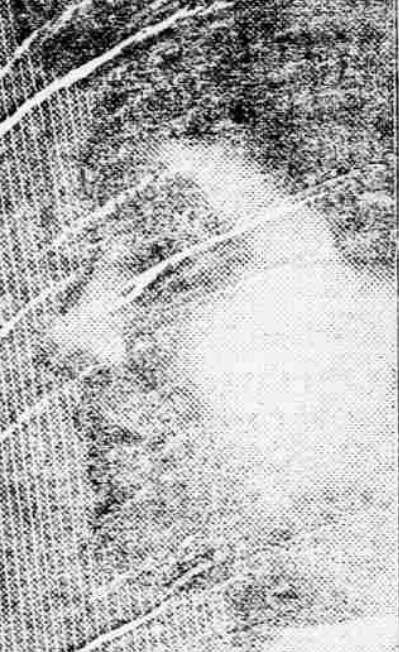


HAY FEVER

"Having used *Peruna* for catarrh and hay fever, I can recommend it to all who are suffering with the above diseases. I am happy to be able to say it has helped me wonderfully."

—Meyers E. Smith.



MISS MARTHA SMITH.

Hay fever is endemic catarrh. It is caused by some of the substances in the atmosphere. The hay fever sufferer has a peculiar reaction to these substances. A change of locality seems to be the only relief. The use of *Peruna*, however, has been found to be of great benefit. It has been found to be of great benefit in many cases. It has been found to be of great benefit in many cases.

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THE PULPIT.

AN ELOQUENT SERMON BY THE REV. EARL E. CLELAND.

Subject: Christ in Gethsemane.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Sunday morning, in the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, the assistant pastor, Rev. Earl E. Cleland, preached on "Christ in Gethsemane." Among other things he said: "The text to which I ask your attention is found in the twenty-sixth chapter of Matthew, the thirty-ninth verse. 'My Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass away from me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as thou wilt.' My Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass away from me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as thou wilt." The gospel according to Luke says that when Jesus appeared unto Him an angel from heaven, strengthening Him, and being in an agony He prayed more earnestly, His sweat became as it were great drops of blood falling down upon the ground.

At a meeting of the Kansas Polity Association Mr. E. Harrington said: "This fall Mrs. Harrington discovered that the cholera had appeared among her chickens. I had heard somewhere that there is nothing to be said as a disinfectant. I had the birds manure and the manure was clean as could be, and I washed it out thoroughly with just as much water as I could make, and I had every crack and crevice with the brush. He did so, and we haven't lost a hen since. I tried the same thing on my hogs, when the cholera broke out among them, and I am satisfied that I saved a lot of them and prevented a further spread of the disease."

FALL SPRAYING.

Bulletin No. 254 of the State Experiment Station, at Geneva, N. Y., holds out a little prospect of relief to the orchardist who finds spring all too short to allow of thorough spraying of his apple orchards. The results of extensive tests seem to show that fall spraying with sulphur washes is safe upon harder varieties of fruit trees and as effective as spring spraying, so far as insect destruction is concerned. Some of the washes used also appear to promise a strengthening of time and decrease of trouble in preparation of an effective compound.

STILL ALERT.

It was in the jungle restaurant. The leopard had been drinking and the water was trying to take advantage of the circumstance. "None of that Mr. Mould," yelled the fellow vigorously. "The leopard may not be able to change his spots, but let me tell you that he is fully competent to spot his change."—Cavalier Journal.

PERHAPS.

"The Chinese do not object to the extension law so much as to the manner of its enforcement."

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HIS REASON.

Solomon explained his maze of wit. "I don't know if I forgot to wipe my feet," he announced. "I had considered the number of Mrs. S's, but this was indeed an advantage."—Harper's Bazar.

HOW MANY OF US?

Fail to Select Food Nature Demands to Ward Off Ailments.

A Ky. lady, speaking about food, says: "I was accustomed to eating all kinds of ordinary food until, for some reason, indigestion and nervous prostration set in."

"After I had run down seriously my attention was called to the necessity of some change in my diet, and I discontinued my ordinary breakfast and began using Grape-Nuts with a good quantity of rich cream."

"In a few days my condition changed in a remarkable way, and I began to have a stomach that I had never been possessed of before, a vigor of body and a peace of mind that amazed me. It was entirely new in my experience."

"My former attacks of indigestion had been accompanied by heat flashes and many times my condition was distressing with blood spells of dizziness, rush of blood to the head and neuritic pains in the chest."

"Since using Grape-Nuts to head for breakfast I have been free from these troubles, except at times when I have indulged in rich, greasy foods in quantity, then I would be warned by a pain under the left shoulder blade, and unless I headed the warning that old trouble would come back, but when I finally got to know where these troubles originated I returned to my Grape-Nuts and cream and the pain and disturbance left very quickly."

