidney trouble, and want a certain, pleasant herb cure for woman's ills, try Mother Gray's Australian Leaf. It is a safe and never-failing, regulator. At Druggists or by mail 50 cts. Sample package free. Address The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

REBELS WOULD ABOLISH.

Russia Receives Report of Plot to Overthrow Shah's Forces.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 10.—Official confirmation has been received from Teheran of a reactionary plot to abolish the Persian parliament, Russia, which, in conjunction with Great Britain, has repeatedly warned the Shah of the dangers of such a course, has decided to renew her energetic representations against the contemplated coup d'etat. The situation in northern Persia is a source of great anxiety to the Russian foreign office. Russian revolutionists from the Caucasus, who have flocked to Satar Khan's standard are manifesting a hostile spirit toward the Russian official and commercial representatives, which may force intervention. The foreign office, however, is reluctant to act, since the dispatch of troops to Tabriz at this juncture might be construed into encouragement of the reactionary party at Teheran and probably would necessitate more extensive operations in Azerbaijan province, a heavy expense and no permanent advantage to Russia. Negotiations to bring Austria-Hungary and Turkey into line for the proposed Balkan conference began in earnest this week. Austria reply to conference programs allows a wide latitude to the discussion of arrangements which probably will be continued for some time.

Conkey's Roup Cure 50c. at Smith, Yager and Falk's. Makes 25 gallons medicine. Save your fowls. 249-301

About twenty-five members of the Pocahontas lodge perpetrated a clever birthday surprise on Mrs. James Bain last evening and before their departure their victim was well aware that she had lived a half century. The ladies had, collectively purchased a beautiful berry set which was presented to Mrs. Bain as a token of their sincere friendship. Not to be outdone by the hospitality of her unexpected guests, Mrs. Bain served an oyster supper with other delicacies and all in all it was a great time. That she will enjoy more such happy occasions is the wish of all.

The wheelbarrow used by William Roth and Roland Kramer at Elkhart Saturday in paying an election forfeit, was used for a similar purpose in 1872. It then made the trip from Elkhart to Goshen, Edward Faber wheeling "Dug" Beardsley over the road which is now traversed by two railroads and a street car line.

Henry Barnhart, of Rochester, who defeated Charles W. Miller for congress in the Thirteenth district, will devote his entire time to the office. He has resigned as a trustee of Longcliffe asylum, at Logansport, and will leave his newspaper, the Rochester Sentinel, retiring, also, from the telephone business.

COL. TUCKER FORGETS WIFE

Army Paymaster Makes Will Leaving All to Miss Platt.

Hot Springs, Ark., Nov. 11.—Just how complete is the estrangement of Col. William F. Tucker, U. S. A. paymaster, in the federal hospital here, from his wife, the daughter of Gen. John A. Logan, famous Union officer of the civil war, is shown by an order issued today by Col. Tucker providing that in the event of his death all his property, real and personal, shall go to Miss Myrtle Platt, the nurse who has been his attendant for several months, it is alleged. Officials of the Army and Navy hospital here, where Col. Tucker is a patient, have forwarded the order to Washington for indorsement.

WOULD MORTGAGE THE FARM.

A farmer on Rural Route 2, Emphre, Ga., W. A. Floyd by name, says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured the two worst sores I ever saw; one on my hand and one on my leg. It is worth more than its weight in gold. I would not be without it if I had to mortgage the farm to get it." Only 25c. at all dealers.

LITTLE DAUGHTER IS DEAD

Charlottesville, Ind., Nov. 10.—Helena, the little daughter of the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ritchie, died at the Deaconess hospital at Jeffersonville last night of a complication of diseases. The body will be taken to Matthews for burial. The father was pastor of the Methodist church here, but a few months ago eloped with a Miss Williamson, of Carmel, and has not been heard from since.

ated at Topeka, Kansas, since last July, returned to that place Tuesday morning, after a ten days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Kelley, of east Walnut street. His wife and two sons, who have been guests of her parents in Titusville, Pa., visited since Thursday in Portland, accompanying Mr. Kelley to their future home in Topeka Tuesday.—Portland Sun.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

SHUMAKER TO URGE OPTION.

Anti-Saloon Superintendent Will Address M. E. Ministers at Laporte.

Laporte, Ind., Nov. 11.—The clergymen comprising the South Bend district of the Methodist Episcopal church have been called to meet in this city Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 16 and 17, when E. S. Shumaker of Indianapolis, superintendent of the Indiana Anti-Saloon League, will discuss the saloon question, with the result that a decision will likely be reached to inaugurate a vigorous county option campaign in the counties composing the district. It is expected that thirty clergymen will participate in the labors of the body.

