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WIVES OF SOME GREAT MEN.

Not a Few of Them had Hard Times and Were Unkindly Treated.

Wives of great men all remind us: To live is to see. To see is to judge. To judge, to take things at their face value.

Fielding, the novelist, married a maid servant.

Sir Thomas Moore's wife scolded him on the eve of his execution.

Hazlitt's wise cared nothing for his ability. Her temper was intensity. And the tragedy of the unsympathetic played itself to the bitter end.

Milton had troubles with both of his wives. Nor was his the monopoly of the martyrdom.

Moliere, at the age of 40, married an actress aged 17 summers. She ran away, and it snowed and covered her tracks.

Coleridge left his wife and children without apology or farewell and never would see them again.

Napoleon conquered the world, material. But he often swore at Josephine (a woman who was once his wife), and when she cried said: "Hush; it makes your nose red." But he was a great man.

Catherine II, of Russia had her husband assassinated, and from his death to her own ruled alone—very much alone.

Shelly married an innkeeper's daughter. It was a problem in inequality, with a demonstration in the disaster which followed. He left her. She committed suicide. But they did not hang the man.

Alexander the Great was accustomed to beat his wives with the flat of his sword whenever they "talked back" at him. This was a custom peculiar to him, as old records show that the sword in the hand of a gentleman was used to protect the gentler sex.

"Ben" Jonson's wife went to the inn after him if he stayed too long and brought him home, tongue lashing him all the way. And you all known "Ben" Jonson.

Boswell's "Uxoriana" is a collection of his wife's sayings to him, which do no little credit to her as a scold.

Cervantes drew a picture of his own wife in the "Mistress Housekeeper for the Devil," whom Sancho Panza (not also spelled "Heartsease") abused so bitterly.

Richard Wagner's first matrimonial venture was a pathetic sonata, the tragedy of the inharmonious. But the realization, which is ever the bitter, of the inadequateness was spared him until after the mistake had been happily rectified in mating with a congenial understanding. To this second wife, who impressed upon him what he had gained in the second instead of lost in the first, he owed a debt of gratitude which speaks to the seeing of his later works.

Robert Schumann fell in love with the daughter of his piano teacher. The inspiration she gave him was the world' gain. When the irate father refused a union with the daughter, "Davidsbundler," "Kreislerana" and "Noveletten" were given to the world in tangible form, and the wife he coveted became his. So much for adversity.

Robert Browning understood his wife and his wife understood him. They both accomplished. What of the significance?

George Washington had a wife who knew how to courtesy. And he sat in the presidential chair in peace. This was before a vestibule was added to the White House.

Bach married on $35 year a and wrote immortal music. This was before automobiles.

EVERYTHING WAS NO. 13.

Curious Experience of Member of the "Wrong Mr. Wright" Company.

[From the New York Times.]

John Alliston, comedian of the Robinson-Temple Opera Company, says that he does not think 13 unlucky. He was led to the remark the other night when a boy came into his dressing-room bearing a package of laundry with a bill for $1.13 attached.

"Better give him the extra two cents" suggested the property man, who was standing near by, "and save trouble."

Robinson drew himself up haughtily.

"Huh!" he said, "I'm not afraid of 13 It's my lucky number."

Then, as he walked over to his dressing-table and began to heat a stick of grease paint over the gas jet,he went on:

"Last season I started with the Wrong Mr. Wright Company. We opened on Friday, September 13. There were 13 people. Leaving my dressing-room for the first scene I saw a fireman with badge No. 463, which, when added makes 13. Leaving the theater, I spoke to a policeman on the corner with badge No. 49; add again. Coming to the theater this evening I boarded car 2515—add once more. There are 13 men in the cooper chorus in this company, and to cap the climax my house number is 409—another chance to add—and there are 13 steps from the pavement to the front door. So you see, if I were the least bit superstitious—whoop!'

The comedian gave a shriek that brought half the company to his dressing-room door, his finger sought his mouth and he made a rush for a water tap.

A moment later he exhibited a burn that covered half the side of the index finger, and as he reached over and picked up the implement of his trade that had gone flying in the excitement, the label disclosed the words:

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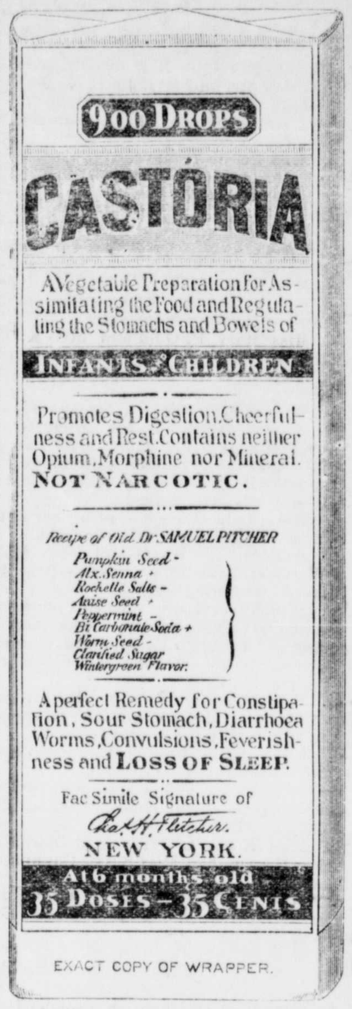

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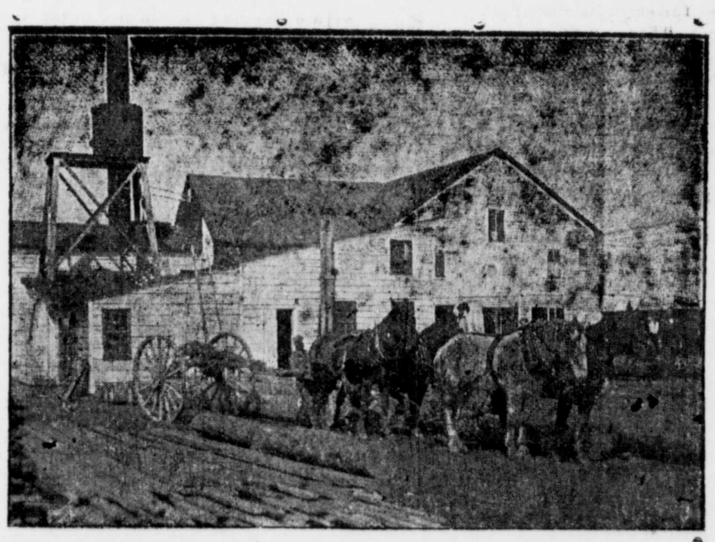

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