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IT IS A PITY SO FEW WOMEN

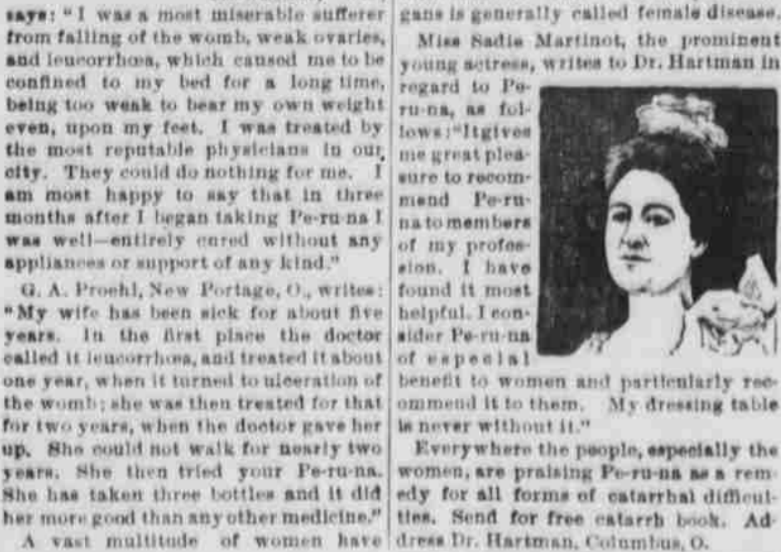
Are Entirely Free From Pelvic Catarrh.

Miss Anna Carsten, Clayton, Ill., says: "Your Peruna did me so much good. I believe I should have been dead by this time had I not used it. I am feeling so well now. I have not taken any medicine for four or five months. I can cheerfully recommend Peruna to my friends."

Mrs. Henry Ellis, Miss Anna Carsten, 502 Scott Street, Clayton, Ill.

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G. A. Froehl, New Portage, O., writes: "My wife has been sick for about five years. In the first place the doctor called it leucorrhoea, and treated it about one year, when it turned to ulceration of the womb; she was then treated for that for two years, when the doctor gave her up. She could not walk for nearly two years. She then tried your Peruna. She has taken three bottles and it did her more good than any other medicine. A vast multitude of women have



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INDIA'S FAMINE CLOUD DARKENS.

Victory Lord Curzon Warns England That Millions Are in Peril of Starvation—Situation is Very Critical.

London, July 30.—Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India, today received the following dispatch from Lord Curzon, of Kedleston, Viceroy of India:

"Considerable anxiety is felt owing to the weakness of the monsoon. The situation is serious and critical in Gujarat, Baroda and Rajputana West, which are not sown."

"No fodder whatever is available in the south western part of the Punjab. Sown crops are in imminent danger, as rain continues to hold off. Fodder is scarce, and cattle are dying in the central provinces of the Punjab and Hyderabad. Good crops are possible only in case the monsoon improves."

"One quarter of the inhabitants of the central provinces are on relief. The total number receiving relief is six million and two hundred and sixty-six thousand, with incomplete Bombay figures."

The Government of Bombay telegraphs that there were 8,607 cholera cases in the famine district during the week ending July 21, of which 5,783 resulted fatally.

In the native States there were 8,246 cases, 5,710 proving fatal. The total deaths in the relief works of the British district were 6,783, or 4.25 per 1,000.

There has been a good rainfall in North Gujarat and Kathiawar and a favorable agricultural rainfall and encouraging prospects in the remainder of the affected tracts.

The numbers on relief works are decreasing and gratuitous relief is increasing.

