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### Three Just Claims.

I. No department of science has witnessed greater progress during the past twenty-five years than that of obtaining correct information of the relative medicinal value of the various articles of the vegetable kingdom used for the relief of human suffering—their proper, effective combination, and the best method of securing and preserving their active principles for universal use. These searching investigations have shown that many articles which, at that time, were supposed to possess great curative effects are void of any medicinal power whatever. The supreme importance of purifying the blood has made this subject a field of active operations, the results of which have enabled us to present for your use and appreciation Hood's Sarsaparilla, an article which, by a combination peculiar to itself, is so vastly superior to any similar preparation that one has well said: "Its health-giving effects upon the blood and the entire human organism are as much more positive than the remedies of a quarter of a century ago, as the steam-power of to-day is in advance of the slow and laborious drudgery of years ago."

II. No other blood-purifier is worthy of comparison with Hood's Sarsaparilla. By cures wholly unprecedented in the history of medicine, it has proven its right to the title of "The greatest blood-purifier ever discovered." We challenge any medicine to show an appreciation at home like that which has been poured upon Hood's Sarsaparilla. Such results only come from real merit, and the steadily increasing demand for this article unmistakably proves that people appreciate it. If you are suffering from scrofula, salt-rheum, or any obnoxious humor, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the remedy to bring you relief.

III. A bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains three times as much medicine as any other for the same money. If you are suffering from biliousness, dyspepsia, headache or exhaustion, try Hood's Sarsaparilla. To prove our claims:

1. Compare the clean, clear and beautiful appearance of Hood's Sarsaparilla with the muddy, gritty make-up of other preparations.

2. Compare the record of wonderful cures, as shown by the testimonials we publish.

3. Compare the dose and amount given in Hood's Sarsaparilla with that given by others. A dollar bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains an average of more than 100 doses.

### Hood's Sarsaparilla.

A trial will convince the most sceptical of the real merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and enable all to test its wonderful power in restoring and invigorating the whole system, in renovating and enriching the blood, in giving an appetite and tone to the stomach, in eradicating and curing scrofula, scrofulous humor, scald-head, syphilitic affections, cancerous humor, ulcers, sores, tumors, ringworms, salt-rheum, boils, pimples and humors on the face, catarrh, headache, dizziness, faintness at the stomach, constipation, pains in the back, kidney complaint, female weakness, general debility, costiveness, biliousness, dyspepsia, indigestion, lassitude and languor peculiar to spring and hot weather, loss of appetite and all diseases arising from an impure state or low condition of the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is designed to act upon the blood, and through that upon all the organs and tissues of the body. It has a specific action, also, upon the secretions and excretions and assists nature to expel from the system all humors, impure particles and effete matter through the lungs, liver, bowels, kidneys and skin. It effectually aids weak, impaired and debilitated organs, invigorates the nervous system, tones and strengthens the digestive organs, and imparts new life and energy to all the functions of the body. The peculiar point of this medicine is that it strengthens and builds up the system while it eradicates disease.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all druggists. Price, \$1.00 a bottle, or six bottles for \$5.00.

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In presenting Hood's Cook Book No. 2 we bespeak for it the generous favor bestowed upon No. 1. We have spared neither trouble nor expense to secure good practical receipts. They cover quite a range of cooking, and with the original book make a valuable collection. We ask special attention to the candies.

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Is a compilation of choice cooking receipts, contains sixty-four pages printed on tinted paper, with red edges, and is handsomely bound. We have received a large number of letters, expatiating on the excellence and value of this book. One lady writes: "Such good things can be made at so low cost, that poor and rich can afford these delicacies." Another, "I cannot thank you enough for your book. It contains the best collection I ever saw." Another, "How you could get receipts that make such really nice things at so small cost is my greatest wonder." Until the present edition is exhausted, we will send Hood's Cook Book No. 1 (sixty-four pages) to any address, on receipt of a 3ct. stamp. We cannot promise beyond this edition.

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### *Clear Soup.*

5 lbs. of clear beef cut from the lower part of the round, 5 qts. cold water; cut the beef into small pieces, add the water and let it come to a boil gradually; skim carefully and set where it will keep at the boiling point 8 or 10 hours; strain and set away to cool. In the morning skim off all the fat, pour the soup into a kettle, being careful to keep back the sediment. Put into the soup 1 onion, 1 stalk of celery, 2 sprigs of parsley, 2 sprigs of thyme, 2 of summer savory, 2 leaves of sage, 2 bay leaves, 12 pepper corns, 6 whole cloves; boil gently 20 minutes, strain through a napkin, first seasoning with salt and pepper to taste; tie the herbs together before putting into the soup. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood.

### *Vegetable Soup.*

1 pint of vegetables, including turnip, carrot, onion and celery; cut into small pieces and boil one hour in water enough to cover. Add 1 quart of clear stock, a little more salt, boil a few minutes and serve. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now.

### *Pea Soup.*

Pick over 1 pint of split peas; wash and soak over night; in the morning turn off the water and put them in the soup-pot; add 4 quarts of cold water,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. of lean salt pork, a small piece of celery, onion and a little pepper; boil gently four or five hours, being careful that it does not burn; when cooked it will look smooth and rather mealy. Hood's Sarsaparilla renovates the system.

### *Mutton Soup.*

Take the water that remains in the steamer after the mutton is cooked—see steamed leg of mutton—there should be about 3 quarts, add  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup English split peas, nicely washed, 1 small onion, and cook gently three hours, adding a little more water if it cooks away much; before taking from the fire add salt and pepper to taste. Half a teaspoonful of Worcestershire Sauce gives a very nice flavor. Hood's Sarsaparilla eradicates scrofula.

### *We Regret*

That limited space has forced us to condense many testimonials. We trust, however, that we have not shorn them of the elements that will convince our readers of the real merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. We honestly believe a trial will satisfy every one that our remedy contains an unusual amount of medicinal power.

### *Purify the Blood.*

The importance of a proper purification of the blood cannot be over-estimated. When this vital fluid is contaminated, diseases of various kinds present themselves, such as a feeling of general debility, weakness, want of appetite, dyspepsia, nervousness, constipation, headache and the more positive signs of blood impurities, Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Cancerous Humor, Scald Head, Boils, Scrofulous Humor, Pain in the Bones, &c. Just here we wish to ask attention to Hood's Sarsaparilla and the wonderful record it has made in purifying the blood of hundreds of sufferers and restoring them to health. We tell you the truth of this remarkable medicine and believe it the best combination possible to purify, vitalize and enrich the blood.

"I have never found anything that hit my wants as Hood's Sarsaparilla. It tones up my system, purifies my blood, sharpens my appetite, and seems to make me over." Respectfully yours, J. P. Thompson, Register of Deeds, Middlesex County, Lowell, Mass.

### *A Big Thing.*

"Mr. Whitman, Druggist on Main St., informs us that since the first of August, he has disposed of five gross of Hood's Sarsaparilla and that it has the largest sale of any medicine in the market. It is also by far the most popular, and in all his experience there never came to his knowledge a single complaint in regard to its curative effects, but its praises are on the lips of everybody who uses it. The cause of this is undoubtedly the merit of a superior article, for Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co., are gentlemen who would feel unpardonable, were they to offer for sale an

*Invest one dollar in Hood's Sarsaparilla; you'll not regret it.*

### **Potato Soup.**

Take 10 small potatoes, boil and mash; to a quart of milk add  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. of butter, pepper and salt to taste; boil, then thicken with a tablespoonful of flour, flavor with celery; watch carefully that it does not get too thick. Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best spring medicine.

### **Mock Bisque Soup.**

Stew a can of tomatoes and strain, add a pinch of soda to remove acidity; in another saucepan boil 3 pints of milk thickened with a tablespoonful of corn starch, previously mixed with a little cold milk; add a lump of butter size of an egg, salt and pepper to taste; mix with tomatoes, let all come to a boil and serve. To cure biliousness take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### **Fried Bread for Soup.**

Cut bread into little squares about  $\frac{3}{4}$  of an inch thick; fry in butter, turning the pieces so that every side will be browned. Hood's Sarsaparilla builds up the system.

### **Fish Chowder.**

Take either a cod or a haddock, weighing about 4 lbs., skin it, cut in small pieces and wash in cold water; take a scant quarter of a pound of salt pork, cut into small pieces and fry brown in the kettle in which the chowder is to be made; for a fish weighing 4 lbs., pare and slice 5 medium sized potatoes and 1 small onion; place a layer of potato and onion in the kettle, then a layer of fish, dredge in a little salt, pepper and flour; keep putting in alternate layers of potatoes, fish and the seasoning until all is used; add hot water enough to cover; cover tight and boil gently thirty minutes; add a pint of milk and 6 crackers split and dipped in cold water, and cook ten minutes longer. To sharpen the appetite take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### **Clam Chowder.**

Wash the clams thoroughly, cover them with boiling water and let them stand ten minutes; when they can be easily opened, take them from the shell, cut off the black heads and put the bodies in a clean dish; for a peck of clams use 6 large potatoes,

article in any respect different from that they claim it to be."—*Nashua (N. H.) Telegraph.*

### **Hood's Sarsaparilla**

Is a carefully prepared extract of the best remedies of the vegetable kingdom known to medical science as Alteratives, Blood-Purifiers, Diuretics and Tonics, such as Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock, Stillingia, Dandelion, Juniper Berries, Mandrake, Wild Cherry Bark and other selected roots, barks and herbs. We assure everyone that no article entering into the preparation of Hood's Sarsaparilla can possibly do any harm, if taken according to our published directions. Each dollar bottle contains one hundred (average) doses. Probably never in the history of proprietary medicines has any article met success at home equal to that which has been poured upon Hood's Sarsaparilla. Why, such has been the success of this article, that nearly every family in whole neighborhoods have been taking it at the same time. Every week brings new evidence of the wonderful curative properties of this medicine.

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### **Spring Medicine**

Is a necessity, because being "housed up" through the winter, breathing the impurities in the atmosphere of rooms heated by wood or coal and contaminated by the gases they throw off, the blood being the receptacle of these impurities, its vitality is so reduced that it is impossible to withstand the additional debilitating influence of warm weather; hence that spring feeling of languor, lassitude, and that low state of the system peculiar to the spring months; all of which can be positively overcome by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

A gentleman who has been suffering from the *debility* and *languor* peculiar to this season, says "Hood's Sarsaparilla is putting new life right into me. I have gained ten pounds since I began to take it." Has taken two bottles.

peeled and sliced thin, and half an onion cut in small pieces. Cut a quarter of a pound of pork into small pieces and fry brown; put the potatoes and onion into the kettle with the pork; with a tablespoonful of salt, a little pepper and  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of flour shaken over them; strain over this 4 qts. of the water in which the clams were scalded and boil fifteen minutes; now add the clams and 6 crackers split, and cook ten minutes longer. Hood's Sarsaparilla creates an appetite.

### *Hollandaise Sauce.*

Half a teacupful of butter, the juice of half a lemon, the yolks of two eggs, a speck of Cayenne pepper, half a cupful of boiling water, half a teaspoonful of salt; beat the butter to a cream, add the yolks of eggs one by one, then the the lemon juice, pepper and salt, beating all thoroughly; place the bowl in which is the mixture in a saucepan of boiling water; beat with an egg-beater until it begins to thicken, which will be about a minute, then add the boiling water, beating all the time; stir until it begins to thicken like soft custard, stir a few minutes after taking from the fire; be careful not to cook it too long. This is very nice with baked fish.—*Miss Parloa.* Cure Salt Rheum, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Scalloped Oysters.*

Butter an oval dish, put in a layer of oysters, and dredge in a little salt, pepper and butter, then a layer of rolled cracker; pour over this a few spoonfuls of milk, just enough to moisten the cracker, then a layer of oysters with salt, pepper and butter; another of cracker, with a little more milk, and so on until the dish is full; before putting into the oven pour a little more milk over the top; bake about half an hour. Diphtheritic convalescents should take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Oyster Roast.*

Put one quart of oysters in a basin with their own liquor and let them boil three or four minutes; season with a little salt, pepper and a heaping spoonful of butter. Serve on buttered toast. Hood's Sarsaparilla vitalizes the blood.

An alderman of this city says of Hood's Sarsaparilla, "It is the strongest Sarsaparilla I ever saw."

### *The Season.*

Why does everybody take a spring medicine? For three good reasons, viz: I.—Because one bottle of a blood-purifier taken at this season will do more good than two at any other. II.—Because the blood is in a more impure condition than at any other season. III.—Because the system is so weakened by this impure state of the blood that it has not sufficient vitality to withstand the debilitating effects of spring weather. Hence, by common consent, people seek relief in medicine. The combination of Hood's Sarsaparilla commends it to our judgment as a good spring medicine and blood purifier. Such things as Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock, Mandrake, &c., compounded by competent druggists like Messrs. Hood & Co., warrant us in suggesting that all in need of a medicine of this kind give Hood's Sarsaparilla a trial.—*Boston Herald.*

"I consider Hood's Sarsaparilla one of the best medicines for early spring, when the blood is in a low condition and needs cleansing. I have been benefited by its use and have recommended it to my friends." I remain yours truly, W. H. Curtis, Ticket Agent, B. & M. R. R. Haverhill, Mass., January 5, 1881.

