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## SUFFERED 25 YEARS With Catarrh of the Stomach— Pe-ru-na Cured.



In a recent letter to Dr. Hartman, Congressman Botkin says: "My Dear Doctor—It gives me pleasure to certify to the excellent curative qualities of your medicine—Peruna and Manalin. I have been afflicted more or less for a quarter of a century with catarrh of the stomach and constipation. A residence in Washington has increased these troubles. A few bottles of your medicine have given me almost complete relief, and I am sure that a continuation of them will effect a permanent cure."—J. D. Botkin.

Mr. L. F. Verdery, a prominent real estate agent of Augusta, Ga., writes: "I have been a great sufferer from catarrh of the stomach. I tried many physicians, visited a good many springs, but I believe Peruna has done more for me than all of the above put together. I feel like a new person."—L. F. Verdery.

The most common form of summer catarrh is of the stomach. This is generally known as dyspepsia. Peruna cures these cases like magic.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman's Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

## THE NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

The French Government is seeking to establish a protectorate over the North African states. It is not thought that their intention will be contested by the other European governments as King Edward is said to have consented.

The Mayorality contest of New York City is waxing warm and interesting. District Attorney Jerome has directed his fight against Mayor Low and is making a strong canvass.

A curious verdict in a murder case was rendered in Baltimore Friday. Frank Manoley, who is alleged to have killed his wife during his sleep, Manoley being subject to night-mares, was found guilty of murder in the second degree.

The Sultan of Turkey has requested United States Minister Leishman to ask that the American gun boats now in Turkish waters be called off in order that all appearance of war may be removed. The request will not be heeded unless the Porte complies with the demands of the United States.

The Pannuk Indians, who have a reservation in New Kent county, Virginia, drew the color line on the negro population, declaring that they would not submit to registration with the colored people. They claim to be more intelligent and a better class of people than negroes.

Hugh C. Fry, the young North Carolinian, who recently attracted considerable attention while in the Naval Academy at Annapolis, by assaulting a negro writer has been dismissed from the school, for the assault and other misdemeanors.

## Other Questions Asked in Passing.

After the article in Sunday's Journal about having a pauper working on the public road, it might be pertinent to ask why is it boys of twelve years old and upward are seen working the road.

Do the overseers accept as substitutes for able-bodied men, (which are the only ones the law requires road duty of,) boys of tender age, boys who are physically unable to do a man's work? If such substitutes are accepted, then the overseer who accepts them is incompetent for his position and should be removed at once.

It is charged that some overseers compound with farmers living along their section, to release the hands employed on the farms from road duty at certain seasons for a consideration. Is the consideration a fair compensation for the labor exacted? What becomes of the consideration, is it spent on the public roads? Has an overseer any lawful right to excuse a hand for any such consideration?

The county roads are today of more importance to the people than any other public property, and to allow any such juggling with the labor that should be used on them, shows poor management of the county authorities.

The assertion is often made that the labor liable for road duty is insufficient to keep them in good fix. Granted. But if those entitled to work the roads as the law directs, were compelled to work, it would make a big improvement.

## CASTORIA

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The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

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## FOREIGN FACTS.

The Scandinavians now have an enormous fleet of big steel tramp ships in serious rivalry with the British.

Twelve million pounds' worth of leather is required every year to provide boots and shoes for the inhabitants of Great Britain.

Seventy Polish schoolboys at a German gymnasium have been sentenced to terms of imprisonment from six weeks downward for belonging to a secret society.

So little have the industries of India been affected by the British occupation, that the native smith still forges locally made iron on a stone anvil within fifty miles of Simla.

An opal has been found in Australia on the White Cliffs fields which, with good fortune in the cutting, will make a gem eight inches long by five wide, or larger than any of the crown jewels of Belgium, weighs nearly a pound and is valued at \$250,000.

