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GOLDEN SALVE.

—A Never Failing Remedy for Sore or Inflamed Eyes.—

This medicine is offered to the public with confidence in its efficiency as a curative of the Eye, for Acute or Chronic Inflammation whether induced by scrofulous origin or other causes, Weakness of Vision, or of the Optic Nerve, or a diseased state of the tissues constituting the eye; also for persons whose vocations require a constant action of the eyes, and particularly under bad light, this salve will act like a charm in restoring a healthy action.

We call it Golden Eye Salve, not because of its color, but from its value, being more precious than gold to those afflicted with sore or inflamed eyes.

This Salve should be applied from four to six times in twenty-four hours. Let the eye be closed, then apply with the finger, rub gently from the nose to the side of the face. Care should be taken to have the finger free from all dirt or other impurities.

This Salve only requires to be applied to the closed lids of the eye, as sufficient quantity will reach the eye, in rubbing the salve from the inner to the outer angle of the eye.

If at first, the irritation should be increased, and a flow of tears or matter should follow, it should be considered a good symptom; in such a case reduce the quantity, and let the application be less frequent.

Let the eye be thoroughly cleansed twice a day with milk and water, or weak tea made with soft water. Always keep the bowels easy with some good vegetable cathartic, such as Brigg's Life Pills.

In case of violent inflammation of the eyes, apply the salve freely on going to bed; if it should reach the eye-ball it will do no harm.

As a LIP SALVE it is unequalled, and should be kept on every lady's toilet, and in every gentleman's pocket, for immediate use for Chapped Hands, Sore Lips, Cold Sores, Pimples, Roughness of skin. Its healing and soothing powers are truly marvellous. For PILES it is worth its weight in gold.

The Trade Mark is on each box, as on the label around each box, without which none are genuine. All orders to be addressed to G. C. Briggs & Sons, 25 King Street West, Hamilton, Ontario.

ECLECTRIC vs. ELECTRIC.

*How the Jealous Proprietors of a Rival Medecine attack our
Trade Mark*

AND WERE BADLY WORSTED.

The great success of Briggs' Electric Oil, the fame of the many marvellous cures wrought by its agency, and the firm and increasing hold it had upon the affections of a grateful public, made enemies for its proprietors. As a natural consequence of the popularity of Briggs' Electric Oil, the proprietors of other alleged medicines, claiming to cure the same class of diseases for which the Electric Oil has proved itself a specific, became jealous of our success, and sought in various ways to throw discredit upon the efficacy of our medicine, and to hamper us in the prosecution of our business. One of the most notable of these attacks upon the proprietors of Briggs' Electric Oil was made by Northrop & Lyman, of Toronto, the owners of a proprietary medicine known as "Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil."

The manufacture of Briggs' Electric Oil has gone on uninterruptedly for many years, and the medicine, by reason of its intrinsic value and excellent qualities, had attained an enviable reputation throughout the country before Messrs. Northrop & Lyman bethought themselves of the plan of crushing out a (to them) dangerous rival, by threatening to bring a suit for damages for infringement of trade mark.

In order to show briefly the utter fallacy and impudent nonsensicality of this claim, it will only be necessary to state that the medicine sold by these men is called "Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil," while ours is called "Briggs' Electric Oil," the words "Dr. Thomas" and "Briggs" being displayed in large letters on the respective labels, and only the word "Oil" being common to both labels.

A few brief details of the history of the lawsuit which followed this somewhat impudent claim will, perhaps, not be found uninteresting to the reader,

is a Liniment for Horses and Cattle use Briggs' Black Oil

The first letter from the solicitors of Northrop & Lyman contained a triple demand, as follows:—

TORONTO, March 6th, 1882.

Messrs. G. C. Briggs' & Sons,
Hamilton.

DEAR SIRS,—We are instructed by Messrs. Northrop & Lyman, of this city, to take immediate proceedings against you to restrain your infringement of their trade mark of "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil." We shall expect, therefore, by return mail, to receive from you an undertaking: (1) to withdraw your imitations of their labels from the market, (2) to give an account of what you have sold already, and (3) to pay our costs. Unless we hear from you process will be issued immediately.

Feeling thoroughly secure in our position we, of course, refused to comply with so impertinent a demand, and Northrop & Lyman applied to the High Court of Justice, chancery division, for an injunction to restrain us from selling the Electric Oil, pending further litigation.

We here reproduce a few extracts from the evidence given in the High Court of Justice, at Toronto, which, the reader will readily admit do not show the plaintiffs, Northrop & Lyman, nor their Eclectric Oil to remarkable advantage,

EXTRACT FROM THE EVIDENCE OF HENRY S. NORTHROP:

Q. I see in your wrapper you state, "This Oil is composed of vegetable oils combined with electricity"—Is that so? Is this oil in any way composed of electricity?

A. It is chemically prepared, and there may be some electricity in it by this preparation; but it is not charged by any battery.

Q. How could it be electricised unless by a battery?

A. I don't know.

Q. Do you believe there is electricity combined with anything else in this oil?

A. I really can't tell you whether there is or not; I don't know whether there is or not.

Q. Have you neither belief nor knowledge on the subject as to whether there is electricity in it?

A. No.

Q. Do you think the allegation contained in that trade mark is true that it is combined with electricity?

A. It says so there.

Q. Do you believe it is true?

A. I cannot tell.

For Burns and Scalds use Hope's Magnetic Ointment.

EXTRACT FROM THE EVIDENCE OF JOHN LYMAN.

Q. Is the word "eclectic" intended in any way to convey the idea of electricity?

A. I don't know that it is; I don't think it is.

Q. Is there any placed in your oil?

A. No.

Q. Don't you think that using the word "eclectic" would convey to the public the idea that it was charged with electricity?

A. A never heard anyone say so.

Q. But don't you think it conveys that idea?

A. I don't know.

Q. Do you say you have the right to use the symbols of electricity?

A. I don't say anything about it.

Q. Why were the signs of electricity put on there?

A. I can't tell you.

Q. Were you aware at the time that you registered your trade mark that the defendants were using the words "Briggs' Electric Oil?"

A. I should think we were.

Q. I see that in your first trade mark you say that the oil is, in its manufacture, combined with electricity, is that so?

A. I couldn't say it was or it wasn't.

Q. You don't know anything about that—whether it is or not?

A. No.

A DECEPTIVE LABEL.

Now, mark this: The whole appearance of the old label used by Northrop & Lyman would indicate that it was used for an electric preparation, and it was distinctly printed on that label that the oil was "combined with electricity." These words have been dropped from the new label. But the principal feature of this label is a representation of a bottle of "Eclectic Oil" with a perfect halo of "Streaks" of zig-zag lightning issuing therefrom, as if the hand that held the bottle were that of Jove, in one of his cantankerous moods, when he was bent upon shattering the universe with his thunderbolts. The figure of the bottle and its accompanying thunderbolts appears in no less than three different places in the label; and if, both Mr. Lyman and Mr. Northrop have sworn, there is no electricity in the Eclectic Oil there is a terrible waste of lightning on the wrapper. No sensible and impartial man could look at the "Eclectic" Oil label and say that the design was not to convey the idea that the medicine contained electricity.

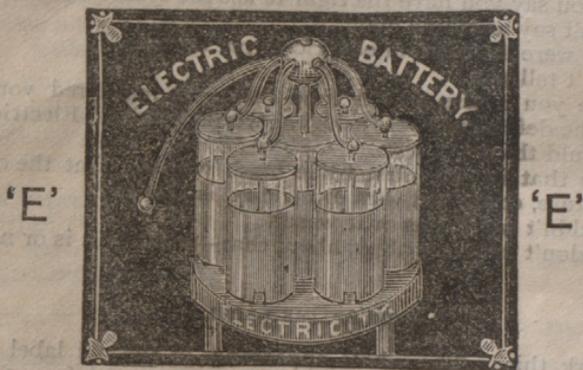
The grand display of lightning, with the non-descript word "eclectic" printed closely underneath, cannot be else than an attempt to induce people to believe that the "Eclectic" Oil is an "electric" oil. The registered label of Briggs' Electric Oil exhibits a cut of an electric bat-

For Harness and Carriage Tops use Temple's Harness Dressing Oil.

tery, so described, and which we are entitled to use by reason of the fact that the battery represented in the cut is actually used by us in the preparation of our Electric Oil, as will be seen by the following sworn evidence taken before the Hon. J. H. Pope, Minister of Agriculture:

George C. Briggs, Sworn, said: " * * * As a matter of fact Briggs' Electric Oil is charged with a battery. The exhibit "E" (the Briggs' Electric Oil label) represents correctly the battery I use—a seven cell Leyden Jar, and it is charged with that."