Wood's Liver Medicine in liquid form for malaria, chills and fever, regulates the liver, kidneys and bladder, brings quick relief to biliousness, sick-headache, constipation. Pleasant to take. The \$1.00 bottle contains 2½ times the quantity of the 50c size. First dose brings relief.
Sold by HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

SUCCESSFUL COAT SEASON.

Niblick & Co. Well Pleased—Customers from Other Cities.

Niblick & Company are well pleased with the success they are having in the sale this fall of their Bischoff line of garments, suits and coats, the sales this fall exceeding those of any previous season. A glance at their stock will convince any reasonable person why this is true. The line is complete and beautiful and the prices far below those in cities. That this is true is evidenced by the fact that a number of sales have been made to parties living in Fort Wayne and other cities and they are to parties who have looked around, too, know the prices and know a well made and stylish garment when they see it. In today's paper is a new announcement from this hustling company, offering special inducements for those who wish to buy a fall or winter coat or garment of any kind. If interested, read, then call and see for yourself that the facts stated therein are true.

The second performance given by the Maud Henderson Stock company was well received by an enthusiastic audience last night. The cast is strong and every act a feature.

ARREST EMBASSY ROBBERS.

Paris Police Hold Two Men for Stealing White Valuables.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The police have arrested two men on the charge of having robbed the residence of Henry White, the American ambassador, last Thursday night, when a large quantity of valuables was stolen. Both the men, who are wanted on other warrants, admitted their guilt. They said they sold part of the booty, consisting of jewelry, but were obliged to abandon the remainder for fear an attempt at its disposal would lead to their detention.

WATCHED FIFTEEN YEARS.

"For fifteen years I have watched the working of Bucklen's Arnica Salve; and it has never failed to cure any sore, boil, ulcer or burn to which it was applied. It has saved us many a doctor bill," says A. F. Hardy, of East Wilton, Maine. 25c. at all druggists.

During the past season a number of beautiful and handsome monuments have been erected at Maplewood cemetery in this city, marking the graves of some of our best known former citizens. Among them are those at the graves of Thomas Archbold, a contractor and old citizen; James W. Place, for years the owner of the Place Ice Cream company; John A. Cline, a well known carpenter and Mrs. J. R. Peoples. All of these monuments were built and erected by the Wemhoff Monumental company, and besides these this company has constructed a number of others here and elsewhere in this section. Each shows skill of workmanship and the excellent selection of granite and marble. The company is also known in Allen county, where they have erected many of the best monuments in the various cemeteries, and from where they still receive many orders. Those mentioned are but a few of the many built by this company this season.

Fred Neuschwander, who recently sold his farm near Craigville at public auction, has moved to Bluffton in the Prof. Hammond house on Horton street, and will remain there until spring, when he may move west.

CLOTHCRAFT VALUE

If you could visit every clothing store in the country you couldn't find in any of them such value—as you'll find in a CLOTHCRAFT Fall and Winter suit or overcoat right here and now.

CLOTHCRAFT means style, up to the minute—perfect workmanship—handsome patterns—correct models.

There's full value in every CLOTH-

CRAFT suit or overcoat.

And if you want good wear—and clothes that look right all along—then you want clothes made of wool.

CLOTHCRAFT garments are made of all wool materials—guaranteed every shred of fabric.

Of course, in some other makes of clothing you will find some of the points of excellence—some of the value.

But, remember this—

CLOTHCRAFT suits and overcoats are the only ones guaranteed all wool and selling at from \$10 to \$25.

That sounds like full value—it is—and the most value—the best for the price.

Don't wait. There's a big demand for CLOTHCRAFT. Come now, before the big lot of selections melts away.

Holthouse, Schulte & Co.

John C. Gerhart, president of the Indiana division T. P. A. will be in Decatur next Saturday to visit the local post. The announcement of his coming has signaled the appointment of committees who will prepare for a royal reception and entertainment in his behalf. A committee will also accompany him on a scout for new members. The evening entertainment will be given at the Elks' lodge room and an elegant time is assured. The following committees have been appointed: Committee on hall, Mayor C. O. France, M. E. Brackett, C. D. Lewton, M. Kirsch and H. R. Moltz; committee on entertainment, G. L. Maddy, L. G. Ellingham, C. C. Schafer, E. M. Vancil, C. H. Colter, E. S. Moses, J. N. Fristoe, H. L. Conter, T. C. Corbett and Charles Sether; committee on reception, L. C. Waring, T. M. Reed, R. K. Allison, A. J. Smith, W. A. Kuebler, A. Van Camp, Frank Gast and E. L. Carroll. These committees are to meet at the commercial club rooms tomorrow night to perfect arrangements for the event.