King Menelek of Abyssinia has had no end of trouble with his telegraph and telephone systems. The natives used to steal the wires, and he had to inflict severe punishments, holding whole tribes responsible. In the forests the monkeys find the wires convenient for their gymnastics, while the elephants tear up the poles.

## THE STATE'S CONVICTS.

Escapes Forfeit Good Conduct Time Some Desperate Characters.

Raleigh, Sept. 26.—There are now 55 female State convicts, of whom 45 are at the State farm. Of the 10 remaining here, seven are white. The two white men, Madia and Rice who hid in a loft for nine days and were finally found, have forfeited all the good conduct time they gained, this being three days in each month. To this five days is added for each 90 days gained, so it will readily be seen that good conduct is its own reward.

There are some very desperate characters in the penitentiary and there are three or four especially so who are ring leaders, although very quiet men to all appearances, three of these being murderers and another a safe cracker. Various rumors have been current during the past few weeks to the effect that some of the convicts had arms, but it is probable that the officials inspect their cells and persons so frequently as to guard against any such thing as this.

## JUDGE PURNELL'S OPINION.

In Case Carolina Car Company. Corporation Commission to Investigate Railroad Accidents.

Raleigh, September 26.—Judge Purnell of the Federal Court, has rendered an opinion in the case of a bankrupt manufacturer here, the North Carolina Car Company. The opinion winds up the litigation, which has gone on for several years. At one time this was an important enterprise and built a good many cars, also furnished material for houses. Then it engaged in the manufacture of car wheels and soon afterwards failed.

The corporation commission will do all it can to investigate railway accidents, but few people have any idea of the difficulty of obtaining information about such things, as there are so many men who will not talk, some from disinclination and others because of fear of loss of position and that sort of thing.

## TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

## Death of Col. Hatchett.

Raleigh, September 26.—Archibald Hatchett, for many years a newspaper editor in this State died yesterday at the Soldiers' Home here, of which he had not long been an inmate. He was sick when he went there. His age was 68 years and he served in Company G, 9th Virginia Cavalry. His body was today sent to Durham for burial.

## Iron-Quin.

A combination treatment for malaria in all its forms, consists of 25 tablets, containing Iron, Quinine, Strychnine, Arsenic, Cascara, Special and Capsicum, three Duffy Anti-Bilious Pills, and three fever tablets and is guaranteed to cure or money refunded, price 25c.

## F. S. DUFFY

## Pythian-Firemen's Carnival.

There was a joint meeting of the members of the Knights of Pythias and both fire companies last night in the rooms of the "Dutton" Fire Company to discuss methods and plans for the street carnival which will be held here Oct. 12th to 17th inclusive.

## A FAST RUN.

The Old Steamer New Bern Makes a Record Breaking Trip.

The old steamer New Bern, of the Old Dominion Line made remarkably fast time Sunday. Ordinarily the steamer is used to carry freight from Elizabeth City to Bell Haven and other points on the sounds but recently has been in the freight service from New Bern to Elizabeth City.

At 12:35 Sunday she left this port loaded with freight for Bell Haven, 90 miles distant. She reached the latter place shortly after 8 o'clock Sunday evening.

No unloading was begun until after midnight. During the hours from midnight till 7 o'clock Monday morning she was unloaded and reloaded to return to New Bern and started back to this city at 8 o'clock, reaching here at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The run was a record breaker of which the officers, Capt. E. T. Phelps and Chief Engineer W. T. Holley have good right to be proud.

## WASHINGTON LETTER

[Special Correspondence.]

They have mounted that famous warrior, William Tecumseh Sherman, on what seems to be a headless horse and hoisted him away up in front of the treasury department on one of the public squares. This headless horse impression is gained by those who ride on the street cars, and it is from the cars that ninety-nine out of every hundred will view the statue. As the cars go down Fifteenth street the statue comes in view, and there is Sherman, bare-headed and seated on a horse without a head. You stare and stare at the phenomenon, and as the cars swing past Pennsylvania avenue you get a faint impression of the head of the horse, but it immediately disappears, hidden by the trees, and then go on wondering whether it was intended to represent the old warrior in the thick of battle mounted on a steed which has just had its head carried away by a cannon ball. But the horse is not headless. The artist, in an endeavor to give a pose to the equine part of the statue which should be different from others in this city, has curved the neck around to the right, so that the body only is outlined against the sky and the head of the animal is not visible. It is the most disagreeable effect produced, some effort may be made to remove it to a more appropriate location.