### *"Wake 'em Up."*

Meredith Village, N. H., Jan. 8, 1881.  
Messrs. C. I. HOOD & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sirs—Last year I was all used up and tried various things without benefit. Dr. Mason suggested I try Hood's Sarsaparilla, which was meeting quite a sale, and doing sick people good. I took a bottle home, and I declare I never saw anything beat the way it took hold of me and lifted me up. I took several bottles and it did me more good than all the medicine I ever used before. It sharpened my appetite, gave me strength and renewed my lease of life. If people want a medicine to go all through 'em, and

*Everybody likes Hood's Sarsaparilla. Try it.*



### *Steamed Oysters.*

Leave a covered dish where it will heat, wash and drain the oysters, put them in a shallow tin and place it in the steamer, cover and leave it over boiling water until the oysters are puffed and curled. They may be dressed at table when eaten, or butter, salt and pepper may be added in the kitchen when served in the heated dish. Hood's Sarsaparilla enriches the blood.

### *Broiled Oysters.*

Select good sized oysters, drain off the liquor, then roll in fine cracker crumbs, place on the broiler and cook over a bright fire; when brown take off, add to each a little butter; serve hot. Hood's Sarsaparilla tones the stomach.

### *Roast Beef.*

An onion sliced and put on top of a roast while cooking gives a nice flavor. Remove the onion before serving. Hood's Sarsaparilla restores the system.

### *Steamed Leg of Mutton.*

Steam a leg of mutton until tender, then place in a roasting-pan, salt and dredge well with flour and set in a hot oven until nicely browned; the water that remains in the bottom of the steamer may be used for soup. See mutton soup. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures dyspepsia.

### *Baked Ham.*

Take a medium-sized ham and soak twenty-four hours in cold water; wipe and scrape clean; make rather a stiff paste of rye meal and water, cover the ham entirely with the paste and bake in a moderate oven six hours. This is much nicer than boiled ham. Diphtheritic poison in the blood neutralized by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Apple Fritters.*

Beat to a froth two eggs, and stir into this half a pint of milk, one teaspoonful of salt, two cups of flour; pare and core

wake 'em up, tell them to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Yours, Freeman N. Bixby.

### *Biliousness.*

A bitter taste, breath offensive, tongue coated, sick headache, drowsiness, dizziness, loss of appetite. This condition, commonly termed biliousness, undoubtedly occurs oftener in the spring than at any other season. If this condition is allowed to continue unheeded, serious consequences may follow. By prompt action and mild means a fever may be avoided, or the sowing of seed for a premature death may be prevented. Hood's Sarsaparilla combines the best anti-bilious remedies of the vegetable kingdom, and in such proportion as to derive the full medicinal effects with the least disturbance to the whole system.

In fact this preparation is so well balanced in its actions upon the alimentary canal, the liver, the kidneys, the stomach, the bowels and the circulation of the blood, that it brings about a healthy action of the entire human organism, that can hardly be credited by those who have not seen the remarkable results that have followed its use. If the Sarsaparilla does not prove sufficiently laxative, take a few doses of Hood's Vegetable Pills. It is well in all cases of biliousness to take these pills in connection with the Sarsaparilla for the first ten days. That dull, sleepy, sick feeling can be wholly overcome by the use of these remedies. Will you give them a trial and be yourself again?

Price one dollar, or six bottles for five dollars. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

\* \* \* \* I am subject to severe bilious attacks. Last Spring I used Hood's Sarsaparilla and was much benefited by it. \* \* \* \* I think it a very excellent medicine, and cheerfully recommend it for biliousness and all impurities of the blood. Yours truly, Mrs. J. W. Clement, Franklin, N. H.

### *Sick Headache.*

"Your preparation has worked wonders in the case of my wife, who has been

nice tart apples, cut in slices, dip them in the batter, being sure to have the apple well covered, and fry in boiling lard a delicate brown; sprinkle with sugar or dissolve any kind of jelly in a little hot water and pour over the fritters. Hood's Sarsaparilla rouses the appetite when others fail.

### *Dressing for Sandwiches.*

One-half lb. of nice butter, two tablespoonfuls of mixed mustard, three tablespoonfuls of salad oil, a little red or white pepper, a little salt, yolk of one egg; rub the butter to a cream, add the other ingredients and mix thoroughly, set away to cool; spread the bread with this mixture and put in the ham, chopped fine. Cheap—One hundred doses Hood's Sarsaparilla one dollar.

### *Chicken Croquettes.*

One pound of finely chopped cooked chicken; season with  $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoonful of pepper,  $\frac{1}{2}$  tablespoonful of salt,  $\frac{1}{2}$  tablespoonful of butter; mix with this 1 egg and nearly half a pint of cream, a little lemon juice and  $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoonful of onion juice; have the board lightly sprinkled with fine cracker crumbs and roll the croquettes until they are shaped in the form of little cylinders; when they are all shaped, beat the eggs light and cover the croquettes with it; now have the board thickly covered with cracker crumbs and roll the egg-covered croquettes in these; fry in a croquette basket in boiling fat until a light brown. Instead of cream, chicken stock may be used; veal, mutton, lamb and turkey may be used. Pleasant to take—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Lyonaise Potatoes.*

One pint of cold boiled potatoes cut into small pieces, season with salt and pepper; one spoonful of butter, one slice of onion cut very fine, one teaspoonful chopped parsley; add parsley to potatoes, fry onion brown in the butter, then add potatoes and fry; use fork to turn them instead of knife. A beautiful preparation, Hood's Sarsaparilla.

troubled with sick headache and biliousness for years. She found that within a week after taking it she felt very much better, and is now entirely free from those severe headaches." Yours truly, Homer B. Nash, Pittsfield, Mass.

"We feel that we are doing the public a favor in calling their attention particularly to Hood's Sarsaparilla. This is not a patent medicine, but is a proprietary article possessing real curative properties, and its effects upon the Blood are very positive. Spring Debility, Biliousness, Dyspepsia and all troubles caused by impure blood readily yield to this excellent medicine. We think those who give it a trial for that 'out of sorts' feeling from which so many suffer and is peculiar to this season, will be quite satisfied with the results."—*Springfield Republican*.

### *Diphtheria.*

We cannot speak too strongly of the importance of securing the services of the best physician at your command whenever the symptoms of this disease show themselves. Promptness may save the life of the patient. The horrible prostration and the powerless exhaustion which cling to the convalescent, are overcome by the wonderful restoring and invigorating properties of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which vitalizes and enriches the blood, neutralizes and eradicates the poisoned matter from it, giving to the sufferer an appetite and the life and vigor of robust health. We honestly believe that every person recovering from Diphtheria would add great stability to their health if they would take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and thus purify their blood from the killing poison which this terrible disease always leaves with its victim.

We refer by permission to Mr. J. K. Smith, Lowell, Mass., Mrs. B. M. Prescott, Franklin, N. H., Mrs. E. F. Metcalf, Winchester, Mass., and many others.

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### *Muffins.*

One pint of milk, piece of butter size of an egg, one-half cup of yeast, two eggs, and flour enough to make a stiff batter; put the milk on to boil and put the butter into it, when the milk is nearly cool add the eggs beaten, the yeast and flour; let it rise six hours; bake in muffin rings. A reliable medicine—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Rice Bread.*

Mix well together one pint of well-boiled rice (one pint after it is cooked), one-half pint of flour, the yolks of six eggs, beat the whites to a stiff froth; two tablespoonfuls butter, one pint milk, salt, mix well together and add the whites of eggs last. Bake in shallow tins in a hot oven. No mud and grit in Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Hominy Corn Pone.*

Two teacups of boiled small hominy (sometimes called grits), while hot stir in a large spoonful of butter; add four eggs and one pint of milk, one-half pint yellow corn meal; the batter should be as thick as a rich boiled custard, if thicker add a little more milk. Bake in a hot oven. Avoid syrups and sweets and take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Saratoga Corn Cake.*

Four eggs, one-half lb. of sugar, mixed together with a wire beater; melt one-fourth lb. of butter and add to it; one qt. of milk, one-half oz. of baking soda (dissolved in the milk) and a little salt; add it all to the first mixture, stir thoroughly, then add one lb. of white corn meal, one lb. of flour, one oz. of cream of tartar mixed with the flour before adding to the other ingredients. Bake in a moderate oven. A carefully prepared concentrated extract—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Mother's Brown Bread.*

Three pints of corn meal, one pint of rye meal, one cup of molasses, two cups of sour milk, one teaspoonful of soda, one quart of warm water, one teaspoonful of salt. Bake three hours in a moderate oven. A combination peculiar to itself—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Mills and Stores.*

It will be observed that those persons employed in mills and stores, and excluded from the light of the sun, breathing an atmosphere not always pure, are particularly subject to a pale, waxy, blanched, bloodless countenance, and often suffer from extreme weariness, irregular state of the bowels, general debility, mental depression, loss of sleep and want of appetite which would be largely relieved by a life of "out-door" exercise; but this being out of the question, the next best thing is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which supplies to the blood and to all the functions of the body a degree of vital force which has not been produced by any other medicine. We write with a degree of positive assurance which is warranted by a large observation of actual facts that fully justify this statement. This accounts in part for the great and growing popularity of Hood's Sarsaparilla among the merchants, the clerks and the operatives in the mills of our city. A physician once said to us—"If you could bottle country air and rest, your fortune would be assured." Of course that would be impossible, but we have the next thing to it in Hood's Sarsaparilla, a remedy that restores and renovates every part of the system, vitalizes, purifies and enriches the blood, gives tone and vigor to the stomach, and imparts new life and energy to all the functions of the body. Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all druggists: Price \$1, or 6 bottles for \$5.

### *A New Departure.*

"One good result of the hard times a few years ago, was the bringing into life an article in proprietary medicine, which gave to every purchaser a full equivalent for his money. The rule of this class of medicines is from 10 to 25 doses for \$1, the best only reaching 40. Messrs. Hood & Co. took a new departure and in the article now so well and favorably known as Hood's Sarsaparilla, they gave the unprecedented quantity of 100 doses for \$1. These facts commend this remedy to the consideration of the sick, also of the well, for they are liable to be sick."—*Boston Weekly Journal.*

*An Alderman says Hood's Sarsaparilla is the strongest.*

### *Creamy Sauce.*

One-half cup of butter, one cup of powdered sugar, four tablespoonfuls of cream or milk, four tablespoonfuls of wine, or in place of wine, one teaspoonful of vanilla and three additional teaspoonfuls of milk or cream; beat the butter to a cream, add sugar gradually, then wine gradually and milk gradually. Place the bowl in which the sauce has been made in a basin of boiling water; stir a few minutes until it looks smooth and it is ready to serve. [See Sweet Sauce.]—*Miss Parloa.* Hood's Sarsaparilla—the strongest and best.

### *Sweet Sauce.*

Stir to a cream, one cup of butter with two of sugar; pour into the butter and sugar a teacup of boiling water, beat an egg light, and mix it gradually with the other ingredients before they become hot; mix half a teaspoonful of flour in a little cold water, free from lumps, stir it into the sauce and beat the whole constantly until hot enough to thicken; add nutmeg. This is proper for all boiled puddings, especially berry, and also baked berry puddings. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the weak strong.

### *Hunter's Pudding.*

1 lb. raisins, 1 lb. currants, 1 lb. suet, 1 lb. bread crumbs,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. moist sugar, 8 eggs, 1 tablespoonful flour,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. citron, 1 glass brandy, 10 drops essence of almonds,  $\frac{1}{2}$  nutmeg, mace and cloves; stone and chop the raisins, chop the suet very finely, and rub the bread until all the lumps are well broken; pound the spice to powder, cut the citron into thin shreds; mix all these ingredients well together, adding the sugar; beat the eggs to a strong froth, and as they are beaten, drop into them the essence of almonds; stir these into the dry ingredients, mix well and add the brandy; tie the pudding firmly into a buttered cloth, or put into a mould and boil or steam it 8 hours. To remove humors take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Apples in Rice.*

Scoop out the cores and pare very neatly half a dozen good-sized apples,

### *Dyspepsia*

Is occasioned by over-loading the stomach, eating indigestible food, or other causes too numerous to mention. It is manifested by a painful sense of fulness after eating, more or less distension from wind or gas, heartburn, nausea, vomiting, looseness of the bowels or constipation. Succeeding these symptoms are loss of appetite, coating of the tongue, an unpleasant taste, and nervous irritability, great languor and incapacity for exertion, accompanied in some cases by an almost irresistible drowsiness. If you are a sufferer, and have tried everything without benefit till your patience and faith are both exhausted, do not give up till you have given Hood's Sarsaparilla a trial. It has brought happiness to many a sufferer and you cannot tell that it will not to you. It astonishes those who have used Hood's Sarsaparilla to see what a toning effect it has upon the digestive apparatus. It is accomplished by the mildest and most direct action upon those parts which are exhausted by too much labor or too much abuse. It seems to throw protection around them for a time till its effects upon the general constitution can be realized, the whole system built up and a permanent cure is accomplished.

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I have suffered constantly from sick headache and dyspepsia. Before I had taken two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla I was much better. I am rarely troubled with headache now, and my food does not distress me as it did. Very truly yours, Helen J. Morrill, 133 Cross Street, Lowell, Mass.

\* \* \* \* Last December I used Hood's Sarsaparilla for dyspepsia and general prostration, and received very gratifying results. I consider it a valuable remedy

boil them in thin clarified sugar, let them imbibe the sugar, and be careful to preserve their form; make a marmalade with some other apples, adding to it four oz. of rice, previously boiled in milk, with sugar and butter and the yolks of two or three eggs; put them into a dish for table; surround it with a border of rice and marmalade, and bake it. Worthy your confidence—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Birds' Nest Pudding.*

Take eight or ten good flavored apples, pare and core, leaving them whole; place in a pudding-dish, fill the cores with sugar and a little grated nutmeg; then make a custard, allowing five eggs to a quart of milk, and sweeten to taste; pour this over the apples and bake about half an hour. Hood's Sarsaparilla acts upon the kidneys, liver and bowels.

