

Office and Laboratory,
LOCKPORT, N. Y., UNITED STATES.

FACTS.

After forty years of unparalleled success, Merchant's Gargling Oil stands unrivaled in the United States and other countries as a Liniment for human and animal flesh. Merchant's Gargling Oil is the result of a series of years of study and application prior to its introduction in 1833, by a practical and theoretical chemist, and is composed of the very best ingredients that can be procured in this and foreign countries. The chemical analysis which are brought to cooperate in the union of the various ingredients constituting the Liniment, renders it an article of universal potency. We have, for a number of years, published an Almanac for gratuitous distribution, and it is our intention to do so annually. Our edition for 1874 will be ready in July of 1873.

What is said of Merchant's Gargling Oil by eminent physicians and persons interested, fully proves that no Liniment ever prepared has so high a reputation wherever it has been used. As a family embrocation, as well as for horses and cattle, it stands unrivaled.

Merchant's Vegetable Worm Tablets.

The demand for a specific remedy for that troublesome pest—worms—has induced us to introduce Merchant's Worm Tablets, and the unprecedented success which they have met with, recommends them as the most efficacious Worm Medicine in existence. They are rapidly superseding all other Worm Remedies, arising from the completeness with which they perform their work, and the facility with which they are administered to children. The ingredients of these Tablets are purely vegetable, containing no Calomel, Antimony or other poisonous drugs, and may be given freely, with the assurance that they will effectually destroy all the worms existing in the intestines, correct and cleanse the stomach, and return the adult or child to health and vigor.

Directions for Using Merchant's Gargling Oil.

First shake the bottle thoroughly, and apply it three or four times a day, as you would any embrocation, by rubbing it on the parts affected with the hand, saturating a cloth and bandaging. If the Oil is too strong, as sometimes is the case, causing much smarting to the animal, or to human flesh, reduce it a little with whisky or Water. For Rheumatism, Neuralgia, etc., rub it on thoroughly by the fire. When the wound is a cut, raw, sore and tender, only apply the Oil with a soft rag or feather, and not rub it, but simply wet the parts affected twice or three a day. KEEP THE BOTTLE WELL CORKED.

Merchant's Gargling Oil as an internal Remedy.

Merchant's Gargling Oil is a diffusible stimulant, and can be taken internally when such a remedy is indicated. For instance, for Cramps or Spasms of Stomach, Colic, Asthma or Internal Pain, the dose may be from fifteen to twenty drops on sugar, or mixed with syrup in any convenient form, and repeated at intervals of three to six hours.

Keep Your Blood in Good Order if You Expect a Cure.

In using the Gargling Oil, as is sometimes the case, the directions are not followed, and, as a matter of course, the medicine does not have the desired effect; then again, when the Gargling Oil is used for flesh wounds, the blood should be in good condition to insure a speedy cure.

Merchant's Gargling Oil as a Family Liniment Without Stain.

We are now, and have been for some years preparing the Oil free from stain, to be used as a common Liniment for human flesh, extracting the coloring ingredient which has heretofore rendered it objectionable. This Oil possesses all the medicinal properties of that prepared with the dark dye for Horses and Cattle, and will be found one of the best remedies for all purposes where a Liniment is required, that has ever been manufactured. Keep the bottle well corked and shake before using.

The Press, as its mission provides, is among the first to recognize *the merit*. That it has done this in regard to Merchant's Gargling Oil, the following testimony from some of the leading newspapers in the country is ample evidence:

(From the Western Atlas, Phelps, N. Y., Feb. 10, 1853.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL.—Our readers are doubtless familiar with this article. It has a wide-spread celebrity, and is highly appreciated at home as well as abroad.

(From the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser, July 3, 1867.)

AN IMMENSE BUSINESS.—Passing one of our wholesale stores the other day, we noticed a huge pyramid of boxes labelled "Merchant's Gargling Oil." We thought there must be enough of it to supply half a continent, but, on inquiring, we learned that it filled only a single order, and that many similar orders were forwarded from this one concern, to the Laboratory in Lockport, in the course of the year. Roughly estimating the number of wholesale houses that do business direct with the parent house, and the thousands of customers who buy from it in smaller quantities, we formed an idea of what an enormous sale there must be for this popular and standard preparation.

