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The grip more than any other disease in the world leaves the system in a run-down, nervous, bloodless condition.

Peruna has become famous in relieving the deplorable condition which the grip produces



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Catarh Victims Susceptible.

People who have had catarh of the head, throat, nose or lungs are much more liable to catch the grip than other people.

The reason for this is that the mucous membranes of the head, nose, throat or lungs are injured by the catarh and the germs which cause the grip find easy entrance into the system.

It is a well established fact that perfectly sound mucous membranes constitute a barrier to the entrance of disease germs.

The best precaution any one can have against the grip is to be perfectly free from catarh.

Peruna a Preventive.

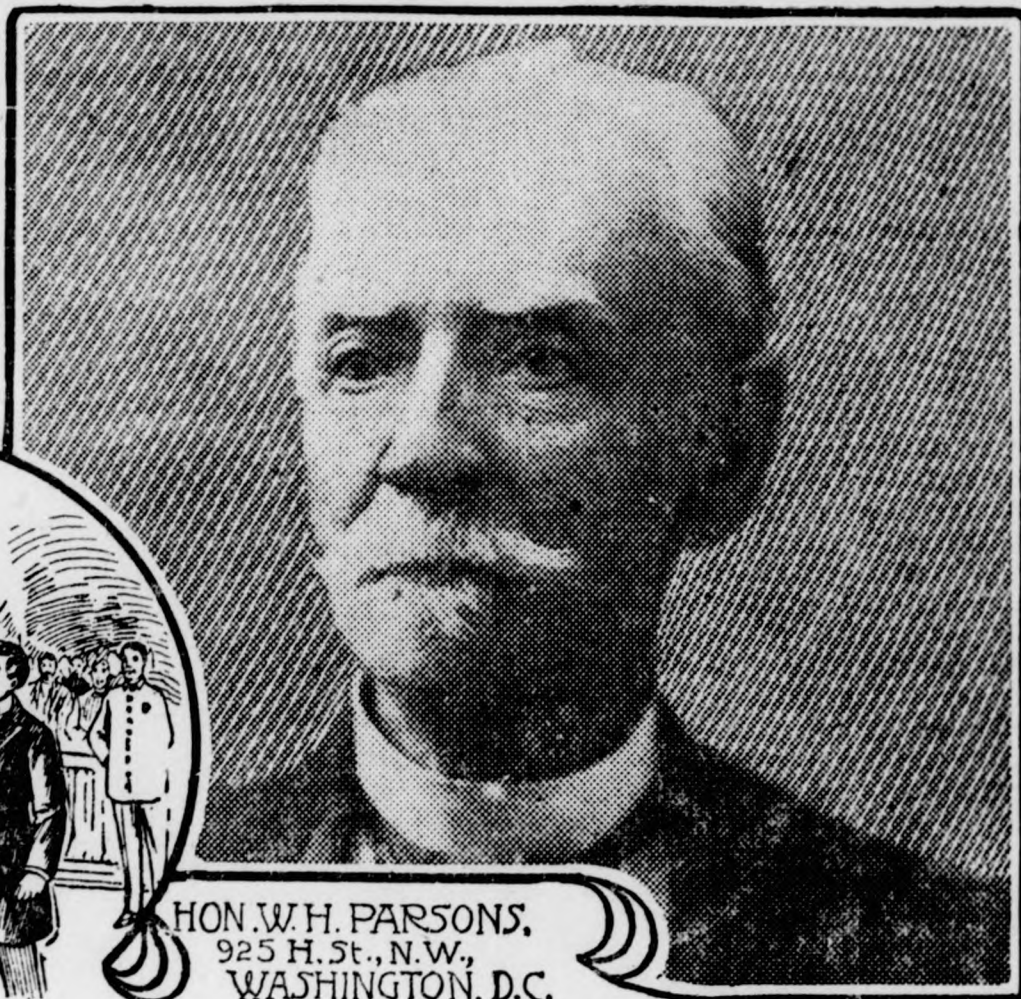
As a preventive of grip, Peruna has done a great deal of good in the world by its beneficial effect upon the mucous membranes.