AFFIDAVITS



In the High Court of Chancery we produced affidavits from a number of reputable druggists and dealers in proprietary medicines, which went to show that Briggs' Electric Oil could not be sold in lieu of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, or vice versa. Among the persons making these affidavits was Mr. John Winer, of Hamilton, the oldest medicine dealer in Canada, having been in business over fifty years.

BRIGGS' ELECTRIC OIL VINDICATED.

The upshot of the whole case was that "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil" was proved by its makers and proprietors to be absolutely without electricity, and its label was proved to be a hoax intended to gull the public; while we were not interfered with in the use of the word "electric" on our labels, and our oil stands now, vindicated before the High Court of Justice of Canada, as being precisely what it is represented to be on our labels and in our pamphlets. Thus it came about that an attempt on the part of our enemies, born of jealous' "erminated in the complete vindication of Briggs' Electric Oil.

QUERY.

The question is often asked, can fluids be charged with electricity? and if so, will they retain it?

We find by experiment, that all, or nearly all, minerals, gums and vegetable substance, in their crude state are capable of receiving and retaining electricity.

We also find that any electric in its crude state is an electric when held in solution by chemical or other means. For example, Steel one of the strongest electrics, when held in solution by chemical means is capable of being strongly charged and retaining electricity, and so are all other electrics to some extent.

We also find that rock, sand and glass, containing no minerals, are not electrics. We find also that pure animal grease is not capable of being charged to any extent with electricity; but all minerals, gums and vegetable oils, we believe, are capable of being charged with and retaining electricity to a greater or less extent.

Bones, blood, muscles and sinews are not composed of rock, sand or glass, but of mineral and vegetable substance mysteriously combined, rendering them capable of being acted upon by electricity.

The system of man as with animated nature, is capable of receiving and imparting electricity. It is a part of our being without which we could not exist.

Briggs' Electric Oil contains no animal grease, rock, sand or glass, and is highly charged with electricity, hence its great success in the treatment of diseases such as rheumatism, neuralgia, and nervous diseases. It stimulates to action the weak or dormant functions of our beings. It assists nature to overcome disease. The want of proper action of the liver and kidneys is the cause of more mortality than all other causes combined. Electricity strengthens and tones the liver and kidneys, It acts directly upon the digestive and urinary organs, destroying or counteracting the effect of the overflow of deadly poisons from the vital organs above named, which is dispersed through the system by the medium of the life fluid, the blood.

LIST OF RELIABLE AND VALUABLE MEDICINES.

- Briggs' Black Oil, for horses and cattle.
- Briggs' Life Pills, a good family medicine.
- Briggs' Magic Relief, for pains of every description.
- Briggs' Electric Oil, an external and internal remedy.
- Briggs' Botanic Bitters, for indigestion and the blood.
- Sittzer's Vermifuge Candy, for worms in children.
- Wistar's Pulmonic Syrup, for lung disease.
- Sittzer's Worm Syrup.
- Hope's Magnetic Ointment, for burns, sores, etc.
- Golden Eye Salve, for sore and inflamed eyes.

For destroying Flies use a Poisonous Paper called "Shoo Fly."

To mend glass, china, leather, wood, etc., Star Cement is wonderful. Lamont's Baby Cordial, for children teething and nervous restlessness.

To destroy ticks and vermin on sheep, horses and cattle, use Leicestershire Tick and Vermin Destroyer.

The above-named articles are manufactured solely by the proprietors. The names and titles thereof are adopted as Trade marks to secure the public and proprietors against imposition by the introduction of spurious articles. All unauthorized use of these trade marks will be promptly prosecuted. G. C. Briggs & Sons.

"FIGURES will not lie," is an old and used to be a well credited saying; but the introduction of hoops, crinoline hips, bustles, patent calves, false hair, eyes, teeth and cotton breast-works has played the dickens with the proverb.

FOR THE HAIR.—One oz. lack sulphur, 1 oz. sugar lead, 6 oz. rose water, 1 pt. bay rum, 2 pts. rain water, will restore hair to its original color.

The morning sun shines brightly for that man cured of that relentless tyrant—dyspepsia. Briggs' Botanic Bitters were never known to fail when faithfully used.

A MAN of genteel appearance, whose name we did not learn, while taking a lunch at the Taunton House, with a most vigorous lunge stuck a large three-pronged dining fork into his mouth. He was not materially injured, there being a piece of cold roast lamb at the end of the weapon.

RHEUMATIC LINIMENT.—Two oz. soft water, dissolve in it one oz. castile soap, add to it 2 oz. alcohol, 1 oz. tinct. camphor, 1 oz. tinct. capsicum, 2 oz. tinct. opium, 1 oz. chloroform, 1 oz. spts. turpentine.

RECEIPTS.

TO SAVE BUTTER.—Make it so salt that no one can eat it.

FINE BLACKING FOR SHOES.—Take four ounces of ivory black, three ounces of the coarsest sugar, a tablespoonful of sweet oil, and a pint of small beer; mix them gradually cold.

BRIGGS' BLACK OIL.—There is no medicine that has better stood the test of a long and severe experience than Briggs' Black Oil. It is manufactured in Hamilton, Ont., and has gradually worked its way into public favor and general use, where its merits are known, because it does really possess the good qualities that are claimed for it. For all cases in which a liniment is required, it is unsurpassed and unequalled.

THEY "CAN'T KEEP HOUSE WITHOUT IT."—A farmer said the other day, "I don't think much of quack medicines, but there is a medicine we won't keep house without—and that is Briggs' Black Oil. It not only cures all the horses and out door 'critters,' but it cures all the in-

door 'varmint' too. If any get hurt in any way, or have any pain coming on them, they run for the Black Oil, which makes them forget their trouble."

Of this celebrated medicine one gentleman affirms that he cured a valuable horse of the Windgall that had become callous.

ANOTHER says he cured a fine horse of Sweeney which nothing else would effect. Another has cured himself, by the use of the oil, of a Rheumatism, and in his family has used it for all complaints requiring an external remedy.

VALUABLE MAXIMS.—Keep good company or none. Never be idle. If your hands cannot be usefully employed, attend to the cultivation of your mind. Always speak the truth. Make few promises. Live up to your engagements. Keep your own secrets if you have any. When you speak to a person, look him in the face. Good company and good conversation are the very sinews of virtue. Good character is above all things else. Your character cannot be essentially injured except by your own acts. If anyone speaks evil of you, let your life be so that no one will believe him. Drink no kind of intoxicating liquors. Ever live, misfortune excepted, within your income. When you retire to bed think over what you have been doing during the day. Make no haste to be rich, if you would prosper. Small and steady gains give competency with tranquility of mind. Never play at any game of chance. Avoid temptation, through fear you may not withstand it. Earn money before you spend it. Never run in debt unless you see a way to get out again. Never borrow if you can possibly avoid it. Do not marry until you are able to support a wife. Never speak evil of anyone. Be just before you are generous. Keep yourself innocent if you would be happy. Save when you are young to spend when you are old. Read over the above maxims at least once a week.

INDISPENSABLE.—There are some simple remedies indispensable in every family. Among these the experience of years assures us should be recorded Briggs' Electric Oil. For both internal and external application we have found it of great value, especially can we recommend it for colds, rheumatism or nervous complaints.

CURE FOR CANCERS.

A cancer in its early stages may be cured by the following treatment: Take one oz. of the juice of sheep or hillside sorell (ascetic acid will do) place it in a glass vial, add to it as much pewter or britania metal as it will dissolve (let the metal be shaved fine) keeping it well corked and in a temperature about 100 or blood heat, for three days; then take equal parts of the liquid and lard rubbed very fine together, and apply to the cancer twice a day for four days, or until it turns a black color, then remove the cancer with all the extremities

For Toothache use Dr. Hope's Anodyne Toothache Drops.

For Destroying Ticks on Sheep use Leicestershire Tick Destroyer.

with a sharp instrument. Heal the cavity with Hope's Magnetic Ointment. Fifty dollars has been paid for the above receipt.

NOTICE,

Each bottle of Briggs' Electric Oil will hereafter be accompanied by a corkscrew, as it is important that the cork should be preserved and the bottle well corked when not in use to retain the strength of the goods. It cures rheumatism, neuralgia, liver and kidney complaints or of the urinary organs; cures complaints arising from colds, such as sore throat, bronchitis, diphtheria, croup and difficult breathing.

