WHOSE SAY-SO IS BEST?

With nearly all medicines put up for sale through druggists, one has to take the maker's say-so alone and exclusively as to their curative value. Of course, such testimony is not that of a disinterested party and accordingly is not to be given the same credit as if written from disinterested motives. Dr. Pierce's medicines, however, form a single and therefore striking exception to this rule. Their claims to the confidence of invalids does not rest solely upon their owners' and makers' say-so or praise. Their ingredients are matters of public knowledge, being printed on each separate bottle wrapper. Thus invalid sufferers are taken into Dr. Pierce's full confidence. Scores of leading medical men have written enough to fill volumes in praise of the curative value of the several ingredients entering into these well-known medicines. Amongst these writers we find such medical lights as Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College, Chicago; Prof. Hale, of the same city; Prof. Jno. M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati, Ohio; Prof. Jno. King, M. D., late of Cincinnati, Ohio; Dr. Grover Coe, of New York; Dr. Bartholow and scores of others equally eminent.

The writings of these have been for the various medical journals and for publication in standard medical books for professional reading and instruction, and hence are the more valuable as they relate to Dr. Pierce's medicines, since the writers did not know that they were endorsing and recommending articles that enter into the composition of these medicines and had no personal interest whatever therein. Hence, their great value as endorsements.

A brief synopsis, of a small part only, of these extensive writings, which apply to the several ingredients entering into Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—the world-famed remedy for weak stomach, or dyspepsia, torpid or congested liver, biliousness, ulceration of stomach and bowels and kindred ailments—has been compiled for publication in book form. These extracts also treat of the several ingredients entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for weak, over-worked, "run-down," debilitated, nervous women, who find in it a priceless boon.

Send your name and address by postal card or letter, with request for this little book, to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and it will be mailed *free* to your address. From it you will learn *why* "Golden Medical Discovery" cures catarrh of the nasal passages, even though of years' standing. It is a most potent constitutional remedy for this terribly common and generally unsuccessfully treated malady. The cure will be facilitated if Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy be employed to cleanse out the nasal passages at the same time that the "Discovery" is employed for the constitutional treatment.

The "Discovery" is equally efficient in the cure of catarrh of the stomach and bowels, and in cases of ulceration of these organs. Read what Doctors King, Scudder, Grover Coe, and others say of the curative properties of Golden Seal root and of Stone root in cases of the above diseases. Both these roots are important ingredients of "Golden Medical Discovery." From the writings of these same authors you will learn, *why* the "Golden Medical Discovery" cures chronic, or lingering ailments of the throat and bronchia attended with hoarseness, cough, soreness and kindred symptoms. Several of the ingredients in the "Golden Medical Discovery" are highly recommended for their specific, curative effects in laryngitis, or "Speakers' sore throat," as well as in incipient consumption and obstinate, lingering coughs, which, if neglected or badly treated, are apt to end in consumption.

From the same little book you may learn *why* Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures the worst cases of female weakness, prolapsus, anti-version and retro-version and corrects irregularities, cures painfull periods, dries up disagreeable and weakening drains, sometimes known as pelvic catarrh, and *why* inflammation of the ovaries and a multitude of other diseases peculiar to women, readily yield to its marvelous curative potency. Bear in mind, it is not a patent nor even a secret medicine, but the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated physician, of large experience in the cure of woman's peculiar ailments, who frankly and cheerfully takes his patients into his full confidence by telling them just what his "Prescription" is composed of. Of no other medicine put up for woman's special maladies and sold through druggists, can it be said that the maker is not afraid to deal thus frankly, openly and honorably, by letting every patient using the same know exactly what she is taking.

That every ingredient entering into Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has the endorsement of the leading medical writers of the age amply attests its harmless character as well as its sterling curative value. Send your address for the little book and read what some of the most eminent medical men of this century say of the curative properties contained in the several ingredients which go to make up Dr. Pierce's leading medicines. No other medicines are backed up by such marvelous, disinterested, professional endorsements. This one fact is worth more and should have more weight in determining whether these non-secret medicines, or some secret compounds without professional endorsement and with only the makers' praise to recommend them, are best and most likely to effect important cures.

