

TO THE WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES.

Successful Home Treatment.

Dr. Hartman's Cure for Female Diseases—A Generous Offer to Women.

Invalid Women are Applying by Thousands for Dr. Hartman's Free Home Treatment by Letter.

MRS. J. P. COADY, Treasurer of the Ivy Leaf Club, 1702 6th Avenue, Council Bluffs, Iowa, writes:

"Peruna is no experimental medicine. I have used it all and on now for three years. At that time I was cured of irregular and painful menstruation. Since that time I have taken it for indigestion or whenever I felt overworked and in need of a tonic, and I have always found that it was of great benefit to me. I am therefore pleased and happy to say a word in its praise and shall gladly endorse it to my friends."—Mrs. J. P. Coady.

Miss Hattie Grace, 254 West 6th St., New York, writes:

"Peruna has changed me from a fretful, irritable, nervous woman into a healthy and a happy one. Nothing seems to worry and to fret me any more. Since early womanhood I suffered with bearing down pains and nervousness. I was thin and weak, but Peruna restored me. Those who know me before cannot understand the change, but I can sum it all up in the blessed word, Peruna."—Hattie Grace.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson, No. 111 1st St., Brooklyn, N. Y., President West Brooklyn Audubon Society, writes:

"I am pleased to tell what a blessing Peruna has been to me. Several years ago my constitution seemed broken down and I cared little whether I lived or died. I had taken so much medicine that the sight of a bottle made me sick. I had read about Peruna curing women, and I thought perhaps it would help me. I bought a bottle and before it was finished I felt better. I kept on taking it, and after three months' faithful use I was a well woman and able to do the work and undergo the strains of younger days."—Elizabeth Ferguson.

In view of the great multitude of women suffering from some form of female disease and yet unable to find any cure, Dr. Hartman, the renowned gynecologist, has announced his willingness to direct the treatment of as many cases as make application to him during the summer months without charge.

The treatment will be conducted by correspondence. The doctor will prescribe all medicines, applications, hygienic and dietary regulations necessary to complete a cure. The medicines prescribed can be obtained at all drug stores. This offer will hold good only during the summer months. Any woman can become a regular patient by sending a written statement of her age, condition of life, history and symptoms of her derangement.

All cases of female diseases, including menstrual irregularities, displacement, obstructions, inflammations, discharges, irritation of the ovaries, tumors and



drop of the abdomen, should apply at once and become registered as regular patients. All correspondence will be held strictly confidential. As is well known, Dr. Hartman is the president of The Hartman Sanitarium, an institution which has a department devoted exclusively to the treatment of female diseases. It is thus brought to the attention of such cases every year, the most of whom return to their homes to be treated by correspondence. The principal remedy he relies upon in such cases is Peruna, which every woman should have who has any affection of this kind. Those wishing to become patients should address Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

MILITARY NEWS. THE CORPS THAT WILL GO INTO CAMP HERE.

Indoor Rifle Ranges Should Be Supplied—Colors To Be Presented To The R.C.F.A.—Notes About The 14th Regiment.

Military Gazette: It is understood that the Kingston Army Service Corps will be commanded in camp this year by Capt. E. C. Dean, at present of Ottawa. Captain Dean is the second in command, and his taking over the command temporarily will be necessitated by the fact that Major W. J. B. White will be supply officer on the staff of No. 3 District Camp.

The announcement that the proposal to give city corps some little training in camp this year has been in part adopted, and that facilities are to be afforded to some of them to do four days of their training in this way during the coming season, will be acknowledged as a very important step in the right direction. At present the city corps attain proficiency in close formation work, but are so cramped for manoeuvring ground that they cannot possibly get far beyond this very initial stage.

The British government has assigned six colors, especially designed, for the purpose of presentation to Canadian corps which took part in the war in South Africa in recognition of valuable services to the empire rendered by these corps. The colors will be allotted to the Royal Canadian Dragoons, Royal Canadian Mounted Rifles, Strathcona's Horse, Royal Canadian Field Artillery, Royal Garrison Artillery and Royal Canadian Regiment.

Ottawa is preparing for a big time on Canada's birthday, and the military spectacle will be the chief attraction for the spectators. The 43rd Regiment has induced the 49th Company of Mounted New York State militia, to be their guests on that occasion.

These corps go into camp at Barrfield on June 28th: Third Dragoons, 4th Hussars, 5th Field Battery, 16th, 49th, 52nd, 5th, 17th and 49th Regiments, 8th Field Battery, No. 3 Company, C.A.S.C., No. 2 Field Hospital, A.M.C. It is expected that at least 2,000 men will be in camp.