Father, mother, sister, brother,
Husband, wife, or any other,
Lend an ear to what I say,
Listen now and don't delay.

Have you got a boil or tumor,
Oft to put you out of humor?
I will now record to you
Just the thing you ought to do.

Or if you have a mean attack
Of pimples on your face or back,
Boils or blains you can't endure,
Here I give the quickest cure!

BRIGGS' Botanic Bitters,
For the blood, cured our Rebecca,

Of the worst old pimple face
I ever saw on human face.

Spotted up from head to toes,
And like enough some on her
clothes
And all the worse from impure
blood,
But BRIGGS' Bitters did her good

It cures as well as any could,
All things that rise from faulty
blood,
So say no more, but go and buy it
And cured you are e'en when you
try.

THE WORD "ELECTRICITY."

How the jealous makers of an "Electric" Oil endeavoured to suppress Briggs' Electric Oil. The latter triumphant in the contest.

Electricity is recognized as a powerful agent in modern medicine, and the great success which has attended the use of Briggs Electric Oil has naturally created for it jealous enemies among the makers of medicines alleged to be cures for diseases of a similar nature to those which have been so successfully combated by Briggs' Electric Oil. The most prominent and active among these enemies has been Messrs. Northrop & Lyman, of Toronto, manufacturers of a medicine called "Dr. Thomas Electric Oil." These jealous persons sought to prevent us from using the word "electric" on our label, claiming it was an infringe-

ment upon their trade mark, being similar to the word "eclectric." It will be observed that the word "electric" means something, and is used in connection with our oil because the oil is charged with electricity by a powerful battery, as set forth in the sworn evidence of the maker before the court. Both Messrs Northrop and Lyman, on oath, deposed that no electricity whatever was put into "Dr. Thomas Eclectic Oil," and this in the face of the fact that on their labels appears the cut of a bottle from which a large number of formidable thunderbolts are radiating. The statement is also made that the oil is "combined with electricity." The expose of this fraud upon the people was the grand result of the litigation, so far as the manufactures of "Dr. Thomas Eclectic Oil" were concerned. It amounted to the actual acknowledgement under oath, by the makers of the oil, that they had been palming off on the public a medicine said to contain electricity which did not contain anything of the sort. After being a long time before the court, the proprietors of Briggs' Electric Oil, having stated under oath that their oil was charged with electricity, were confirmed in the use of the label bearing the word "electric," and showing the device of the seven cell battery with which the oil is charged in the course of its manufacture; and to-day Briggs' Electric Oil stands before the people, its claim to be what it is having been vindicated by the Canadian High Court of Chancery.

STAR CEMENT.

Received only Medal awarded to Cement.

Mends Glass, China, Stone, Earthenware, Ivory, Wood and Leather work, Pipes, Sticks, Straps, Precious Stones, Plates, Mugs, Jars, Lamp Glasses, Chimney Ornaments, Picture Frames, Jewelry, Trinkets, Toys, etc. Repairs all articles Imperceptibly and Permanently. "CLEAR AS CRYSTAL," "STRONGER THAN GLASS," TOUGH AS LEATHER."

BRIGGS' ELECTRIC OIL.



Each bottle will hereafter be accompanied by a corkscrew. It cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney Complaints, or of the Urinary Organs; cures complaints arising from Colds, such as Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Diphtheria, Cough, Asthma, and Difficult Breathing.

ELECTRIC OIL NOT ECLECTRIC OIL.

The two words have a very different meaning. The Eclectric Oil has no claim on electric properties only by the picture on the wrapper

For Bowel Complaint and Cramps use Magic Relief.

For Biliousness and Headache use Briggs' Life Pills.

which looks like begging the question. The popularity of Briggs' Electric Oil is such as to induce unprincipled persons to appropriate all the law will allow them to do. The proprietors of Briggs' Electric Oil have no claim to the words Eclectic or Thomas; but to the words Briggs' Electric they do lay claim by right.

Have you tried it? If so, you can testify to its marvellous powers of healing, and recommend it to your friends. We refer to Briggs' Magic Relief, the grand specific for all summer complaints, diarrhoea, cholera morbus, dysentery, cramps, colic, sickness of the stomach, and bowel complaint.

SUBSTITUTE FOR FRESH AIR AND EXERCISE.

Persons of sedentary habits, or who are employed in factories, etc., require something to assist nature, as confinement and want of exercise is sure, sooner or later, to impair the digestive powers. Then it is that nature requires a stimulant such as Briggs' Botanic or Stomach Bitters. It creates an appetite, strengthens the digestive organs, overcomes biliousness and tones the whole system.

It is brought within the reach of all, as it sells at 25 cents a package, and makes one-half a gallon of a splendid mixture, equal to what is sold in bottles at one dollar for three-fourths of a pint.

Directions accompanying each package.

Simple as steeping tea or coffee.

MORE PRECIOUS THAN GOLD.

BRIGGS' GENUINE ELECTRIC OIL.

In this nineteenth century, the age of enlightenment and sciences, electricity stands among the foremost as applied to mechanical uses, the transmission of messages and the production of light. It is no less valuable as a medicinal appliance, of which the sale of Briggs' Electric Oil gives the most striking proof. The Electric Oil is composed of six of the essential oils, and charged with the strongest electrical current. It will cure sore throat by bathing and gargling in twelve hours; inflammatory rheumatism in twelve hours; also inflammation of the lungs and bowels, lameness, asthma, bronchitis, and all nervous diseases yield to its influence.

It is less pain to learn in youth than to be ignorant in age.

Some malicious persons assert the letters M. D., which are placed after physicians' names, signify Money Down.

The poets have always sung of the charms of country life; but who ever heard of canning mosquitoes for city use.

If suspenders would only keep up a mans reputation as well as they do his trousers, politicians would wear about ten pairs apiece.

The man with the cheap watch is careless with the flight of time; but the gentlemen with the gold chronometer keeps a record of every quarter hour.

HOPE'S MAGNETIC OINTMENT.

Hope's Magnetic Ointment combines in such an eminent degree all the healing, curative, soothing and extracting qualities known to medical science that physicians, families and others are gratified and astonished at the results.

BURNS.—It almost immediately extracts the pain and heals the wound without a scar. This is a great consideration to those who value the beauty and future happiness of their children.

CROUP.—It is sure to relieve the patient if well applied. When applied to any swelling, sore, burn, chilblain, poison, frosted part, skin eruption, etc., its effects are magical. Hope's Magnetic Ointment is truly a family medicine which cannot well be dispensed with. The estimation in which this article is held in some sections of the country is such that parents would not retire without some of it in the house.

WIT AND HUMOR.

QUERY.—What is the best line to lead a man with? Crinoline.

"ANNEXATION and war—that's true, every word of it," said a pert old maid, "no sooner do you get married than you directly begin to fight.

A YOUNG lady says the reason she carries a parasol is that the sun is of the masculine gender, and she cannot withstand his ardent glances.

TO CURE SICK HEADACHE.—Use fifteen drops Briggs' Magic Relief in a wine glass full of water, and bathe the temples with it.

"GOODNESS me!" cried a nice old lady the other day, "if the world does come to an end the next year, what shall I do for snuff."

MANY public men consider themselves the pillars of the state, who are more properly the caterpillars of the state, reaching their high position only by crawling.

A RUN FOR LIFE.—Sixteen miles were covered in two hours and ten minutes by a lad sent for a bottle of Briggs' Magic Relief. Good time but poor policy to be so far from a drug store without it.

No one can be made a scholar; almost all can make themselves scholars,

Use Lamont's Baby Cordial for Children Teething or Colic.

"BOB, how is your sweetheart getting along? "Pretty well, she says I needn't call any more."

FROM using glasses on the nose you can see an object single, from using them under the nose you can see it double.

"Do you retail things here?" asked a green looking specimen of humanity, as he poked his head into a drug store. "Yes sir," replied the clerk, thinking he had got a customer. "Then I wish you would re-tail my dog—he had it bitten off about a month ago." And greeny strolled down the street with one eye closed.

IMPORTANT.—Dr. Wistar's Pulmonic Syrup of Wild Cherry and Horehound is highly recommended for Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough, Croup, and all diseases of the lungs leading to Consumption. Sold by all dealers in medicines. Price twenty-five cents.