"I am now in prime health as a result of my use of Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

INTERNATIONAL LESSON COMMENTS FOR SEPTEMBER 16.

Subject: Jesus Silences the Pharisees and Sadducees, Mark xii, 13-27.

1. A deputation comes to Christ (vs. 13, 14). "They," The Pharisees as a whole appointed certain ones to lead Jesus for the purpose of inducing Him to say something that would refute His claims as the Messiah or that would give ground for an accusation against Him before the government. "Certain"—Pharisees. Matthew says "his disciples." Probably young and zealous scholars. Herodians were a political party rather than a religious sect. "To catch Him." Matthew says "to entangle Him." A metaphor drawn from catching wild birds. Their purpose to ensnare Him in His talk so they could expose His ignorance of the Jewish law or religion, or find ground for legal prosecution against Him.

2. A question concerning our duty as citizens (vs. 14-17). "14. 'Is it lawful to give tribute to Caesar, or not?' 'Yea, it is lawful to give tribute to Caesar, for he is the image of God.' 'But why do we give tribute to him, seeing he is not God?' 'Give tribute to him, for he is the image of God.' 'But why do we give tribute to him, seeing he is not God?' 'Give tribute to him, for he is the image of God.'"

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PROVERBS AND PHRASES.

All extremes are vicious, and come from man. All compensation is just, and comes from God.—La Bruyere.

We carry our neighbor's failings in sight; we throw our own over our shoulder.—From the French.

A good face needs no band, and a bad one deserves none, and pretty wench no maid.—From the Spanish.

If the eyes do not admire, the heart will not desire.—From the Italian.

When two fall out, the third wins.—From the German.

When the mouse has had enough of the meat is bitter.—From the Dutch.

If they say it is often proved a liar.—From the Italian.

From saying to doing is a long way.—From the Italian.

A great man must be happy in a state of slavery as well as in a state of freedom.—Plato.

The price of a pin is enough to make an empire insipid for a time.—From the French.

The Age of Lead.

We are now to speak of this era as the "age of iron" and there is no gaining that, industrial speaking, iron is a "precious metal."

Nevertheless, few people realize how useful, if not absolutely necessary, to modern civilization, is that other metal, lead. Soft, yielding, malleable, it is not much like its sister metal, but those distinguishing qualities are what give it such a prominent place in the arts and industries.

Modern plumbing, requiring many turnings and twistings, and without tight joints, would be almost impossible without lead pipe. The greatest civilizing agent in the world—the printing art—is absolutely dependent on lead. Hand-set type, linotype "slugs," monotype type—all are made of compositions of which lead is the chief constituent—to say nothing of the bearings in the presses as well as all other kinds of machinery in which "babbit" metal is used.

Solder is another lead product—what a field of usefulness that one factor opens up.

Then there is the most important use of all to which lead is put—paint, that necessary material which keeps our houses looking pretty—inside and out—and preserves them from decay.

How many of us think metal lead for the comforts of pain? Yet the best house paint is nothing but metallic lead covered by a white powder known as "white lead," or, of course, there are many imitations of "white lead" some of which are sold as white lead and some which are offered by the name of ready-prepared lead under the familiar name of "white lead" or "white lead" as white lead. But all good paint is made of the metal, lead, corroded and ground to a fine white powder and mixed with linseed oil.

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Reflections of a Bachelor.

A girl gets much more offended if you call her ugly than if you call her fat. A man couldn't make much money collecting the rewards of virtue.

The devil was awful smart to pick out a business where he couldn't fail. A college education costs enough to support a boy if he didn't have it. A man can exercise some control over children if they are somebody else's.

No matter how much a wad an ace knew, she is willing to learn it all over again.

Shrinky Disposition.

Hicks—This shirt's too small for me now. It's funny how you shrink. Wicks—It isn't so strange. You told me it was lamb's wool, and you know what a lamb's creature a lamb is.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Homecoming.

Kuicker—Express wagons full of trunks show that people are coming home. Bocker—So do the ones that are left behind.—New York Sun.

To the Point.

"Poor man!" exclaimed the good-hearted old lady. "to what do you attribute your craving for drink?" "It is hereditary," "No, ma'am," replied Weary Willie; "it's thirst."—Philadelphia Ledger.

On the beach at Norwich, England, the children enjoy one of the finest sports possible—obscuring down a steep sand hill. The sand bluff is 120 feet high, of soft sand, and the coasters slide down by hundreds.

STOP, WOMAN!

AND CONSIDER THE ALL-IMPORTANT FACT

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