Col. Montzambert states that the charger of his, which died in Belleville last May, was not the one he rode through the North-West Rebel line engagements. In that campaign he rode a little grey mare, which he afterwards sold. His charger, which has just departed to the happy hunting ground, was purchased from the late Major Shor at Quebec about seventeen years ago. He rode it frequently in Kingston in late years. Some years ago, as the animal was getting old, he found a place of refuge for it, in its advancing age, on the farm of the late Mr. J. J. O'Connell, near Belleville. There it lived until Col. Montzambert did not wish to have the faithful animal shot, and was used for a lady's carriage. In his palmy days Col. Montzambert was one of the most daring riders in Canada, and the enthusiasm of the horseman still remains with the gallant old military officer, the ex-D.O.C. of this district.

The old shoulder-to-shoulder style of march still retained by the United States militia, was witnessed at the Victoria day review here. The spectators had a good chance to note this laborious marching by the New York State National Guard in comparison with the free and easy swinging style now in vogue in Canada. The latter is certainly to be preferred, even in the march past.

The companies of the New York State National Guard, who visited the Victoria day were armed with the old Springfield rifle, discarded long ago by the Canadian militia, which is now supplied with the Lee-Enfield, a much superior weapon.

The United States volunteer regiments certainly receive a far greater amount of drill than do their Canadian volunteer cousins in arms. Their armories are more comfortably equipped and they are expected to drill six months in the year. Then they are drilled nearly all equipped with indoor shooting ranges. Capt. Edly, of the 3rd Regiment of Mohawk, stated that practice at this indoor range was just as good as at the outside one. The same cartridges were used and the sighting process was similar. No less than two-thirds of his company of fifty were sharpshooters, and there was scarcely one of them but had a marksmen's decoration.

The Canadian militia department might well follow the system in the United States by providing indoor ranges in the various city armories. A more liberal supply of blank ammunition might also be supplied to regiments, especially when they are to take part in a review and are to fire a feu de joie. The 14th did very well last Tuesday in its firing, with only one practice, but it would have done infinitely better had it fired a few more rounds a couple of weeks previous.

Because Major White, of the Army Service Corps, and Major Abbott, of the Army Medical Corps, walked at the head of their units in the Victoria day review, it must not be supposed that they were afraid to mount a horse. Both are good riders, and look with scorn on ordinary lively horses. Their commands were small, and no doubt they would have been able to attract too much attention.

The Royal Canadian Field Artillery received for more observation and praise on the 24th than the men of 'A' and 'B' batteries imagine. The United States visitors had heard of this famed artillery and pointed to it as the force foremost in the relief of Mafeking. England could turn out no better batteries than those that took part in Tuesday's review. They were looked upon with pride as they came down to the saluting base, and again as they passed down-town in the street

FIGHT FOR LIFE.

CENTRAL PARK MENAGERIE KEEPERS IN DEADLY PERIL.

Struggle With Big Reptile—Efforts To Give Medicine Causes Battle in The Cage—One Man Bitten, Another Badly Squeezed.

New York, May 28.—In a fierce battle for life with eleven pythons in the Central Park menagerie, two keepers were injured yesterday and with another, were, for a few moments in deadly peril from the powerful reptiles.

It was in attempting the administer medicine to the great snakes that the keepers found themselves suddenly transformed from "snake doctors" to men fighting a desperate battle against reptiles powerful enough to crush them all to death in a few moments if once the huge coils could fasten around the keepers.

While the men were struggling with the largest python, the other snakes became maddened by rage and excitement and thrashed the cage, sometimes striking at the keepers. Jacob Cook, an assistant keeper, had the thumb of his right hand badly bitten, and H. K. Shannon, a keeper, had his right leg badly squeezed before the work of giving the pythons medicine was satisfactorily accomplished. The bite of the python is not poisonous, but the teeth of one reptile sank to the bone in Cook's thumb.

R.C.F.A. SPORTS. Both Batteries in Dismounted Events, "B" in Mounted.

Following are the results of the sports which were held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons of this week. Both "A" and "B" Batteries had representatives in the dismounted events, but in the mounted events only members of "B" Battery took part. The events, excepting the latter three, which were held in "B" Battery grounds, took place at the R.C.F.A. grounds. On Wednesday the judges were: Major Massey, Q.M.S., Sgt. Gill, Sergeants Branah and Taylor. The judges for the remaining events were Col. Drury, Lieut.-Cols. Fages and Ogilvie.