(From the Wheeling Argus of May 24, 1866.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL.—There is satisfaction in bearing testimony of the real merits of an article in the healing art, whose intrinsic value soars above the myriads of useless nostrums with which our country abounds.

(From the Louisville Ky. Democrat, June 4, 1866.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL has become one of the most popular Liniments for human flesh that is now prepared, while for horses and cattle it has no equal in the world. We are assured by those who have used it for the piles—one of whom is a distinguished physician—that among all such speedy relief as the Gargling Oil.

(From the Buffalo Express, Aug. 26, 1867.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL.—We have to acknowledge the receipt of a package of this valuable Liniment from the manufacturers in Lockport. Having tried it, we can safely recommend its use.

(From the Detroit Commercial Advertiser, the 10th May, 1868.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL.—The wide-spread celebrity of this article and its efficacy in all cases where an external application would seem to be required are now unquestioned. It has proved itself, by the sure test of experience, to be emphatically "good for man and beast," and is the best Liniment in the world for the purposes for which it is advertised. Thousands of testimonials, dating from 1833, have been received by the manufacturers, testifying to the almost marvelous cure wrought by it. Our Western readers know its merits too well to render anything further from us necessary. Mr. John Hodge, Secretary of the manufacturing Company, Lockport, N. Y., stands high in the esteem of the community where he resides, and has also won the confidence of our merchants and dealers, by the fairness and liberality of his dealings.

(From the Albany Times, Albany, C. W., February 25th, 1867.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL.—This very useful article is now receiving the highest commendation from the press, and multitudes of witnesses, who have proved its efficacy. It is considered as one of the very best remedies, and in its refined, purified state, it is regarded as one of the most powerful Liniments for the removal of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, and the sufferings arising from Sprained Joints, Bruises, etc.

(From the Lockport (N. Y.) Daily Advertiser, Oct. 1st, 1865.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL.—This celebrated Embrocation is the best Liniment for family use that has come within our observation. Being compounded by a practical chemist, for outward application to the flesh, it may be relied on as innocent, speedy, and certain curing sprains, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Corns, etc.

(From the Lockport (N. Y.) Daily Journal & Courier, June 10th, 1867.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL.—The manufacture of this article in our city has become one of the most important branches of business in our midst. The Oil has come into general use throughout the United States, and to-day stands upon its own merit as a Liniment enjoying the full confidence of the public. Its name has become world-wide, and the cures effected by it on both man and beast, are witnessed wherever it is used. This medicine, possessing in a high degree the properties of an anodyne and restorative, has a wonderful influence over many painful diseases, and its efficacy to heal is attributed to the chemical combination of the choice ingredients of which it is composed. It was in Lockport that the discovery of this medicine was made, and here it has arisen from infancy to a good old age, fostered by the many satisfactory results arising from its use.

(From the Lockport (N. Y.) Daily Union, June 19, 1867.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL.—With the lapse of time there comes no falling off in the immense business done in the manufacture of this valuable medicine; but, instead, every year adds largely to the business, until now there is no State in the Union, and no country in the civilized

world, where it is not sold. And we are pleased to learn that the increase in orders is more marked this season than for many previous years.

(From the Lockport Daily Journal.)

GARGLING OIL.—We copy the following well-merited notice from the Saginaw (Mich.) Courier: "No Patent Medicine has succeeded in this country unless it had real merit, and not then unless business sagacity was used in bringing it before the public. The success of Merchant's Gargling Oil is sufficient evidence that it has both of these elements behind it. It has undoubtedly virtue for the purposes for which it is recommended, and in its business manager, John Hodge, Esq., is a directing genius who knows just how to make use of a good thing."

(Extract from the New York Independent, Dec. 15, 1870.)

Whether for use on man or beast, the Merchant's Gargling Oil will be found an invaluable Liniment, and worthy of use by every resident in the land. We know of no proprietary medicine or article now used in the United States which shares the good will of the people to a greater degree than this.

(From the Charleston (S. C.) Reformer, April 19, 1873.)

