



MISS SOPHIA KITTLESEN.

HEALTH VERY POOR—  
RESTORED BY PE-RU-NA.

Catarrh Twenty-five Years—  
Had a Bad Cough.

Miss Sophia Kittlesen, Evanston, Ill., writes:

"I have been troubled with catarrh for nearly twenty-five years and have tried many cures for it, but obtained very little help.

"Then my brother advised me to try Peruna, and I did.

"My health was very poor at the time I began taking Peruna. My throat was very sore and I had a bad cough.

"Peruna has cured me. The chronic catarrh is gone and my health is very much improved.

"I recommend Peruna to all my friends who are troubled as I was."

PERUNA TABLETS:—Some people prefer tablets, rather than medicine in a fluid form. Such people can obtain Peruna tablets, which represent the medicinal ingredients of Peruna. Each tablet equals one average dose of Peruna.

Man-a-lin the Ideal Laxative.

Ask your Druggist for a Free Peruna Almanac for 1909.

IS AFTER REVENGE

It is Said That Asa Blount

Has Threatened Life of

James Harmon

OF RIVARRE, IND.

The Noseless Man is En-

raged Over the Costly

Encounter at Rivarre

James Harmon, residing at Rivarre

who was a participant in the fierce

encounter which occurred at his home

some time ago, in which Asa Blount

of Portland, lost the end of his smell-

ing member, is, it is said, much

agitated over the report that Blount

is seeking revenge. It will be remem-

bered that Blount and Harmon en-

gaged in a fight several weeks ago,

while in a drunken condition, Blount's

nose being amputated in some man-

ner, Blount claiming that Harmon

bit it off while Harmon vigorously

denies the charge. At any rate Blount

is enraged over the affair which has

rendered him a pitiful sight and re-

ports have reached Harmon to the

effect that the man was after his

life. It is even said that Blount has

threatened to kill him and that he

has made several trips to Adams

county to get a chance at the man.

Should the charge be supported, that

Harmon bit Blount's nose off, the

latter could get sweet revenge by a

process of law, but there are few

people who know of the case who

believe he lost the member in that

manner.

This is An Easy Test.

Sprinkle Allen's Foot-Ease in one shoe

and not in the other, and notice the

difference. Just the thing to use when

rubbers or overshoes become neces-

sary, and your shoes seem to pinch.

Sold everywhere, 25c. Don't accept

any substitute.

Ellis Fink, of Geneva, was in the

city today looking after business af-

airs and returned to his home this

afternoon.

Reile Hendrickson, of Berne, after

making a visit with Mr. and Mrs.

Philip Mehls, returned to his home

this afternoon.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the

Signature of J. C. Watson

SMITH MUST FIGHT

President Roosevelt Pro-

ceeds With Criminal

Libel Suit

LAUGH AT MESSAGE

Creates Merriment in Sen-

ate—Senator Beveridge

Meets Taft

Washington, Dec. 16.—President

Roosevelt is proceeding with his plans

to bring a criminal libel suit against

Delavan Smith of Indianapolis. It is

stated at the White House that all

of the legal avenues by which Mr.

Smith might be reached in the courts

are being investigated. The president

is anxious to push the prosecution as

fast as possible. His feeling toward

the Indianapolis publisher grows, in-

stead of diminishing, and he tells his

Indiana callers that he is determined

to bring Mr. Smith to book in the

courts. He does not intend to pro-

ceed rashly, but will have the matur-

ed judgment of the lawyers who are

working on the case before he in-

stitutes suit. If his lawyers advise

him that he could not make a pro-

secution stick, he might reluctantly

abandon his intention, but his desire

and purpose is to apply the heavy

penalty of the criminal libel law to

Mr. Smith if it can be done. A dam-

age suit is not contemplated. He

does not want damages, but he would

like to see Mr. Smith put in prison.

The president, in a special message

to congress today recommended that

the government prosecute Joseph Pul-

itzer, owner of the New York World,

for libel, characterizing him as a

villifier of character who should be

brought to speedy justice.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Repeated

peals of laughter greeted the reading

of the opening paragraph of the pres-

ident's message to congress on the

Panama canal charges today. As the

secretary read the statement that the

charges were "false in every particu-

lar," Senator Bailey laughed out-

right as he was passing along the

rear of the chamber to his seat. Other

senators on both sides of the cham-

ber joined with him, and when the

reader reached the statement that

a statement in a newspaper which he

mentioned would not be believed,

there was general merriment from

both sides of the chamber. There

was only a small number of senators

present when the reading was begun

and it was hurried through, the pa-

pers accompanying the message not

being read at all. The message elic-

ited the greatest interest in the

house. The members gave close at-

tention during the reading of the

document, and there was a ripple of

laughter over the president's charac-

terization of Joseph Pulitzer, pub-

lisher of the New York World. The

message with its accompanying pa-

pers was referred to committee.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Senator Be-

veridge left Washington unexpectedly

yesterday and his whereabouts were

becoming somewhat of a mystery

until special dispatches from New

York appeared today in the Wash-

ington papers telling of a long con-

ference which Senator Beveridge had

with President-elect Taft this fore-

noon at the residence of Henry W.

