

CITY CHARTER IS IN LINE FOR PUBLIC OWNERSHIP OF WATER

Property Qualification Removed from Voting at All Elections in the Future of this City.

The biggest victory for progress was won in the city council last night that has ever been achieved for the Capital City. The charter amendments that will be submitted to the people at the coming December election have been stripped of the iron-clad provisions that have been such a terrible obstacle to progress. The property qualification on voting has been knocked out and if this amended charter for the acquisition of public utilities is adopted the legal voters of the city will walk up to the polls without interference of the tax collector. Provision is also made for bonding the city to bring in mountain water, up to the amount of a million and a half. These points were only won after a hard fight. An effort was made to limit the bonded debt to about \$600,000, which, with the present debt of \$300,000, would have made any action to get mountain water impossible. The council showed a true spirit of progress, and

this makes bringing in mountain water a certainty.

Charter Limitations.

The charter amendments, as reported by the committee had a provision that limited the bonded debt for all purposes to four per cent of the assessed valuation, or about 1400,000. This was discovered in time to raise the question, and, after fierce discussion, the joker of the ultra-conservatives was passed into the waste basket, and all but two members of the council stood for bonding the city for mountain water, and the amendment was finally adopted unanimously. The progressive members won on a final showdown of 6 to 5, with Mr. A. N. Moores in the chair, presiding with dignity and fairness. That old war-horse, G. Stolz, also came through in the right spirit, and deserves a full share of credit with the progressives. The city will be placed in a position to acquire public ownership of the water plant and bring in the delicious nectar from the Breitenbush, if the people adopt the new mountain water charter at the coming election. It also provides for funding the present delinquent bonded debt of \$65,000.

WANTS HER LETTER PUBLISHED

For Benefit of Women who Suffer from Female Ills

Minneapolis, Minn.—"I was a great sufferer from female troubles which caused a weakness and broken down condition of the system. I read so much of what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for other suffering women I felt sure it would help me, and I must say it did help me wonderfully. My pains all left me. I grew stronger, and within three months I was a perfectly well woman."

"I want this letter made public to show the benefit women may derive from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. JOHN G. MOLDAN, 2115 Second St., North, Minneapolis, Minn.

Thousands of unsolicited and genuine testimonials like the above prove the efficiency of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made exclusively from roots and herbs. Women who suffer from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.

If you want special advice write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. She will treat your letter as strictly confidential. For 20 years she has been helping sick women in this way, free of charge. Don't hesitate—write at once.

WOUNDED IN SAVING HUSBAND

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] San Francisco, Oct. 1.—Hurling herself between her husband and Jack Blett, a stevedore, who was attacking him with a knife, Mrs. Margaret Guerrero, of 1992 Grant avenue, probably saved her husband's life by receiving the stab intended for Guerrero in her own body.

The blade penetrated through her arm, severing the tendons. Before the blood gushing from the dangerous wound could be stopped the woman nearly bled to death.

Guerrero, who is a seaman recently returned from Alaska. Today Blett attempted to collect a bill owed him by Guerrero. The men became angry, blows were exchanged, and Blett drew his knife.

The police are looking for Blett, who fled after wounding Mrs. Guerrero.

WALKED TWO MILES WHILE SOUND ASLEEP

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Oakland, Oct. 7.—Wrapped only in her night gown, barefooted and bareheaded, Mrs. Ella Murphy, while in a state of somnambulism, left her home at 168 Park avenue and reached Seventeenth street and San Pablo avenue before she was awakened. When she awoke after Policeman Pleasants had accosted her, Mrs. Murphy had walked two miles. When she realized what she had done, the woman fainted. Even af-

Do You Have Stomach Trouble?

And Are You Satisfied with the Treatment You Are Taking?

Sufferers Who Find Their Condition Unrelieved or Actually Growing Worse While Using Other Remedies Would Do Well to Try the Tonic Treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

The symptoms of stomach trouble vary. Some victims have a ravenous appetite, some loathe the sight of food. Often there is a feeling of weight on the chest, a full feeling in the throat. Sometimes the gas presses on the heart and leads the sufferer to think he has heart disease. Sick headache is a frequent and distressing symptom.

There are two old-fashioned methods of treating chronic dyspepsia, catarrh of the stomach or chronic gastritis.

First, that which prescribes pepsin, dilute hydrochloric acid and other ferments to help the digestive juices.

Second, that which seeks to stimulate the glands to greater activity.

Both have the defect that too often when the treatment stops the benefit stops and the trouble returns in an aggravated form. The truth of this statement is all too evident to many who have tried either treatment.

Tone Up the Stomach.

The modern method is to tone up the stomach and glands to do their normal work.

Every step toward recovery is a step gained not to be lost again. The recovery of the appetite, the disappearance of pain, the absence of gas—all are steps on the road to health that those who have tried the tonic treatment remember distinctly.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a tonic, every constituent of which is helpful in building up the digestive organs and therefore are the ideal remedy for chronic cases of stomach trouble. The success of the treatment is shown by hundreds of cures.

ter she had been awakened by the policeman, it was some time before she fully recovered her senses. Except from being thoroughly chilled, she seemed to have sustained no bad after-effects from her exposure.

Words to Freeze the Soul.

