

Backache, "The Blues"

Both Symptoms of Organic Derangement in Women—Thousands of Sufferers Find Relief.



How often do we hear women say: "It seems as though my back would break," or "Don't speak to me, I am all out of sorts?" These significant remarks prove that the system requires attention. Backache and "the blues" are direct symptoms of an inward trouble which will sooner or later declare itself. It may be caused by diseased kidneys or some uterine derangement. Nature requires assistance and at once, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound instantly asserts its curative powers in all those peculiar ailments of women. It has been the standby of intelligent American women for twenty years, and the ablest specialists agree that it is the most universally successful remedy for woman's ills known to medicine.

The following letters from Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Cotrely are among the many thousands which Mrs. Pinkham has received this year from those whom she has relieved.

Surely such testimony is convincing. Mrs. J. G. Holmes, of Larimore, North Dakota, writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham—
"I have suffered everything with backache and womb trouble—I let the trouble run on until my system was in such a condition that I was unable to be about, and then it was I commenced to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If I had only known how much suffering I would have saved, I should have taken it months sooner—for a few weeks' treatment made me well and strong. My backaches and headache are all gone and I suffer no pain at my menstrual periods, whereas before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I suffered intense pain."

Mrs. Emma Cotrely, 109 East 13th Street, New York City, writes:
Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham—
"I feel it my duty to tell all suffering women of the relief I have found in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. When I commenced taking the Compound I suffered everything with backache, headache, menstrual and ovarian troubles. I am completely cured and enjoy the best of health, and I owe it all to you."

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles.

No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles. Refuse to buy any substitute.

FREE ADVICE TO WOMEN.

Remember, every woman is cordially invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about her symptoms she does not understand. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass., her advice is free and cheerfully given to every ailing woman who asks for it. Her advice and medicine have restored to health more than one hundred thousand women.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

Full Pay Allowed Teachers—Pupils to Assist at Dedication Ceremony

At a meeting of the school board Saturday night the action of Chairman Condit, in refusing to allow Prof. Marshall and Miss Clark pay for the week taught before taking the examination before the city board of examiners, was overruled, and the teachers allowed their pay. In order to do this, Dr. Byrd moved that the present contracts, which had been dated by Mr. Condit from the date on which they took the examination, be revoked and new ones drawn up, to date from October 30th, and increasing their salaries enough to make up for the deficiency in the first month's pay. Condit was the only man who voted against the motion.

The following communication from the high school students was also read at the meeting, but no definite action was taken upon it:

To the Board of Directors.

Gentlemen: In view of the fact that we are soon to occupy our magnificent new high school buildings, it is fitting that we, the high school students, should endeavor to express in some degree, our appreciation of the generosity of the board of directors and of the taxpayers of the district in providing for us such excellent accommodations.

Be it resolved, therefore, that we, the Associated Students of the Salem High School, do hereby tender the board of directors our assistance and co-operation, both as a body and as individuals, in the dedicatory ceremonies that may be designated by said board of directors.

Be it resolved also, that a copy of these resolutions be presented to the board of directors, and that a committee be appointed to assist in the preparation of a suitable program for the occasion, upon the request of the board of directors.

HEX TURNER,
EDWIN HASLAM,
RALPH MOORES,
ELIZABETH HARDING,
Committee.

The bid of the House Furnishing Company to furnish the tablet arm chairs for the high school building was accepted, and that company will furnish 125 of the chairs at \$2.10. This is the same chair that another firm offered for \$2.25.

Superintendent Powers was allowed \$1.25 with which to purchase books for supplementary reading, and also instructed to purchase 60 quarts of writing fluid for the schools.

Owing to a misunderstanding among the bidders for the construction of the septic tank at the Park school, the

EVER WATCHFUL.

A Little Care Will Save Many Salem Readers Future Troubles.

Watch the kidney secretions. See that they have the amber hue of health.

The discharges not excessive or infrequent. Contain no "brick dust-like sediment."

Doan's Kidney Pills will do this for you.

They watch the kidneys and cure them when you're sick.

Olof Johnson, who is a gardener by occupation, living at the corner of 15th and B streets, North Salem, says: "Kidney complaint is no new thing to me. I have been bothered off and on for ten or twelve years. I did not suffer so much from backache as most people do who have kidney complaint, but the principal annoyance was a weakness of the kidney secretions, which was both distressing and aggravating. There was a scalding sensation in passing, and a heavy brick-dust like sediment appeared after standing in the vessel over night. I had attacks of dizziness in my head and oftentimes a blurring would appear before my eyes and I could scarcely see. I tried numerous remedies, but all in vain, until I saw Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended for just such troubles and procured them at Dr. Stone's drug store. Now, I don't want to tell the people something that is not true, but I will say that in all my experience with doctors' prescriptions and different kidney remedies nothing has given me the amount of relief that I have received from Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

matter was again referred to the special committee with instructions to investigate and see that there was a perfect understanding before the contract was let.