### *Tapioca Cup Pudding.*

This is very light and delicate for invalids. An even tablespoonful of tapioca, soaked for two hours in nearly a cup of new milk, stir into this the yolk of a fresh egg, a little sugar, a grain of salt, and bake it in a cup for 15 minutes. A little jelly may be eaten with it. Hood's Sarsaparilla invigorates the nerves.

### *Queen Pudding.*

Soak 1 pint of bread-crumbs in 1 pint of milk, beat the yolks of 8 eggs and whites of 4 with 1 cupful of sugar, flavor with lemon, add 1 tablespoonful of butter and bake; beat the four whites of eggs that were left out, with a cupful of sugar, put it over the pudding as soon as baked, and cook it until the meringue is a light brown. We know Hood's Sarsaparilla is worth a trial.

### *Eve Pudding.*

6 oz. finely-grated bread, 6 oz. currants, 6 oz. of sugar, 6 eggs, 6 apples, some lemon-peel and nutmeg; let it boil three hours. Serve with a nice sauce. Now is a good time to try Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Snow Pudding.*

6 eggs, 6 tablespoonfuls corn starch, not very heaping, a little salt, one table-

for indigestion and attendant troubles. Yours truly, F. C. Churchill, firm of Carter & Churchill, Lebanon, N. H.

### *"Awful Distress."*

Dear Sirs—I have been troubled with dyspepsia, indigestion and debility for years. Nothing reached my case till I found Hood's Sarsaparilla. Six bottles cured me. Now I can eat anything without that awful distress; have a tremendous appetite, and am free from that tired feeling. I cannot praise your Sarsaparilla too highly. Very truly yours, Park Patten, Gardiner, Me.

### *Catarrh.*

On the strength of the following facts we feel justified in calling the attention of all who suffer from this disagreeable disease (whether it be a recent or chronic case) and suggest that they give Hood's Sarsaparilla a trial. It is only fair and reasonable to expect that it will do again what it has already done.

SMELL LOST. A city official met us on the street one day with the question, "Will Hood's Sarsaparilla cure catarrh?" He went on to say, "I know a case in a neighboring town of a lady who had catarrh so for years that it finally destroyed her sense of smell. She took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it restored her sense of smell."

COPIOUS DISCHARGE. A mother said to us a few days since, "Did you know that Hood's Sarsaparilla was a great remedy for catarrh. Why, my boy had it so I could hardly keep him in clean handkerchiefs. He has taken one bottle, and that terrible amount of discharge has stopped."

I have had catarrh for years. Last April the dropping in my throat became unusually troublesome, and I became somewhat alarmed, as it seemed to affect my right lung. I took two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I think it has cured me. My appetite, which was variable before, is first-rate now. Very truly yours, Charles H. Griffin, 69 Summer Street, Lowell, Mass.

spoonful of sugar and the juice of one lemon; dissolve the corn starch in a little cold water and turn 1 qt. of boiling water upon it; add the salt, sugar and juice of lemon, then add the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff froth and stir well; set in a basin of boiling water and scald ten minutes, turn into a mould and set away to harden; scald 1½ pints of milk, add yolks of eggs beaten light, and sugar enough to make pretty sweet, and stir until it begins to thicken, add a little salt and flavor to taste; turn the snow out of the mould into a glass dish and pour the cream around it. Invest one dollar in Hood's Sarsaparilla; you'll not regret it.

### *Charlotte Russe.*

Make a sponge cake of 3 eggs, 1 ½ cups of sugar, 2 cups of flour, ½ cup of cold water, 1 teaspoonful cream tartar, ½ teaspoonful of soda. Beat the sugar and eggs together, when light add the water, then the flour, in which the cream of tartar and soda are thoroughly mixed. Flavor with lemon. Bake in tin sheets in a quick oven. Line the Charlotte Russe mould with strips of the cake, leaving narrow spaces between the pieces of cake. Filling: Yolks of 5 eggs, ½ cup of sugar, 1 teaspoonful of vanilla, ½ box of gelatine, ⅓ cup of milk, 1 pint of cream. Soak the gelatine in a little cold water one or two hours; beat the yolks of eggs and sugar together, have the cream whipped to a stiff froth and set the dish into another dish of ice water; let the milk come to a boil, stir gelatine into this and pour the boiling mixture on eggs and sugar, place in a basin of ice water and stir until it begins to thicken, then add the whipped cream. Stir from the bottom until it is cool enough to just pour and turn into the mould. Hood's Sarsaparilla works wonders in the blood.

### *Strawberry Cream.*

Pick the stalks from a box of strawberries, bruise them with a wooden spoon in a basin, with six ounces of fine sugar, rub this through a clean hair sieve, add a pint of whipped cream and two ounces of isinglass or gelatine, which

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### *Neuralgia.*

As most neuralgic pains are doubtless the result of a low condition of the system or a disordered state of the blood, Hood's Sarsaparilla is a very excellent medicine to take at all times. If its use is persisted in till the system is built up, the blood purified, and its circulation restored to a healthy condition, the cause being removed, the disease will usually disappear. We cannot speak too enthusiastically of the wonderful power of Hood's Sarsaparilla in the cure of headache and other pains that are generally classed under the head of neuralgia, because so many cures have been reported to us and so much happiness expressed by those who have been permanently cured by using Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Writing of Neuralgia, Romberg says of the pain characteristic of it: "It seems as if pain were the prayer of the nerve for healthy blood." Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best remedy for purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood and making it healthy. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass. Price one dollar a bottle, or six for five dollars.

### *Sore Mouth.*

Gents—It gives me pleasure to write you that Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me of a sore mouth, which had troubled me five years. I tried most everything before I heard of your Sarsaparilla. Yours truly, Mrs. E. Buttrick, West Lynn, Mass.

### *Kidney Complaint.*

"I have suffered from kidney complaint for fifteen years. Have tried everything. Have taken two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla; the backache, dizziness, pain in my chest and arms, and that feeling of intense weariness are all gone. I can eat anything. Feel just like work; in fact, like a new man. Can heartily recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla." Very truly yours, Jonathan J. Coburn, Dracut, Mass.

has been dissolved together, mix with the strained strawberries and put in the mould. Everybody likes Hood's Sarsaparilla—try it.

### *Celestine Cream.*

Imbed a plain mould in some rough ice. Line the bottom and sides of the mould with fresh picked strawberries, taking care to put each in dissolved gelatine, in which there has been mixed some maraschino or other wine, when the interior of the mould is completely lined on the bottom and sides, fill the interior with the preceding cream. Only a penny a dose—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Frosting.*

Soak 1 teaspoonful of gelatine in 1 tablespoonful of cold water half an hour, dissolve in 2 tablespoonfuls of hot water, add one cup of powdered sugar and stir until smooth. Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all druggists.

### *Sponge Drops.*

Beat to a froth 3 eggs and 1 teacup of sugar; stir into this one heaping coffee cup of flour, in which one teaspoonful of cream of tartar and half a teaspoonful of saleratus are thoroughly mixed. Flavor with lemon. Butter tin sheets with washed butter, and drop in teaspoonfuls about three inches apart. Bake instantly in a very quick oven. Watch closely as they will burn easily. Serve with ice cream. An Alderman says Hood's Sarsaparilla is the strongest.

### *Shrewsbury Cakes.*

$\frac{1}{4}$  lb. butter,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. granulated sugar, 6 oz. flour, 1 teaspoonful of pounded cinnamon and mace, 1 egg. Beat the sugar and butter to a cream, then add the egg and spice; then stir in very gradually the flour; roll out the paste as thin as possible, and cut into cookies and bake. A teaspoonful of water will prevent the mixture sticking to the board. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now.

### *Cocoanut Cookies.*

1 cup of sugar,  $\frac{1}{3}$  cup of butter, 1 egg, 2 tablespoonfuls milk, 1 teaspoonful cream

### *Skill vs. Ignorance.*

"As a perfect pharmaceutical preparation, we are told that Hood's Sarsaparilla surpasses any proprietary article upon the market. Even to our inexperienced eye we see positive indications of the truth of the foregoing. A glance at the article shows the scrupulous neatness and care with which the detail of its manufacture and putting up must be conducted. These points are of importance in any business, but in the manipulations of remedies for the relief of human suffering they become of supreme importance, and only such medicines are worthy public confidence."—*Hartford Courant.*

A gentleman of unquestionable reliability, gives us the following history of a case: "A lady was so reduced by disease that her blood had begun to turn to water, her feet and legs swelled, her tongue, mouth and throat were so raw that she could only take milk and water. In three days after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla her tongue, mouth and throat were nearly well. In a few months she gained from one hundred and twelve to one hundred and forty pounds. Her husband was opposed to her taking a proprietary medicine and it was smuggled to her under the name of 'the Doctor's medicine.' He has since recommended it."

Reader, do you think this a big story? We give you our word of honor that it is true. Knowing this, do you wonder at our confidence in the future of Hood's Sarsaparilla?

Another case—"A young man had a terrible sore on his neck, which used him up so thoroughly that his recovery was doubtful. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured him."

### *Hood's Sarsaparilla*

Works through the blood, *regulating, toning and invigorating* all the functions of the body. Sold by druggists. Price \$1, or six for \$5. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

*Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now.*

of tartar,  $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoonful soda, a little salt, 1 cup of cocoanut. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood.

### *Mrs. Bly's Ginger Snaps.*

1 cup of sugar, 1 cup of molasses,  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup butter and lard, 1 teaspoonful salt, 2 teaspoonfuls ginger, 3 teaspoonfuls cream of tartar, 2 teaspoonfuls soda dissolved in  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of boiling water. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures dyspepsia.

### *Ladies' Fingers.*

1 cup of sugar,  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of butter beaten together, 1 egg,  $\frac{1}{4}$  cup of milk, 1 pint of flour, 1 teaspoonful cream of tartar,  $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoonful soda,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoonfuls of vanilla. Cut in little strips, roll in sugar and bake in a quick oven. Use your hands to roll them, instead of a rolling pin. Hood's Sarsaparilla eradicates scrofula.

### *Almond Jumbles.*

One pound of sugar, one-half pound of butter, one pound of almonds blanched and chopped fine, two eggs, flour enough to mix stiff. Roll thin, moisten the top of each one with the white of egg, and sprinkle with sugar. Bake quickly. Hood's Sarsaparilla the best spring medicine.

### *Macaroons.*

Half a pound of sweet almonds, blanched and pounded fine, with one tablespoonful of rose water; whites of three eggs beaten to a stiff froth, stir in half a pound of powdered sugar and add the almonds. Drop the mixture with a spoon on buttered tin sheets, and bake in a cool oven. To cure biliousness take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Soft Gingerbread.*

One egg, one cup of molasses, one-third cup of melted butter, one-half cup of milk, one teaspoonful of saleratus, one teaspoonful of ginger, two and one-half cups of flour, a little salt. Hood's Sarsaparilla builds up the system.

### *Frankie's Composition Cake.*

$1\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. of sugar, 1 lb. and 2 oz. butter, 8 eggs, a full coffee cup of milk,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  nut-

## *Scrofula.*

Probably no form of disease is so generally distributed among our population as scrofula, hence a remedy that destroys the germs of this disease, and when settled, has the power to eradicate it, must be appreciated by the afflicted. The remarkable cures of children, of those of middle age, and of those late in life, as demonstrated by testimonials, prove that Hood's Sarsaparilla contains remedial agents that positively eradicate scrofula from the blood. The terrible sufferings of those afflicted by scrofulous sores cannot be understood by others, and the intensity of their gratitude to a remedy that cures them, may astonish a well person.

Dear Sirs—I think the cure of Mrs. Cole of scrofulous sores, by Hood's Sarsaparilla, a miracle. I could not believe it till I received a letter from her saying it was true. Her statement does not exaggerate her terrible sufferings. When she went to Westford we didn't think it possible for her to get well. I know several who have used Hood's Sarsaparilla with excellent results. With best wishes for the success of your good medicine, I am yours truly, Mrs. Sarah J. Davis, Manchester, N. H.