"Your son has Consumption. His case is hopeless." These appalling words were spoken to Geo. E. Blevens, a leading merchant of Springfield, N. C., by two expert doctors—one a lung specialist. Then was shown the wonderful power of Dr. King's New Discovery. "After three weeks' use," writes Mr. Blevens, "he was as well as ever. I would not take all the money in the world for what it did for my boy." Infallible for coughs and colds, its the safest, surest cure of desperate lung diseases on earth. 50c and \$1.00. J. C. Perry guarantees satisfaction. Trial bottle free.

like the following recently reported:

LOS ANGELES NURSE CURED.

Gas on Stomach Caused Dizziness and Pressure on the Heart.

Mrs. Ed. Hardrath, a nurse, of Watts, Cal., received no permanent relief from stomach trouble until she tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She says:

"I was a sufferer from stomach trouble for over two years and was under a doctor's care for a year or more. He said I was suffering from ulceration of the stomach, but gave me little relief. My stomach didn't seem to digest the food I ate and gas formed, causing pains, bloating, and pressure on the heart. For nearly a year I couldn't eat meat. There were pains through my forehead and down the back of my neck. I was dizzy a great deal and couldn't do my work as I ought to."

"A friend told me about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and advised me to give them a thorough trial. My improvement was gradual until I was entirely cured. I have had no trouble from indigestion in a long time and recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to everyone who has stomach trouble."

CATARRH OF THE STOMACH.

A Case Near Portland, Ore., Cured by the Tonic Treatment.

A recent cure of a severe case of stomach trouble is that of Mr. L. G. Coffin, of No. 27 North Mora street, Arleta, a suburb of Portland, Ore. He says:

"In the fall of 1905 I began to have stomach trouble, which grad-

ually grew worse until I was not able to work steadily. I wasn't well for the following three years and for three months was unable to do any work at all. I didn't have any appetite and my stomach hurt me all the time. It was sour and gas was constantly forming on it. I was troubled with constipation and often had sick headaches. I was greatly run down in flesh and strength.

"I was treated by two doctors but neither did me any good. They pronounced my trouble catarrh of the stomach and said I needed rest. I don't believe they knew what ailed me. Finally I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, a medicine which had been used in our family for a number of years. I felt good effects from their use right away and continued with them until cured. I am able to work every day now and feel much better every way."

A CURE AT PASADENA.

Indigestion and Nervousness Yield to the Tonic Treatment.

The statement of Mr. Emery T. Hubbard, a salesman of No. 1701 Morton avenue, Pasadena, Cal., regarding his cure by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills has uncommon weight as he has had fifteen years' experience as a nurse.

"Stomach trouble in my case," he says, "was the result of the nervous breakdown following two operations which I underwent several years ago. My stomach pained me a great deal and I suffered from nausea. For one month during my sickness I lived on a glass of milk and an egg taken every twenty-four hours and sometimes my stomach would not retain even this light diet. I had no appetite, was nervous and lost in weight from 175 to 135 pounds."

"The doctors called my trouble a complication of indigestion and nervousness and I was under their care for five years without being cured. I then began to see for myself if I couldn't find something to help me and reading about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I decided to give them a trial. While on the second box I could see that the pills were helping me and this encouraged me to keep on using them until I was cured. I have had no return of my sickness and am confident Dr. Wil-

liams' Pink Pills will permanently cure other sufferers from stomach trouble if they are given a thorough trial."

SEVERE VOMITING SPELLS.

This Blaine (Wash.) Case Was Pronounced Incurable.

Mrs. W. S. Robinson, of Blaine, Wash., who owes her recovery from stomach trouble to a thorough trial of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, says:

"I was in a run-down condition for several years before I began to suffer from stomach trouble. Suddenly I began to have vomiting spells which became so bad that I was confined to bed for fifteen weeks. There were dreadful pains in my stomach and at times I would vomit blood. My stomach would retain only the lightest liquid food. My heart was affected and I lost several pounds in weight."

"I was living at Blaine at the time of my sickness and was treated by three doctors for over two months. They finally said I could not get well and I then decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills which a friend had recommended to me. The pills gradually helped me until I had a good appetite and my stomach became strong enough to retain solid food. I gained in weight and kept on improving until I was restored to health."

How to Cure Yourself.

If you have stomach trouble begin today to cure yourself.

Take the first step now by sending a postal card request to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for a free diet book. Then get a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from the nearest druggist; and follow directions closely. Or you can get the pills by mail, postpaid, at 50 cents per box; six boxes for \$2.50, from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

Williams' Pink Pills are always the same and are sold only in packages bearing the well-known trade-mark, "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People." Pills sold in any other package, or loose, by the dozen or hundred are not the same, whatever the clerk tells you. Insist upon getting the genuine Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Both Boys Saved.

Louis Boon, a leading merchant of Norway, Mich., writes: "Three bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar also lately cured my boy of a severe cough and a neighbor's boy, who was so ill with a cold that the doctors gave him up, was cured by taking Foley's Honey and Tar." Nothing else is as safe and certain in results. J. C. Perry.

The rights of the race depend on recognizing the rights of the child.

To quickly check a cold, druggists are dispensing everywhere a clever candy cold cure tablet called Preventics. Preventics are also fine for feverish children. Take Preventics at the sneeze stage to head off all colds. Box of 48, 25c. Capital drug store.

DON'T TINKER WITH IT

If your steam or hot water heating apparatus is out of order. The chances are you will only make it worse. Better send for us in the first place and have us do what is needed. We make a specialty of heater work and know what the trouble is at a glance. Better call us in and have yours overhauled. Tinkering with it may spoil it.

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