

# Ruptured?—

## Throw Away Your Truss

For Many Years We Have Been Telling You That No Truss Will Ever Help You—We Have Told You the Harm That Trusses Are Doing. We Have Told You That the Only Truly Comfortable and Scientific Device for Holding Rupture is the Brooks Rupture Appliance—and That It Is

Sent on Trial to Prove It

If you have tried most everything else, come to us. Where others fail is where we have our greater success.

Send attached coupon today and we will send you free our illustrated book on Rupture and its cure, showing our Appliance and giving you prices and names of many people who have tried it and were cured. It is instant relief when all others fail. Remember, we use no salves, no harness, no lies.

We send on trial to prove, what we say is true. There is no better guide in life than the experience of others.

Below are a few letters picked, all from our 1921 files, and coming from all sections of the country. They cover the experience of men, women and children.

Some of them may prove of interest to you. We have thousands of similar letters all of them telling the gratitude and joy felt by the writers over the relief and cures brought by the Brooks Appliance.

Read them and try to imagine your own joy if you too had found all your rupture troubles over.

### DOES HEAVY

#### CONSTRUCTION WORK

Haverhill, Mass., 89 Water St.,  
July 30, 1921.

Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.

Dear Sir:—It has been nearly a year and a half since I wore my Appliance and I feel I am completely cured. Am a carpenter on heavy mill construction and have never felt any effects from the rupture since. The work alone is enough to give it a thorough test. Wherever I can say a word of praise for your Appliance I will very readily do so and if you should ever have an opportunity to use this letter for reference I would be pleased to have you.

Eugene L. Herson.

### So Reasonable in Price

Oswego, Ill., Box 53, Van Buren St.,  
July 7, 1921.

Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.

Dear Sir:—I am pleased to inform you that your Appliance absolutely cured me and I truthfully recommend it to anyone that is ruptured. I thank you for the wonderful cure that your Appliance gave me and, as it's within the reach of everybody, I should surely think they would get one. If this will help you along you can use it as you wish.

With Best Wishes,  
David T. Matthews.

### "I Believe Your Appliance Will Cure Any Rupture"

Lansing, Mich., 911, Princeton Ave.,  
August 10, 1921.

Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.

Dear Sir:—I bought an Appliance of you about a year ago and, as I haven't worn it for the past three months, I consider myself cured. I have waited to write until I could test it longer and I am so thankful I am cured. I believe that your Appliance will cure any rupture if they will put it on and wear it. I wish that everyone suffering from rupture could know of this cure.

Yours sincerely,  
Mrs. Carrie B. Morgan.

### "Cured in 10 Months"

Toston, Mont., Box 81,  
March 1, 1921.

Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.

Dear Sir:—The Appliance which I purchased from you last spring entirely cured me of my rupture after wearing it for 10 months. I can do work now and not be troubled in any way. You may use this letter as reference if it will be of any good to you.

Yours truly,  
Elmer E. Ross.



The Above is C. E. Brooks, Inventor of the Appliance. Mr. Brooks Cured Himself of Rupture Over 30 Years Ago, and Patented the Appliance from His Personal Experience. If Ruptured Write Today to the Brooks Appliance Co., Marshall, Mich.

### "Thought We Would Try Your Appliance First"

Princeton, Minn., R. No. 5,  
April 26, 1921.

Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.

Dear Sir:—Our little girl became ruptured about three years ago. The Doctor said an operation would be about the only cure for her, but we thought we'd try your Appliance first. After wearing it about one year she was cured. She hasn't worn it now for over a year and is perfectly cured. Use my name in any manner for the benefit of those who are suffering.

With best wishes, Wm. Vedders.

### Experience of a Molder

Dayton, Ohio, 329½ E. 3rd St.,  
February 14, 1921.

Brooks Appliance Co., Marshall, Mich.

Gentlemen:—About a year and a half ago I bought an Appliance of you and it has cured me of my rupture. Haven't worn it since October 23rd and feel as if I am entirely cured. I am a molder and did heavy work during that time. I am recommending your Appliance to all I know.

Yours truly,  
C. L. Robinson.

### Cannot Express Gratitude Felt

Mattoon, Wis., Box 605,  
April 10, 1921.

Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.

Dear Sir:—I cannot find words to express my gratitude—all I can say is "Thanks to your Appliance." It has done wonders for my son. It is a year and four months since he was ruptured and after wearing your Appliance four months it disappeared. You can use this in your testimonials.

Truly yours, Frank Beck.

### Ten Reasons Why

You Should Send For Brooks Rupture Appliance

1. It is absolutely the only Appliance of the kind on the market today, and in it are embodied the principles that inventors have sought after for years.
2. The Appliance for retaining the rupture cannot be thrown out of position.
3. Being an air cushion of soft rubber it clings closely to the body, yet never blisters or causes irritation.
4. Unlike the ordinary so-called pads, used in other trusses, it is not cumbersome or ungainly.
5. It is small, soft and pliable, and positively cannot be detected through the clothing.
6. The soft, pliable bands holding the Appliance do not give one the unpleasant sensation of wearing a harness.
7. There is nothing about it to get foul, and when it becomes soiled it can be washed without injuring it in the least.
8. There are no metal springs in the Appliance to torture one by cutting and bruising the flesh.
9. All of the material of which the Appliances are made is of the very best that money can buy, making it a durable and safe Appliance to wear.
10. We guarantee your comfort at all times and in all positions, and sell every Appliance with this positive understanding.

### "Tried All Kinds of Trusses"

Gordon, Nebr., R. No. 1,  
January 6, 1921.

Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.

Dear Sir:—I tried all kinds of trusses without any relief until I bought your Appliance. When I sent for the Appliance I thought it was like all other trusses, but no—it relieved me. I wore your Appliance a long time, being afraid to go without it, but am completely cured. I will be glad to answer any inquiry that is made and words tell how thankful I am.

Sincerely yours,  
Gust Nordwall.

### "Have Done All Kinds of Work"

Monson, Maine, Box 234,  
March 15, 1921.

Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.

Dear Sir:—It has been two years and over since I wore my Appliance and have done all kinds of work—and have felt fine ever since. It's the best Appliance I ever had and will encourage everyone I see that has a rupture to get one of your Appliances.

Yours, J. W. Russell.

### REMEMBER

Never on sale in stores, as every Appliance is made to order, the proper size and shape of Air Cushion depending on the nature of each case. Beware of imitations. Look for trade-mark bearing portrait and signature of C. E. Brooks which appears on every Appliance. None other genuine.

## FREE Information Coupon

BROOKS APPLIANCE CO.,  
193 G State St., Marshall, Mich.

Please send me by mail in plain wrapper your illustrated book and full information about your Appliance for the cure of rupture.

Name .....

Address .....

R. F. D. .... City ..... State .....