

Trials of Motherhood

I suffered for nine years with ovarian troubles making life a burden to myself as well as to my family. During that time I had two miscarriages and although we longed for a child to bless our home this seemed impossible. I had constant feeling bearing-down pains in the pelvic organs and a pulling through my limbs with frequent headaches. I felt sick at my stomach and vomited frequently and no medicine helped me until I tried Wine of Cardui.

WINE OF CARDUI

Wine of Cardui is the most successful menstrual regulator. By regulating menstruation, Wine of Cardui banishes inflammation from the entire female organism and the strengthened ligaments bring the organs back to their proper place. This is what Wine of Cardui did for Mrs. Nirdlinger. It banished the rocking pains and burning inflammation and brought her relief. She was restored to health and strength and gave Wine of Cardui the credit of making her able to become a happy mother. This medicine equips a woman for every duty of wifehood and motherhood. There are many suffering women who think that health can never be theirs because they cannot secure the services of a great specialist, but we want to say right here that while Mrs. Nirdlinger lives in Philadelphia, a great medical center, she depended on Wine of Cardui for a cure and she was cured. This same medicine is within your reach. Will you take it?

All druggists sell \$1.00 bottles Wine of Cardui.

Rock Island meals are the best on wheels

Not very good poetry, perhaps, but what it lacks in rhythm, it more than makes up in fact. And the prices are reasonable—low enough to be within the reach of people of moderate means; high enough to ensure good food, good cooking and good service. Breakfast and dinner are served on the a la carte plan—you pay for what you order. Luncheon, 50 cents.



Denver to Kansas City; Denver to Chicago; St. Paul to St. Louis.



L. B. CORHAM, General Agent, 140 Third St., Portland, Ore.

HETTON COAL

The finest Product of Australian mines for domestic use.

The best house coal ever brought to Astoria

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Will be sold at same old price while it lasts.

Free Delivery in the City.

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Are you Bilious?

Are you Fagged?

Are you Constipated?

Beecham's Pills

If you are Bilious

It interferes with work, pleasure and happiness—everybody is so at times; in many cases it makes life a burden—the fault is with the stomach, liver and kidneys. The action of Beecham's Pills is prompt and certain—and will in a short time remove the evil.

When you are Fagged

That run-down feeling is caused by your overworked digestive organs not doing their work properly. Beecham's Pills will set them right, reinvigorate the system and restore sound and lasting health.

If Constipated

It is important to know that constipation causes more than half the sickness in the world, especially of women. It can all be prevented if Beecham's Pills are taken whenever nature seems to call for assistance. Comfort and happiness are sure to follow the use of Beecham's Pills.

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Clara Mathes Company

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ONLY A SOLDIER BOY

Seats at Griffin's Book Store

MASQUERADE

Of the Sons of Herman Given February 11.

The annual masquerade ball of the Sons of Hermann will take place in Foard & Stokes hall on Thursday evening, February 11. Nine handsome and durable prizes will be given this year. The committee in charge of the ball has engaged the finest music in the city and the usual good time is assured. The prices of admission are as follows:

- Gent maskers ..... \$1.00
Lady maskers ..... 50
Spectators ..... 50
Children ..... 25

Tickets can be had from any of the members. An additional prize will be given this year to one of the spectators. Coupons will be given with each ticket and of course the lucky one gets the prize.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Astoria, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, January 22, 1904.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES, listing various financial items and their values.

Capital stock paid in ..... \$50,000 00
Surplus funds ..... 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid ..... 18,292 16

Total ..... \$793,158 22
State of Oregon, County of Clatsop, ss: I, S. S. Gordon, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CONTRIBUTE THEIR SKIN

Friends Save Victim of Train Wreck By Sacrificing Pieces of Cuticle.

FORTUNE FROM RAILROAD

Assurance That Company Would Not Be Liable in Case of Using Pass Not Considered By the Courts.

New York, Feb. 4.—Wilson Frederick, of Dunellen, N. J., whose friends probably saved his life by contributing 4500 pieces of cuticle to be grafted on his scalded body after he had been hurt in a wreck nearly a year ago at Westfield, when many persons were killed, is stated to have received \$45,000 from the railroad company.

Although he was the holder of a pass which stipulated that the company was to be exempt from damages in the event of his receiving injuries it was contended that the contract would not be considered valid in the courts. The case did not reach the courts, however.

Frederick was chief clerk in the New York office of an express company and was traveling on an employee's pass. The skin grafting operations were successful, but he has only recently been able to leave the hospital and is still confined to his home.

Jake Wins Damage Suit.

New York, Feb. 4.—Words spoken jokingly by counsel or the city in the trial before the supreme court of a suit brought by Mrs. Elizabeth Foley for \$15,000 damages alleged to have been sustained by the plaintiff when she fell into a hole in the street, have unexpectedly caused a jury to decide against the plaintiff. The evidence was almost entirely on the woman's side, but in closing a lawyer for the city said the accident had made the plaintiff such an interesting invalid that she had obtained a good husband. The remark was taken seriously by the jury, but Mrs. Foley's counsel will appeal.

WILL RESUME WORK.

Preparations Being Made to Supply Jetty With Necessary Rock.

For some time past President Curtis, of the Northwest Construction Company, has been at the Bugby quarry looking after the preliminary work now going on there. Just at present no rock is being sent to Fort Stevens for use in the jetty extension, as operations were suspended when the stormy season set in. It is expected, however, that operations will be resumed about April 1.

ECZEMA ON LITTLE GIRL

Sleepless Nights for Mother and Awful Suffering of Child.

CURED BY CUTICURA

Had Given up All Hope of Ever Making Any Cure.

"My little girl has been suffering for two years or more from eczema, and during that time I could not get a night's sleep, as her ailment was very severe. I had tried so many remedies and spent much money, deriving no benefit, I had absolutely given up all hope of making any cure. But as a last resort I was persuaded to try a set of the Cuticura remedies, and to my great delight a marked change was manifested from the first application. I gave the child a bath with Cuticura Soap, using a soft piece of muslin cloth. This I did twice a day, each time following with the Cuticura Ointment, and at the same time gave the Resolvent, according to directions. One box of the Ointment and two bottles of the Resolvent, together with the Soap, effected a permanent cure. I submit this for publication if you desire, hoping it will add to your success and assist so many thousands of sufferers in curing themselves." MRS. I. B. JONES, ADDINGTON, IND. T.

The first step in the treatment of the chronic forms is to remove the scales and crusts and soften the skin, by warm baths with Cuticura Soap. The scalp, ears, elbows, hands, ankles and feet will require frequently a thorough soaking in order to penetrate the thickened skin and crusts with which these parts are often covered. Dry carefully, and apply Cuticura Ointment, lightly at first, and where advisable spread it on pieces of soft cloth and bind in place. Take the Resolvent, pills, or liquid, in medium doses. Do not use cold water in bathing, and avoid cold, raw winds.

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