

ADVERTISEMENTS.



Miss Hapgood tells how she was cured of Fallopian and Ovarian Inflammation—and escaped an awful operation by using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered for four years with what the doctors called Salpingitis (inflammation of the fallopian tubes) and ovaritis, which are most distressing and painful ailments, affecting all the surrounding parts, undermining the constitution, and sapping the life forces. If you had seen me a year ago, before I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and had noticed the sunken eyes, sallow complexion, and general emaciated condition, and compared that person with me as I am today, robust, hearty and well, you would not wonder that I feel thankful to you and your wonderful medicine, which restored me to new life and health in five months, and saved me from an awful operation."—Miss IRENE HAPGOOD, 1022 Sandwith St., Windsor, Ont.

Ovaritis or inflammation of the ovaries or fallopian tubes which adjoin the ovaries may result from sudden stopping of the monthly flow, from inflammation of the womb, and many other causes. The slightest indication of trouble with the ovaries, indicated by dull throbbing pain in the side, accompanied by heat and shooting pains, should claim your instant attention. It will not cure itself, and a hospital operation, with all its terrors, may easily result from neglect.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I can truly say that you have saved my life, and I cannot express my gratitude to you in words. Before I wrote to you telling how I felt, I had doctored for over two years steady and spent lots of money in medicine besides, but it all failed to do me any good. My menses did not appear in that time, and I suffered much pain. I would daily have fainting spells, headache, backache and bearing down pain, and was so weak that it was hard for me to do my work.

"I used your medicine and treatment as directed, and after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, menses appeared, my womb troubles left me, and I have been regular ever since. I used fourteen bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier together, and am now restored to perfect health. Had it not been for you, I would have been in my grave.

"I will always recommend your wonderful remedies, and hope that these few lines may lead others who suffer as I did to try your remedies."—Mrs. T. C. WILLADSEN, R. R. No. 1, Manning, Iowa.

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CAPTAIN MARTIN COMES HOME FOR COURT-MARTIAL.

Accused of Duplicating His Pay Accounts—Movements of Other Army Folk.

Captain Amos H. Martin, Fourteenth Infantry, who is coming home from the Philippines to be tried by a court-martial, is a passenger on the transport Sheridan due to arrive here Thursday. Captain Martin is accused of duplicating his pay accounts while in the islands.

Major Henry M. Morrow, who has been at Vancouver Barracks as judge advocate on the Harry L. Rees court-martial case, is expected back to-day.

Miss Lucile Devol, daughter of Major C. A. Duval, who has been seriously ill, has greatly improved since his return from San Antonio, Tex., and is now practically well.

Captain and Mrs. John J. Bradley expect to leave for Portland, Or., the latter part of this month.

Fall hats, 1904, just arrived, nobbier than ever. Tom Dillon & Co., opp Palace.

MRS. SMALLMAN FAILS—Mrs. A. H. Smallman of 109 Devisadero street filed a petition in insolvency yesterday in the United States District Court. She owes \$222, of which \$207.75 is a mortgage on a homestead valued at \$7000.

DEPUTY CORONER ENTERS CASES IN WRONG BOOK

Curious Error Gives Rise to Belief That Two Bodies Had Disappeared From Morgue.

Considerable agitation was displayed by two local firms of undertakers yesterday morning over the mysterious disappearance of two corpses which had been taken to the Morgue. They were the bodies of William Howe, who died in the City and County Hospital last Sunday evening, and D. Hurley of 418 Powell street, who was accidentally suffocated by illuminating gas. The undertakers telephoned to the coroner's office yesterday morning asking when the bodies would be delivered to them.

The deputy on duty consulted the records and was unable to find any statement of either case and notified the undertakers that the bodies had not been brought to the Morgue. The bodies on the slabs were later checked up, with the result that those of Hurley and Howe were found.

Further investigation disclosed that the deputy who brought the two cases to the Morgue had in a moment of absent-mindedness entered them in the November record.

The deposition of Miss Ethel Postley, taken in New York, was read, in which she described a visit with Miss Dolbeer at the Waldorf-Astoria before the latter sailed for Europe. In the opinion of the deponent the testatrix was at that time perfectly rational and sane.

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PLACE WITNESS IN BAD LIGHT

Proponents in Dolbeer Case Attack the Credibility of Mrs. Phillips' Testimony TELL OF HER DEMANDS

Jury Hears of Her Threats to Aid Contestant if a Large Sum Was Not Paid

The proponents in the Dolbeer will case yesterday bent all their energies to an attack on the testimony of Mrs. Elizabeth C. Phillips. She is the beneficiary under the testament who joined forces with the contestant and testified that Bertha Dolbeer was of unsound mind at the time the instrument was executed. George D. Gray, one of the executors, and W. F. Williamson, his attorney, were called to corroborate the statements of William G. Muga, the other executor, that Mrs. Phillips had persistently demanded a bonus of \$15,000 to be added to her bequest of \$10,000, and threatened in seeking to enforce that demand to go on the stand and give testimony that she said would break the will.