Taft, brother of the president-elect,

in New York.

TWO FANATICS LIBERATED.

Lack of Evidence Gives Mrs. Pratt

and William Enghnell Freedom.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 15.—Mrs.

Delia Pratt and William Enghnell

members of a band of religious fanat-

ics led by James Sharp, who on last

Tuesday engaged in a battle with the

police of this city, were discharged

today by Justice Theodore Remley,

who decided that the state had not

produced sufficient evidence of mur-

dering. Patrolman Dalbow. James

Sharp and his wife have been bound

over to the criminal court for trial

on the same charge.

Jacob Huser, trustee of Monroe

township, requests us to announce

that he desires all persons holding

claims against the township to pre-

sent same for settlement, before De-

cember 25th, as he is closing up his

term and wishes all accounts settled.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whitney ar-

rived from Michigan this morning and

have spent today searching for a

house. They will make their resi-

dence here. Mr. Whitney having re-

cently purchased a half interest in

the Oak Roller mills from Mr. A.

Van Camp.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.

Indigestion, Biliousness, Sick

Headache, Sour Stomach,

Torpid Liver and

Chronic Constipation.

Pleasant to take.

HOLTHOUSE DRUG COMPANY

CAPTAIN KOONTZ IS DEAD.

As Result of Wound Received in

Civil War.

Bluffton, Ind., Dec. 16.—Capt. O. P.

Koontz, 78, died yesterday at his

residence on west Central avenue,

this city, death being indirectly due

to a wound he received while leading

his men in a charge into the "Horn-

et's Nest" at the battle of Shiloh in

the civil war. In that famous battle

in which so many of his men of Com-

pany E, 44th Indiana, were killed he

received a wound in the neck from a

bursting shell which was thought at

first to be fatal. In later years the

old wound broke out afresh and many

times he was occasioned sickness. In

this last and fatal illness kidney

trouble also developed and his system

became poisoned. His death had been

hastily expected for several days.

ECZEMA AND ALL SKIN DISEASES

Are quickly cured by Zemo, a clean

liquid for external use.

Zemo's record has never been equal-

ed. Smith, Yager & Falk, the drug-

gists, say "Zemo is the best remedy

they have ever sold for the cure of

Piles, Eczema, Dandruff, Ringworm,

Tetter, Rashes, Prickly Heat, and any

disease of the skin caused by a germ.

See display and photos of cures made

by Zemo.

If you are hungry and tired and

want to go some place where you will

get your money's worth tomorrow,

don't overlook the big dinner and

supper at the Presbyterian church

parlors.

MRS. MCRANEY'S EXPERIENCE

Mrs. M. McRaney, Prentiss, Miss.,

writes: "I was confined to my bed for

three months with kidney and bladder

trouble, and was treated by two phy-

sicians but failed to get relief. No

human tongue can tell how I suffered,

and I had given up hope of ever get-

ting well until I began taking Foley's

Kidney Remedy. After taking two

bottles I felt like a new person, and

feel it my duty to tell suffering women

what Foley's Kidney Remedy did for

me."

THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

Judge John F. LaFollette has re-

ceived a picture that he prizes very

highly, and which he has had framed

and hung in the court room. The

picture contains a good likeness of

the entire judiciary of the state,

which is composed of eighty-five

judges, including the supreme and

appellate members, the superior court,

the criminal and juvenile court of

Marion county and each circuit court

judge in the state. The picture is

that of the judges who were on the

bench at the beginning of the present

year.—Portland Sun.

MEDICINE THAT IS MEDICINE

"I have suffered a good deal with

malaria and stomach complaints, but

I have now found a remedy that

keeps me well, and that remedy is

Electric Bitters: a medicine that is

medicine for stomach and liver trou-

bles, and for run down conditions,"

says W. C. Kiestler, of Halliday, Ark.

Electric Bitters purify and enrich the

blood, tone up the nerves, and impart

vigor and energy to the weak. Your

money will be refunded if it fails to

help you. 50c at all dealers.

Rev. W. B. Pope, for many years

corresponding secretary of the Baptist

state convention of Colorado, and re-

garded as one of the most efficient

men in this line of work in the United

States, is now field secretary of the

Baptist state convention in Indiana.

Many Decatur Baptists heard him at

Fort Wayne at a great gathering in

October. Mr. Martin announces that

Rev. Pope will be in the Baptist pulp-

it in Bluffton next Sunday morning and

make the address. He is full of vim

and enthusiasm and greatly stirs the

hearts of all hearers. Every Baptist

in Wells county ought to hear him.

Here is Relief for Women.

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