A GOOD THING.—It is seldom that we find among the many different kinds of medicine now manufactured for the purpose of curing all kinds of diseases, one that we consider more worthy of special mention than Merchant's Gargling Oil. We do not say that it will cure everything that it is recommended for, as we have not

tried it to that extent, and hope never to be troubled with the diseases enumerated on the circular accompanying the bottles. Suffice it to say, that we have experimented with it, and most cordially recommend it as a general and useful medicine to have in the house.

W. T. Linn, the Cannon Street Druggist, is the agent for this valuable medicine, and we would recommend the afflicted to try it.

(From the Idaho Statesman, (Idaho) July 21, 1863.)

Fifteen years ago we had occasion to test the merits of MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL. In various applications to hard-worked teams in Wisconsin, and found it all that it was recommended to be. It was a popular medicine then among farmers and teamsters and it was accordingly great. That now seems like a long while ago, and we had almost forgotten there was such an article in existence, when two days since the manufacturer at Lockport, N. Y., sent us a column advertisement, saying he wished to introduce the Gargling Oil to the people of Idaho. There is no doubt at all about its being one of the best patent medicines in the market, as its popularity and sale after thirty years' trial are greater than ever before.

POPULAR.—Gargling Oil, we always knew, was immensely popular, and the Secretary of the Company seems to be dividing the honors with the medicine. The other day a Charleston, S. C. druggist, Dr. Linn, christened his infant son "John Hodge Greenland Linn."—Exchange.

From our personal acquaintance with Mr. Hodge, we can't at all blame sensible people for naming their children after him. For a certainty, John Hodge, Secretary and leading spirit of the famous Merchant's Gargling Oil company has achieved a distinction second to none of the meritorious medicine men of the world. An accomplished scholar to converse with; an enterprising valuable fellow-citizen; a man whose sterling worth has often been proved, and whose face is ever sufficient passport among honest folks,—such a person is John Hodge, Secretary, etc., after whom infants are being christened in the good old way. We haven't any babies of the male gender yet, but when one comes along, John, look sharp, for we are keeping up a "big thinking" of you in connection with a proud name for the "coming man."—Helen (Montana) Herald.

(From the Toledo Blade, Oct. 5, 1872.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL has been a standard remedy for thirty years. It worked its way into popular favor on its merits, and it is to-day one of the reliable stand-bys. There was no humbug when it was introduced, there was no depreciation after its reputation was made, and it stands to-day higher than it ever stood before. The claims of the remedy to popular favor are given in our advertising columns.

(Sandy Creek News, N. Y., June 3, 1871.)

GARGLING OIL.—In these days of patent medicine humbugs, it is decidedly refreshing to meet with a genuinely good article. For forty years this oil has been before

the public and it still meets with universal favor. When once used, no other remedy can supersede it; because it is just what it claims to be, no more, no less. This Liniment won't raise corns, potatoes, or the dead; but it will cure burns, scalds, wounds, frost bites, rheumatism, gall of all kinds, and is good in all cases where a Liniment is desirable. The decided favor with which the oil has more recently been received is owing to the judicious management of John Hodge, Esq., Secretary of the Company, who is a lawyer by profession, a gentleman by nature, and one of the most enterprising men in the city of Lockport, N. Y.

(From the Christian Leader, N. Y., Oct. 28, 1871.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL.—We have made special personal inquiry in regard to the merits of this celebrated remedy, and find it a genuine article of rare value. It is by no means a new remedy. The establishment which produces it dates its manufacture as far back as 1833, since which time it has been steadily growing in favor. The patentees are among the foremost business men in the city of Lockport. They are every way reliable.

(From "The Revolution," N. Y., July 20, 1871.)

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL has become one of the most popular Liniments that is now prepared. It is beyond a doubt the best Liniment in the world for the diseases advertised. Its use has not only become general in every State of the Union, but large quantities of this valuable preparation are annually sent to foreign countries.

all sold but four bottles, and it gives great satisfaction. We frequently have calls for it by persons upon recommendation of our best physicians and there is no mistake but what it is efficient.

NEW JERSEY.

From Caspar Craig, New Columbus, Atlantic Co., N. J., dated Sept. 30, 1872.—I, Caspar Craig, can and do cheerfully recommend your Gargling Oil and Worm Tablets, which I bought of Mr. Wase Peterson, at Pleasant Mills, N. J., as the best medicine I have ever used in my house for years, for all they are recommended for. I have tried them and cheerfully recommend them to others.