*\$5 vs. \$300.*

### *Cancer in the Stomach.*

Dear Sirs—Six years ago last April my mother, Mrs. Denj. Clement, of Warner, N. H., gave up work, on account of cancer in the stomach. Food caused intense distress, and she took only enough nourishment to sustain life. We spared no expense to find relief. We paid out more than \$300, without avail. At last we found Hood's Sarsaparilla. When she had taken one bottle she wrote me, "I can eat anything I desire without being distressed. It is surprising to see the good it has done me." These are the facts as short as I can give them. She has taken five bottles. Very truly yours, H. M. Clement, 127 Hildreth Street, Lowell, Mass. Hood's Sarsaparilla is prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., apothecaries, Lowell, Mass. Price one dollar; six bottles, five dollars. Sold by druggists.



meg, a little cinnamon mixed with it, 1 wine glass of brandy, 1½ lbs. of flour, 1½ lbs. of fruit, ¼ lb. citron, ½ teaspoonful soda. Beat the whites of the eggs to a froth, then put in the yolks and have that come to a froth. To sharpen the appetite take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Rich Coffee Cake.*

Two cupfuls of butter, three of sugar, one of molasses, one of very strong coffee, one of cream or rich milk, the yolks of eight eggs, one pound each of raisins and currants, one-half pound each of citron and figs, and five cupfuls of browned flour after it is sifted. Put the flour in the oven, and watch well to keep from burning, until it is a nice brown; when cold, sift with it three teaspoonfuls of baking-powder and a little salt. Cut the figs in as long strips as you can; dredge all the fruit with flour; beat the cake up well, and bake in a salt-box, lined with nice thick brown paper, well-buttered, in a moderate oven, from four to five hours. A reliable medicine—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Maine Plum Cake.*

A pound each of butter, sugar and flour, ten eggs, a pound of raisins, two of currants, half a pound of citron, a teaspoonful of powdered clove, half as much mace, a nutmeg, the juice of a lemon and grated peel, half a teacup of good molasses. Beat butter to a cream, add sugar, beat the whites and yolks separately, and add them to butter and sugar; then by degrees put in two-thirds of the flour, in which one teaspoonful of cream of tartar is thoroughly mixed, then add one-half teaspoonful of soda, dissolved in a spoonful of boiling water; then add the fruit mixed with the flour that remains, stirring the cake fast a few minutes. Bake in one tin five hours in a moderate oven. Cure Salt Rheum by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### *Barnard Cake.*

One cup of butter, 3 cups of sugar, 4½ cups of flour, 4 eggs, 1 cup of sour milk; the juice and a little of the rind of a lemon, and one teaspoonful of saleratus. Diphtheritic convalescents should take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

## *The Wonderful*

Power of Hood's Sarsaparilla in eradicating every form of scrofula has been so clearly and fully demonstrated that it leaves no shadow of doubt about its being the greatest medical discovery of this generation.

Scrofulous sores, or ulcers, covering large portions of the body, have yielded to the wonderful purifying effects of Hood's Sarsaparilla when all other means had totally failed to reach the disease.

Scrofulous ulceration of the eyelids, which is known to all as one of the most obstinate forms to cure, which this universal taint in the blood frequently assumes, has also repeatedly demonstrated the astonishing power of Hood's Sarsaparilla, in thoroughly eradicating this poisonous matter from the blood.

Scrofulous bunches on the neck and face are indications of a need of a thorough cleansing of the blood. Even if they do not give trouble at present, they may produce serious results, and no one can afford to pass the admonition without acting wisely.

No remedy has been so successful as Hood's Sarsaparilla, in reducing these bunches and thoroughly cleansing the whole system of the pernicious effects of this type of scrofula.

### *Ten Years.*

"For ten years I suffered from scrofulous sores, which reduced me to a helpless condition. I cannot refrain from expressing my gratitude for the permanent cure Hood's Sarsaparilla effected in my case nearly two years ago, when my physicians gave me up. I have recommended your Sarsaparilla to more than a thousand cases, and my faith in its invincibility in curing scrofula has become absolute by the wonderful cures it has effected aside from my own. I trust you will not be slow in making the merits of Hood's Sarsaparilla known everywhere, for it is a duty you owe to mankind. With best wishes, I remain very truly yours, Sarah C. Whittier, Warner, N. H."

*To cure biliousness, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.*

### *Dayton Cake.*

Five eggs, 5 cups of flour, 3 cups of sugar,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cups of butter, 1 cup of water, 2 teaspoonfuls cream of tartar, 1 teaspoonful saieratus, a little salt. Flavor with lemon. Hood's Tooth Powder is in everybody's mouth, or should be.

### *French Loaf Cake.*

Two and one-quarter cups of sugar, 5 cups of flour, 1 cup of milk, 3 eggs, a wine glass of brandy, 2 nutmegs,  $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoonful of saleratus,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. raisins,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. citron. Beat butter and sugar to a cream, add part of the flour, and the milk a little warm, then the beaten yolks, the remainder of the flour with the whites well beaten, spice, brandy, fruit and saleratus. Hood's Tooth Powder sweetens the breath.

### *White Fruit Cake.*

One cup of butter, 2 cups of sugar, 1 cup of sweet milk,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  cups of flour, whites of 7 eggs, 2 even teaspoonfuls of baking powder, 1 pound each of raisins, figs, dates and blanched almonds,  $\frac{1}{4}$  pound of citron, cut all fine. Beat all well before adding fruit. Stir fruit in last, with a sifting of flour over it. Bake slowly. Hood's Tooth Powder hardens the gums.

### *Vanilla Ice Cream.*

One quart of cream, 1 large cup of sugar,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoonfuls of vanilla. A very good ice cream may be made with one pint of cream and one pint of milk. Hood's Tooth Powder whitens the teeth.

### *Strawberry Ice Cream.*

One quart of strawberries, 1 pint of sugar,  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint of milk,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  pint of cream. Mash the berries and sugar together, add the cream and rub through a fine strainer into the freezer. Hood's Tooth Powder is only twenty-five cents.

### *Pineapple Sherbet.*

One can of pineapple, a small pint of sugar, one pint of water, one tablespoonful of gelatine. Cut the hearts and eyes from the fruit, and chop it very fine, add the juice from the can, the water and

### *Hood's Tooth Powder*

Is distinguished from all other preparations by its extraordinary efficacy in removing tartar, ensuring to the teeth a most beautiful pearly whiteness. Its corrective and astringent properties induce a healthy action of the gums, and a consequent firmness and brightness of color.

Scientific examinations prove Hood's Tooth Powder the most effectual in destroying the animal and vegetable parasitic animalculæ, which are the causes of decay, and are found to exist on nearly all teeth.

Hood's Tooth Powder is made of the best materials, critically selected for this special purpose, and is guaranteed not to contain any injurious ingredient, and if used regularly night and morning it will preserve the teeth and gums in a sound and ornamental state to old age.

No other preparation leaves in the mouth such a cool, pleasing sensation as Hood's Tooth Powder. It neutralizes all the offensive secretions of the mouth, sweetens the breath and gives to the gums a bright, healthy color.

### *What Our Dentists*

Say of Hood's Tooth Powder: "We have made a critical examination of Hood's Saponaceous Tooth Powder, and can assure the public that it does not contain anything that can possibly injure the teeth, either mechanically or chemically. Very truly yours, G. A. Gerry, C. T. Clifford, W. H. Downs, B. Heald, A. T. Johnson, G. A. W. Vinal, E. M. Nelson."

Hood's Tooth Powder combines the following points: Large quantity, best quality, low price, a neat patent metallic cap, which avoids waste, retains its delightful fragrance and makes it convenient for traveling. Only 25 cents a bottle. Sold by druggists. Mammoth size, 50 cents.

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sugar; add the gelatine, which has been soaking one or two hours in cold water enough to cover, and dissolved in half a cup of boiling water. Use Hood's Olive Ointment for burns.

### *Lemon Sherbet.*

The juice of five lemons, one pint of sugar, one quart of water, one tablespoonful of gelatine. Put together like the pineapple. Try Hood's Olive Ointment for chapped lips and hands. It cures when others fail.

### *Chocolate Caramels.*

Three lbs. brown sugar,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. butter,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. of chocolate scraped fine, one pint of cream or milk. Melt all these together with care, and boil twenty minutes or half an hour, stirring constantly. Just before taking off the fire, flavor with vanilla and add a small cup of granulated sugar. Pour into a buttered tin. When partly cool, mark in pieces about an inch square. Use Hood's Olive Ointment for hard and soft corns.

### *Caramels.*

One cup of molasses, 2 of sugar. Boil ten minutes. Add 1 large tablespoonful flour, butter size of an egg,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. chocolate. Boil twenty minutes. Hood's Olive Ointment is the best family salve.

### *Taffy.*

Two cups of brown sugar,  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of butter, 4 tablespoonfuls of molasses, 2 tablespoonfuls of water, 2 tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Boil fifteen minutes. Only twenty-five cents for a box of Hood's Olive Ointment.

### *Everton Toffee.*

One lb. powdered loaf sugar, 1 teacupful water,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. butter, 6 drops essence of lemon. Put the water and sugar in a brass pan on the stove. Beat the butter to a cream; when the sugar is dissolved add the butter, and keep stirring the mixture over the fire until it sets. Just before the toffee is done add the lemon. Use Hood's Olive Ointment for burns.

### *Cream Walnuts.*

White of one egg; stir into it sufficient powdered sugar to make it stiff enough to handle, flavor with vanilla; dip the walnuts into a syrup made of two tablespoonfuls of sugar and one of water, boiled three or four minutes. Mould the cream with your fingers and place between the two halves of a walnut. Dates or Malaga grapes may be used. To make chocolate cream walnuts, stir two tablespoonfuls of melted chocolate into the cream. Hood's Olive Ointment is the best family salve.

### *Hood's Olive Ointment*

Is made of carefully-selected barks, gums, choice olive oil and other ingredients particularly celebrated for their healing and soothing properties. We cannot speak too positively of its value as a family salve, in curing chapped lips and hands, hard and soft corns, ingrowing nails, boils, burns, sores, salt rheum or eczema, cuts, flesh-wounds, scrofulous sores, pimples, tetter, festers, cutaneous diseases, eruptions, sore nipples, broken breasts, bruises, inflammation, piles, chilblains, and for the hundred and one things for which a good family salve is constantly used. We do not offer it as a pile ointment, but it has cured multitudes of this distressing complaint when all other remedies failed, and these facts warrant us in recommending it to our patrons for this disease. These remarks are equally applicable to that annoying affliction, chilblains. Please remember that we say with great emphasis and truth that no other article approaches Hood's Olive Ointment in curative power. We know that the experience of all who use it will corroborate this statement and will cause all to wonder at the marvellous healing and soothing properties it combines. A lady writes, "You don't praise your Olive Ointment half enough." Another, "We couldn't keep house without it." Another, "It's the best thing to heal I ever saw." A trial captivates every one in its favor. Price 25 cents a box; five boxes, \$1.00. Sent by mail on receipt of price.

*Use Hood's Olive Ointment for burns.*

### *Molasses Candy.*

Two cups of molasses, 1 tablespoonful of sugar; stir occasionally while boiling; before taking from the fire add butter half the size of an egg, and one-third teaspoonful of soda. Pour into buttered tins and when cool enough pull it. To cure constipation, use Hood's Vegetable Pills

### *Molasses Candy.*

Two cups of sugar, 1 cup of molasses,  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of water; after it begins to boil add  $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoonful cream of tartar; cook in the usual way, but do not stir; before taking from the fire, add butter half the size of an egg. Do not butter your hands while pulling. To stir up the liver, take Hood's Vegetable Pills.

### *Vinegar Candy.*

Two cups of sugar, one-half cup of water, four tablespoonfuls of vinegar; stir before putting on the stove, not after. Hood's Pills—the best family physic.

### *Cocoonut Drops.*

One pound of cocoonut, 1 pound of powdered sugar, small quarter of a pound of flour, whites of six eggs. Bake in a quick oven. A cold is often annihilated by Hood's Pills.

### *Ice Cream Candy.*

Two cups of granulated sugar, one-half cup of water, add one-fourth teaspoonful of cream tartar dissolved in water, as soon as it boils. Boil about ten minutes; don't stir. When done it will be brittle if dropped in cold water; add butter half the size of an egg just before taking off the stove; pour into a buttered tin to cool, and pull it as hot as possible. Flavor while pulling, with vanilla, checkerberry or any extract to suit taste. Hood's Pills are purely vegetable.

### *Fig Candy.*

One cup of sugar, one-third cup of water, one-fourth teaspoonful cream of tartar. Do not stir while boiling. Boil to amber color, stir in the cream of tartar just before taking from the fire. Wash the figs, open and lay in a tin pan and pour the candy over them. A fever is often warded off by Hood's Pills.

### *Peppermints.*

Two cups of sugar, one-half cup of water; boil five minutes. Flavor to taste with peppermint; stir until thick, and drop on white paper, well-buttered. To cure constipation, use Hood's Vegetable Pills.

### *Hood's Vegetable Pills*

Are a purely vegetable cathartic medicine—are made to meet a legitimate demand for a family physic that is perfectly safe—and can be relied upon to do their work thoroughly.

A fever is often warded off by the timely use of this efficient cathartic.

A cold, which might otherwise continue for days, is often annihilated in a single night by a dose of Hood's Vegetable Pills.

For constipation and costiveness Hood's Vegetable Pills cannot be excelled. The importance of keeping the bowels in a natural condition cannot be too highly regarded, and the sooner people realize this truth and put it in operation, the sooner shall we find the health of communities elevated to its normal condition.

As a dinner-pill they will be found all that can be desired. They stimulate the stomach, and by assisting digestion prevent the nausea and distress which so frequently occur after eating or drinking too heavily.

It is a wise custom to have a physic of some kind ready for immediate use. The necessity which so often compels all to resort to a medicine of this kind renders it the most important one in the medicine closet. Try Hood's Pills. Price only 25 cents; 5 boxes, \$1.00. Sent by mail on receipt of price.

Caution. Avoid all pills containing calomel, mercury, or any mineral substance, as they are liable to do harm.

Rev. James P. Stone, of Dalton, N. H., after using Hood's Sarsaparilla, Olive Ointment and Vegetable Pills, writes: "Your preparations are all they profess to be. Mrs. S. says your Pills are the best she has ever known."