A KIND hearted wife once waited on a physician to request him to prescribe for her husband's eyes, which were sore. "Let him wash them," said the doctor, "every morning with brandy." A few weeks after, the doctor chanced to meet the wife. "Well," said he, "has your husband followed my advice?" "He has done everything in his power doctor, but he never could get the brandy up higher than his mouth."

STAR CEMENT.

CLEAR AS CRYSTAL. STRONGER THAN GLASS. TOUGH AS LEATHER.

Its application is easy, simple and cleanly, colorless in appearance sets at once and is hard forever. It resists heat and cold, fire and water, acids and spirits, and a hitherto weak points in all cements—the atmosphere. It is not to be inferred that a joint made with any cement will stand boiling in water; yet this may be washed and cleaned in the ordinary way with perfect safety. Unequaled for Adhesiveness, Tenacity and Durability; uniting imperceptibly and permanently, Fossils, Shells, Minerals, Wood, Bone, Ivory, Leather, Papier Mache, Meershaum, and Amber, Statuary, Sculpture, Plaster Models, Jewelry, etc. Effectually repairing Plates, Mugs, Jars, Lamp Glasses, Chimney Ornaments, Table Services, Cabinet Ware, Veneer Work, Picture Frames, etc., whilst to the Antiquary Curator or Student in Natural History, it is a perfect boon for Mounting Animals, Butterflies, Moths, Ferns, Mosses, Plants, Microscopic Objects, and preserving Nature's Gems, and Valued Relics. Sold by all Druggists.

Drive thy business or thy business will drive thee.

BRIGGS' ELECTRIC OIL.

A newly discovered combination of essential oils for pains of every description, and for many diseases,

It is superior in efficacy and speediness of cure to all the powerful narcotics of the *Materia Medica*, and entirely devoid of their baneful effects on the human system.

It will cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lame Back, Liver and Kidney complaints, and all complaints of the Urinary Organs, Blind and Bleeding Piles, Scald Head, Scrofula, Salt Rheum and Cutaneous Diseases generally, Inflammation or Bleeding at the Lungs, Cramps, Asthma, Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Cramps in the Stomach, Painter's Colic, Bowel Complaint, Cholera Morbus, Frost Bites, Bites of Poisonous Insects, Chilblains, Stiffness of Joints, Bruises, Sprains, Difficult Breathing, Bronchitis. For Female Complaints or Obstruction caused by colds it is a sure remedy. For Inflammation on either man or beast it has no equal.

For Colic or Cramp in the Stomach, take from twelve drops to one half teaspoonful; for Bowel Complaint take small and frequent doses, say ten to fifteen drops; for Bronchitis, Sore Throat or Difficult Breathing, use the oil as a gargle with water frequently; for Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia, and all Nervous Complaints, bathe freely and take small and frequent doses; for Lame Back or Liver and Kidney complaints, take small and frequent doses, say ten drops, and bathe the side and back frequently; for Cold and Cough take ten drops with sugar, four to six times a day and on going to bed; for Bites and Stings of Insects, Bruises, Sprains, Frost Bites, Chilblains, etc., rub well in; for Cuts and Raw Sores apply with a feather—children may be treated the same way, only proportionately smaller doses.

Testimonials might be furnished to any extent, but the proprietors are of the opinion that testimonials are too cheap in these later days to deal in. Trusting in the real merit of the medicine, we leave it in your hands.

Call for Briggs' Electric Oil, prepared by G. C. Briggs & Sons, No. 25 King street West, Hamilton, Ont., for the Dominion of Canada; 181 Main street, Buffalo, N.Y., for the United States. Proprietors of celebrated Black Oil, Life Pills, Magic Relief, Botanic Bitters, Wistar's Syrup, Hope's Ointment, Sittzer's Worm Candy, Shoo Fly Poison, Electric Oil, Worm Syrup, etc.

MIASM, OR MALARIA.

MIASM, or Malarial influence, will in certain conditions of the atmosphere, envelop whole sections of country, cities and towns, and every individual whose physical system is in a condition to receive it, will be more or less affected.

For Indigestion, Costiveness, &c. use Briggs' Botanic Bitters.

A *large proportion* of the sufferings of mankind is the direct result of Malaria, indeed a much larger proportion than people suppose, or physicians realize.

Miasm will produce Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Torturing Headaches, Jaundice, &c.

Miasm is the cause of Chills and Fever, Fever and Ague, Intermittent Fever, Remittent Fever, Bilious Fever, Typhoid Fever, and Yellow Fever, and many other troubles difficult to find a name for.

Now, *what is* Miasm, or Malaria?

IT IS A POISON,

taken into the system with the air we breathe. It arises from putrefaction of vegetable matter, and in the malignant diseases, it is from the decomposition of both animal and vegetable matter combined, the latter producing the Typhus and Yellow Fevers.

BRIGGS' LIFE PILLS—for Malarious diseases—is a specific for all Miasm, or Malarial taint in the human system. They will cure any and all of the distressing complaints arising from this *insidious poison* in most cases the effect is certain and speedy.

The profession may cry out against this medicine; that we cannot help it; it is to be expected.

I would say however it would be wise in *every physician* to get a few boxes, and try it in some stubborn case, and they will find, as already many physicians have found them, *an important auxiliary in practice.*

QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

We are frequently asked will the sickness return after the discontinuance of Life Pills? We answer:

Yes, it may; but only as you can be poisoned the second or third time by the bite of a snake, and EACH AND EVERY TIME require the antidote for it.

We are asked again:

Is there no way of detecting the presence of this *malarial poison* in the system before it breaks out in disease?

Yes. There are warning symptoms, such as languor, lassitude, loss of appetite sallow complexion, unpleasant taste in the mouth in the morning, many times headache, backache, inactive liver, and many

others—all unmistakable signs; then, if you are provided as you should be, with the "Life Pills," you can remove them all and prevent (what you are threatened with) a serious course of sickness.

"But," people say, "*constitutions differ*. Medicines will cure one, and have no effect on another!"

This is so in some diseases, and particularly with *other* remedies; but Malaria in the human system differs only in degree and development. It is always a poison.

Our pills are so truly an infallible antidote for Malaria, that the *only difference* in effect is that some persons require more pills and longer treatment than others; *the result is sure*.

"Do you claim to have a 'cure-all?'"

NO! But we do claim to remove ALL troubles arising from *Malarial poison* promptly and well. The effects of this poison are many times mysterious and deceptive. Don't be deceived, then, either to delay in procuring the remedy or in obtaining the *right article*.

"But," you say, "I HAVE NO CHILLS; I don't want any pills!"

We answer

The effects of Malaria do not always develop in chills. *Chills are the exception*, not the rule. A large majority of its developments are in *other directions*

If you are conscience of being green, and don't want folks to see it, try to be an invisible green.

DYEING RECEIPTS.

DRABS are given by fustic and iron liquor.

ORANGE.—Mix red and yellow dyes to suit.

GREEN.—Add to the yellow dye sufficient chemic blue to render it green.

BLUE.—Boil one ounce of fustic, one drachm of Alum, in four pints of water.

PURPLE.—Archil one ounce (or cudbear ounce,) pearlash one drachm hot water one quart.

BROWNS are given by catechu, by walnut peels with alum, by red wood and copperas, by madder and black dye.

For Sore and Inflamed Eyes use Golden Eye Salve.

BLACK.—Boil one ounce of logwood, one ounce sumach, and one drachm of copperas in four pints of water.

NANKEEN DYE is made by boiling annatto, with an equal weight of pearlash, in sufficient water.

ROSE RED FOR SILK.—Put your silk into a hot solution of alum and tartar, then into a hot decoction of madder.

VIOLET.—Boil four ounces of logwood with one ounce of alum, and one-fourth ounce of tartar, in a quart of water.

CRIMSON.—Boil one ounce Brazil Wood with one drachm of alum, and one-half drachm cream of tartar, in a quart of water.

YELLOW.—Boil two ounces of tumeric or four ounces of quercitron, or a drachm of saffron, with one-half ounce of alum, in a quart of water.

BLUE.—Indigo two parts, common soda five parts, lime two parts, clarified honey one part, as much water as may be sufficient. Keep warm in an earthen jar until the indigo is dissolved.

By the mixture of these dyes every variety of shade is produced, and often several tints from one coloring matter by using different mordants.

WIT AND HUMOR.

WHAT vegetable's name is often given a wise man? Sage.

A DENTIST at work at his vocation always looks down in the mouth.