During the civil war there was a town in Tennessee that became very familiar with both the union and the confederate armies. Sometimes the town was under control of one and sometimes of the other. The town had an equal number of union and confederate sympathizers, who named the principal streets Jeff Davis and Lincoln streets, the people living on these streets taking this way of expressing their attachment. Each army, as it passed through the town, took from its enemies all it could get. Sometimes the soldiers made mistakes, and took from their friends. One day a detachment of confederate cavalry followed a detachment of union soldiers through the town. They entered a store the proprietor of which was a southerner, who had hidden from the union forces. No one was in the store but a little girl of 12, who had frequently played southern airs when southern soldiers were in town, to cheer them. One of the shelves of the store were several yards of calico, which had been promised this little girl for a dress. This was quite an expensive dress, then, for calico was sold at \$1 a yard, and was not easy to get at that price. When the soldier took this calico and threw it across his horse and rode away, the little girl cried so hard that a young officer heard her. He hurried into the store, but the little girl could not tell why she cried. A neighbor, a young girl of 20, hurried across the street, and told the officer that the soldier had taken the calico intended for the little girl's dress. The officer called the men to "Halt!" He demanded that the man who had taken the calico should immediately bring it to him. A burly soldier got off his horse and looking at the calico, handed the booty to his officer, who, with a bow, gave it to the little girl. She could hardly believe her good fortune when she held the calico in her arms. This young officer became the celebrated Gen. "Joe" Wheeler.—Outlook.

It helped Win Battles. Twenty-nine officers and men wrote from the front to say that for Scratches, Bruises, Cuts, Wounds, Sore Feet and Stiff Joints, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best in the world. Same for Burns, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25 cts. a box. Care guaranteed. Sold by Dr. W. S. Taylor, Druggist.

Those who put persons before principles are likely to fall under the condemnation that James speaks of when he refers to those who have "respect of person."

August 2nd King Victor Emanuel and the new Queen spent the long and vigil night beside the bier of the assassinated King Humbert.

Nicaragua Seizes Canal Property.

Managua, Nicaragua, August 1.—The Government of Nicaragua has taken possession of the property of the Maritime Canal Company and removed the company's cars, rails and property to the interior from Greytown, under article 54 of the concession.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The seizure of the property of the Maritime Canal Company has long been expected although the United States Government has done all that it properly could do to conserve the rights of the concessionaries. Under the terms of the concession the Nicaragua Canal Company was allowed a period of ten years after the completion of the preliminary surveys in which to complete the construction of the canal. That period expired nearly two years ago. The company which had done a great deal of work was expected to effect an arrangement for the transfer of its properties and privileges to the Government of the United States through some of the various Nicaraguan Canal bills that have been introduced in Congress and more or less advanced to enactment within recent years.

The Nicaraguan Government, however, forcing the failure of the company to comply with the letter of its contract, entered into an arrangement with what was known as the Cragin-Eyre Syndicate to take up the original concession promptly upon its expiration. The Nicaraguan Canal Company, or rather its successor, the Maritime Canal Company, was notified that the Nicaraguan Government had vacated its concession, and intended to secure its properties, according to the terms of article 54 of the terms. This article provides that in the event of the forfeiture of the concession through failure to complete it within the time set, or from other specified causes, "the franchise shall enter upon possession in perpetuity of the canal, works of art, light houses, stations, deposits, stores, and all the establishments used in the administration of the canal without being obliged to pay any indemnity to the company."

The same article provides for the exemption from seizure of the company's vessels, coal, workshops and capital.

The Canal Company protested against the proposed seizure and appealed to the Government of the United States. Article 48 of the concession provides that "should events of main force arise, duly justified, and sufficient to impede the regular progress of the work during a period of ten years, an extension shall be granted," etc.

The company claimed that exactly this contingency has arisen, and asked for the extension referred to. The last article of the convention provides that in the event of a misunderstanding between the Government of Nicaragua and the company, the dispute should be submitted to four arbitrators, two to be selected by each party. The company upon the refusal of its claim by the Nicaraguan Government, demanded that the arbitration should be native Nicaraguans. The company refused to commit its interests to the care of such agents, and United States Minister Merry, at the instance of the State Department, intervened in its favor. It appears now however, that the arbitration having failed, as the Nicaraguan Government claims by the expiration of the period allowed for its work the Government has proceeded to make the seizure of the Canal Company's property, contemplated in article 54.

The State Department has not yet been notified of this seizure and when it is it will probably proceed to take some step to ascertain the motives that influenced the Nicaraguan Government; whether it is simply clearing the way for direct negotiations with the United States for the construction of a canal; or whether it is working in the interests of some other world concessionary.