### *A Great Victory.*

Below is given another statement showing the wonderful power Hood's Sarsaparilla has over scrofula:

"In the winter of 1879 I was attacked with scrofula, in one of its most aggravating forms. At one time I had no less than *thirteen large abscesses* over and around my neck and throat, continually exuding an offensive mass of bloody matter, disgusting to behold, and almost intolerable to endure. It is impossible to fully describe my sufferings, as the case was complicated with

#### CHRONIC CATARRH.

After three years of constant misery, having been treated by three physicians, I was worse than ever. At last, upon the recommendation of W. J. Huntley, druggist, of Lockport, I was induced to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. And now, after having taken twelve bottles, within the last twelve months, the scrofulous eruptions have entirely ceased, and the abscesses have all disappeared, except the unsightly scars, which are daily becoming 'smaller by degrees, and beautifully less.' I do not know what it may have done for others, but I do know that in my case, Hood's Sarsaparilla has proved an effective specific indeed. As an evidence of my gratitude, I send you these facts unsolicited, and I am ready to verify the authenticity of this cure, by personal correspondence with any who doubt it."

CHAS. A. ROBERTS, East Wilson, N. Y.

#### FULLY CORROBORATED.

Being fully conversant with the facts in the case, the following statement from a well-known druggist, must convince even the most skeptical of the entire truth of the foregoing letter:

"The testimonial which you have from Charles A. Roberts is a good and reliable one. He began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for scrofulous ulcers by my advice, and when he had taken five or six bottles the ulcers had entirely disappeared. But he continued till he had taken twelve bottles, and stands to-day a well man. He stopped taking it about three or four months ago, and I was fearful that the ulcers would reap-

pear, but they have not, and the case is certainly a great victory for Hood's Sarsaparilla. This great medicine now outsells all other blood purifiers advertised in this city." W. J. HUNTLEY, Druggist, Lockport, N. Y.

### *Improved at Once.*

"My youngest son has always been troubled with humor. He had sores in his head discharging from his ears, and a running sore on the back of his ear for two years'; his eyelids would fester and ulcerate, discharging so that I was obliged to wash them open every morning, his eyelashes nearly all coming out. We were unable to find anything that had the least effect upon him till last spring, when we gave him two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla. His appetite improved at once. The back of his ear healed up without a scar, and there has not been a sore in his head since." MRS. N. C. SANBORN, Lowell, Mass.

### *Sight and Hearing.*

F. K. McCully, Newark, N. J., sends an account of a girl nine years old troubled with blood disorder so that both sight and hearing were affected. She was admitted to a hospital. Her mother read in Hood's Cook Book of remarkable cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and decided to try the medicine. After using five bottles her sight and hearing returned. The cure is regarded as wonderful.

### *Lanced Ten Times.*

"My little girl was sorely afflicted with scrofula till she was twenty-six months old, when we commenced giving her Hood's Sarsaparilla. So virulent was the disease that the doctor had lanced her neck ten times. When we began to give her Hood's Sarsaparilla, there was a very large bunch on her little face. This we expected to open with a lancet; but to our surprise the bunch began to shrink under the influence of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and now it has entirely disappeared. Baby is in good flesh, sores all gone, her appetite is good, and she seems as well as any child."

W. H. CONANT, Lyme Centre, N. H.

### *Another Boy Cured.*

James Burns, 22 George Street, Lowell, Mass., had a son very severely afflicted. On his head were two of the most horrid sores ever seen, reaching from ear to ear, and streaming with corruption. An ulcer on his leg was so large and raw that the boy could not get his boots on. In this awful condition, with nine running sores, the father tried Hood's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle only dried the running a little. Four bottles healed all the sores but one on his breast, which soon after disappeared, and the boy was soon at school again, apparently as well as ever.

### *Scrofula from Infancy.*

"I have been afflicted with cancerous and scrofulous humor from infancy. My mother, sister and brother died of this terrible disease. During the past thirteen years I have taken hundreds of dollars' worth of medicines, but received no benefit whatever till I used Hood's Sarsaparilla. This was so highly recommended, that I gave it a trial. Before I had taken the first bottle I found I was improving. I have now taken several bottles. It is working a most remarkable cure, and I heartily recommend it as the best Sarsaparilla and blood purifier." H. J. STEARNS, Willimantic, Conn.

### *Scrofulous Swellings.*

Joseph Dunphy, 214 Central Street, Lowell, Mass., had swellings and lumps on his neck and face, which various pastes, ointments, and medicines failed to stop. A shopmate, whose wife had been cured of a sore on her arm by Hood's Sarsaparilla, recommended the medicine, and he bought a bottle. In three days there was a change in the eruptions, they soon began to subside, and five bottles effected a complete cure, leaving the skin smooth and fair, and putting him in good condition.

Mrs. J. McClure, Revere, Mass., had a scrofulous humor for seven years, and her hands and wrists were frequently covered with sores. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured her, and she believes it to be an honest medicine.

### *Large Running Sores.*

Mr. Albert Estes, whose statement follows, has been for many years employed by J. W. Bennett, Esq., a leading contractor and builder of Lowell, and is well-known as a reliable man:

"From boyhood I have been troubled with scrofula or salt rheum humor, which manifested itself in various disagreeable forms. I had sores on different parts of my body, and at one time I had a large bunch come in my neck, which developed into a running sore and troubled me for a long time. The most serious affection, however, appeared about three years ago, on my leg between the knee and ankle. From an injury to the skin, which was comparatively slight, there grew, as the result of a cold and humor, a running sore, which became worse and spread till at one time it covered a place on my leg fully six inches long by three or four inches wide. I was obliged to keep it bandaged constantly, and when I changed the bandages every night, it caused a

#### SEVERE BURNING SENSATION.

The sore was also very sensitive, and when at work a slight touch would cause it to bleed, and pain intensely. When I had suffered in this way about a year, I happened to be reading of the cures Hood's Sarsaparilla had effected in cases similar to mine, and I decided to give it a trial. In connection with the Sarsaparilla, I used Hood's Olive Ointment for the purpose of cooling and soothing the sore, and it served its purpose admirably. The effects of the Sarsaparilla were also soon apparent. The sore began to grow less, and in a few months had entirely healed, leaving a large scar which I suppose I shall always have upon me. My blood seems to have been thoroughly purified, as I have not been troubled by the humor in any way since, though before I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was seldom free from it in some form. I have recommended Hood's Sarsaparilla to other people frequently, and do now recommend it to every one troubled with scrofula or salt rheum, or any in need of a medicine to purify the blood." ALBERT ESTES, 28 East Pine Street, Lowell, Mass.

### *Varicose Ulcer.*

#### *To the Public and Afflicted:*

"I wish to make a statement in regard to Hood's Sarsaparilla and the vast good it has done me. Some ten or twelve years ago my leg, the veins in which had been in a varicose condition, broke out in an ulcer, which soon grew to be as large round as a silver dollar. I consulted several physicians about it. Some of them helped me somewhat, but none permanently. The ulcer would sometimes heal over and then would break out again. I tried everything I could hear of, but to no good. As will readily be understood, it gave me great trouble and pain

#### FOR ELEVEN LONG YEARS!

In July, 1883, the ulcer broke out worse than ever, and it got to be about three inches in diameter, on the shin bone about eight inches from the ankle joint, and so deep that the bone could be seen. The skin came off all around the leg, from the ankle joint up to my knee, and my leg was so sore that when I took off the cloths the blood would start out like drops of sweat, causing intense pain almost beyond endurance. I grew so nervous that I could scarcely write my name, and I had to give up business. In May, 1884, I was persuaded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla by Mr. A. A. Pillsbury, who had been cured by this medicine of catarrh and varicose leg. So, May 23, 1884, I got my first bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon after I began taking it I noticed improvement in the ulcer, and decrease of the pain. I was thus encouraged to continue, and when I had taken four bottles, in September, my leg was all healed up and

#### ENTIRELY CURED.

On the first of October I took off the bandage, and have not had on any since; and my leg is as sound as any man's. I had also suffered severely with catarrh, having the disagreeable droppings in my throat, and that is perfectly cured. Of course I praise Hood's Sarsaparilla wherever I go. It has done wonders for me, and I think there is nothing like it for varicose ulcers or sores. For confirmation of this statement I refer to the following parties who have known of

my case for eleven years: F. A. Booth, custom mill; W. P. Davis, machinist; E. E. Bond, saw, stove and heading mill; C. S. Chambers, general store and postmaster; A. H. Fairchild, millwright; A. D. Martin and L. H. Huntington, farmers,—all in North Bloomfield; also to John Harnish, postmaster; Dutton & Allen, druggists; S. Hurd, clothier; George McBride, harnesses; James Southgate, jeweler; William Brayton, furniture, and others in Honeoye Falls. Many people in this vicinity are using Hood's Sarsaparilla with satisfactory results." WALLACE BUCK, Justice of the Peace, Box 31, North Bloomfield, Ontario County, N. Y.

#### *Further Corroboration.*

"We know that Mr. Wallace Buck has been troubled with a severe varicose ulcer for several years, and has been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. We regard him a thoroughly reliable man, and the above is a truthful statement of his case." DUTTON & ALLEN, Druggists, Honeoye Falls, N. Y.

#### *Varicose Veins and Humor.*

"This certifies that I have been troubled with varicose veins and a scrofulous humor for the past twelve or fifteen years—at times so severely as to compel me to use a crutch, or to abstain from business entirely. Upon the recommendation of one of my neighbors, I commenced using Hood's Sarsaparilla, and have used two bottles and a half of it. My leg is entirely healed, I gain daily in strength, and have at all times a good appetite. I can cheerfully recommend it to any one who is suffering as I was." C. M. FRENCH, Franklin, N. H.

#### *Scrofulous Sores.*

C. A. Arnold, Arnold, Me., for seven years, spring and fall, had scrofulous sores on his legs; and for two years was not free from them at all. He began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and before he had taken two bottles the sores healed and the humor left him.

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### *Glandular Swellings.*

A peculiar form of scrofula is swelling of the glands of the neck, often forming large bunches, which are very disagreeable and unsightly. These bunches accumulate a quantity of foul matter, and have a weakening and depressing effect upon the general health. We give below a statement from a lady who suffered from an affection of this kind and was greatly benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me what the best medical treatment in this vicinity has failed to accomplish. My disease was an enlargement of the glands of my neck. The gland back of my left ear was swollen as large as a hen's egg, and the glands on my neck and collar bone were also swollen to about the same size. I doctored and suffered for eighteen long months, and could find no relief in anything I tried. My

#### WHOLE GLANDULAR SYSTEM

seemed affected. I read in a book that similar cases had been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I decided to try it. I almost immediately found relief, and having now taken five bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, I believe there is nothing equal to it for diseases of this kind. I have also used three boxes of Hood's Vegetable Pills and Hood's Olive Ointment with good results. I am now able to do my work, something I have not done for five years. The swelling of the glands has been reduced over half, and I intend to keep on taking the medicine till it is entirely gone. My general health has never been better than now. I most heartily recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla to all who may be suffering. It has certainly done me great deal of good." MRS. WILLIAM McDONALD, 94 North Street, Wooster, Ohio.

### *A Remarkable Effect.*

"Three years ago my wife had a running sore break out on both sides of her left ankle, which soon grew so bad that she could not use her left foot; and to move about the house she was compelled to use a chair and cane. It caused her intense suffering. She tried five doctors in this section,

but none of them did her a particle of good. Finally she gave a Cincinnati doctor six months trial, and he did her no good whatever. Then I saw Hood's Sarsaparilla advertised for scrofula, and my wife decided to try it. The first bottle had a remarkable effect. She put aside the chair and cane; the sores began to heal, and her health was greatly benefited." W. H. VAN ASCHEN, Miamisburg, Ohio.

### *As a Last Resort.*

One of the most wonderful cures of scrofula on record is that of the little daughter of Mr. M. J. Quinn, No. 285 First Street, Albany, N. Y. She was afflicted with scrofula from birth, and physicians said it would be better for her if she were dead. Her father says: "She had thirteen running sores on her body, besides being absolutely blind for months. She lost the use of her limbs, and could not walk; in fact, was a mere skeleton, wasting away. The smell from the sores was terrible. Seeing in a newspaper some cases of scrofula cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, I said to myself, 'I will try a bottle as a last resort.' When she had taken the first half bottle I could see a change in her, and when the whole bottle was taken the abscesses almost entirely healed, with the aid of Hood's Olive Ointment, which I must say is the finest I ever used. I kept on giving her Hood's Sarsaparilla, till now she is well and healthy. She has a splendid appetite. The neighbors don't know what to make of it."

Mrs. E. S. Caswell and Mrs. J. Holden, neighbors, confirm Mr. Quinn's statement, and consider the cure of his little daughter by Hood's Sarsaparilla the most wonderful thing that has come to their knowledge.

### *Sores on the Neck.*

Miss Nellie Maine, Rockville, Conn., had terrible scrofulous sores on her neck, one being as large as her hand. She had given up hope of getting well, when a friend induced her to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. After taking three bottles the sores entirely disappeared.



### *Blood Poison.*

"Last summer I met with an accident which resulted in poisoning the blood in my left leg. By recommendation of a friend, I made use of Hood's Sarsaparilla. I took one bottle, and received immediate relief; the swelling on my leg reduced in size, and I could walk with greater ease. In all, I took four bottles, and am entirely cured. I made use of Hood's Olive Ointment in connection with Hood's Sarsaparilla, and testify with hearty indorsement to the efficacy of both remedies. Should any one inquire about my case, I shall be pleased to explain it fully." R. BRUCE, Malden, Mass.