THE softer the head the harder the work to drive anything into it.

THE right man in the right place is a husband at home in the evening.

THE gentleman who kissed a lady's "snowy brow" caught a severe cold and has been laid up ever since.

HE that knows useful things, and not he that knows many things, is the wise man.

WHY are twice eleven like twice ten? Because twice eleven are twenty-two, and twice ten are twenty, too.

"No pains will be spared," as the quack said when sawing off a poor fellow's leg to cure him of the rheumatism.

WHY is a young lady just from boarding school like a building committee? Because she is ready to receive proposals.

WHY is a clock the most modest piece of furniture? Because it covers its face with its hands, and runs down its own works.

"LITTLE boys should be seen and not heard," as young precocity coolly remarked to his teacher when he could not say his lessons.

FOR THE HAIR.—One oz. lack sulphur, 1 oz. sugar lead, 6 oz. rose-water, 1 pt. bay rum, 2 pts. rain water, will restore hair to its original color.

INDIGESTION.—Take a half wine glass of Briggs' Stomach Bitters every day one hour before dinner, which will insure a good appetite and digestion.

BLESSED is the man who, from his own farm, can, by ordinary industry, procure all the comforts and necessaries of life, and sleep contented.

"STOP that abominable noise," said a commanding officer to a trumpeter in the midst of a battle. "We can stand fire but we can't stand that air."

A **HIBERNIAN**, when knocked down, exclaimed, "Do you hit a man while down?" "Oh, no," said his antagonist. "Then, faith, I'll lay here."

A **FARMER** being asked if his horses were matched, said, "Yes, they are matched first-rate; one of them is willing to do all the work, and the other is willing he should."

FOR Tic Douloureux, Neuralgia and Lumbago, bathe freely the parts affected with Magic Relief; also take one-half teaspoonful once an hour and bathe freely until fully relieved.

"Jenny," said a Scotch minister, stooping from his pulpit, "Have you got a pin about ye?" "Yes, minister." "Then stick it into that sleeping brute by your side."

"Mary, is your master at home?" "No, sir—he's out." "I don't believe it." "Well, then, he must come down and tell you himself; perhaps you will believe him."

A **WAG** has truthfully said that if some men could come out of their graves and read the inscriptions on their tomb-stones they would think they had got into the wrong grave.

A **LITTLE** girl hearing it said that she was born on the Queen's birthday, took no notice of it at the time, but a day or two afterwards asked her father if she and the Queen were twins.

SOME genius in America has conceived the brilliant idea of impressing all lawyers and doctors into the military service, because their charges are so great that no one can stand them.

FLAT IRONS.—If your flat irons are rough and smoky, lay a little fine salt on a flat surface and rub them well. It will prevent them sticking to anything starched and make them smooth.

TO REMOVE SALT FROM PORK.—Take a piece of pork from the brine

For Biliousness use Briggs' Life Pills.

and place it in sour milk a few hours, then put it in cold water a short time, and you will return it in a short time to its former freshness.

PUZZLE.—How is it that Briggs' Electric Oil should reach and successfully treat so many complaints? All nervous diseases yield to its influence in a few minutes when applied externally, and as an internal remedy all are both astonished and pleased.

A PLEASANT TASK.—At a recent meeting of a parish a straight-laced and most exemplary curate presented a report, in writing, of the destitute widows and others in the parish. "Are you sure reverend sir," asked another solemn brother, "that you have embraced all the widows?"

FOR literary men, students, delicate females, and all persons of sedentary habits, Briggs' Life Pills are valuable as laxatives, improving the appetite, giving tone and vigor to the digestive organs, and restoring the natural elasticity and strength to the whole system.

WHAT BRIGGS' LIFE PILLS ARE GOOD FOR.—Loss of appetite, indigestion, snflatulency, costiveness, acidity of the stomach, liver complaint and weakness of the digestive organs, disease of the kidneys, bladder, etc.

A CURE FOR DIPHTHERIA.

A cure for any ordinary case of Diphtheria is to inhale the vapor from Briggs' Electric Oil, so as to dissolve the fibrous exudations that choke up the throat and lead to such fatal results in the dread disease,

Pour one-half teaspoonful of Electric Oil on a plate or flat surface, set fire to it; a dense, resinous smoke arises from it. Then place a funnel over the flame and allow the patient to inhale the smoke through the mouth and nose as strong as the patient can bear, and immediate relief will be visible. The choking and rattle stops, the patient is inclined to slumber, and seems to inhale the smoke with pleasure, the fibrous membrane soon becomes detached and the patient coughs up micropicidies. These, when caught in a glass may be seen by the aid of a magnifying glass.

This treatment has been adopted with astonishing success, and is based on the theory that diphtheria is due to the rapid multiplication of living fungi, which are killed by the fumes of this oil. All successful treatment of diphtheria is by the use of medicines which destroy low forms of insect life.

The above treatment is simple, perfectly safe and well worth trying, and within reach of all. Briggs' Electric Oil may be used with great success as a gargle, using one part of the oil to four parts water.

To Expel Worms use Sittzer's Worm Syrup.

ing the throat and chest with the oil in its full strength is also useful. For croup this oil may be used in the same manner; the effect is wonderful.

For all diseases of the throat, asthma or difficult breathing and catarrh in the head, it is worth its WEIGHT IN GOLD.

For rheumatism, nervous diseases; sprains and bruises, and in fact as a Family Medicine it has no equal.

CHOLERA.

If that dread disease should find its way to this country it is well the people should know how to treat it in the absence of a Physician. The medicine called BRIGGS' MAGIC RELIEF is one of the most prompt and effectual remedies.

We call it MAGIC RELIEF, but it is no stretch of imagination as it acts instantaneously, or the effect is visible as soon as it is taken or applied.

For Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Cramps of the Stomach or Bowels, and all diseases of the mucous surface of the Stomach or Bowels it is fully reliable.

In cases of Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Billiousness, Colic and Summer Complaints, let the dose be regulated according to severity of the case. For violent purging and vomiting, as in case of Cholera, let the doses be frequent, say one-half teaspoonful with water sweetened with loaf sugar, every half-hour, and rub with friction both the Stomach and Bowels as well as the bottom of the feet and palms of the hands with the Relief in its full strength. In ordinary cases of Bowel Complaint one-half teaspoonful with water, sweetened, once in two hours. Bathing is recommended. Children may be treated in a similar manner, doses being regulated according to the age and strength of the patient.

The mixture is very strong and requires but small doses. It is perfectly harmless but very warm.

Its action is to stimulate and assist nature to overcome disease and at the same time to correct the mucous flow.

In cases of extreme exposure to heat, cold, fatigue or exhaustion, one-half a teaspoonful of the relief in water is one of the best of stimulants as it stimulates but does not intoxicate.

Rest and quiet are recommended in all cases where the bowels are affected. Care should also be taken in reference to the diet; light food that is easily digested should be adopted. Cold water such as ice water should be avoided, as heat is life and cold is death.

Use Golden Eye Salve for Sore Eyes.

GREAT PULMONARY REMEDY.

Dr. Wistar's Pulmonic Syrup of Wild Cherry and Horehound.

Consumption, the hydra-headed monster, that annually in this changeable climate, sweeps away more of our inhabitants than any other single disease, has its origin most frequently in very slight causes. A simple cold, or slight tickling cough, are the first symptoms of a complaint that lays hundreds of our blooming young men and women in an untimely grave. How important then to procure a remedy for these early stages of the disease, and thus check it in its growth, and prevent it from increasing to that stage when no earthly remedy shall avail.

It is prepared with great care from the active principle of the bark of the Wild Cherry, extracted by a peculiarly delicate chemical process, and combined with the virtues of the well known herb, horehound, and other valuable medicinal plants, and every part and property has been carefully adjusted by experiment, to obtain the best effect that can be produced on the lungs and air passages. In all cases of deeply seated consumption, the aid of a physician is of course necessary, but for the relief and cure of Colds, Coughs, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, etc., Wistar's Pulmonary Syrup will be found most efficacious. It is prepared only by Dr. Wistar, New York. Price 25 cents per bottle; Sold by Druggists and country Merchants generally throughout the United States and Canada.

All orders must be addressed to G. C. BRIGGS & SONS, Hamilton, Ont., Sole agents for the British Provinces.

BRIGGS' GENUINE ELECTRIC OIL.

Electricity feeds the brain and muscle; in a word it is Nature's Food.