In favor of Dr. Pierce's medicines is the frank, confiding, open statement of their full composition, giving every ingredient in plain *English*, without fear of successful criticism and with confidence that the good sense of the afflicted will lead them to appreciate this honorable manner of confiding to them what they are taking into their stomachs when making use of these medicines.

Dr. Pierce's medicines are made from harmless but efficient medicinal roots found growing in our American forests. The Indians knew of the marvelous curative value of some of these roots and imparted that knowledge to some of the friendlier whites, and gradually some of the more progressive physicians came to test and use them, and ever since they have grown in favor by reason of their superior curative virtues and their safe and harmless qualities. The little *free* book mentioned in the preceding column will tell you all about the properties and uses of these most valuable medicinal roots. Send for it now.

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Dr. Pierce's 1000-page illustrated book, "The Common Sense Medical Adviser," is sent free in paper covers on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay the cost of mailing *only*. For 31 stamps the cloth-bound volume will be sent. It was formerly sold for $1.50 per copy. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Here are a Few Facts Which Show How the Great Illinois Central Does Things

The following data, the result of an inspection of the Nashville division of the I. C. from Evansville to Nashville, is announced by officials who made the inspection:

There are employed one thousand track men between Nashville and Henderson, placing the line in first-class condition. In addition there are 400 men employed on bridges. The entire line is being overhauled and improved and new, up-to-date rails are being laid as fast as the rails arrive. Heavy steel rails alone are being used and when completed the track from Nashville to Henderson will compare favorably with any track in the country.

New rails are to be substituted for those between Hopkinsville and Clarksville. The Nashville and Henderson division of the I. C. will constitute, when completed, one of the finest lines of road to be found in the country.

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MANY READY TO SAY "GREAT IS HOO HOO"

Concatenation Will Be Held in Paducah This Evening.

Always Enjoyable, This One Will Surpass Those That Have Been Given Before.

SOMETHING OF THE ORDER

The "concatenation," or initiatory meeting to be held here tonight will be made the occasion for a general gathering of all the members of Hoo-Hoo in Western Kentucky and from adjacent districts. As usual an excellent course dinner will follow the initiation, and speeches, songs and stories will enliven the occasion. The state officer, or "Vicegerent" of Hoo-Hoo for Western Kentucky is Mr. R. S. Robertson, of the Ferguson & Palmer company. These Paducah concatenations have become quite famous and are always thoroughly enjoyable. No special effort is made for a large class of initiates, from ten to eighteen being the usual number. Mr. Robertson has made a most efficient officer, and is now serving his second term. His idea is that quality counts for more than mere numbers, and all applications for membership are carefully looked into and the rules concerning eligibility are rigidly enforced.

The Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo is composed of lumbermen and men engaged in allied lines of industry, such as manufacturers of woodworking machinery, saw mill supplies and those officials of railroads who come in contact with the lumber patrons of the roads. This cuts out stenographers, sawyers, filers, bookkeepers, railroad conductors, and minor clerks in railroad offices. Men engaged in the timber land business may become members, provided that is their main or principal occupation, a merchant or lawyer who happened to own a tract of timber "on the side" would not be eligible. The object of Hoo-Hoo is to gather together in fraternal relations people engaged in similar lines of enterprise. It is the only order in the world founded upon a community (or one-ness) of business interests. Hoo-Hoo comprises a very high class of men and is an exceedingly wealthy and prosperous, organization. It is purely a social and fraternal order, its motto being "Health, Happiness and Long Life." It has no insurance feature, but there is a "Fund for Relief of Imminent Distress" which is kept up by voluntary contributions and which has been the means of accomplishing great good in cases of emergency. This fund is not available for cases of ordinary business embarrassment, but is for the relief of dire distress, which happily is not of very frequent occurrence in Hoo-Hoo, the major portion of the membership being composed of very solid business men.

