

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

THE FARMER'S BURDEN.

A Parody.
Take up the farmer's burden—
Send forth the plows and teams—
Go, sow the grain in season,
To be the next year's means.
Go work in heavy harness,
Your broken colts and wild—
Your new-found lusty hired-hand,
Half animal, half child.

Take up the farmer's burden—
In patience to abide,
The rain storms out of season,
Or dryness far and wide;
By plowing deep or shallow,
An hundred times made plain,
You seek your loss or profit,
And reap your only gain.

Take up the farmer's burden—
With neighbors make your peace—
Dry up your petty quarrels,
And bid the fighting cease;
And when the goal is nearest
(The end by farmer's sought)
Watch rust and heat and hailstorms
Bring all your hope to naught.

Take up the farmer's burden—
No easy thing presume,
But toll of slave and bondman.

Each day you will resume,
The lanes ye cannot enter,
The roads ye cannot tread,
To fix them with wour scraper
And work them till you're dead.

Take up the farmer's burden,
And reap his old reward—
The thanks of those ye shelter,
The praise of those ye feed—
The cry of those ye humer
(Ah gladly!) morn and night—
Whence came your loaded tables,
Your fruits and cereals bright!

Take up the farmer's burden—
Ye dare not stoop to less—
Nor talk too loud on Congress
To cloak your laziness,
By all your toll and labor,
By what ye plow and sow,
Your worth will e'er be measured
No matter what you know.

Take up the farmer's burden!
Have done with slothful days
The lightly puffed "living,"
The easy going ways;
Come now and help your prairie
And pasture land as well,
To lavish forth their treasures
In happiness you'll dwell.
—Edgar P. Grinstead, in Prairie Farmer.

THE RALEIGH HONORED.

The presentation by the North Carolinians in New York of a silver cup to the cruiser Raleigh is a graceful recognition of the good service of the vessel named after the capital of the Old North State. The Raleigh had the honor of firing the first shot in the action in Manila bay last May, and by general good service deserved all the attentions the New Yorkers have showered upon her. A North Carolina girl presided at her launching at Norfolk on March 31, 1892, and the gallant Tar Heels resident in New York have now very properly added their share to the honors she has received.

A REFRESHING STYLE.

The art of quotation requires delicacy in practice. An already famous firm has originated and developed into very promising advertising a mass of old, quaint proverbs. We refer to Messrs. O. I. Hood & Co., of Sarsaparilla fame, who are using not only our columns, but those of thousands of our contemporaries, in adapting wise sayings to their service by clever and practical turns. It is refreshing to see something new and bright in this line. Clean cut argument is better than big display type.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

Men's Warm Weather CHANGES OF UNDERWEAR.

Fine Sanitary Natural Worsted shirts and Drawers—the most pleasant of all summer underwear—\$1.00 and \$1.50 a garment.
Brown Balbriggan Combed Egyptian Cotton Shirts and Drawers—50 cts. a garment.
White Lisle and dia Gauze Shirts, long and short sleeves, 50 cts.
Summer Merino Shirts, 50 cts.
Scriden's Patent Elastic Seam Pepperrell Jean Drawers, 75 cts.
Pepperrell Jean, perfect fitting Drawers, 50 etc.
Knickers, Suspenders, &c.

Dobbin & Ferrall,
At Tucker's Store



IT GIVES WOMEN HEALTH

WINE OF CARDUI

There are thousands of women in America who are only half alive. They merely drag along month after month, no pleasure to themselves or anybody else. They have constant headache, backache, tired all the time, restless nights, everything a cause for tears, exhausted feeling in the morning, weak limbs, aching all over, no appetite, scant, irregular or too profuse menses.

There is no more necessity for this condition to continue than for a person to go hungry when wholesome food is offered. McElree's Wine of Cardui is sent to weak, delicate, tired women to give them health. It is a nerve tonic, and best of all, a regulator as well as a tonic for the delicate organs of menstruation, which, when deranged, cause more sickness among women than all other diseases combined. It can be bought at any drug store and taken in the privacy of home. It has given health to thousands of suffering women and will do as much for you.

Trinchera, Col., Dec. 15, 1898.

I wrote you last summer and you advised me to take Wine of Cardui and Black-Draught. I have taken three bottles of the Wine of Cardui and four packages of the Black-Draught, and I am glad to let you know that I am better than I have been for four years. My menstruation has been regular ever since I took the first nine doses. When I first commenced taking your medicine I was in bed and I tried several doctors and they didn't do me any good, and now I can do all my work and not get tired. I think I have had all the troubles that could afflict a woman; my back hurt, as did my head and legs, and I had sick headache every time I ate anything. Now I can eat anything and not hurt me and don't get tired. I think this is the best medicine ever discovered. MRS. CORA ROBINSON.

Sumner, Neb., Dec. 2, 1898.

I have been taking Wine of Cardui and find it a great relief. I had pains in the back and lower part of the bowels and at monthly periods would have flooding spells. I have taken one bottle of the Wine and part of another and am very much better. I think Wine of Cardui will give relief to all afflicted women and I advise all who are troubled with womb diseases to take it. MRS. JENNIE LINE.

Elsberry, Mo., Jan. 11, 1899.

Your agent was in to see us the other day and we purchased a big bill of Wine of Cardui and Black-Draught from him. These medicines are first-class and we never hesitate to recommend them. BLACKBURN & ELLIS, Druggists.