Mrs. Phillips was the strongest witness brought forward by contestant Schander, for she was the only person who testified that Miss Dolbeer was unquestionably insane. Mrs. J. L. Moody's testimony tended to raise a question as to the mental condition of the testatrix, but she did not meet the issue squarely by a declaration that Miss Dolbeer was deranged. The testimony of Mrs. Phillips was very largely the basis of the contest, and the endeavor was therefore vigorous to convince the jurors that her statements and opinion were unworthy of the credence that should influence them.

The cross-examination of William G. Muga took the greater part of the morning session, and he reiterated his testimony as to interviews in which Mrs. Phillips told him that she must have \$15,000 in addition to her bequest or she would give aid to the contestant. The witness was followed by Attorney Williamson, who related the conversations held with Mrs. Phillips at two interviews, one on August 8 and the other on August 19. His testimony was to the same effect as that of Muga.

Executor Gray said that when Mrs. Phillips called on him he suggested that she had been cared for in the will, but her reply was that a bequest of \$10,000 was inadequate.

MAKES VIGOROUS DEMAND. "I want \$25,000—as much as Mrs. Warren received," Mrs. Phillips had said, according to the witness. "It's money I'm after, and I'm going to get it out of Miss Warren," was one of the picturesque statements ascribed to her.

Mrs. Phillips appeared very much angered because Mrs. Warren, mother of Miss Warren, should have been bequeathed \$25,000—\$15,000 more than had been left to herself. If the money was not forthcoming, she had threatened the witness, she would "tell what she knew and help out the contestant."

Mrs. Phillips also told him that the attorneys who were about to file the contest were trying at that time to have an interview with her.

Gray answered Mrs. Phillips, he explained, that he could do nothing in regard to her demand further than to present it to Miss Warren for consideration if the opportunity should present itself.

Muga was recalled to produce a number of letters received from Miss Dolbeer after she left San Francisco. In one of them, written in Paris, she tells of being ill. Miss Jolliffe, Rudolph Spreckels, Miss Josselyn, James D. Phelan and others have testified that they saw Miss Dolbeer on dates subsequent to the writing of the letter and that she was then in good health, which she must have regained. The following was the letter:

WRITES OF ILLNESS. My dear Mr. Muga: By the time this reaches you you will be married. I called you the other day my consultations and now that I am writing I cannot express as I would like to all the good wishes I send you for your future happiness. I am so sorry that I am not there to send you both a wedding present, but as I would like to do so I will send you a present which I am afraid it will have to wait until I return, which may be very soon.

I wrote you that I had been ill. I was feeling very well in London, although not quite myself, but since I have arrived here I have been very ill and sometimes think home to be the best place for me. I am trying to have a little patience and see what this doctor can do for me. I did not intend to write you this, but thought you ought to know if we started for home, as you suggested Win. (William Carson) coming over. Just at present I don't think he ought to start, but you will hear from us again soon. With much happiness to you both always very sincerely, BERTHA M. DOLBEER.

F. S.—Please don't mention to a soul what I have written about myself.

The transcript of testimony of Adolph Schander taken at a preliminary hearing in the suit was read to the jury, showing that the contestant admitted having never been across the threshold of the Dolbeer home since Mrs. Dolbeer, his sister, committed suicide in 1879.

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Gifted Young Player Makes Initial Bow



MISS LOUISE SMALLEY, A TALENTED PIANIST, WHO GAVE INITIAL CONCERT LAST NIGHT.

Louise Smalley Shows Much Talent.

Miss Louise Smalley gave her introductory piano recital at Lyric Hall last night. Her efforts in handling difficult numbers met with rounds of applause from an audience that crowded the house and she was the recipient of many handsome floral tokens.

Miss Smalley shows an excellently developed talent. Her touch is artistic, her technique brilliant and her interpretation shows an individual character. These qualities were shown particularly in her interpretation of the Beethoven sonata in G for piano and violin, in which Harry Samuels, the well known violinist, played his part masterfully. A nocturne by Field was given with much delicacy; "Poeme de Mai" by Moszkowski, with marked virtuosity, and a nocturne and bolero by Chopin with full understanding of the characteristics of this master.

The climax came with the rendering of the "Hungarian Fantasia," by Liszt, the orchestra part being arranged by Professor Genes for a second piano. In it unusual strength and endurance were shown and the young pianist also found ample opportunity to display her delicacy of touch.

Harry Samuels added to the program a superb rendering of the "Faust Fantasia," by Wieniawski.