## "At the Front."

Judge Advocate General Davis has decided that Washington was "the front" during the civil war and that the various District of Columbia volunteers who defended the capital before the regulars and the state troops could get here were at the front.

The question came up in the case of an old mechanic who had applied at the navy yard for employment and the facts of his service in a local militia company which guarded President Lincoln on the way from the Baltimore and Ohio station to the White House and on his inauguration day was posted on the roof of the Capitol as a sharpshooter to fire on any one who attempted to interfere with the ceremony.

The company also acted as advance guard for Ellsworth's zouaves when they marched to Alexandria.

The old mechanic has been waiting several years for his job and found that his name had been slipped down the list on the ground that other men who applied had served "at the front" and he had not. He demanded a decision at the war department on his case, and he got it and will now get his job.

## Tunnel Under the Capitol.

The District government recently granted the former permit to the Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore railroad, as the Pennsylvania road is known here, to construct the twin tunnel under the United States capitol building and the adjacent blocks and streets.

The permit was held up for several weeks because of a difference between Major Biddle, the engineer commissioner, and the railroad engineers in regard to the motive power to be used to propel cars through the tunnel. Major Biddle insisted that electricity should be used, and the railroad men wanted to be allowed to use steam.

Electricity was finally agreed on. The tunnel will be 3,000 feet long, beginning at the intersection of Massachusetts avenue and First street, north-east, going under Capitol Hill to New Jersey avenue and D street, southeast. The total cost of the work will be approximately \$800,000.

## There will be two branch tunnels

connecting with yards and tracks of the Pennsylvania road in South Washington.

## Payne Finds a Lost Family.

Postmaster General Payne's efforts to find four children who left their home in Australia, about twenty-two years ago have been successful. Some time ago Mr. Payne received a pathetic letter from Mrs. Lavers at Brisbane, Queensland, Australia, asking him to aid her in locating her four children who were brought over to the United States by her daughter-in-law. He has located one of her sons at Keamsburg, Houghton county, Mich., who has informed General Payne that he knows where the other three children are and that he will promptly notify his mother of their whereabouts.

## Postmaster General Payne feels happy

that he was instrumental in locating the children of a heartbroken mother.

## End of Spanish War.

Adopting an opinion rendered by Solicitor General Payne, acting judge advocate general of the navy, the acting secretary of the navy, Mr. Darling, has made a decision that for all purposes affecting the United States navy the Spanish war ended Dec. 10, 1898, the date of the signing of the treaty of peace. In reaching that conclusion the navy department disagrees with a ruling of the war department to the effect that the war was not closed for administrative purposes in that department until April 11, 1899, the date of the exchange of ratifications of the treaty.

## The White House Piano.

The fine piano in the east room of the White House has been taken to New York for some repairs and for a new cover. This is the gold leaf piano presented to the White House by one of the large piano concerns of the country. It was used at musicales and concerts last winter and will be again in use this winter. It is one of the finest instruments in the country.

## Unemployment Survivors.

Commissioner of Pensions Ware estimates that the unemployed survivors of the civil war, exclusive of deserters, are in round numbers 200,000, and they are applying for pensions at the rate of 14,000 a year.

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## Freight Car Bonfire.

The Chicago and Northwestern railway has 400 freight cars of less than fifteen tons capacity. All are equipped with air brakes and automatic couplers, yet an order has been issued that they are to be destroyed. They have become scrap iron and bonfire rubbish.