"I have used Hood's Sarsaparilla for blood poison, and I believe it has entirely cured me." W. H. BARR, foreman Beatty's Glassworks, Steubenville, Ohio.

### *Poisoned by Paris Green.*

Mr. H. S. Clark, of Glen's Falls, N. Y., says that his blood became poisoned through handling Paris Green. His face all broke out with pimples and blotches. He tried the remedies usually kept in a drug store for such cases, but found nothing that did him any good till he made use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purified his blood and expelled the malignant venom. Mr. Clark says he knows by experience that Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best blood purifier in the market, and he so recommends it.

### *Malaria.*

"I have been suffering most of the winter with malaria and blood poison. Of course my physician helped me in a measure, but nothing permanent. I was urged to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I am happy to say that it has wholly eradicated the disease; also, I tried Hood's Sarsaparilla for sick headaches, and I am almost entirely free from them." MRS. F. A. LINCOLN, Chicago, Ill.

### *Performing a Duty.*

"I feel that I should be neglecting my duty were I to fail in giving my testimony as to the value of Hood's Sarsaparilla. For years I was a great sufferer from salt rheum, catarrh, chronic dyspepsia, kidney complaint and consti-

pation. I tried medical advice and several kinds of medicines, all in vain. I am now sixty-nine years old, and have been using Hood's Sarsaparilla the past ten months. I find myself much improved in health, and know that Hood's Sarsaparilla has done me more good than anything I have ever used." L. A. WOODWORTH, 417 Pratt St., Meriden, Ct.

### *Our Own Folks Take It.*

Those who are employed in connection with Hood's Sarsaparilla have a remarkable amount of confidence in the preparation. They believe they are working in the interest of a good thing, and take pleasure in increasing its sale. Many of our employes have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla with beneficial results, and the following letter, from the wife of one of our travelers tells frankly the good it has done in her family: "I had terrible

#### SICK HEADACHES,

about once a week. I sought medical advice and used various medicines, but nothing seemed to do me any permanent good. By advice of a friend I began to use Hood's Sarsaparilla, and the relief was so marked from the very first that I kept on and am now entirely free from the headaches. I am not like the same person, my health being improved in every way. I also gave Hood's Sarsaparilla to my little girl for

#### SWELLINGS IN HER FACE AND NECK.

We had been doctoring for them a great while, and had had them lanced twice. Since we began to give her Hood's Sarsaparilla the swellings have disappeared, and she seems an entirely different child. She has a good appetite, and is gaining all the time. I can recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla to all as a safe, sure medicine." MRS. F. E. LORD, No. 421 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

### *Cramp and Colic.*

"I have used Hood's Sarsaparilla for a blood purifier in my family for several years, and cannot speak too highly of it. It has been very beneficial in cases of cramp and colic, with which we have been troubled in this section." J. E. COLLINS, Bassett House, Piqua, Ohio.

### *Mother and Daughter.*

"I had a large ulcer on my leg, below my knee, for over a year, and though I took everything recommended, it did not commence to heal till I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, discarding all other preparations. I now feel better in every respect, and have a good appetite. I have not been down stairs for eight months; but now I feel so much better that I will be able to do so before long. I shall continue to take Hood's Sarsaparilla till the ulcer is all healed. I have great faith in the medicine, and recommend it to every one. I have often thought I should like to tell how much good this medicine has done me." MRS. D. HUTCHINS, Roscoe, Coshocton Co., O.

"The above statement is from my mother. I can say that all she says of Hood's Sarsaparilla is true. It certainly has done her a great deal of good." MRS. R. J. HOOKER, druggist, Roscoe, O.

### *Scrofulous Humor.*

"I have been troubled with scrofulous humor, and sores breaking out all over my body for the last fifteen years. I have taken four bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it has entirely cured me. I recommend it very highly to any one troubled with scrofula, or any blood disease." HENRY BIGGS, 1819 Campbell Street, Kausas City, Mo.

### *Bright and Healthy.*

"Every spring my wife and children have been troubled with scrofula, sores breaking out on them in various places. My little boy, three years old, has been a terrible sufferer. Last spring he was one mass of sores from head to feet. I was advised by a friend to use Hood's Sarsaparilla, and we have all taken it this spring. The result is that all have been cured of the scrofula, my little boy being entirely free from sores, and all four of my children look bright and healthy as possibly can be. I have found Hood's Sarsaparilla also very good for catarrh, with which I have been troubled since the war. I have not found anything do me so much good as Hood's Sarsaparilla. I cordially recommend it." WM. B. ATHERTON, Passaic City, N. J.

### *Saved from Blindness.*

"I take great pleasure in telling what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for my little boy. Six months ago ulcers began to come on his right eye. The doctors said the cause was scrofulous humor in the blood. After a time he could not open his eye at all; the humor grew worse, and his face became sore. Then his left eye began to be affected, and I thought he would be entirely blind. I bought a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla just for a trial. What was my surprise, before the bottle was all gone, his face had all healed up and he could open his eye just a little bit, something he had not done for four months. He continued to take it, and I am happy to say can now

SEE AS WELL AS HE EVER DID.

He has left off the shade which he wore over his eyes so long. I feel that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla my child would have been blind. I cannot find words to praise it enough nor to thank you for making it known. I thank God that things grow to make so good a medicine. My boy is now six years old, and every time I look at him I feel that I have not praised Hood's Sarsaparilla half enough. He is now better than he has ever been in his life before. Every word here is true, and you are at liberty to use this statement as you see fit." MRS. ANDREW W. LEONARD, Middleboro, Mass.

### *Running Sores.*

"I was severely afflicted with scrofula, and for over a year had two running sores on my neck. I took five bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and consider myself entirely cured." C. E. LOVEJOY, Tyler Street, Lowell, Mass.

### *Scrofula Tumors.*

"Last spring I had three large bunches on my neck which my physician called scrofula tumors. They were as large as hen's eggs. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and before I had used one bottle they began to decrease, and finally disappeared. I feel that I cannot say too much for Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. S. NORRIS, Piqua, Ohio.

### *One More Effort.*

Hon. Edgar Thorn, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., attorney and counsellor-at-law, ex-Surrogate of Dutchess County, a gentleman nearly eighty years of age, makes his statement below. Mr. Thorn writes, he says, "not for notoriety, but because I came to the conclusion that it was my duty, not only due you, but also for the benefit of the public, and those who might be suffering from similar affliction, that they might be relieved thereby." Mr. Thorn says: "Having received much relief and benefit from Hood's Sarsaparilla, I feel constrained to send you a testimonial in its favor. For the past seven or eight years I have been afflicted with sores of an ulcerous form on both my legs, between the knees and ankles. I tried all the medicines for purifying the blood I could hear of, and it would make a long list if I should name them. I received no relief, and had made up my mind there was

#### NO RELIEF FOR ME.

But I saw Hood's Sarsaparilla recommended for the curing of sores, etc. Being very bad at that time, I thought I would make one more effort, though contrary to my best judgment. I consequently bought a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. As soon as I began to take it improvement began, and it was perceptible from day to day. When the bottle was gone I was astonished and delighted at the change which had been effected in my condition. I took a second bottle, and when I had finished, my legs were well. I am now on my third bottle. There is not a sore on my legs, and I can use them as I choose. The doctors said it would not do to heal them up, that my general health would be impaired; but I have gained six or seven pounds, and have missed but one business day from my office, which is three-quarters of a mile from my house. I am now on the western edge of life, being in my eightieth year."

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### *An Honest Medicine.*

"About seven years ago a scrofula humor made its appearance on my body—more particularly about my hands and wrists, feet and ankles. Sometimes they would be one mass of sores. I became so bad that I went to see a seventh-son doctor, who made a specialty of treating scrofula. After examining me, he said salt rheum had got uppermost, and he would not treat me. Two years ago I met a lady from Amherst, N. H., who had been benefited by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and advised me to try it. I took that season two bottles and it helped me as nothing else did. This last spring I took two bottles more. My humor has ceased to trouble me; my sores are all healed; my health is excellent, so that I have stopped taking it. I believe Hood's Sarsaparilla to be just what it is recommended to be—an honest medicine. I cordially recommend it to the afflicted." Mrs. J. McCLURE, Revere, Mass.

A lady friend from Amherst, N. H., speaking of the above case, says: "I am very intimate with Mrs. McClure, and never saw such a sight as her arm was before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. It had to be dressed very often, and we all thought it would have to be amputated. I feel sure her life was saved by Hood's Sarsaparilla."

### *For Twenty-One Years*

Thomas Bennett, 21 Coventry Street, Boston, had a scrofulous bunch on his leg, below the knee. For four years it itched terribly, and the scratching caused a running sore which was so troublesome that he could hardly restrain himself from cutting out the lump with his knife. Various remedies did him no good, and he thought he should carry the torment to his grave. Two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla cured him, and he says he cannot say too much for this medicine.

Mrs. R. F. Baker, Malden, Mass., had scrofula and canker; was greatly benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and says: "I give you thanks for such a valuable medicine."

### *Intense Suffering.*

A Lowell lady, who had suffered intensely from salt rheum, tells her story clearly and concisely as follows:

"I was a great sufferer from salt rheum on my limbs, for a dozen years previous to the time I was cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. The skin would become dry, chap, crack open, bleed, and itch intensely, so that I could not help scratching, which of course made them worse. At the time I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla they were so bad that they discharged, and I was obliged to keep them bandaged with linen cloths. The skin was drawn so tight by the heat of the disease that, if I stooped over, it would crack open, and actually bring tears to my eyes. The first bottle benefited me so much that I continued taking it till I was cured. I used a box of Hood's Olive Ointment, to relieve the itching. I hope many others may learn the value of Hood's Sarsaparilla and receive as much benefit as I have." MRS. S. S. MOODY, 75 Broadway, Lowell, Mass.

### *Given Up as Incurable.*

"My little four-year-old girl had a powerful eruption on her face and head. Under her eyes it was a regular scalding red, and sore like a burn. Back of her left ear we had to shave the hair close to her head. Five or six physicians and two hospitals gave up her case as incurable, save that she might outgrow it. When it began to mature I became alarmed. In three weeks, with Hood's Sarsaparilla, the sores began to heal; two bottles made her eyes as clear as ever. To-day she is as well as I am." JOHN CAREY, South Boston, Mass.

### *Entirely Cured.*

"A few years ago my son commenced using Hood's Sarsaparilla for salt rheum. It broke out on his hands and on the calves of his legs. His hands were so bad they would crack open and bleed. He has taken from six to eight bottles, and I am happy to state is entirely cured. My wife has also been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and has received a great amount of benefit from it." J. B. STANTON, Mt. Vernon, O.

### *A Business Man.*

Mr. William Spies, of the firm of Spies & Sage, Elyria, Ohio, says: "I have been a great sufferer from erysipelas and salt rheum, at times so bad that my hands would crack open, the ends of my fingers would bleed and itch terribly; my skin was so dry it would peel off, and it caused me intense suffering. I have used ointments, salves, and various preparations—in fact, everything I saw advertised I bought; but my hands were no better. The trouble was caused by handling tobacco. Seeing Hood's Sarsaparilla advertised, I inquired about it, and found several of my friends using it. They induced me to try it, and after taking a bottle and a half, I was greatly pleased with the result. I have now taken four bottles and am entirely well."

### *General Health Affected.*

Mr. Charles N. Adams, foreman of the Vermont Journal Company, Windsor, Vt., says: "For about four years I have been troubled with humor, resembling the salt rheum somewhat, seriously affecting my general health, and also at times getting into my eyes, so much so that I was unable to attend to my duties in the office. I used Hood's Sarsaparilla, and my eyes are apparently nearly cured, and the humor seems about eradicated from my system. I am so far encouraged that I shall continue the use of the medicine, as I feel that it will completely renovate my blood."

### *In Good Condition.*

Mr. Isaac Packard, an old and esteemed resident of Campello, Mass., writes as follows: "I have always been troubled with a salt rheum. Every spring it shows itself by breaking out in sores, usually on my legs. I find there is nothing for it like Hood's Sarsaparilla. One or two bottles dry it up and put me in good condition for the season. I most highly recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla."

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### *Immediate Benefit.*

"For three years I was a severe sufferer from dyspepsia or indigestion. Almost all kinds of food distressed me, and at times caused me great suffering, particularly at night, after retiring. Not unfrequently my distress was so great that I was kept awake a great part of the night. Finally I was induced to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I almost immediately began to experience benefit. My digestion gradually improved, my food relished and did me good. I could retire at night and sleep soundly, without the former distress. After using less than two bottles, I was enabled to almost entirely discontinue its use, my digestive powers having assumed so healthy a tone. Being grateful for the great good I received from Hood's Sarsaparilla, I most cordially recommend a trial of it to any one suffering as I was." EMILIE L. SPEAR, Melrose Highlands, Mass.

### *Could n't Eat Anything.*

"A lady in Abington told me she could n't eat a thing without distress. I told her if she would get a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla I would pay for it if it did n't cure her. The next time I saw her (six weeks later) she said she could sit down and eat a hearty meal of victuals without distress. It was the same way with my brother. He could n't eat anything, he had such pains and distress. He lost fifty pounds. I don't know what he did n't try; but I do know nothing did him any good till he took Hood's Sarsaparilla. That not only cured him, but he has regained thirty of the fifty pounds. The doctor told my brother to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, and if that did n't cure him he knew of nothing that would. In our business on the road, all the time, we come into contact with a great many people, and I venture to say that I know of more than fifty cases of dyspepsia that have been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla." J. M. RAYMOND, Peru, Mass.