A Strong Combination. Stevenson is one of the most popular men in the country. He is known to be honest and has a remarkable faculty of winning and holding friends. As a campaigner, he is a great success. His speeches in all parts of the country in 1892 added much to the strength of the Democratic ticket and he will take a very lively part in the campaign now opening. Bryan and Stevenson make a strong ticket. It will arouse the Democracy to earnest and enthusiastic effort, and has already inspired great confidence in Democratic success next November.—Atlanta (Ga.) Journal.

Question Answered. Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers' and grandmothers' never thought of using anything else for indigestion or Biliousness. Doctors were scarce, and they seldom heard of Appollite, Nervous Prostration or Heart Failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop fermentation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other troubles. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. For sale by J. H. West, Druggist, Mount Airy, N. C.

SENATOR VEST ON MCKINLEYISM

Missouri Statesman Declares Monarchy Rules at Washington and Must Be Ousted.

Sweet Springs, Mo., August 1.—Moved by a deep sense of the importance of this year's political battle and by a close knowledge of the affairs in Washington, Senator Geo. V. Vest said, some days ago: "Alexander Hamilton said in 1787: 'I believe the British government forms the best model the world ever produced; and such has been its progress in the minds of the many that the truth gradually gains ground. These are said with us to be unattainable. If such a government was once formed here it would maintain itself.'"

"Mr. McKinley," the senator continued, "is a firm believer in this policy. So are many of his advisers, notably Secretary Hay. Plans at Washington, very definitely laid out, mean to override the constitution. In other words, the Hamilton idea lives at Washington to-day. If we mean to save the constitution of our fathers—if we mean to keep this great republic intact as we received it—we must elect Bryan."

"There must be no lethargy, no feeling that everything is all right. From now until the election every Democrat must work for his country, for the salvation of the ideas that made it great. The secret plans of the Republican leaders are a strong government, without constitutional limitations. This is the fight. The lines are drawn. There can be no quibbling. It is the constitution of our fathers against imperialism. The situation in China, whatever the outcome, must not be misunderstood. If the Chinese government has sinned against civilization, it must be punished swiftly and terribly. But this has nothing to do with the issue of imperialism. Democrats everywhere must keep alive to the fact that the conditions presenting themselves in the Orient are not to be confused with the fundamental principles of our present great fight. The Chinaman, if convicted, will be punished by the American people, not by William McKinley and Mr. Hay."

"I Shall Sleep With Him To-Night." Sometimes I believe that the little ones say the best things after all, says a writer who reports this touching incident. I knew a family in Detroit who were heart-broken and sad this Saturday night.

There were three last Saturday, but to-day only two are left. The tie that bound them more closely than that which the clergyman drew has lately been loosened, and the light of their lives went out with the red winter sun the other night.

The father is a railroad man, whose duties call him away from home nearly three-fourths of the time. It was his habit, whenever he was about to start for home, to telegraph his wife, apprising her of the fact.

In these telegrams he never failed to mention the name of his little 4-year-old, and the dispatches usually ran as follows:

"Tell Arthur I shall sleep with him to-night."

The baby boy was very proud of these telegrams, which his mother would read over to him, and he considered the "telegraf" a great institution.

The other night, when the fever had done its work, and the mother was sobbing out her anguish, the little one turned calmly in his bed and said:

"Don't you, mamma; I shall sleep with you to-night. Send Dad a telegraf, and tell him I'll sleep with him to-night."

But the message went straight up there without the clicking of wires or the rustle of wings.—Union Gospel News.

Chinese Cathedral Destroyed. The Pope is much grieved at the reported destruction of the new Roman Catholic Cathedral in Peking, China, toward the erection of which he was a generous subscriber. It seems that the building was an object of offense to the Empress Dowager, by reason of its spires overtopping those of the imperial residence. To satisfy her scruples the Archbishop of Peking acquiesced in various architectural alterations, but apparently these were not sufficient to avert anti-foreign hatred.

At a meeting of several hundred Anarchists at Paterson, N. J., Thursday night resolutions were adopted declaring that Bressi's killing of King Humbert was the result of present social conditions grinding down the poor. It was stated that the Anarchists did not select by lot any one to kill. Most of those present were Italians.