Comstock Companies Dissolve. An official passing of Comstock names that were used to conjure with in the making of a century ago was started yesterday with the filing in the County Clerk's office of five petitions for the dissolution of corporations. Seven more will probably follow to-day, the companies affected being those that were recently reincorporated with the name "Brunswick" added to the old titles. The reincorporations were in furtherance of the plans to work the Brunswick lode in Nevada. The concerns that gave up their corporate ghost yesterday were the Potosi, organized in 1879; the Exchequer, 1885; the Sierra Nevada, 1880; the Union Consolidated, 1872, and the Bullion, 1874.

Relief Corps Bazaar. Extensive arrangements have been made by the F. C. and L. Club of the Ladies' Relief Corps of General George G. Meade Post, G. A. R., for the entertainment in the A. O. F. building on Wednesday night, December 14. In addition to the bazaar there will be a varied programme, with dancing as one of the features. The proceeds will be added to the fund of the corps for the relief of Civil War veterans and their families who may be in need.

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LOOK TOWARD NEW CONVENT

Mothers of Helpers of the Holy Souls Pay a Visit to Presbyterian House TO WORK WITH CHINESE

Inquiries Are Still Coming From East Relative to Big Church Convention

The Rev. Mother Guardian Angel and the Rev. Mother St. Bernard, of the Helpers of the Holy Souls, St. Louis, paid a visit yesterday to Presbyterian House, 920 Sacramento street, escorted by the Rev. Father Henry I. Stark, C. S. P., of St. Mary's (Paulist) Church.

Miss Wheeler, superintendent of the Presbyterian Mission Home, received the visitors, who, Father Star explained, desired to inquire into the methods of the institution.

Father Stark said that it is the intention of the mothers to occupy a convent, as soon as erected, on Stockton street, near Washington, where missionary work among the Chinese will be conducted.

During the visit of the mothers and Father Stark the Rev. J. W. Laughlin, president of the Presbyterian Ministers' Association, and perhaps one of the most noted missionaries who have visited China, unconscious of the visit, was giving his brethren of the ministry an account of the energetic missionary labors of Presbyterians in China.

An interesting address was delivered before the Congregational Ministers' Club yesterday by the Rev. E. O. Tade of Berkeley, in which he set forth Dr. Marcus Whitman's services to the United States in saving the "Oregon country" to the republic.

The speaker recounted the trip made by Dr. Whitman across the mountains in the midst of a severe winter. This act brought to the attention of President Tyler and his Cabinet the value and importance of that region of the Northwest Territory, which resulted finally in making it a part of the United States instead of trading it off to Great Britain for a mere song.

The energy with which the Christian Church Ministers' Association is working on the preliminary arrangements for its national convention was again evidenced yesterday at a large meeting of the general committee. The Rev. P. C. Macfarlane presided. Letters are still being received from all parts of the East relative to accommodation and other matters pertaining to the occasion.

Though the 40,000 which attended the convention in St. Louis will not be duplicated here, yet from the communications and promises so far it is confidently expected by the committee that something like 10,000 will visit San Francisco.

At the Methodist Ministers' Association, held at Elyworth Hall yesterday, the Rev. F. A. Keast read a paper on the growth of Methodism in the city during the last eleven years.

TWO DAYS AT SANTA CRUZ. Round Trip, With Board at Hotel, \$8. Saturday to Monday excursion tickets to Santa Cruz, including two days board and lodging at Hotel St. George, will be sold on Saturdays by Southern Pacific agents. This is a chance to visit one of California's greatest winter resorts. Military band concerts on the beach Saturdays and Sundays; mammoth casino; pleasure pier; boating, fishing, surf bathing, hot salt water and plunge baths; beautiful walks and drives, and perfect climate. The place for social clubs to spend the week's end. Tickets sold at Third and Townsend streets depot, 313 Market street and at ferry ticket office.

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Advertisement for Castoria, a laxative for infants and children. It is described as the kind you have always bought and bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. It is used for over thirty years. The advertisement includes a facsimile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, New York, and states that it is an exact copy of the wrapper.

AMUSEMENTS.

Advertisement for Orpheum, featuring Herrmann the Great. The advertisement includes a list of names and a description of the performance.

Advertisement for Majestic, featuring Mr. Potter of Texas. The advertisement includes a list of names and a description of the performance.

Advertisement for California, featuring Rose Melville and Sis Hopkins. The advertisement includes a list of names and a description of the performance.

Advertisement for Opera House, featuring King Dodo. The advertisement includes a list of names and a description of the performance.

Advertisement for Fischers, featuring a variety of acts. The advertisement includes a list of names and a description of the performance.

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Advertisement for Alcazar, featuring Caprice. The advertisement includes a list of names and a description of the performance.

Advertisement for Central, featuring a variety of acts. The advertisement includes a list of names and a description of the performance.

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Advertisement for Paderewski, featuring a variety of acts. The advertisement includes a list of names and a description of the performance.

Advertisement for Dewey, Strong & Co. Patents, featuring a variety of acts. The advertisement includes a list of names and a description of the performance.

Advertisement for The Pianola, featuring Kohler & Chase. The advertisement includes a list of names and a description of the product.

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