"I used Hood's Sarsaparilla and found it a good thing. I was troubled with indigestion." C. A. SCHULTZ, Fostoria, O.

### *Has No Equal.*

"I have suffered for many years very much from dyspepsia. Almost all kinds of food distressed me, and often I felt dull and heavy, having little or no ambition to do anything. Not long since, in connection with my daughter, who was ailing, I took Hood's Sarsaparilla. We have taken nearly three bottles, and I have derived so much benefit from its use that I am glad to say I think it has no equal." MRS. MARY A. KNIGHTS, Charlestown, Mass.

### *Permanently Cured.*

"Seriously opposed to all patent medicines, it was after a great deal of talk that I was persuaded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla for my wife, who had been troubled with indigestion and debility for several years, which really rendered her feeble. Finally I was induced, faith lacking, to try one bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before she had taken all of this, her health commenced to improve. She is now taking the fourth bottle, and her health has steadily and permanently improved. I firmly believe Hood's Sarsaparilla is entitled to the credit, and I most cheerfully and confidently recommend it to any and all sufferers." GEORGE W. BOWORTH, Amherst, N. H.

### *Worked Wonders.*

"Hood's Sarsaparilla has worked wonders in the case of my wife, who has been troubled with sick headache and biliousness for years. She found that within a week after taking it she felt very much better, and is now entirely free from those severe headaches." HOMER B. NASH, Pittsfield, Mass.

A later letter from Mr. Nash, says. "I am still engaged in recommending Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is certainly doing splendid things here. I am inquired of every week in regard to it."

### *Can Attest Its Merits.*

"I have used Hood's Sarsaparilla for loss of appetite and occasional headache, and can attest its merits." E. SCHWEIZER, Pittsfield, Mass.

### *For Ten Years.*

"For about ten years past I have been subject to costiveness, which I have been in the habit of relieving by means of pills, or physic in some form. This course produced nothing of a permanent nature, except to irritate the digestive organs, and to produce an alternate constipation and diarrhoea. Chronic indigestion, of course, was the result of this action, and only from those varieties of food most easy of digestion could my system derive any nourishment. I tried physicians and various medicines, especially those most advertised; but only obtained the merest temporary relief. I was about to join in an

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against all medicines, when I decided to give Hood's Sarsaparilla a trial. The demulcent properties of Hood's Sarsaparilla are such that the first bottle allayed the irritation I have mentioned, and, under this mollifying influence, my stomach gradually grew healthier and stronger, till now I am able to digest and assimilate all kinds of food. I used two bottles according to directions; but at present take only occasional doses. My profession is that of a school teacher, and, since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, I have been able to do my work with more vigor than ever." WEBSTER DOCK, Three Rivers, Mich.

### *Distress After Eating.*

"About a year ago my wife was troubled with dyspepsia. She could not keep her food down, and had that oppressed feeling after eating. She had no appetite, and was tired all the time. She tried numerous medicines without being relieved. Finally, a lady friend induced her to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and the first bottle did her a great deal of good. She has now taken two bottles, and can eat anything she wants without having that distress, and has no trouble in retaining her food." JOHN BATTENFIELD, Marion, Ohio.

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### *Indigestion.*

Henry Dickson, wholesale grocer, and proprietor of Dickson's Opera House, Kenton, Ohio, writes: "My wife has been troubled with indigestion, and her blood has been in a poor condition. She has used several bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it has been a great benefit to her."

### *Felt Like a New Woman.*

Mrs. S. S. Dimick, East Somerville, Mass., had dyspepsia and sore mouth; could not eat the first thing without being distressed; was failing every day, and could not take care of her house or her children. She was told of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after taking two bottles felt like a new woman, could do her work better than ever before, and is thankful for the medicine.

### *None So Satisfactory.*

"I have been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for dyspepsia, from which I have suffered two years. I tried many other medicines, but none proved so satisfactory as Hood's Sarsaparilla. I recommend it to all sufferers from dyspepsia." THOMAS COOK, Brush Electric Light Company, New York City.

### *Lump in the Stomach.*

"For nearly a year, by spells, I have been troubled with an uncomfortable feeling, like a lump in my stomach, accompanied with nausea, to remove which I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla and have been fully relieved." HENRY S. GRAY, Great Falls Hotel, Great Falls, N. H.

### *The Same Old Story.*

Mrs. A. L. Fish, formerly of Chelsea, Vt., now of Central City, Neb., was sick five years with a complication of scrofula and dyspepsia. She had no appetite, and was all run down. Hood's Sarsaparilla seemed to "hit the spot," and less than five bottles made a well woman of her. Her husband says: "It's the same old story, but it's just as true for all that—'tried everything and everybody without relief; took Hood's Sarsaparilla and got well.'"

### *Headache for Years.*

Mr. S. Woodberry, the popular printer, binder and ruler at No. 105 Summer street, Boston, has been cured of sick headache by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and his wife has also been greatly benefited. Read his comprehensive statement: "It is with pleasure I add my testimony to the many who have already spoken of the immense good derived by them from the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla. About a year ago, my wife, not naturally very strong, became so debilitated that she weighed but 110 pounds; had no appetite; and what she did eat distressed and troubled her a great deal. I purchased a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, but she would not take it unless I did. I did not think I needed it, but to encourage her I consented. I had been subject to sick headache for years, every few weeks; at times so violent I was obliged to give up work, and keep my bed for the entire day. Since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, I have not lost an hour from this cause. My wife's health is better than it has been for years. She now weighs 130 pounds, has a good appetite, eats anything she wants to, and feels like a new person. Hood's Sarsaparilla has proved a great benefit to us, and we heartily recommend it to any one suffering from like causes, or to any who need a blood purifier."

### *Constant Misery.*

"I was a great sufferer from sick headache and dyspepsia. There was constant misery in my stomach. By advice of my neighbor, Mrs. O'Rourke, I made use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I can say with truth I am free from headache, and my food does not distress me. I used two bottles." MRS. P. O'GORMAN, Brooklyn, N. Y.

### *A Methodist Minister.*

Said an amiable and philosophic Methodist minister, cured of a severe dyspepsia: "Before I took Hood's Sarsaparilla I felt myself alive all over, and I often used to think that, let damnation be what it might, nothing could exceed the horror of my creeping existence."

### *Headaches and Canker.*

"For several years I have suffered from constant headaches, canker in my mouth and pain in my stomach. For a year I didn't have a good night's rest. An eminent physician told me my troubles were caused by canker in my stomach, the bad state of my blood, and debility. I believe he was correct. And I am happy to tell you that Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured me. I do not have the headache or pain now. I tried many medicines of different kinds, but nothing did me any good till I got Hood's Sarsaparilla. I could not have worked a day last summer, had it not been for this valuable medicine. When I commenced taking it, I had no appetite, and was all run down; but it soon gave me an appetite and strength. You don't know how much good it did me. I have recommended it to my friends, and they have been helped very much by it." MARY MORSE, 28 Boott Corporation, Lowell, Mass.

### *Sick Headache.*

"I have been troubled with sick headache, which seldom gave me any rest, and very often caused neglect of business. After trying several remedies, I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I can truly say that in four weeks it made me a new man. My head ceased to ache, and my whole system is built up anew, enjoying perfect health. It is the best medicine I ever used, and after trying others, I find it has no equal." I. BARRINGTON, 130 Bank Street, New York City.

### *Felt the Effects at Once.*

"About a year ago I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. I was all run down, had no appetite, my food would not digest, and I was troubled with nervous debility. After taking the first bottle I commenced to feel the effects of it at once. Have now taken four bottles and can say I feel like a new man." J. H. McCALL, Rochester, N. Y.

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### *A Terrible Sufferer.*

One of the most severely afflicted sufferers from rheumatism we ever met, is Mr. Henry T. Balcom, of Shirley, Mass. He served in the army, where he contracted the disease which has since caused him such terrible suffering. When he returned home, he began to have periodical attacks of rheumatism, which gradually increased in severity, until he was obliged to give up manual labor. Being a blacksmith by trade, and naturally a large, strong man, it was a severe affliction to be obliged to give up business and be confined to his house. No physician or remedy did him any good, and in 1876 he became a helpless invalid, unable to walk, or even to move a hand to help himself. Previous to the spring of 1883, he found nothing to give him relief, although he

#### TRIED NEARLY EVERYTHING.

At that time his brother-in-law, Mr. Josiah Corner, of Lowell, Mass., recommended to him Hood's Sarsaparilla, and he began to take it. He says it did him more good than all the other medicines he had ever taken. Before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, for three weeks he tried every day to get from his chair across the room to his bed, a distance of twelve feet, on crutches, but his feeble arms and legs would give out before he had accomplished half the distance. Soon after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla he was able to walk across the room *without crutches*, and in a few months was able to walk all about the house without any aid. His general health, too, was greatly benefited. He is still taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and confidently expects that in time it will effect a complete cure. As his rheumatism has afflicted him twenty years, it must of necessity take time to overcome it.

### *As a General Tonic.*

"I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for rheumatism, and have received great benefit from it. I cheerfully recommend it as a tonic for the general system." W. BURDSAL, Lebanon, Ohio.

### *Whole System Benefited.*

"I have been troubled at times with rheumatism, the cause of which I think I must attribute to a want of proper action of my liver. Among other things, I had pain and great soreness in my left side. At night I could seldom lay on that side. Last spring I took Hood's Sarsaparilla regularly, according to the directions, with an occasional dose of Hood's Pills, until I used seven bottles; and it did me a great deal of good. My general health has been good through the summer, and I have had but little trouble from rheumatism. My side does not pain me, and indeed I think I sleep now more on my left side than on my right. I think it did my whole system good." Mrs. E. A. NICHOLS, 5 Garland Street, Boston.

### *Severe Rheumatism.*

Mr. W. F. Wood, the popular clerk in the Ashley House, the leading hotel in Bloomington, Ill., was a severe sufferer with rheumatism, being hardly able to walk. After being cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, as stated in his testimonial below, he recommended it to a friend who also suffered from rheumatism, and he, too, was entirely cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Mr. Wood says:

"I was troubled very much with rheumatism in my hips, ankles, and wrists; in fact, I could hardly walk, and was confined to my bed a good deal of my time. I was also very bilious and suffered severely. I was recommended to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, which I did. I have now taken four bottles and am perfectly well. I cheerfully recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla as one of the best blood purifiers in the world."

### *Muscular Rheumatism.*

"I am employed in the N. D. post-office in this city, as a carrier. During our late wet spell, I have suffered from what the doctors call muscular rheumatism. I was advised to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I did so, and now I believe I am entirely cured." JAMES V. A. PROUDFOOT, Chicago, Ill. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood,



### *Superior to All Others.*

We are pleased to receive the following statement from Mr. C. W. Cummings, dealer in general merchandise at Warren, N. H., and one of the most widely-known and popular storekeepers in his section of the State. He has twice been greatly benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and knows of many other people who have also received benefit from it. Read his statement:

"I have sold Hood's Sarsaparilla and have used it myself with wonderful results. I commenced taking it four years ago for acidity of my stomach and purifying my blood, and its effects were such as to give perfect satisfaction. Two and a half years ago I was attacked with a kidney trouble, and grew so bad that I was obliged to close out my business. After consulting what noted physicians I could find within reach, and trying the various remedies recommended for the trouble, I again began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. In a few months I sufficiently recovered so that I again engaged in business, and for nearly two years past I have not lost a day from sickness. I consider Hood's Sarsaparilla superior to all other proprietary medicines of its nature upon our markets, being familiar with many gratifying results produced from its use among my own customers. Say all you can in favor of this wonderful remedy. The medicine will back it. Its popularity and demand increase every year, and I not only confidently recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla from my own private experience, but from the good reports from many whom I know to have used it." C. W. CUMMINGS, Warren, N. H.

### *Could Not Do Without It.*

"I have been very much troubled for the last seven or eight years with a derangement of my liver and kidneys. My digestion has been bad. I had a severe bad feeling or pressure in my head. I also had severe bronchitis. I tried various remedies, but with little or no benefit. Last year I commenced the use of Hood's Sar-

saparilla. It has done me an immense amount of good. My whole system has been built up and strengthened, my digestion improved, my head relieved of the bad feeling, and my throat relieved of the severe irritation." MARY L. PEELE, 25 Turner Street, Salem, Mass.

### *Cold Feet—Pimples.*

"I was sick nine or ten years with difficulty of the kidneys and liver, and could get nothing to do me any good. At times I was unable to do my work. I had cold feet nearly all the time—could not keep them warm, and my body would break out with fine spots. I took different medicines, but could get no relief. I saw Hood's Sarsaparilla advertised and told my husband I would try one bottle, then I could tell if there was any good in it. I had taken only half of it when I began to feel better, and for years I have not felt as well as I do now. I do not have cold feet now, and am not troubled with pimples." MRS. FANNIE MILLER, 1012 Ninth Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

### *Pain in the Back.*

"After seeing three doctors, I was advised to take Hood's Sarsaparilla for a pain in my back, caused by standing on my feet while at my work. I think it must have been trouble with my kidneys. After using one bottle I felt almost well, and am now taking the second bottle, which I think will entirely cure me." HENRY J. STANDTE, Kansas City, Mo.

"Four years ago I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for kidney complaint, after enduring painful oppression in my back. My case was considered hopeless, as I passed blood. Two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me, and I am now well. I am a farmer and am again able to do all kinds of work." A. FELTON, Tunbridge, Vt.