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Odd Case of Telepathy.

"I have heard several times of telepathic communication," said a gentleman well known in the hotels of Washington to a Star reporter, "but I never had it brought home so closely to me as it was the other day."

I was visiting at the house of a friend who is a practical electrician and who has charge of a dynamo in one of the department buildings. He happened to be absent at the time, although it was past his usual time for getting home and his wife and I were sitting in the parlor commenting upon his tardiness, for he was usually the most punctual of men. Just as I looked at the clock for perhaps the sixth or seventh time and had perhaps noted that it lacked fifteen minutes of being 5 o'clock, my hostess gave a slight gasp and sat rigid in her chair. Every muscle seemed to be tense, and she gave the appearance of one laboring under the strongest shock. She remained in this condition and then suddenly grew limp and helpless as if some laboring had been removed. Almost immediately she revived and looked around with a questioning air.

When I say that all this occupied not more than two or three seconds at the most you will realize how queer it all was. "Isn't it funny," she said on coming to. "I feel exactly as though I had received a terrible electric shock. I know the sensation because my husband has a small battery in the house and often gives me electricity for nervousness." At that moment the telephone bell rang and I answered it. The message was that my friend had taken hold of the wrong lever at the switch board that distributed the current from his dynamo, and that the surgeons at a nearby hospital hoped to save his life. I asked when it occurred, and the reply came "About a quarter to five." I can't explain it, and I don't intend to try. I have trouble enough of my own of a very material nature without going into the supernatural to hunt for more problems to figure out. I am happy to say that my friend is entirely recovered, but both he and his estimable spouse are as much at a loss as I am in reasoning out the strange occurrence.—Washington Star.

A Road-Making Experiment. Several times within the past two years The Tradesman has mentioned the good, and apparently lasting, results of using crude petroleum for improving roads. In California indeed, the method seems to have the experimental stage.

The progressive county engineer of Montgomery county, Ala., is sufficiently impressed to try it within his jurisdiction. That county has a creditable system of excellent gravel roads that have cost about \$4,000 a mile. It is estimated that as good a highway can be had at a cost of \$500 per mile by using crude petroleum which will be tried first on a small section of road from Montgomery. It is claimed that 200 barrels of the crude oil, worth about \$300, will put a smooth, hard surface, impervious to water, on a mile of road. The road will be first graded as is for gravel, oil enough is then spread on it to sink an inch or so into the ground, two or three lighter coats will be applied as a finish.

There is no room to doubt the immediate efficacy of crude petroleum for this purpose. The permanency of the effect is another not yet so well proven. The work will be worth watching; if results are satisfactory, they will go far towards solving the problem of building good country roads in many parts of the south where the cost of gravel or crushed rock is prohibitive.—The Tradesman.

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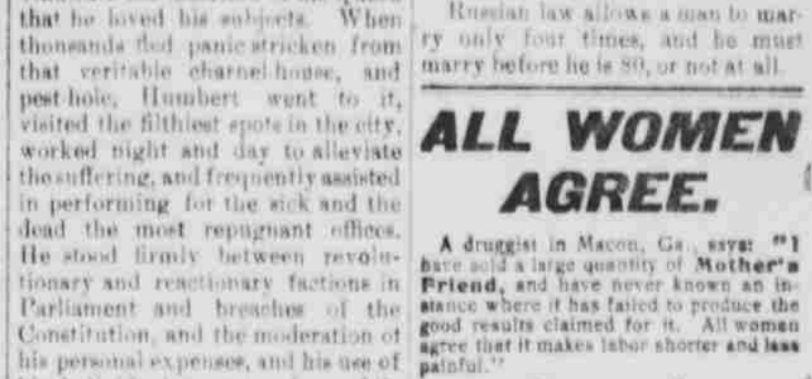
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Russian law allows a man to marry only four times, and he must marry before he is 80, or not at all.

ALL WOMEN AGREE. A druggist in Macon, Ga., says: "I have sold a large quantity of Mother's Friend, and have never known an instance where it has failed to produce the good results claimed for it. All women agree that it makes labor shorter and less painful."



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