Charleston, Ill., Dec. 12, 1898.

My wife is trying Wine of Cardui and it is helping her. DR. J. S. BRADBURY.

Winchester, Tenn., Jan. 8, 1899.

I have been using Wine of Cardui and it has done much good. I have been sick about four months with pain in the head and other trouble. I saw the Ladies' Birthday Almanac and thought I would try the Wine. Almost to my surprise it did great good from the start. I can recommend it to all friends as a good medicine. ELLA LIPSCOMB.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12, '99.

A patient of mine has been using your Wine of Cardui and says it has done her good. S. W. SUMMY, M. D.

Akron, Ohio, Feb. 12, 1899.

I want to thank you for what Wine of Cardui has done for me. I have been a great sufferer all my life from weak nerves and all the ills that women have. The doctors' treatment seemed to give me no permanent relief—just as soon as I stopped taking it I was bad as ever. I tried everything I could hear of, always with the same result, continued suffering. Finally my husband got me a bottle of Wine of Cardui and asked me to try that. By the time I had taken the third dose I began to improve. Each dose seemed to make me feel better and now after taking two bottles the result is wonderful. I was very thin weighing only about eighty pounds, now I weigh nearly one hundred pounds and am a better color than ever before. This health I have now seems like a glimpse into the beyond. MRS. C. H. SMITH.

CALL ON J. L. O'QUINN & CO.

FOR CUT FLOWERS.

Roses and Carnations a specialty. Cut flowers of all kinds in season. Bouquets and Floral Designs arranged in best style on short notice.

PALMS, FERNS AND OTHER POT PLANTS FOR HOUSE AND WINDOW DECORATIONS.

Chrysanthemums and Roses in best leading varieties, together with all kinds of plants of spring and summer bedding plants and bulbs, Shade trees and evergreens in great variety.

Vegetable plants, Tomato, Egg and Pepper twice transplanted, Cabbage, Beets, Lettuce and Celery in season. See our show window at J. I. Johnson's Drug Store, leave orders there or Call Phones.

Bell, 149-2. Interstate, 149
J. L. O'QUINN & Co.'s,
FLORISTS,
Corner Park and Swain Sts.
RALEIGH, N. C.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Thomas E. Jones, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me or to my attorneys, on or before the 30th day of March, 1900, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to me. L. S. JONES, Administratrix, of THOS. E. JONES, Deceased. Argo & Snow, Attorneys. March 30th, 1899.

Roses.

Roses, Carnations and other choice Cut Flowers. Floral Designs tastefully arranged at Short Notice.

Wedding Decorations

Palms, Ferns and all other decorative plants for house culture. For ornamental gardening at lowest figure. A kind of bedding plants: Roses, Geraniums, Heliotropes, Coleus, etc. Chrysanthemums in the best latest varieties for the season. Tomato plants once transplanted in best sort Cabbage, Pepper and Pot-grown Egg plants. Celery at proper season. All mail orders promptly attended to.

H. S. Einmetz, Florist.
Raleigh, N. C. Bell 'Phone 113.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of John Mastel, deceased, late of Wake County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned at his office in Raleigh, N. C., on or before the 28th day of March, 1900, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery, and all persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned. J. C. MARCOM, Administrator. March 27, 1899.



The Popularity

of Tan and Russet shoes shows no decrease this season. They are the shoes above all others for everything except dress occasions. And the line we offer at prices varying from \$2.00 to \$6.50 per pair for men, and from \$1.00 to \$4.00 for women, and from 75c to \$2.50 for boys and girls, are by far the best that can be found within the limits of the county. The most fastidious dresser will find them right in style, and the great amount of wear in them will please those who like a shoe that lasts.

No waiting till end of season for low prices with us. Our trunks and bags are also beyond criticism.

W. T. Hardings' Popular Shoe Store.

SALE OF LAND.
By authority of a judgment of the Superior court rendered in special proceedings, entitled Wesley Whitaker vs. Mary A. Lawrence, being a proceeding to sell the land hereinafter described for division. We will on Monday, April 24th, 1899, 12 o'clock, m., at the court house door of Wake county, Raleigh, N. C., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the lot on East Hargett street, where the said Wesley Whitaker now resides which is bounded on the north by Hargett street, on the east by lot of A. Creech, on the south by the lot of Bevin, on the west by lots of T. D. Sledge and Wesley Boone. W. N. JONES, M. A. BLEDSOE, Commissioners.

Refrigerators and Rockers.

A Car Load of Each

The Baldwin and Mascot PRICES LOW.

Both possessing the very latest discoveries for economizing in ice and in preventing odors. Built for economy, sanitation and attractiveness.

PRICES \$2.50 to \$20.

WE ARE SOLE DEALERS IN RALEIGH.

The latest production of the Furniture market for spring and summer are now on our floors.

The Royall & Borden Furniture Co.,

Cor. Wilmington and Hargett Streets, Raleigh, N. C.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the ballots to be used in the election for municipal officers of the city of Raleigh to be held May 1st, 1899, shall be of white "book" paper, 40 pounds to the ream, 2 1/4 inches wide and 3 1/4 inches long, without ornament, symbol or device, and that the printing thereon shall be in plain long primer type. The names of the person voted for Mayor, Tax Collector and City Clerk shall be on one ballot and the names of the aldermen voted for shall be on one ballot. A. M. POWELL, Mayor. H. F. SMITH, City Clerk. 4-18 to 8-2.