The results of the different events were: The batteries being indicated by the letters A. or B.: 100 Yards Dash—Driver Billodeau, A.; Sgt. Fowler, B. Hop-step-and-jump—Q. M. S. Shipton, B.; Driver Billodeau, A. Hurdle Race—Sergeant Fowler, B.; Q. M. S. Shipton, B.; Driver Billodeau, A. High Jump—Driver Billodeau, A.; Q.M.S. Shipton, B. Three-Legged Potato Race—Q.M.S. Shipton and Mate, B.; Driver McCutcheon and Mate, A. Wheel Race—Sergeant Kruger, B.; Sgt. Fowler, B.; Driver Billodeau, A. Heads and Posts—Sergeant Kruger, B.; Sgt. Hughes, B.; Corp. Brown, B. Individual Jumping—Sergeant Peppiatt, B.; Sgt. Hazelton, A.; Sgt. Hughes, B. Lenton Cutting—Corp. Brown, B.; Sgt. Peppiatt, B. Postilion Race—Sergeant Hughes, B.; Sgt. Taylor, B. Tug-of-war, mounted—Sergeant Hughes team, B. Barbak Wrestling—Sergeant Peppiatt and Sgt. Hughes teams tied, money divided. Balalaava Melee—Sergeant Hughes' team, B. Tent Pegging—Sergeant Peppiatt, B.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE. What is Going on in Harbor and Elsewhere.

Switt's wharf: Steamer Rideau King from Ottawa this evening. The schooner Osceola, Metzner and Voges cracked Oswego safely yesterday. The tug Edmund is passing Kingston Mills with a raft of timber from Riverview for Garden Island. Richardson's elevator, Schenker's Quon of the Lakes cleared for Oswego with eye; schooner Laura D. from Bay ports.

Chaucery Dureau received a telegram this morning from his son, Captain Dureau, of the schooner Lizzie Metzner, announcing the safe arrival of that vessel in Oswego, N.Y., after a somewhat stormy voyage.

M. T. company's elevator: Steamer Fairmount and consort Hamilton cleared for Cleveland to load coal; tug Thomson up with three light barges, tug Emerson from Oswego with three coal-laden barges and cleared for Montreal with two coal and one grain-laden barges.

The steamer Kingston will make her initial trip next Wednesday. On June 15th the steamer Toronto starts on the route. The officers of the steamers are: Kingston, master, Capt. Henry Eaford; pursuer, Harry Grange; steward, F. Hepburn; chief engineer, Alexander Miller; first officer, Charles Redford. Toronto, master, Capt. Ed. Booth; pursuer, Joseph Gorman; steward, W. C. McDonald; chief engineer, Joseph Black.

George Mills & Co. For full dress silk hats. Taylor & Hamilton are headquarters for screen doors, window screens, chicken wire, garden hose, lawn mowers and watering pots, 59 and 91 Princess street. Fireman Hoffman, New York, was nearly suffocated in burning building, into which he had gone to rescue a man.

The thousands of people who write to me, saying that Shiloh's Consumption Cure The Lung Tonic cured them of chronic coughs, cannot all be mistaken. There must be some truth in it. Try a bottle for that cough of yours. S. C. WELLS & Co., 210 St. St. St. Lohy, N.Y., Toronto, Can.

NOTICE.

Debenture Holders Kingston Light Heat and Power Company.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE. IN THE MATTER OF AN ACT RESPECTING THE LAW AND TRANSFER OF PROPERTY BEING CHAPTER 119 OF THE REVISED STATUTES OF ONTARIO AND IN THE MATTER OF A CONTRACT OF SALE OF LANDS DATED THE 14th DAY OF JULY, A.D., 1896.

BETWEEN THE KINGSTON LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER COMPANY, Vendors, AND THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, Purchasers, AND

In the matter of certain incumbrances by deed of mortgage, dated 8th of May, 1894, made by The Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company, as mortgagors to Richard Thomas Walker and Robert Vashon Rogers, Trustees, as mortgagees. On the application of the Corporation of the City of Kingston to say into Court the amount of the award or in the alternative such portion as might be thought sufficient to secure the interest of the debenture holders of the Kingston Light Heat and Power Company, it was ordered by the Honourable Mr. Chief Justice Falconbridge that the application should be adjourned to Friday, the 2nd day of June, 1904, at which time the said application might be served on the undersigned as representative of the debenture holders, and that notice of the hearing of such debentures will be held at 194 Ontario Street in the City of Kingston on Wednesday, the 1st day of June, 1904, to discuss and decide what action should be taken to protect your interests. Your presence is urgently requested.

W. F. NICKLE, Kingston, May 28th, 1904. CUT OFF 75,000 MEN.

Greatest Reduction in Working Forces in Years. Philadelphia, Pa., May 28.—The reduction of the working force of the railroads in this country is more extensive and radical than was thought a month ago, would be necessary. Estimates are that not less than 75,000 employees have been dropped from the railroad pay rolls. A large proportion of these employees are losing their jobs under orders from company headquarters to dismiss from the freight departments every person not absolutely needed. Train hands, station men and clerks have been receiving notices to quit since April 1st, and by June 10th it is expected that the weeding out process will have been completed.

With the exception of the panic period, beginning in 1893, this is the most general reduction of railroad working forces known at any one time. The main cause of this sweeping fall of off in freight shipments is the rapid falling off in freight shipments within the last six weeks. Freight traffic managers, both east and west, report that the outlook is not bright for the summer.

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