The Electric Oil possesses all the qualities that it is possible to combine in a medicine, thereby giving it a wide range of application as an internal and external remedy for man and beast. The happiest results follow its use, and in nervous disease, such as Rheumatism, Neuralgia, and kindred diseases it has no equal.

FOR THROAT AND LUNG DISEASES, BOWEL COMPLAINT, ETC.

It is truly a marvel. The Oil, besides exciting appetite, promoting digestion and checking fermentation, on the stomach, antidotes or counteracts the effect of uric acid, which produces rheumatism by destroying the oxalate and phosphate of lime in the bones, and the membranes enclosing the joints. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists. G. C. Briggs & Sons, Hamilton, and C. M. Briggs & Bro., Buffalo, N. Y., Proprietors.

Use Hope's Tooth Drops for Toothache.

CONNUNDRUMS.

For Sore and Inflamed Eyes use Golden Eye Salve.

What will give a cold, cure a cold and pay doctors? A. A draft

Why is a little baby nigger likes a thimble full of vinegar? A. Because it is a little bit of (a nigger.)

Why is a four quart measure like a side-saddle? A. Because it holds a gall on.

Why is a man up-stairs whipping his wife like a gentleman? A. Because he is above doing a mean act.

What did Adam first plant in the Garden of Eden? A. His foot.

Why is a dog's tail like the heart of a tree? A. Because its farthest from the bark.

What's the difference between Noah's Ark and a canal boat? A. One's made of gopher wood and the other is made to go for wood.

Why is a donkey with a sore neck like next Monday? A. Because its neck's weak.

Why is a church like the sea? A. Because it has isles and people spews there.

Why is a lady like a door-knob? A. Because she is something to a door (adore)

What is the difference between a lady and a mouse? A. Because a lady charms the heses and a mouse harms the cheeses.

If a man was milking a cow, and the cow could speak, what biblical term would she use? (Milk easy Dick.) Melkesedech.

Why don't they have mills on the Mississippi? A. Dam it, they can't.

Why doesn't the Devil skate? Where in hell could he get ice?

Where is money first mentioned in the bible? A. When the dove brought the green back to Noah.

Why is an inclined plane like a lazy dog? A. Because it's a slow pup (slope up.)

When is a bed not a bed? A. When its a little buggy.

A jackass was seen on a barren island, surrounded by deep water and on the main land there was plenty of feed. Question—How could he get it without getting wet? Give it up? Yes. So did that other donkey.

CAMPHOR CREAM.—Lip salve and for roughness of the skin. One and one-half oz, spermacetta, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. white wax; scrape thin into an

For Worms use Sittzer's Worm Candy.

earthen pot, add $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. pow'd camphor, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. glycerine, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. sweet oil, 2 drops Otto of rose; heat and stir until melted, and stir until cold.

HAIR DYE.—No. 1.—Gallic acid, 20 grains; alcohol, 5 qrs.; rain water, 12 qrs.; shake well, then ready for use. No. 2.—Nit. Silver, 1 dr.; rain water, 11 drs.; and add ammonia by degrees until clear, then add pow'd gum arabic 1 dr.; shake well, then ready for use. Let the hair be free from all grease. Apply No. 1, after dry apply No. 2, after dry oil and dress.

"DOGULAS, dear," said a wife, appealing to her husband in a small feminine dispute, "do you think that I am generally bad tempered?" "No, my dear," says he, "I think you are particularly so."

What makes me laugh when others
sigh?
No tears can e'er bedew mine eye
It is because I always buy—

BRIGGS' LIFE PILLS.

What is it makes me hale and
stout,
All my friends can't make it out,
I really could not live without—

BRIGGS' LIFE PILLS,

So if you're sad, or grieved, or ill,
Pray do not pay a doctor's bill,
But take a dose of—

BRIGGS' LIFE PILLS,

INTERESTING ITEMS.

KEEP WARM.—Whatever you do, keep warm. Heat is life and cold is death. Briggs' Magic Relief is just the thing when you are over fatigued or exposed to wet and cold. A small dose of it is better than any kind of spirituous liquors; it stimulates but does not intoxicate.

UNCLE: I dare say when I take you home again, Charlie, your mamma will have a nice present for you. What would you like best my boy—a little brother or a little sister?" Charlie (after some consideration): "Well, if it makes no difference to ma, I'd rather have a little pony." ●

SITZTER'S VERMIFUGE CANDY has been used now for many years by numbers of persons in this vicinity with the most satisfactory results, and the proprietor of this most valuable worm remedy believes he will be conferring a benefit upon the community by giving a more extended publicity to it. Numbers of certificates can be produced.

For Sore Throat use Electric Oil,

TRUTH STRANGER THAN FICTION.

SMITH.

Halloa, there Jones I tell you what
That's quite a fancy horse,
How nicely it would mate the bay
I got last week from Morse.
Where did you make the raise?
but then

I guess it cost you high
Come, tell us Jones, let's hear the
truth,
No man would tell a lie.

JONES.

Well Smith, to tell the honest fact,
About this horse I've got,
It's just the very same old nag
That pastured in your lot;
I had him all last summer, and
He wasn't worth a fig,
I couldn't work him in a plough,
Or hitch him to a gig.

SMITH.

Is that so Jones, it cannot be,
Or if it is, explain,
If you go telling that around,
You'll soon be called insane;
That horse you had was halt and
lame,
Diseased in every kind.
Ring-boned and spavined. and
indeed,
For all I know 'twas blind.

An elderly lady walked into an office of a Judge of probate, in Massachusetts, once upon a time, and asked,—

"Are you the Judge of reprobates?"

"I am the Judge of Probate."

"Well, that's it, I expect," quoth the old lady. "You see my father died detested, he left several little infidels, and I want to be their executioner."

JONES.

You're right I know, 'tis very true
And I'm quite sane in mind,
The horse was lame, but now he
trots,

He sees tho' once was blind;
And, let me tell you, Mr. Smith,
How this great thing was done,
It's easy too, in fact you'll say
It's just 'like so much fun!

SMITH.

Well, go on Jones. I want to hear
And so ought every one,
I've got a horse that's pretty bad,
Last night I'd thought he'd gone;
I'd give a good large sum if I
Could bring mine 'round like that
Yours moves so well and healthy
too,
You now can keep him fat.

JONES.

Well, Smith, go to the nearest
town,
No matter how much toil,
And at the druggists shops you ask
For some of Briggs' Black Oil;
That's just what fetched around
my horse
And any man's the same,
I don't care if he's cut or bruised,
Sprained or galled or lame.

As a Liniment for Horses and Cattle use Briggs' Black Oil.

For Summer Complaints use Magic Relief

ORIENTAL PEARL DROP, for the skin. Take 2 oz. bay rum, 2 oz. white flake, vinegar rouge enough to make it pink, 1 oz. glycerine, 1 oz. lily white, 1 oz. oil bergamot, 1 qt. rain water; mix the bay rum and flake white, then add the other ingredients. This preparation will remove moth, tan, pimples and freckles.

WONDERFUL.—An old lady in the west of England for twenty successive years had darned stockings with the same needle; in fact, so used was the needle to its work that frequently on the old lady leaving the room it would continue to darn without her. When the old lady died the needle was found by her relatives, and for a long time no one could thread it, nor could they discover what obstructed the threads, when by microscopic observation they discovered a tear in the eye of it.

"If you shove that cup off the table I'll whip you," said a mother to her daughter. The girl shoved the cup off. "Pick up that cup or I'll whip you." The girl did not pick up the cup. "Go and sit down there or I'll whip you." The girl didn't go and sit down. "Come here to me." The girl didn't come. "Ain't you ashamed of yourself?" "Yessum," "No, you're not. I'm a great mind to whip yon for telling me a story. Oughtn't I to whip you, say?" "Nome, for you tell stories. You said you'd whip me and you didn't." and she kicked up her heels and scampered away. Mothers should be careful to speak the truth.

WHAT word is that to which, if you add a syllable, it will make it shorter?—Short.

THE SICK ROOM, ETC.,

CATARRH REMEDY.

Equal parts of gum arabic, gum myrrh and bloodroot, made into a powder, and used as a snuff, is an unfailing remedy for catarrh.

CHILBLAIN LOTION.

Dissolve one ounce of muriate of ammonia, one oz. of vinegar, and apply frequently. One ounce of alcohol may be added to this lotion with good effect.

REMOVING WARTS.

Get at the drug store five cents worth of oil of cinnamon; wet the warts thoroughly three times a day till they disappear.