Byrd, Leo and Epley were appointed as a committee to purchase blinds for the new high school building. Fleetwood was elected janitor of the East building, and the following bills were ordered paid:

R. D. Gilbert & Co.	\$9.95
Statesman Pub. Co.	3.60
M. J. Petzel	1.25
R. M. Wade & Co.	.15
C. Hughes	1.25
L. E. Gardner	4.00

X-RAYS

The Panama sewer is to be made on the sea level—probably the only level thing there will be about it.

A Salem merchant advertises "a skirt with a history." As its history was made in the East, Salem people are not afraid.

The Baker City Herald has a new headline that is the acme of ugliness. Whoever evolved it from the bathos vast abyss, may well claim to be a past master in the production of the woefully inartistic and the sinfully ugly.

S. C. Kightlinger, formerly of Salem, but now of Kent, Wash., has a position with the Carnation Cream Condensing Company at that place. He writes that his wife's health is improving, and the climate is delightful.

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Agents

PERSONALS

Otto Ragan spent Sunday at "Hill-side Farm."
Gideon Stutz has returned from a business visit to Eugene.
Thomas Wrightman, of Forest Grove, was in the city yesterday.
Mrs. C. L. Winter has returned to her home at Eugene, after a short visit here.
C. C. McCormack and wife went up to Brownsville today on a visit to Mrs. McCormack's parents.
Mrs. Geo. H. Burnett returned Saturday from Eugene, where she was the guest of Mrs. D. A. Palou.
Harvey Newell, of Portland, returned to his home yesterday, after a short visit with friends in this city.
Miss Grace Cleaver returned to the asylum farm this morning, after making a short visit to her parents in this city.
D. G. Drager and wife, who have been in the city for several weeks, have returned to their ranch near Meham.
Mrs. F. H. Berger and little son, Armond, returned Saturday from Roseburg, where she visited her brother, A. F. Steiner, and wife.
Miss Fannie Skelton, who has been visiting friends in Portland and Salem for several weeks, returned to her home in Brownsville this morning.
Robert R. Nicholson, a former Salem boy, but now a resident of Albany, and a traveling representative of the Allen & Lewis Company, spent a few hours in the Capital City this morning.
D. F. E. Slater has disposed of his practice at Gervais to Dr. O. R. Miles, who graduated from the Willamette College of Medicine last year, and will move to Salem and occupy the office formerly occupied by Dr. E. A. Pierce.
J. K. Sears, a prominent hop grower and grain dealer of McCoy, fell from a freight car one day last week, and sustained an injury to his hand which, it is feared, will prove serious, as it is reported that blood poisoning has set in.
Homer Smith and wife returned this morning from a visit to Portland. While gone, Homer took part in a hunting expedition, and brought back a load of ducks, which will no doubt tickle the palates of a number of his friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wallace, who were married Thursday of last week at the Lewis residence in Yew Park, and to whom the name of Lewis was inadvertently given by a Journal reporter, left Saturday for their new home in Seattle.
O. B. Long returned this morning from Eugene, where he had been to officiate at the game between the Salem and Eugene high schools. He says that, while the best team won, that it is really about one touchdown better than the Salem boys, who went to pieces and literally gave the rest of the score away.
Miss Lois Peebles, the well-known soprano, has been permanently engaged by the First Presbyterian church, and hereafter will be heard both morning and evening by the members of that congregation. Miss Peebles is a charming singer, and will be a big addition to the choir.
Mrs. T. Holverson has left for San Diego, where her husband is now engaged in business. Mr. Holverson was for many years one of the leading merchants of this city, and both he and his wife have made a host of friends, who will regret to learn that they have no intention of returning to Salem.

IF THE WOMEN

Who suffer every month from ailments peculiar to their sex would only take an occasional dose of **Hostetter's Stomach Bitters** they would find their various organs strengthened and better able to perform their proper functions.

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THE SALEM STATE BANK.
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E. W. HAZARD, Cashier

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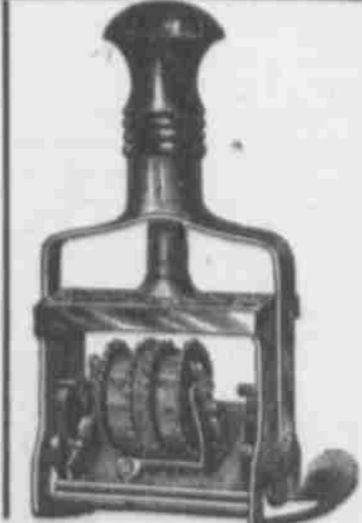
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