Everything in Hoo-Hoo goes by nines—nine is a magic number, in the opinion of all good Hoo-Hoo. The emblem of the order is a black cat, and a cat has nine lives, of course. The initiation fee is $9.99. An honorary member pays $99.99 and is absolved from initiation. Many wealthy and middle-aged or elderly men cheerfully come across with $99.99 and then proceed to get their money's worth watching the contortions of the "kittens" as they gambol in the 'onion beds right and left." A "concatenation" or meeting for the initiation of new members may take place at any time, in the discretion of the "vicegerent" or state officer. The general "annual meeting" of the whole order is held September 9 (the 9th day of the 9th month) beginning at 9.09 a. m. Last year the annual meeting occurred at Portland, Oregon. This year it will be held in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. The nine supreme officers of Hoo-Hoo are as follows:

Snark of the Universe—R. D. Inman, Portland, Oregon.

Senior Hoo-Hoo—A. C. Ramsey, St. Louis, Mo.

Junior Hoo-Hoo—George V. Denny, Savannah, Ga.

Bojum—Benjamin F. Cobb, Chigaco, Ill.

Scrivenoter—J. H. Baird, Nashville, Tenn.

Jabberwock—E. Stringer Boggess, Clarksburg, West Virginia.

Custocatian—Farley Price, Little Rock, Ark.

Arcanoper — Donald Ferguson, London, Canada.

Gurdon—E. Clark Evans, Seattle, Wash.

All the members of the Supreme Nine are elected at the "annual meeting," but the state officers, or "vicegerent Snarks," are appointed by the Snark of the Universe.

At the concatenations, or initiatory meetings, nine members impersonate the Supreme Nine and administer the ceremonies.

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL.

Few People Know How Useful It Is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is, that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician in speaking of the benefits of charcoal says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

Three Lives Lost in Boston Blizzard

Boston, March 17.—Three lives were lost in Boston and this part of New England yesterday during the worst March blizzard in thirteen years. The storm continued throughout the night closing street car traffic and rail and electric service. More than six inches of snow fell, accompanied by high winds.

Accepts Immigrant Inspector's Resignation.

Washington, March 17.—Secretary Metcalf has accepted the resignation of Marcus Braun, New York immigrant inspector, who tendered it to the department of the interior several days ago.

If you have used Witch Hazel Salve without being relieved it is probable that you got hold of one of the many worthless counterfeits that are sold on the reputation of the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by Lang Bros.

No Danger in China.

Manila, March 17.—Col. Knight, General Wood's chief of staff, has returned from investigating China and reports that there is absolutely no danger and no trouble prevails.

Indigestion is much of a habit. Don't get the habit. Take a little Kodol Dyspepsia Cure after eating and you will quit belching, puffing, palpitating and frowning. Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by Lang Bros.

Mother—Oh, Freddy, did you lick your little brother? Freddy Yes'm, but I told him that it hurt me worse'n it did him.—New York Sun.

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DETAILED REPORT TO BE PREPARED

Showing What is Needed for Street Cleaning Department.

The Legislative Boards Will Then Decide on What to Do With the Project.

BOARDS OF WORKS MEETING.

The board of works and the joint street committee of the general council held a meeting yesterday afternoon, at which it was decided that that the board is to prepare a detailed report of the paraphernalia necessary, the streets to clean and sprinkle, and other details, preliminary to creating a street cleaning department. This report will be submitted to the legislative boards, which will then decide the question.

The city solicitor was instructed to draw up an agreement with the Independent Telephone company relative to putting wires underground on Kentucky avenue from Fifth to Ninth. The agreement will specify that the company is to replace the streets in as good a condition as it found them.

The company desires to get its wires underground before the street is reconstructed.

Notice was given the property owners who want an alley opened and improved by the city, from Meyers street to Farley, that the city will do the work if the property for the alley is formally dedicated to the city.

The street committee and board of works agreed to recommend a big drain from Third and Harrison to the river to drain a large section that now often has pools of stagnant water. The drain pipe will cost about $1,000.

Mrs. Henry Owen, who owns property on Hampton avenue, which is to be improved by the city as a test case, protested against the proposed street improvement.

The board of works and street committee expect to hold another meeting next Tuesday for the purpose of selecting the streets to be reconstructed with the remainder of the bond money after present improvements contracted for are paid for.

