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IMPROVED COMPOUND FOR CLEANSING SILE.

The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same.

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Karolina Fries, of West Zanesville, county of Muskingum, and State of Ohio, have invented a new and improved Preparation for Cleansing Silk, which I denominate Cleansing Soap; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full and exact description thereof.

The nature of the invention consists in combining in equal proportions each, soft soap made of wood ashes, molasses, and whiskey; stirring and mixing the same thoroughly produces the preparation; and the above mode for producing the preparation is what I claim as my invention, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, the said preparation being invented by me for the cleansing of silk.

The directions for the use of this soap are as follows:

Place the silk on a clean board or table, put the soap in a dish, take a clothes-brush hard and stiff, dip in the soap, and scrub the silk on both sides thoroughly, until the soap lathers, and the silk appears clean, then rinse the silk twice in clear cold water; let the water drip or drain off, then iron with a hot iron on the wrong side, and the silk will be cleansed of all dirt or grease.

I claim as my invention—

The manufacture or a preparation of a compound, which is denominated "Cleansing Soap," of the ingredients and in the proportions, and for the purposes set forth.

KAROLINA FRIES.

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