FOR A FELON.

Spread strong mercurial ointment on a linen cloth and apply when the sore first appears.

For Rheumatism use Electric Oil

FOR CHILDREN TEETHING.

Madame Lamont's Baby Cordial has attained a great reputation for nervousness, restlessness, wind on the stomach, colic, bowel complaints arising from teething or other causes. It is pleasant to take and harmless in its effects.

AN INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL REMEDY.

Among the many electric and galvanic preparations, Briggs' Original Electric Oil has no equal as an internal and external remedy. We speak from experience.

FOR SORE NIPPLES.

Put one teaspoonful of flax seed into a fourth of a glass of brandy. Let it stand a few hours until it forms a mucilage, then rub it on. It is very soothing and heals by using a few times.

THROAT AND LUNG MEDICINE.

One of the best throat and lung medicines is Wistar's Pulmonic Syrup of Wild Cherry and Horehound.

FOR SALT-RHEUM.

Get sweet fern; if it does not grow in your locality you can get it at the druggist's. Steep and use it as a common drink. also bathe the parts affected and it will cure you. It is far better than any doctor's medicine. To heal the eruptions use Hope's Ointment.

RING WORM.

Put a penny into a tablespoonful of vinegar, let it remain until it becomes green, and wash the ring worm with this two or three times a day.

WORMS IN CHILDREN.

No article in the market has so well stood the test and obtained such public approval as Sitzers Vermifuge Candy for worms in children.

SORE EYES.

The Golden Eye Salve is one of the best articles now in the market for sore or inflamed eyes, weakness of sight, and granulation of the lids.

LINIMENT FOR MAN OR BEAST.

Two ounces of spirits of turpentine, two ounces of spirits of camphor, two ounces of sweet oil and a-half ounce of cedar oil. Apply twice a day; Shake well before using.

A FAMILY MEDICINE

Over ten thousand boxes of Briggs' Life Pills are sold yearly in the Dominion of Canada, which is the best guarantee of their quality and the estimation in which they are held as a family medicine.

Use Wistar's Syrup for Coughs and Colds.

Use Lamont's Baby Cordial for Children Teething or Colic.

FOR CANKER SORE MOUTH.

Burn a corn cob and apply the ashes two or three times a day.

NERVOUSNESS, INDIGESTION, ETC.

The Genuine Electric Oil, as prepared by G. C. Briggs & Sons is worthy the name as it treats all nervous diseases as with an electric shock and stimulates the nerves to overcome physical disease, such as arise from nervous weakness. Nature and disease are often found to be struggling for supremacy. It is here where a stimulant is required as in the case of indigestion, costiveness, relaxing of the bowels and many other cases to which we might refer, such as stagnation or inaction of the blood, etc.

CURE FOR BOILS.

Isaiah, thirty-eight chapter and twenty-first verse. Go thou and do likewise.

MADAM LA MONTE

Presents to the public the result of more than 20 years experience as nurse and physician, both in France and the United States, in the form and under the name of Baby Cordial for Children Teething which



greatly facilitates the process of teething by softening the gums, reducing inflammation, and will allay all pain and spasmodic action, and is sure to regulate the bowels.

Mothers! It will give relief and health to your infants and joy and satisfaction to yourselves. This article has been used in private practice for many years, and it has never failed to give perfect satisfaction when used. On the contrary were delighted with its operations, and speak in terms of highest recommendation of its wonderful effects and medical virtues. We speak on this matter "what we do know," after ten years experience, and pledge our reputation for the fulfillment of what we have declared. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain or exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the Cordial is administered. Sold at 25 cents per bottle.

This valuable preparation is the prescription of one of the most experienced and skilful female physicians of the age, and has been used

To Kill Flies use "Shoo Fly" Paper.

with never-failing success in thousands of cases. It not only relieves the child from pain but invigorates the stomach and bowels, corrects acidity, and gives tone and vigor to the whole system. It will almost instantly relieve griping in the bowels, wind on the stomach and colic, and overcome convulsions. We believe it to be the best and surest remedy in all cases for dysentery and diarrhoea in children, whether it comes from teething or from any other cause. We would say to every mother who has a child suffering from any of the foregoing complaints do not let your own prejudices nor the prejudices of others stand between your suffering child and a relief that will be sure, yes, absolutely sure, to follow the use of this medicine,

Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None genuine unless the fac-simile of proprietors signature is on the circular.

Sold by all druggists in Canada and the United States.

A HAMILTON boy, writing from college in reply to his father's letter said: "So you think that I am wasting my time in writing little stories for the local papers, and cite Johnson's sayings that the man who writes except for money is a fool. I shall act upon Dr. Johnson's suggestion and write for money. Send me fifty dollars.

THE editor who said his mouth never uttered a lie probably spoke through his nose.

A POPULAR writer, speaking of the ocean telegraph, wonders whether the news transmitted through the salt water will be fresh.

"WHAT is that dog barking at?" asked a fop, whose boots were more polished than his ideas. "Why," said a bystander, "he sees another puppy in your boots."

ONE gentleman says that Briggs' Magic Relief is good anywhere and anyhow—like the rabbit—good baked, boiled, stewed, or in pie. He believes it is one of the best pain relievers in the market.

"PA, I guess our man Ralph is a good christian." "How so, my boy?" "Why, Pa, I read in the Bible that the wicked shall not live out half his days, and Ralf says he has lived out ever since he was a little boy."

SAID an elder sister to a little one who appeared to take great interest in Mr. Smith, "Come, little pet, it is time your eyes were closed in sleep." "I think not, replied the little pet; "Mamma told me to keep my eyes open when Mr. Smith was here."

WHEN a man dies suddenly, "without the aid of a physician," as an Irishman once said, the coroner must be called in. If a man dies regularly after being treated by a doctor, everybody knows why he died, and the coroner's inquest is not necessary,

For Sick Headache use Life Pills.

For Tooth-ache use Dr. Hope's Anodyne Toothache Drops.

For Rheumatism and Nervous Diseases use Briggs' Electric Oil.

TO FARMERS, STOCK DEALERS and WOOL GROWERS.

Leicester Tick and Vermin Destroyer.



For many years the above preparation has been used with unparalleled success in different parts of Europe, and the proprietors have purchased the formula at great expense, and are now prepared to supply the trade or consumers with the genuine article, and at greatly reduced prices.

It was first used in Leicester, England, since which time it has made a reputation for itself throughout Europe, and has lately been introduced into Canada and the United States.



It effectually destroys Ticks, Lice, Worms or Grub, to which sheep, horses or cattle are subject, and enables the animal to thrive.

It will be found far superior to other preparations used for similar purpose.

The proprietors will guarantee perfect success when used according to directions, as will be found on each box.



It prevents scurf and scab and renders the wool bright and clear.

DIRECTIONS.

Dissolve the contents of one small box in five gallons of warm (soft) water, which is sufficient for twenty ordinary sized sheep. Open or part the wool, and pour it on with such as a lamp filler, slowly, so as to cover the surface of the animal, using one quart of the liquid; more or less, according to the size.

For lice on young cattle or colts, the liquid should be used with a sponge or cloth, thoroughly wetting the top of the head, neck and shoulders, or where vermin is found to exist.

Other animals troubled with vermin, may be treated in a similar manner. No fears need be entertained, as the mixture is not of a nature to do any harm to the animal in its proper use, although poisons are used in its compound.

It is put up in tin boxes, price 30 and 60 cents each. One small box is sufficient for twenty ordinary sized sheep. It only requires to be tried to prove itself all that is claimed for it.

Prepared only by G. C. Briggs & Sons, No. 25 King St. West, Hamilton, Ont.

For Burns and Sores use Hope's Ointment.

A young lady being told at a recent fire to stand back or else the nose would be turned on her. replied: "Oh, I don't care, they are striped on both sides, anyway,"

AN AGE OF IMPROVEMENT.

It is but a few years since it was the prevailing practice, in cases of fever, to bleed, blister and administer large doses of mercury. Cold water, in cases of fever, was supposed to be almost certain death, yet we find in the medical practice of to-day that bleeding and blistering are seldom resorted to except in cases of inflammation, and calomel is rarely used, and then only in extreme cases, whilst cold water is used very freely. This is a step in the right direction, and illustrates the change that has taken place. We claim that nearly all diseases may be reached and successfully treated without the use of poisonous drugs. We do not consider a poison is required to destroy a poison, nor do we believe that two wrongs make one right.