Catarh has another untoward influence to be noticed in connection with the grip.

Victims of catarh who have had the grip find themselves after the acute stages have passed, in very weakened and deplorable conditions.

After-Effects of Grip.

The whole nervous system is impaired; the digestive organs deranged; the circulation of the blood feeble and irregular. All these symptoms are produced, more or less, by the grip, and especially in people who have had catarh previous to the grip.



W. H. Parsons is Ex-State Senator and Ex-Special Judge of the Supreme Court of Texas, and was also Brigadier-General in Confederate Army. In a letter from 925 H street, N. W., Washington, D. C., this prominent gentleman says:

"Upon the recommendation of personal friends and many strong testimonials as to the efficacy of Peruna in the treatment of the numerous symptoms of the grip with which I have been afflicted for four months past, I have been induced to undergo a treatment with this justly celebrated formula. I feel a decided change for the better after using it only one week.

"It is especially good in toning up the stomach and has a decided effect upon my appetite. I therefore feel much encouraged that I am on the road to complete restoration.

"My numerous friends in Texas, where I have had the honor to command a brigade of her Veteran Cavalry in a four years' war, may accept this voluntary testimonial to the merits of Peruna as a sense of obligation on my part for its wonderful efficacy."—W. H. Parsons.

It is no longer merely a theory or an assertion that Peruna is applicable to such cases.

Prompt Relief.

In all of the after-effects of the grip, Peruna gives prompt relief. This has been the experience of such a great multitude of people that Peruna has come to be a standard remedy for these cases.

If a person has not used Peruna to prevent the grip, the next best thing is to use Peruna to remove the after-effects of the grip.

A Safe, Reliable Remedy.

Even during the acute stages of the grip, Peruna taken in small, oft-repeated doses, is so efficient that many people use nothing else.

A Most Effective Medicine For La Grippe.

Robt. L. Madison, A. M., Principal of Cullowee High School, Painter, N. C., is chairman of the Jackson County Board of Education. He is a writer of occasional verse and has contributed to a number of leading papers and magazines.

In speaking of Peruna, Mr. Madison says: "I am hardly ever without Peruna in my home. It is the most effective medicine that I have ever tried for a gripe. It also cured my wife of nasal catarh."

A NEWSY LETTER FROM WILKINSVILLE.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE OF LOWER CHEROKEE.

Personal Paragraphs Concerning Popular People and Short Items of that Section.

Wilksville, April 17.—Winter still nestles in the lap of spring. The extent of damage done by the cold weather to fruit and vegetation can't be estimated just now, though it is considerable, we think.

We attended the meeting of Enoree Presbytery at Clifton last week. Quite a goodly number of people attended especially the night meetings. In our report from that place we should have said that Rev. S. P. Fulton was a missionary to Japan instead of China. His address on foreign missionary work on Wednesday night was very interesting. I listened to with great attention a crowded house.

Much of the success of the Japanese in their late war with Russia is due to their mission. We had intended to write a letter concerning the work of the Presbytery but think it too much of a task to undertake as the minutes will give all this in a more systematic way and be a great deal more interesting.

We met quite a number of old friends and acquaintances during our trip to Clifton and would be glad to speak of them.

Clifton is an extensive mill town with an electric car line connecting it with Spartanburg which makes a trip every hour from early in the morning till 10 o'clock p. m.

The Presbyterians have built a fine church there and the Methodist have one nearing completion. The Baptist have a large church building there in which Enoree Presbytery held its meeting fourteen years ago. One noticeable feature of the Clifton people is the fraternal feeling existing among the various churches. Methodists and Baptists alike, worked to make the Presbytery a success and vied with each other in entertaining the delegates. Rev. M. Stephenson, the Presbyterian minister, is very popular with the other churches. He is a young man and a consecrated church worker, and did all in his power to make all feel at home.

Enoree Presbytery will meet at Mountainville the 15th of October at 3 o'clock p. m.

Revs. S. P. Fulton and Thos. H. Low with Eilers W. H. Stewart and J. C. Bailey, were elected delegates to the general assembly which meets at Birmingham, Ala., next month.