John J. Anson, familiarly known as "Squire" Anson, a pioneer resident of Huntington county, is dead at his home in Union township, at the age of 83 years. He located in Indiana in 1848.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Baumgartner left this morning for Berne, where the former is busy inspecting roads. They will also go to Linn Grove before returning to make a brief visit with Mr. Baumgartner's parents.

L. E. Watson, who since last March has been at Haynes, North Dakota, working in the interest of the W. H. Brown Land company, returned to the city last night.

WHAT CAUSES DYSPEPSIA?

And Incidentally Constipation, Coated Tongue, Nervousness, Headache and Other Symptoms

Did you ever know that the stomach is a churn? That just as soon as you are done eating, the healthy stomach commences to roll the food around, and mixes it thoroughly with the juices of the stomach?

And did you know, dear reader, that if the stomach is run down or flabby, so that it cannot do the churning, that dyspepsia is the result?

If the food is not churned, it lays heavily on your stomach, turns sour, and causes all kinds of distressing symptoms, such as headache, coated tongue, constipation, etc.

And so, as every physician will tell you, the way to cure dyspepsia is to fix the churn, or in other words, build up the stomach so that it will properly mix the food.

If you have dyspepsia and want to get rid of it before it gets rid of you, go to Holthouse Drug Co. the druggist, and get a large box of Mi-o-na tablets. The cost is only 50 cents, and every reader of Democrat is welcome to his or her money back if Mi-o-na does not cure.

THE MIGHTY POWER OF MI-O-NA

Mi-o-na, that extraordinary and perfect stomach tonic, will relieve dyspepsia in twenty-four hours.

It will cure, and is guaranteed by Holthouse Drug Co., to the readers of Decatur to cure the most pitiful cases of dyspepsia, if taken according to directions.

Mi-o-na tablets not only cure dyspepsia, but all stomach disturbances, such as vomiting of pregnancy, sea or car sickness after excessive indulgence.

Mi-o-na cures by strengthening and invigorating the flabby stomach walls, and after a course of Mi-o-na treatment, constipation, if there is any, will entirely disappear.

Read this from the president of a New York corporation:

"I have been a terrible sufferer from dyspepsia and gastritis for two years. The most eminent physicians prescribed for me with no effect. I have been absolutely cured by your Mi-o-na tablets. The first one gave me a relief almost incredible."—Herbert H. Taylor, 501 West 143 street, New York City.

Mi-o-na is a most economical treatment—a large box of tablets only costs 50 cents at Holthouse Drug Co., and the dyspeptic, nervous or otherwise, who does not give them a trial, is losing an opportunity to regain health.

* "The Evening Star," a new *
* mild cigar made by H. A. Col *
* chin. 5c. Try it. 237-61 *

Hay's Hair Health

Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Natural Color and Beauty.

No matter how long it has been gray or faded. Promotes a luxuriant growth of healthy hair. Stops its falling out, and positively removes Dandruff. Keeps hair soft and glossy. Refuse all substitutes. 2½ times as much in \$1.00 as 50c. size. Is Not a Dye.

\$1 and 50c. bottles, at druggists. Send 2c for free book "The Care of the Hair."

Philo Hay Spec. Co., Newark, N. J.

Hay's Hairline Soap cures Pimples, red, rough and chapped hands, and all skin diseases. Keeps skin fine and soft. 25c. druggists. Send 2c for free book "The Care of the Skin."

Holthouse Drug Co.

Complexion Preserved
DR. HEBRA'S
VIOLA CREAM
Removes Freckles, Pimples, Liver - Moles, Blackheads, Sunburn and Tan, and restores the skin to its original freshness, producing a clear and healthy complexion. Superior to all face preparations and perfectly harmless. At all druggists, or mailed for 50c. Send for Circular.

VIOLA SKIN SOAP is simply incomparable as a skin purifying soap, unequalled for the toilet, and without a rival for the nursery. Absolutely pure and delicately scented. At druggists. Price 25 Cents.

G. C. BITTNER & CO., TOLEDO, O.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

Will cure any case of Kidney or Bladder Disease not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.

HOLTHOUSE DRUG COMPANY

Cures Backache
Corrects
Irregularities
Do not risk having
Bright's Disease
or Diabetes