FROM JOHN WESLEY, 1759.

The expression of John Wesley, which appeared in a letter that he wrote in 1759, was indeed prophetic. Speaking of electricity, he said: "How much sickness or pain may be prevented or removed, and how many lives saved, by this unparalled remedy."

REGARDING THE USE OF POISONOUS DRUGS.

Prof. Willard Parker says: "Of all the sciences medicine is the most uncertain." Dr. Bostick, author of the "History of Medicines": "Every dose of medicine is a blind experiment." Prof. Evans; "The medical practice of the present day is neither philosophy or common sense." Sir Astley Cooper; "The science of medicine is founded upon conjecture and improved by murder." Many other able medical men have given expressions to like opinions regarding the use of poisonous drugs. Owing to the fact that we are used to the family doctor, meeting him almost daily, swallowing his prescriptions without question, paying his bills and dying under his care, and those who never do so through the blessing of a strong constitution, the proper consideration was not given to the possibility that the patient would have been as well off without the poisonous drugs administered. Every proffered remedy, prescribed by any other person than the doctor was rejected by his strict injunctions, and the loved ones are ruthlessly torn apart through the thoughtless and slavish manner in which the prescribed medicines are poured into the stomach of the suffering one.

For Coughs and Colds use Wistar's Syrup.

For Bowel Complaint and Colic use Briggs' Magic Relief.

Most physicians treat every ill or pain specifically, while they proceed from or grow out of a fundamental cause—first, the stomach; second, the liver. If these are regulated, especially the first, you will remove almost every cause of disease to which man is heir to.

If the number of deaths attributable to the use of so called medicines were known, the list would be such a one as to cause the living to involuntarily shudder.

With advancing years a more general knowledge of the properties of the proffered medicines is known to the masses, and other means of curing and preventing disease are now anxiously sought for.

Briggs' Life Pills contain no mineral poison and are particularly adapted to regulate the stomach, liver and kidneys and prevent disease.

FOR CHILDREN TEETHING.—Madam Lamont's Baby Cordial has attained a reputation for nervousness, restlessness, wind on the stomach, colic, bowel complaints arising from teething or other causes. It is pleasant to take and harmless in its effects.

SORE EYES.—The Golden Eye Salve is one of the best articles now in the market for sore or inflamed eyes, weakness of sight, and granulation of the lids.

"REMEMBER," said a trading quaker to his son, "in making thy way in the world, a spoonful of oil will go further than a quart of vinegar."

A WIT of the day was asked, on the failure of Sir John Paul's Bank, "Were you not upset?" "No," he replied, "I only lost my balance."

A couple waited over four years for a good opportunity to elope, and just as it came the girls father took the young man by the hand and said: "Speak up to her, Thomas! I know she loves you and I'd be tickled to death to have you for a son-in-law!"

Many sink into an early grave by not giving immediate attention to a slight cough, which could be stopped in a short time by the use of a twenty-five cent bottle of Dr. Wistar's Pulmonic Syrup.

"What are you doing there, Jane?"

"Why, pa, I am going to color my doll's pinafore red."

"But what have you got to dye it?"

"Beer."

"Who on earth told you beer would dye red?"

"Why, ma said it was beer that made your nose red, and——"

"Here, Susan, take this child."

"YOUR purse, Tom," said an indulgent father to his son, "reminds me of a thunder cloud." "How so, father?" "Because it is always light'ning."

For Indigestion use Botanic Bitters.

WHAT connection is *b-ee-r* to *b-i-e-r*?—*Beer* fills many a bottle and the bottle fills many a *bier*.

WHAT is the difference between a girl and a night-cap?—One is born to wed and the other is worn to bed.

WHAT is the difference between an accepted and a rejected lover?—One kisses the misses and the other misses the kisses.

WHAT has mankind been learning for six thousand years and yet often forgets it?—That others are as good as themselves.

WHAT can no one *find out*?—A good husband after 11 p.m.

WHAT is the largest room in the world?—The room for improvement.

WHEN a boy falls into the water what is the first thing he does?—He gets wet.

WHEN are you not yourself?—When you are a little pale (pail).

WHAT is the best way to raise strawberries?—With a spoon.

WHICH is the oldest piece of furniture in the world?—The multiplication table.

WHY is a winter storm like a baby with a bad cold?—It blows, it snows (It blows its nose.)

WHAT animal has the most brains?—The hog, because he has a hog's head full of them.

COLUMBUS discovered America, but when a boy he had as much difficulty in seeing an empty wood box or water-pail as any other youth.

WHY are lovers like apples?—They are often paired.

FOR what was Eve created?—For Adam's Express Company.

WHY is a speciman of hand writing like a dead pig?—It is done with the pen.

WHY do white sheep eat more than black ones?—There are more of them.

WHY is the letter K like a pig's tail?—It is the end of pork.

WHAT most resembles half a cheese?—The other half.

WHO dares to sit before the Queen with his hat on?—The coachman.

WHY are the tallest people the laziest?—They are always longer in bed than others.

WHY does a coat get larger when taken out of a trunk?—When taken out you find it in-creases.

WHY are noisy people at a public meeting, like sputtering candles?—They only cease to be a nuisance when they are put out.

For Horses and Cattle use Briggs' Black Oil.

For Biliousness and Headache use Briggs' Life Pills.

WHY is a reporter like a forger?—He makes notes.
 WHY is a wedlock a peculiar affair?—It is a matrimony (matter o money).

ON which side of the pitcher is the handle?—The outside,
 WHERE did the cock crow when everybody in the world heard him
 —In Noah's Ark.

IF you see three pigeons on a tree and shoot two, how many will re
 main?—None—the third will fly away.

USE me well and I am everybody, scratch my back and I am no
 body.—A Looking-glass.

IN spring I am gay dressed in handsome array,

But in summer more clothing I wear;

When colder it grows I throw off my clothes,

And in winter quite naked appear. (A Tree.)

WHY are blind persons most oompassionate?—They FEEL for other

WHY are ladies like the the letter L?—We cannot make *love* withou
 them.

WHAT state is high (hi) in the middle and round at both ends?—
 O-hi-o.

Temple's Harness Dressing Oil

FOR

HARNESS, CARRIAGE TOPS, BOOTS AND SHOES, ETC., ETC.

Cleans, Oils, Blacks and Preserves all kinds of leather, and is at th
 same time Waterproof. It makes the leather soft and pliable. It wi
 wear longer and better than any other blacking now in use. One bo
 will keep a set of harness in good order for one year if in constant use
 It does not hold dust.

DIRECTIONS. Use with a sponge or soft cloth; a very little wi
 do; the more it is rubbed the better.

Manufactured by JOHN TEMPLE, 20 Catharine Street North
 Hamilton. Ont. Sold by all druggists and grocers.

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Briggs' Life Pills a family medicine.

Testimonials from Messrs. Hendrie & Co., Hamilton, and others

JOHN TEMPLE, ESQ., Hamilton.

DEAR SIR,—Having used almost every preparation for leather offered to the public, and having been induced to use your preparation, we have no hesitation in saying it has no equal in softening and preserving leather.

THOMAS McBRIDE,
Agent HENDRIE & CO., Hamilton.

GALT, January 28th, 1882.

JOHN TEMPLE, Hamilton, Ont.

DEAR SIR,—Having been for 14 years in the Livery business, and during that time used almost every preparation for leather offered to the public, having been induced to use your preparation for buggy tops and harness, we have no hesitation in saying it has no equal in the market.

MAIN & SCRIMGER.

PARIS, January 27th, 1886.

This is to certify that I have used Temple's Harness Dressing for harness and carriage tops, etc. I believe it to be a first-class article.

HORACE HUSEN, Liveryman.

R. Bond's Livery, Boarding and Sale Stables, 21 to 25 Sheppard Street Toronto.

J. TEMPLE, ESQ., Hamilton, Ont.,

DEAR SIR,—After giving your Harness Blacking a thorough trial, I have no hesitation in saying it is the best I ever used. You can honestly recommend it to the public.

Yours truly,

ROBT. BOND.

Dominion Livery and Boarding Stables, Nos. 36 and 38 King Street West, Toronto.

MR. J. TEMPLE, Hamilton,

DEAR SIR,—I have much pleasure in testifying to the excellent qualities of your Harness Dressing. Having given it a fair trial I find it possesses all the qualities stated; it is easy to use, a clean and excellent preservative of leather, carriage tops and all kinds of harness, and I strongly recommend the adoption of its use.

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