

WHY GRIP IS DANGEROUS.

It is an Epidemic Catarrhal Fever Caused by a Bacillus that Generally Leaves the Patient Weak After the Acute Stage Has Passed.



Grip Patients Grateful to Peruna, the Expectorant Tonic.

Do not make the error of regarding grip as an exaggerated cold. There is a big difference between the two. Grip is an epidemic disease that poisons the vital organs. When a person has grip, the air passages are alive with millions of bacilli poisoning the blood. The infected person feels tired and exhausted.

Peruna is a Tonic Laxative. It requires a good tonic laxative to keep the body of the patient as strong as possible to counteract the effect of the poisons created by the grip bacillus. An expectorant tonic with some laxative qualities is the safest remedy. Such is Peruna. Beware especially of coal tar powders or tablets because they lessen the vitality of the patient.

There is no specific for the grip. Peruna has been used with good success in former grip epidemics. Indications point to the return of grip this winter.

Do not fail to read the experience of former grip patients with Peruna. Mrs. Gentry Gates, 2219 First Ave., East Lake, Ala., writes: "I had a bad case of grip. I tried Peruna and it cured me. I can safely say it is a fine medicine."

Mrs. Charles E. Wells, Sr., 230 South St., Delaware, Ohio, writes: "After a severe attack of la grippe I took Peruna and found it a good tonic."

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Tutt's Pills

Just what you need. They tone up the weak stomach and build up the flagging energies.

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Planters are finding that it pays to rotate crops. Corn, hay and cotton follow each other with a sure profit. Besides raising diversified crops, more planters use fertilizers containing
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QUITE PROBABLY IT WOULD

Little Accident to Headgear Likely to Spoil Expression of Almost Any Man.

"Look pleasant," said the photographer. The sitter raised his eyes and gave a sickening smirk. "Your head just a little more to the left, please," suggested the voice from the black shroud. "No, don't move the eyes." Like a man suffering from a stiff neck or an Eiffel tower collar, the sitter tilted his head gingerly till it reached the desired angle, and he resembled a dying fish trying not to mind. "That's very nice, very nice indeed," said the photographer. "Stay just there while I make the exposure." He removed the cap as he spoke and counted out a minute and three-quarters. "Thank you," he observed. "You can get up. I'm afraid you have been sitting on your hat." "My hat!" roared the sitter, angrily, regarding the flattened felt. "Why the dickens didn't you tell me I was sitting on my hat?" "My dear sir," protested the photographer, blandly, "that would have spoiled your expression."

GAVE LESSON IN REVERENCE

Small Boy's Stern Rebuke to Bishop Whom He Suspected of Harboring Thoughts of Barter.

Bishop Thornton, when in Ballarat, was walking one fine Sunday morning with his favorite dog, a very intelligent retriever. The dog was performing all sorts of tricks; jumping over his master's stick, retrieving it from the water, and so on.

The bishop was aware of the wide-eyed interest of a small boy, who, with his nurse, was walking on the shore of the lake. The bishop recognized in him the son of a neighbor with whom he was on the best of terms, although the neighbor was a leading light of Nonconformity in the city.

To amuse the boy the bishop put the dog through the whole category of his tricks, and then said: "Now, isn't that a nice dog; and wouldn't you like to have one like him?" To which the small boy replied, sternly: "Sir, I think you forgot what day this is."—London Daily Citizen.

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BUILDING IN 1914

CHARLOTTE CONSTRUCTION FOR YEAR THE GREATEST EVER KNOWN IN HISTORY.

WILL BE RECORD SMASHER

Nearly Two Million Dollars Contemplated For Commercial Purposes—Say Nothing of Suburbs, Residences and Small Buildings.

Charlotte.—That the coming year 1914, will be the best in the history of the city, in all lines and with all interests, is the sum-total of estimates on the part of a score of business men, merchants, manufacturers, jobbers, builders and others recently interviewed.

In building operations, 1914 promises to be a record breaker, for already more than a million and a half dollars worth of work is under way and that too in strictly commercial lines, without any estimate as to the vast volume of residential and suburban construction, which doubtless will swell the grand total to at least \$2,000,000.