We regret to say that the little orphan boy that Mr. and Mrs. Dagnall of Hickory Grove, got some months ago, fell in the fire and got so badly burned that his recovery is very uncertain. His right hand and face is badly burned and erysipelas has set in. Dr. Hood, his physician, has but little hopes of his recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Dagnall are very much hurt on account of the accident. They are very much attached to the child. It is an exceptionally bright little fellow and he has our sympathy. Mr. and Mrs. Dagnall have no children of their own.

Rev. T. F. Boozer is expected to preach at Salem next Sabbath, 21st, at 11 o'clock a. m.

People are planting cotton and corn as fast as they can get their lands prepared.

Camp Jefferies U. C. veterans met at Wilksville last Saturday and elected G. Wash McKown and I. G. Patrick delegates to the State reunion and Miss Belle Vaughn sponsor for the camp. Miss Janette Vaughn is maid of honor. The rolls of the soldiers who went from this section of Union county to the war between the States haven't yet been completed and ready for publication.

The highest compliment ever paid General Stonewall Jackson was by a federal officer who said: "God himself could never have suffered the subjugation of the South until He put Jackson in the grave."

Mrs. Dr. Black, of Blacksburg, is visiting her son, Dr. Lionel R. Black, of Wilksville.

Miss Beattie Saratt, who has been teaching at McCluney's school house, closed her school last week with an entertainment in which all present had an enjoyable time. Miss Beattie

is one of Cherokee county's most excellent young ladies. If she had nothing else to command her, her loyalty to her invalid mother would do so. Show us a boy or a girl who obeys the Fifth Commandment and we will show you one worthy of recognition.

Messrs. L. M. Hartford and J. N. Strain are putting up a pasture fence. Mrs. Sam J. Strain and daughter, Miss Ruth, spent yesterday with Mrs. J. L. Blackwell, and helped her to quilt.

Master Willie Blackwell, who has been very sick for some time with pneumonia is getting along very well we understand. Dr. L. R. Black is treating his case.

We have received a copy of The Piedmont Observer, a new paper published in Blacksburg. It is a bright newsy paper.

The following significant editorial appearing in the Union Times of the 12th instant, is not only a compliment paid to the people of Cherokee county, but to others as well:

We are told that a large basketful of letters was received by the sheriff of Cherokee county from all parts of the State asking permission to witness the hanging of Tom Harris, the murderer, at Gaffney last Friday. "There is no accounting for taste," and that's a fact. The morbid curiosity of some people is to be explained on the basis that there is very much of the brute in some people.

We are told that "all men are created equal." But a truly great man is only a bundle of improved opportunities.

There is a death of railroad news just at this time. Madam rumor says that of the several different routes surveyed by the Southern and Western company recently that Joyn Broad river is reported as the most favorable.

The building of this road would do much to develop this section and most likely cause manufactures to be built along the line. We would not be surprised to see a cotton mill at Wilksville.

Those who have made a critical examination say the fruit is all killed.

On our way to Clifton Tuesday we called on our old friend Mr. Jesse J. Mabry, who, we are glad to say, we found in good health and in the reasonable enjoyment of all his faculties. He is a very old man and had walked three miles that morning. Though, in a sense, while he has been a man of the world he is devoting much of his time to a consideration of that life beyond the grave. To him a "still small voice" is saying:

Return, oh wanderer, return. Why can you yet delay? There are no pardons in the tomb. And brief is mercy's day.

As we came home from Gaffney last Friday evening Mr. J. A. Alexander had a big fire on his place. It broke out from where some of his hands were at work in a new-ground, blew across the Howell's ferry road and was sweeping everything before it. They had it under control when we came along a little before sun down.

Mrs. J. L. S. had her first strawberry pie this season yesterday.

The appalling state of affairs in Northern China caused by the famine which is now doing its devastating work in that section calls upon every man, woman and child in America to do what they can to relieve the suffering. We who are fairly well fed, clothed and comfortably housed know nothing of this calamity and perhaps care as little. Its no credit to us either. The report of our missionaries from this part of the field tell the gruesome tale, and its up to us to do something for the sufferers. Won't every one of our ministers bring this to the attention of their congregations next Sabbath and urge immediate action?