It seems the only rational remedy for coughs and colds would be to move the bowels and clean the mucous membranes of the throat and lungs at the same time. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar does this. It is the original Laxative Cough Syrup, the best known remedy for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, etc. Tastes good and harmless. Sold by Lang Bros.

What Grand Exalted Ruler Brown Says.

Robert W. Brown, supreme officer of the Elks, has expressed in strong terms his feelings regarding the use of liquor. In the course of a speech at a banquet lately he said:

"I have learned a new lesson concerning one thing. I know the kind of enthusiasm here is brighter and more lasting than if produced by champagne or the liquid which flows so freely in my state of Kentucky. If I have my way about it, at the next meeting of the clans in Denver next July, every Elk lodge in the land will be forbidden to maintain an open bar."

Mr. Brown said he favored reorganizing the Elks on the principle of Uncle Sam's government, legislative and judicial. He said he was not in favor of radically tearing up the ritual in order to make a few improvements which are felt necessary at this time.

ABOMINABLE NUISANCE.

Filth From the Gutters Alleged to Be Spread on Open Lots.

The members of the board of health are indignant over the way gutters are cleaned on the North Side and this afternoon Mayor Yeiser was notified of a very great nuisance in gutter cleaning.

On 11th near Clay, there is a large vacant lot and the gutters are being cleaned out and the debris dumped on the lot. The gutters are reeking with filth and disease and the members of the board of health think it dangerous to health to permit the stuff to be spread on the lot.

Mayor Yeiser was requested to see that the street department or what ever department has the gutter cleaning under conrol, does not repeat the action.

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A HUMAN COOK STOVE

The stomach is the cook stove of the body.

It prepares—digests—the body's food, and when the stomach gets out of order the body's food is poorly digested.

Now your body doesn't like to absorb poorly digested food any more than you like to eat poorly cooked food—and just like you it complains.

Well—the body's complaint is called dyspepsia, indigestion, catarrh of the stomach, stomach trouble.

HOW URIC ACID CAUSES STOMACH TROUBLE.

Most people take better care of their stoves than they do of their stomachs.

Why? Because they don't put too much fuel in the stoves—but they do put too much food in their stomachs.

And when they do—this is what happens. Too much food or too much cold food or food that is too hot or spoiled—bad fuel—causes what your physician calls congestion.

He means that the little blood vessels in the walls of the stomach have been squeezed together so that the blood can't get through.

Now this blood is hard at work—it is busy carrying away that part of the body's ashes, called uric acid.

Naturally when it finds these blood vessels closed—the blood does just what you would do—lays down the load that it is carrying, uric acid.

This poison thus collects in the stomach's blood vessels just like soot collects in the stove pipe or chimney—and you have stomach trouble, dyspepsia, etc.

HOW LIFE PLANT TAKES OUT URIC ACID

When a stove gets clogged with ashes—or the chimney with soot—it's very plain that it must be cleaned out—isn't it?

Well, when part of the body's ashes—uric acid—collects in the blood vessels of the stomach, it must be cleaned out too. And Nature has provided a way.

A preparation of seven herbs and roots, called **LIFE PLANT**, dissolves uric acid, turns it into a liquid like water, so the blood can carry it out of the stomach.

LIFE PLANT purifies the blood—enables it to heal the stomach—helps it to digest the food properly and drives all poisonous waste matter out of the system.

LIFE PLANT is not a patent medicine—contains no narcotics—no drugs. It is a harmless, natural solvent for uric acid.

Many people suffering with chronic stomach trouble—in its worst form, have been cured by **LIFE PLANT**. Write us for information of these cures.

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Biliousness, poor digestion, headache, sluggish brain, sleeplessness, palpitation, darting pains, dry skin, shortness of breath, dark colored urine, and in women, menstrual disorders.

The above symptoms are the beginning of serious illness. If you have any of them—don't delay—take LIFE PLANT at once. If disease has already come upon you—take LIFE PLANT. LIFE PLANT cures in the common sense way by removing the cause of the disease.

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