Fifteen tons is a sort of "dead line" for freight cars. It costs as much to handle a small car as a big one and nearly as much to haul it on the road. Forty and fifty tons, the latter a maximum for the present, are the preferred sizes.

In Europe freight cars run generally from five or eight to ten tons capacity. Here the eighty or hundred ton locomotive hauling cars of forty or fifty tons capacity on ninety pound rails is becoming the standard which railway men desire to reach.

## List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at New Bern, Craven county N. C. Sept. 28, 1903:

MEN'S LIST.

C—Dimon Callus, Jasper N. C.  
F—E. W. F. tisor.  
G—J. E. Gibb.  
K—Mr. Kahn.  
M—M. E. McNair co So, Ex. Co.  
P—J. L. Parker.  
Q—J. P. Quinn 153 Pollock street.  
R—George A. Rouse Jasper N. C. Dr. Robinson.  
S—T. H. Sank, J. W. Scaffa, Hotel Chattawka.  
W—H. E. Woodside, Hotel Chattawka.

## WOMEN'S LIST.

B—Mrs. Cannie Barrow co Barge Saturn, Ann Barker.  
C—Mrs. Lillie Catter Queen street.  
D—Miss Julia Dixon Smith St., Misses Ethel and Frankie Dixon.  
E—Mrs. Phyllis Earnal Bee St.  
J—Mrs. Rebecca Johnson, d. l.  
K—Miss Anna Korngag 183 Pollock St.  
M—Martha Miller, Mrs. Edna More, Jasper N. C., Mrs. S. J. Murphy, Bloomfield St.  
S—Mrs. Martha Spencer, Daisy Smith Emma J. Sugas.  
W—Mrs. Laura Whitfield, Mrs. Laura Whitfield, Duffy field.  
Miss Maggie —, 9 Carroll St.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say advertised and give date of list.

The regulations now require that one (1 cent shall be collected on the delivery of each advertised letter.

## COURT CALENDAR.

For Superior Court October Terms 1903  
For Civil Cases.  
Saturday, Oct. 10, 1903.  
80 L. H. Outler vs Beaufort Co. Lumber Co.  
Monday, Oct. 12, 1903.  
18 Lane vs Raney.  
23 Duffy vs Meadows.  
65 Kirkman vs Lancaster.  
61 Fulford vs Lancaster.  
Tuesday, Oct. 13, 1903.  
27 DeLoach vs McCauley.  
24 Wetherington vs Williams.  
30 Avery vs Stewart.  
40 Electric Co. vs New Bern Street Railway.  
60 Scott vs Terry Taylor Drug Co.  
62 Wrought Range Co. vs Sheriff.

## Wednesday, Oct. 14, 1903.

21 Croom vs Pritchard.  
23 Lake vs McNett.  
27 Gardner vs Gwaltney.  
30 Mills vs Willis.  
61 Hahn vs Lanier.  
Thursday, Oct. 15, 1903.  
35 Harvey vs Harvey.  
44 Lassiter vs Simmons.  
45 Whitley vs Simmons.  
46 Williams vs Smith.  
49 Manly vs Smith.  
54 Wetherington vs Rice.  
Friday, Oct. 16, 1903.  
63 Banks vs Arnold.  
67 Gideon vs Mills.  
Divorce.  
63 Johnson vs Johnson.  
63 Johnson vs Johnson.  
65 Hass vs Hass.  
66 Avery vs Avery.  
71 Wooten vs Wooten.  
75 Jones vs Jones.  
78 Williams vs Williams.

## Motion.

19 Miller vs Roberts.  
24 Martin vs Hancock.  
26 Smith vs Green.  
30 Burrus vs Wise.  
44 Taylor vs McIver.  
45 Gray vs Fisher.  
49 Corporation Commissioner vs F & M Bank.  
58 Warren vs Forrest.  
61 Helly vs Hargett.  
64 S. D. Bell vs Spight.  
Roper Lumber Co. vs Pritchard.

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