This, according to those best posted on the situation and those who make it a business to keep close in touch with all affairs of this character, is the greatest outlay that Charlotte has ever known and one that will doubtless stand as the high water mark for several years to come.

If the amount of building construction is any estimate of the year's activity, then Charlotte should make greater strides in 1914 than in any previous year in its history. Of course this does not include what is in contemplation, but only that for which estimates have been submitted and in many instances for which contracts have actually been given. There are many big jobs that have not yet been announced, but which will be made known with the opening up of the spring season, when building activity will be greatly augmented.

A little resume of what is actually in view now may be of interest and the figures are herewith reproduced: Queen's College, six buildings, \$160,000; Horner Military Institute, three buildings, \$75,000; Masonic Temple, \$80,000; Morehead Apartments, \$100,000; Hutchison building for J. B. Ivey Co., \$90,000; Latta Development, \$75,000; Dula Apartment, \$50,000; East Trade construction, \$100,000; Carr Apartments, \$50,000; Norfolk Southern terminals, \$60,000; S. A. L. improvements, \$25,000; Standard Oil Company, \$35,000; North Tryon construction, \$50,000; West Trade construction, \$50,000; Mercantile Development Co., 12 stores, \$300,000.

There is no estimate included for the new postoffice building to be erected by the government for the reason that no agreement has been reached as to the plans but this should doubtless be included in the year's summary for the reason that operations will doubtless be started during the year.

Craig Says State is Prosperous.

Raleigh.—Speaking of the passing of the old year and the coming of the new, Governor Craig said that the achievements in freight rate adjustment, progress in the construction of good highways and the further awakening of interest in the value of really good roads and general advancement in rural life conditions and improved methods of farming are shining features of the advance made in this state during the past year. He believes, too, that the progress of the past year is but the beginning of a great advance that will gain wonderfully in volume during the year which the state is just entering so auspiciously.

The advent of 1914 finds North Carolina with 413 state banks, with a combined capital of \$11,018,000 compared with 375 banks last year with \$9,984,000 capital, a gain of 40 per cent. The banking resources now amount to \$91,000,000, compared with \$83,500,000 last year.

Spencer Gets \$45,000 Bonds.

Spencer.—The town of Spencer has closed a deal for sale of \$45,000 bonds. This amount has been placed to the credit of the town in the Bank of Spencer. Mayor C. G. Thelling, who has given much attention to the sale of the bonds, states that approximately \$30,000 of the money will be used in securing a water plant for the town, and that \$10,000 will be used in enlarging the school building. The town has been badly in need of more water for two years and also needs a larger school building.

Thomas for Congress.

Newbern.—Hon. Charles R. Thomas, who will be one of the candidates for the Democratic nomination for representative from this district in the Sixty-fourth Congress returned recently from western North Carolina and made formal announcement that he would be in the race. In this announcement Mr. Thomas stated that he would not attack or reflect upon any other candidate unless forced to do so in defense of his own record. The other candidates, it is believed, have taken this view of the matter.

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of most dealers — for 85 cents.
Each box contains twenty 5 cent packages.
Chew it after every meal

Pleas for Patriotism. "You should be patriotic and contribute your valuable services to your country without thought of pecuniary reward!"

"I will," replied the official: "Just as soon as a whole lot of people get patriotic enough to quit sending their bills to me!"

IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become "tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again. Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

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"Yes, and has to scratch for it."

For frostbites use Hanford's Balm. Adv.

The man whose specialty is making excuses never makes good.

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relieves rheumatism quickly. It stimulates the circulation—constantly relieves stiffness and soreness of muscles and joints. Don't rub—it penetrates.

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Rheumatism Neuralgia

Stiffness Vanished "I suffered with an awful stiffness in my legs. That night I gave my legs a good rubbing with Sloan's Liniment and believe me, next morning I could jump out of bed. I have been supplied with a bottle ever since."—Mr. A. Moore of Manchester, N. H.

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