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PETER THE GREAT.

The soldiers of Peter the Great, the Czar of Muscovy, were no sooner masters of the town of Narva, than they fell to plundering and committing the most enormous barbarities. The Czar ran from place to place, to put a stop to the disorder and massacre. He turned upon his own victorious, but ungovernable, troops, and threatened them with instant death if they did not immediately desist from rapine and slaughter, and allow quarter to their vanquished foes. He actually killed with his own hands several Muscovites who did not obey his orders.

ANOTHER COUNTRY HEARD FROM.—A resident in the country writing to a friend in the city says, I would advise you to use Puttner's Emulsion. I have tried it in my family with most beneficial results.

ROYAL EXILE.—When Stanislaus, King of Poland, was driven from his dominions by Charles XII. of Sweden, he took refuge in Paris, where he was supported at the expense of the court of France. Some person complained to the Duke of Orleans, the Regent, of the great sum of money which this exiled monarch's support cost, and wished that he should be desired to leave France. "Sir," replied the duke, nobly, "France has been, and I trust it ever will be, the refuge of unfortunate princes; and I shall most certainly not permit it to be violated, when so excellent a prince as the King of Poland comes to claim it."

PLUM PUDDING.—Three cups of flour, one cup molasses, one cup milk, one cup raisins, one and a half cups suet, one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon soda, spice to taste.

BOLD APPEAL.—A poor old woman had often in vain attempted to obtain the ear of Philip of Macedon, to certain wrongs of which she complained. The king at last abruptly told her, he "was not at leisure to hear her." "No!" exclaimed she; "then you are not at leisure to be king." Philip was confounded; he pondered a moment in silence over her words; then desired her to proceed with her case; and ever after made it a rule to listen attentively to the applications of all who addressed him.

Try one bottle Simson's concentrated Extract Jamaica Ginger, it is far better in a family than brandy, and its use more effectual.

DR. WATTS.—It was so natural for Dr. Watts, when a child, to speak in rhyme, that even at the very time he wished to avoid it, he could not. His father was displeased at this propensity, and threatened to whip him if he did not leave off making verses. One day, when he was about to put his threat into execution, the child burst out into tears, and on his knees said,

"Pray, father, do some pity take
And I will no more verses make."

Is your system run down from over work. Puttner's Emulsion is the best renovator for an impaired constitution. Price, large bottles, 50 cents.

REMORSE.—A few years ago an elephant at Dekan, from some motive of revenge, killed his *cornack*, or conductor. The man's wife, who beheld the dreadful scene, took her two children, and threw them at the feet of the enraged animal, saying, "Since you have slain my husband, take my life also, as well as that of my children." The elephant instantly stopped, relented, and, as if stung with remorse, took up the eldest boy with his trunk, placed him on its neck, adopted him for his *cornack*, and would never afterwards allow any other person to mount it.

For weak and inflamed eyes use Simson's Golden Eye Water. It will allay the inflammation and give ease in a short time.

VETERAN CORPS.—During the American war, eighty old German soldiers, who after having long served under different monarchs in Europe, had retired to America, and converted their swords into ploughshares, voluntarily formed themselves into a company, and distinguished themselves in various actions in the cause of independence. The captain was nearly one hundred years old, had been in the army forty years, and present in seventeen battles. The drummer was ninety-four, and the youngest man in the corps on the verge of seventy. Instead of a cockade, each man wore a piece of black crape, as a mark of sorrow for being obliged, at so advanced a period of life, to bear arms. "But," said the veterans, "we should be deficient in gratitude, if we did not act in defence of a country which has afforded us a generous asylum, and protected us from tyranny and oppression." Such a band of soldiers never before perhaps appeared on a field of battle.

PORT HILL, P. E. I., April 7, 1881.

Puttner Emulsion Co.:

DEAR SIRS,—I have used your Emulsion extensively during the past four years, and have much pleasure in adding my testimony as to its efficiency. We had here last summer numerous cases of whooping cough and scarlet fever. I found your Emulsion answered admirably when the acute symptoms had subsided, in very many instances. In most wasting disorders, especially those peculiar to children, your Emulsion has rendered me good service, being pleasant to the taste, and no feeling of nausea following its administration. It seldom fails giving good results, and I prefer it to any other preparation of the kind.