### *Good Advice.*

"I have been using Hood's Sarsaparilla for indigestion, kidney and liver troubles. It has greatly benefited me, and I would advise any one afflicted with similar troubles to give it a trial." W. H. WAIT, depot master, Syracuse, N. Y.

### *An Engineer's Wife.*

Mr. H. D. Winans, whose wife's statement is given below, is an engineer on the Michigan Central Railroad. He says that many a night, after coming home from a hard day's work, he had to lose most of his night's rest, caring for his invalid wife. No medical attendance or other medicines seemed to do her any good. But when she began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, improvement began at once. She soon rested much better and Mr. Winans has not lost a night's rest since. Mrs. Winans says:

"I have been in poor health several years, and have tried many medicines but did not receive much of any benefit from them. I was advised to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and did so. I have now taken nearly three bottles and have received more benefit from it than from any other medicine I ever used. My trouble being caused by indigestion, I was very much troubled with restlessness during the night, and in the morning would get up with a very tired feeling. After taking only a part of the first bottle I could rest well all night and feel refreshed when I woke up. I must say that Hood's Sarsaparilla is all it is recommended to be." MRS. H. D. WINANS, 210 East Mason Street, Jackson, Mich.

### *An Indiana Postmaster.*

"In justice to Hood's Sarsaparilla, I will give a little history of what it has done for my wife. For twelve years she has been afflicted with a stomach trouble, which at times would take different shapes. Sometimes she would suffer severe cramps, at other times an aching, gnawing sensation. She received only temporary relief from medicines, until a friend induced us to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. About Nov. 15, 1884, she began to take it, weighing then only 113 pounds. She has now taken three bottles, and weighs 130 pounds, and she is so much relieved that she feels confident of permanent cure." ISAIAH PHIPPS, Yockey, Ind.

### *Pain in the Stomach.*

"Two years ago I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. I had been suffering from a severe pain in my stomach for

a long time and had tried different kinds of medicine but failed to get relief until I used Hood's Sarsaparilla. It helped me after taking part of a bottle. Now when I feel any of the symptoms I take it and it helps me." H. J. CROSS, Bath, N. H.

### *Despaired of Being Well.*

"I have been troubled with dyspepsia for many years, so that at times I would despair of ever being well. Medicine did not seem to do me any good. I was unable to work for a number of years. Two years ago Hood's Sarsaparilla was recommended by a friend, and I got a bottle and used it. It did me so much good that I have taken several bottles, which have cured the dyspepsia, and I now consider myself entirely well. I cannot find words strong enough to express satisfactorily to myself my feeling in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It has done everything for me, and I cheerfully recommend it to all needing medicine."

MRS. S. M. BEEDE, Marblehead, Mass.  
 "I can certify to the above as being true, and also say that other members of the family are using Hood's Sarsaparilla with good results." S. M. BEEDE.

### *All-Gone Feeling.*

"I have been troubled with dyspepsia. I had but little appetite, and what I did eat distressed me, or did me little good. In an hour after eating, I would experience a faintness, or tired, all-gone feeling, as though I had not eaten anything. My trouble, I think, was aggravated by my business, which is that of a painter, and from being, more or less, shut up in a room with fresh paint. Last spring I took Hood's Sarsaparilla—took three bottles. It did me an immense amount of good. It gave me an appetite, and my food relished and satisfied the craving I had previously experienced. It relieved me of that faint, tired, all-gone feeling. I have felt so much better since I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, that I am most happy to add my recommendation to the many before me, of the great value of Hood's Sarsaparilla." GEORGE A. PAGE, Watertown, Mass.

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### *African Fever.*

African fever is seldom found in this country, and the remarkable cure which Hood's Sarsaparilla effected in the case of Sheriff Nickerson, as described in his intelligent statement below, serves to further illustrate the wonderful curative power which Hood's Sarsaparilla has over all diseases which can be expelled by strengthening the system and purifying the blood.

"In 1864 I contracted the fever in Africa, which stuck to me closer than a brother, until 1879. Up to the latter date, I was sorely afflicted. I would hardly get up from one attack before another would take me, continuing a month or more; sometimes for two or three months, as in one attack. When I got out from that, I was

#### NEARLY PLAYED OUT.

After this the chills left me, and I was troubled with a dumb ague, as it is called. This finally changed to what I called a 'boo-hoo' fever—a feeling that all your friends had departed, and you longed to go too. During all this time I was very nervous, sleeping very little, and then under the influence of opiates.

"About this time, say in 1879, a friend advised my trying Hood's Sarsaparilla (my weight was then 125-128 pounds). I objected, as I supposed, like other medicines, it would only give me temporary relief, and prolong a miserable existence; and, as I had already been dead, even as my friends supposed, I thought it useless to try. Yet, at his urgent solicitation, I purchased one bottle

#### AS AN EXPERIMENT,

and used it according to directions. I found relief, so far as sleep was concerned, if in no other way; that is, I took Hood's Sarsaparilla four times, daily, viz.: morning, noon, at tea-time, and at bed-time. The latter dose was taken for sleep, and it worked like a charm. I would go to bed and sleep the night through, as I had not done for years. Soon I felt that my health was improving, and I continued its use for several years (say fifty bottles), as a purifier of the blood; and I am happy to say that, in my opinion, if it had not

been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I should not to-day be writing this; but have shuffled off this mortal coil long ago.

"My business, that of deputy-sheriff for the last fourteen years, requires me to be up and about; and now I am about, as my friends can testify, early and late. My age is sixty-five years; my weight has increased thirty pounds (making it 158 pounds) since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I am feeling as though I was a well man, which I am, comparatively.

"I can fully endorse Hood's Sarsaparilla as a remedy to those who are afflicted as I have been. Many of my friends, as they see the change in my appearance and condition, have inquired what I have been using, and, when I informed them Hood's Sarsaparilla, they have purchased it and have used it with benefit.

"In the above, I have stated my case in a rambling way; but it is all fact, as any one can learn by writing to New Bedford, where I am well known, not only as to my present state of health, but my former condition.

"Any person afflicted as I have been, wishing to inquire as to any particular symptom of the disease, can write to me direct, as I am fully acquainted with African fever, its outgoings, and its incomings, having known it intimately for the last fifteen years, and it was of my own importation.

"I cannot say too much in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It has done wonders for me." J. W. NICKERSON, 34 Eighth Street. Office as Deputy-Sheriff, 34 North Water St., New Bedford, Mass.

### *Unqualified Recommendation.*

The well known house of George C. Goodwin & Co., Boston, send us this gratifying statement: "We are having an excellent demand for Hood's Sarsaparilla. We think it one of the best medicines we ever sold for purifying the blood and for spring debility, and do not hesitate to give it our unqualified recommendation. Our customers speak highly of it, and their opinions confirm our judgment."

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### *Coughs, Etc.*

It has always been admitted, regarding the advertising of C. I. Hood & Co., that we have never made any claims as to the curative powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which were absurd. And when we recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla as a cough remedy, some of our readers may think that the claim is a peculiar and improbable one. But it should be remembered that sometimes coughs become constitutional, and often when the usual cough remedies fail to reach the trouble, Hood's Sarsaparilla, being a constitutional remedy, can effect a complete cure. Below we give statements from people who have been cured of such affections by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"I feel it my duty to speak in recommendation of that truly wonderful medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla. In reading over the testimonials published, I have not seen any recommending Hood's Sarsaparilla as a cough and lung remedy. But I can testify that it is the best remedy for lung trouble that I have ever taken. When all other medicines failed to relieve me, when I could not sleep nights, nor work days, I tried Hood's Sarsaparilla as a last resort. It worked like magic. I had not taken it over three days when I was nearly well of my cough. I kept on taking it till I had used half a bottle, when my cough had entirely ceased, and my lungs felt as strong as ever. I keep it on hand, and if I get cold or cough or feel bad in any way, I take a few doses. I think, and have told my customers to whom I have sold the remedy, that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I should have died with consumption. I can recommend it to every one who is afflicted with my trouble." CARLOS S. BATCHELDER, lung trouble.

Fairlee, Vt.

#### *Cough Cured.*

*Six Years' Cough Cured.* Hood's Sarsaparilla

"I used three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and it did me lots of good. I had been coughing for six years, and now I do not cough at all, unless I take cold. I think it is the best medicine that can be bought. Every one thought I was in consumption. I was for about two years

just able to stay up, now I am in good health. I am thankful for Hood's Sarsaparilla." ALBINA MARTIN, 38 Washington Corporation, Lawrence, Mass.

#### *Elder Cady of Providence.*

"In October, 1883, I took a severe cold, which produced inflammation in my bronchial tubes, lungs and chest, followed by a dry, hard cough and pain or oppression across my chest. I also lost my appetite and suffered much for five or six weeks. I then used one bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which restored me to my usual health. I am in my eighty-third year." J. CADY, Providence, R. I.

#### *Severe Cough Cured.*

"From infancy I was troubled with a severe cough every winter. Four years ago I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and have had no cough since." ARTHUR L. BROWN, 800 Eighth Avenue, New York, N. Y.

#### *Bronchitis.*

"I have suffered severely for the last three years with bronchitis, and have been unsuccessful in obtaining relief, till I obtained Hood's Sarsaparilla, which has cured me." MRS. MARY D. PROCTOR, Lawrence, Mass.

#### *Throat and Lungs.*

A well-known and highly respected citizen of Springfield, Ohio, sends us the following: "Since my return from the army I have been greatly annoyed by a throat and lung trouble. A few years ago I was persuaded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and am happy to state that I received great benefit from it. I can cheerfully recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla." A. G. BETHARD, Springfield, O.

"I took Hood's Sarsaparilla for cough and cold, and for the blood, and feel greatly benefited by the use of it." MRS. CALLIE CURTIS, Springfield, Ohio.

"I am practising medicine, and can recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla with confidence." DR. H. BENEDICT, Springfield, Ind.

"I have tried Hood's Sarsaparilla, and found it in perfect satisfaction." IDA JEWELL, Caroline Street, St. Louis, Mo.

## *Salt-Rheum.*

Eczema, commonly called Salt-Rheum, is a vesicular disease of the skin, characterized by watery blisters, smaller than those of herpes and larger than ordinary sudamina (a fine eruption of vesicles on the skin), such as are sometimes seen in the difficulty known as "prickly heat."

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Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co.: Three or four weeks ago I found one of your Cook Books; and your Sarsaparilla was recommended in such high terms that I have a desire to try it, also the Olive Ointment. I have succeeded in finding the Sarsaparilla, but not the Ointment, so I wish you to send me by mail a box. My son has a humor, and if it cures him you can have a testimonial that will be worth something. You may direct to him, Edgar F. Whitman. Yours truly, Adeline M. Whitman, Raynham, Mass., May 12th.

C. I. Hood & Co.: Gentlemen— \* \* \* \*  
For seven years I have had ring-worm humor and salt-rheum so badly that my body was covered with raw sores, as also was my head and face. I have had many doctors in the last seven years; none of them could cure me. One of them told me that I could never be cured. One day my mother was in the city of Taunton and found one of your Cook Books, and on reading it I found many people \*

to cures from the use of your Sarsaparilla and Olive Ointment. I felt forced to try it, although I had seen a great many things advertised that never did me any good. I have now taken two small bottles and one large one of Sarsaparilla; and used three boxes of Ointment, and I call myself cured. Nothing can be seen of this humor but the dim outlines of the sores. I am gratefully yours, Edgar F. Whitman, Raynham, Mass., Aug. 7th.

Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.: Gentlemen—It gives me pleasure to say a word in regard to the excellence of Hood's Sarsaparilla and its curative powers. I suffered with salt-rheum eight years, and found no relief in the innumerable patent medicines I used, nor in the advice and medicines of numerous physicians whom I freely employed. I noticed in Hood's Cook Book cases similar to mine cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which inspired my confidence. I gave it a trial and it cured me. My son was afflicted with salt-rheum, also, and it cured him. These are the facts, and you can use them as you wish. Mrs. Carrie M. Higgins, Gloucester, Mass., January 1, 1881.

I sold Mrs. Higgins the Hood's Sarsaparilla referred to in her letter, and know the facts are as stated by her. I am pleased to state in addition to this that I have sold a large amount of Hood's Sarsaparilla and it has given universal satisfaction. I recommend it as the best blood purifier. W. J. Maddocks, Apothecary, 107 Main Street, Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 3, 1881.

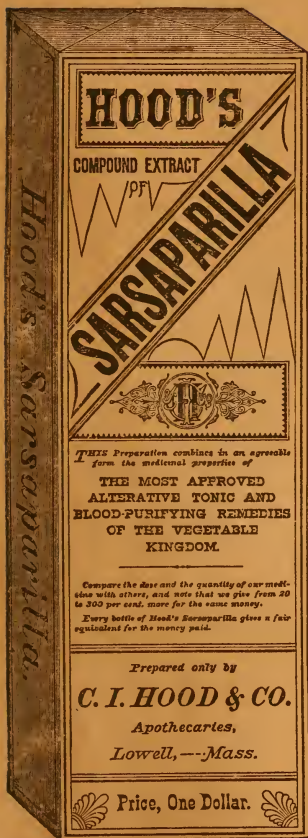
Gents—Some three months since I procured of Mr. C. A. Smith, our druggist, a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla for my son, who was at that time troubled with a scrofulous humor. He had several ugly sores between the ankle and his right leg, and other sores on different parts of his body. He used only two bottles of Sarsaparilla, and the sores have disappeared. He can now be free from the humor.

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