The Christian Herald of New York, has already sent \$35,000 in cash for the alleviation of suffering and has pledged itself to the State department at Washington to furnish at least \$200,000 more. This it can only do with the co-operation of the American people. "He that giveth unto the poor should not lack; but he that hideth his eyes shall have money a curse." Prov. 28:27.

J. L. S.

A Huntsville, Ala., man is in jail charged with assaulting his little daughter.

The Osage Indian school at Arkansas City, Kan., was burned. All the inmates escaped.

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Cellulose and the Pine Tree.

From the standpoint of industrial utility, says Professor Duncan in Harper's Magazine, the subject of cellulose can only be characterized as stupendous. Take a pine tree, for instance. Standing it is worth \$10 a ton; cut and stripped it is worth \$15; boiled into pulp it is worth \$40; bleached it is worth \$55; turned into viscose and spun into silk it is worth \$5,500.

Doing Business Again.

"When my friend thought I was about to take leave of this world, on account of indigestion, nervousness and general debility," writes A. A. Chisholm, Treadwell, N. Y., "and when it looked as if there was no hope left, I was persuaded to try Electric Bitters, and I rejoice to say that they are curing me. I am now doing business again as of old, and am still gaining daily." Best tonic medicine on earth. Guaranteed by Cherokee Drug Co. 50c.

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FOR RENT—Eight room house; good orchard; good garden; barn. Apply to J. C. Lipscomb. Jan. 18 tf.

TO RENT—Office rooms over The Ledger. Apply to Ed. H. DeCamp. Nov. 2-14.

FOR SERVICE—Fine Jersey bull. See J. H. Lipscomb or W. K. Guthrie. Limestone Springs, S. C. April 9, 12, 16, 19 pd.

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WANTED—Permanent boarders, rates reasonable; also transient boarders at \$1 per day. Good table; courteous attention. Palmetto Hotel, W. H. Dempsey, Prop. April 2-14.

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DEPTH OF DEATH VALLEY.

Measurement Shows It to Be Shallower Than Reported.

The United States geological survey has just completed a line of spirit levels through Death valley, California, and much to the surprise of every one familiar with the region has ascertained that the depth of that area is not so great as was supposed. The final computations of the results have not yet been made, but the preliminary figures give for the lowest point a depth of 276 feet below sea level. Bennett's well, which is near this point, is 266 feet below sea level. These figures may be altered by two or three feet when the final computations are made, but they are probably not more than three feet in error. The geological survey now has elevation marks on the highest and lowest points of dry land in the United States.

It is a strange coincidence that these two extremes are both in southern California and only seventy-five miles apart. Mount Whitney is a foot or two over 14,500 feet above sea level, while Death valley, as above stated, is 276 feet below. Before the Salton sink, also in southern California, was flooded by the Colorado river it contained the lowest point of dry land in the United States, a spot 287 feet below sea level.

Previous estimates of the depth of Death valley, based on barometer readings, gave for the lowest point figures varying from 250 to 450 feet below sea level. The level line of the geological survey is believed to be the first accurate determination of elevations in that locality that has ever been made.

Letter to C. M. Smith, Gaffney, S. C.

Dear Sir: If a customer wants \$33.50 do you give him \$75?

Suppose you should hear of one of your customers doing a thing like that and not knowing it, what would you say next time he wants discount?

We'll venture half your men are doing that very thing without a suspicion.

Men who paint any other paint than Devco are paying \$75 for \$35.50 or some other such figure.

10 gallons Devco is enough for a good-sized house two coats; 15 or 20 isn't too much of another paint. There's \$8.75 or \$17.50 for 5 or 10 extra gallons; besides \$2 to \$4 a gallon for putting it on; that's \$10 to \$40. That's how half the houses stores factories warehouses shops barns fences are painted: \$50 for paint and labor; \$25 to \$50 more for not knowing what paint to put on.

The one to put on is the paint that takes least gallons and makes least bills for paint and labor.

Yours truly
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