I am yours, respectfully,

J. F. BRINK, M.D.

MIDNIGHT.—When the unfortunate Duke d'Enghien was awakened in his cell at Valenciennes, to be led to the place of execution, he asked the officer who brought the order, "What do you want?" The officer made no answer. "What o'clock is it?" "Midnight," answered the officer with a faltering voice. "Midnight!" exclaimed the prince; "Oh, I know what brings you here; this hour is fatal to me—it was at midnight that I was taken from my house at Ettenheim—at midnight the dungeon at Strasburgh was opened for me—at midnight again I was taken out to be brought here—it is now midnight, and I have lived long enough to know how to die."

If the nerve of the tooth can be got at no one need suffer for one minute with toothache if they will only use BROWN'S TOOTHACHE DROPS. They not only stop the pain, but when applied on cotton wool they are almost equal to filling. If the root of the tooth is ulcerated, the only remedy is cold steel, and the sooner it is applied the better.

A DOUGLASS.—A captain of the name of Douglass, who commanded the Royal Oak, when the Dutch sailed up the Medway, had received orders to defend his ship to the last extremity, but not to retire; and therefore when his ship was set on fire, he chose rather to perish in her than quit his station, exclaiming heroically, "A Douglass was never known to quit his post without orders!"

Puttner's Emulsion increases the weight.

A RAGGED REGIMENT.—In 1690, the French attacked and defeated the Prince of Waldeck at Fleurus. During this action, a lieutenant-colonel of a French regiment, whose name well merited preservation, was on the point of charging. Not knowing how to animate his men, who were very discontented with having commenced the campaign without being clothed, he said to them, "My friends, I congratulate you that you have the good fortune to be in the presence of a regiment newly clothed. Charge them vigorously and we will clothe ourselves." This plesantry so inspired the soldiers, that they rushed on the regiment, destroyed it, and completely dressed themselves on the field of battle.

HALIFAX, NOV. 2, 1884.

Puttner Emulsion Co.:

DEAR SIRS,—Having used your Emulsion for about two months, I wish to say that I believe it has not only built up my system, but has been the means of allaying the disease—a wasting one—which I am suffering with. My appetite has also very much improved since I commenced its use.

EDWARD MELVIN.

COOLNESS.—At the battle of Minden, a Corps of French grenadiers, commanded by M. N. Perer, were exposed to a battery that carried off whole files at once. N. Perer wishing them not to fall back, rode slowly in front of the line with his snuff box in his hand, and said, "Well, my boys, what's the matter? Eh, cannon! Well, it kills you, it kills you, that's all, my boys; march on, and never mind it."

Simson's Liniment may be relied on to do as we recommend.

FAMILY SCENE.—In September, 1789, a little boy, about five years old, the son of a man named Freemantle, in St. Thomas' Churchyard, Salisbury, being at play by the dam of the town mill, fell into the water; his sister, a child of nine years of age, with an affection that would have done honor to riper years, instantly plunged in to his assistance. They both sank, and in sight of their mother! The poor woman, distracted with horror at the prospect of instant death to her children, braved the flood to save them. She rose with one under each arm, and by her cries happily brought her husband, who instantly swam to their assistance, and brought them all three safe ashore.

ST. THOMAS, QUEBEC, Feb. 28, 1887.

This is to certify that I have been troubled with numbness in my feet, followed by rheumatic pains shooting through my ankles and toes during cold weather, for the last three years. Other remedies failing to remove I gave Simson's Liniment a trial, and I can unhesitatingly say the effect has been like magic. The pain has entirely disappeared, and though for the last week the weather has been 12 below zero, there is no appearance of the return of my annoyance. My wife finds Simson's Liniment the best preparation in the market for corns.

Yours truly,

LOUIS LANGLOIS.

REVENGEFUL SWALLOW.—A gentleman of Brenchley having shot a hen swallow which was skimming in the air, accompanied by her mate, the enraged partner immediately flew at the fowler, and, as if to revenge the loss it had sustained, struck him in the face with its wing, and continued flying around him with every appearance of determined anger. For several weeks after the fatal shot, the bird continued to annoy the gentleman whenever it met with him, except on Sundays, when it did not recognize him, in consequence of his change of dress.

Abbott's Aperient Pills made by us will be found to be the best remedy for Billiousness, Costiveness, Headache, etc. They are very searching, but mild. They do not gripe, they contain no mercury or other mineral, and being sugar-coated, they are easily taken.