NEW YORK.

Extract from a letter of Ethridge & Phister, dated Vernon, N. Y., Sept. 13, 1873.—The Gargling Oil is the standard Liniment with us for horses and men, and sales are increasing constantly. We buy of jobbers, as it is more convenient.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Extract from a letter from J. Reed, dated Concord, N. C., Jan. 23, 1873.—Since I introduced Gargling Oil in this place, three or four years ago, my sales have been steadily increasing, until now I sell more of it than all other Liniments put together, and in every case that I know of it has given satisfaction.

OHIO.

Extract from a letter from J. G. McCullough, M. D., dated Bealeville, Ohio, Aug. 22, 1872.—We are selling Merchant's Gargling Oil faster than any other Liniment.

OREGON.

Extract from a letter from Pette & Pelland, Newell, Oregon, dated Oct. 29, 1873.—Your Gargling Oil goes like hot cakes in this vicinity.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Extract from a letter from S. S. Huber, M. D., dated Newville, Pa., Aug. 24, 1872.—I sell more Gargling Oil than all Liniments put together.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Extract from a letter from W. T. Linn, proprietor of Linn's Pills, dated Charleston, S. C., Jan. 25, 1873.—For the benefit of suffering humanity I wish to say that I have been selling Merchant's Gargling Oil for the past five years, and it gives me pleasure to add my testimonial to others in favor of this wonderful Liniment for man and beast, which has given universal satisfaction, and has stood the test in this city and State for years, and in no instance have I ever heard a single complaint. It outsells every other Liniment here, and the sales are steadily increasing. Hoping that every druggist in this vast country will soon see the advantage of keeping a reliable Liniment in stock, I cheerfully recommend Merchant's Gargling Oil.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Extract from a letter from Elizabeth S. Peterson Bates, N. S., Sept. 30, 1872.—I have used your Gargling Oil for burns, scalds and lame feet. I can recommend it to others as it has given me and my family perfect satisfaction.

NEW MEXICO.

Extract from Shout & Rice, Las Vegas, New Mexico, 1872.—Merchant's Gargling Oil is a staple remedy with us.

TENNESSEE.

Extract of a letter from Graigley & Strong, dated Trenton, Tenn., Sept. 19, 1867.—You may state in Almanacs, that with an experience in the drug market for fifteen years, the Gargling Oil has not been excelled.

TEXAS.

From Smith & Peel, Montgomery, Texas, Aug. 1871.—The Gargling Oil has become a very popular Liniment, taking the place of all others as a valuable Liniment—so much so that we find ourselves at least one half of the time out of it. But few citizens in our town attempt to get along without at least two or three bottles on hand.

UTAH.

Extract from a letter from Wm. Dalley, dated Summit, Utah, Jan. 28, 1873.—Please send me some of your valuable Almanacs. The people are using considerable of your Oil with success.

VERMONT.

Extract from a letter from C. L. Case, dated Brandon, Vt., Nov. 15, 1872.—I have sold the Gargling Oil for twenty years, and believe it stands at the head of the list of remedies for horse flesh.

VIRGINIA.

Extract from a letter from R. J. Criss, dated Clarkburg, W. Va., Jan. 28, 1873.—I have been selling your Gargling Oil for the last thirteen years, and find it gives entire satisfaction in our neighborhood. I take pleasure in recommending it.

WISCONSIN.

MILWAUKEE, August 16, 1869.—JOHN HODGE, Esq., Sec'y Merchant's Gargling Oil Co.

DEAR SIR:—The sale of your Gargling Oil is largely increasing in this part of the country—owing doubtless to your judicious advertising, and the entire satisfaction which the Oil gives to the consumers. We shall soon wish from 50 to 100 gross order, medium and large. Can you fill our order promptly?

Yours very truly,

BOSWORTH & SONS.

DISTRICT COLUMBIA.

Extract from a letter from E. W. Whalon, Druggist, for the 2d Council District, Washington, D. C., Feb. 11th, 1873.—This is to certify that I have sold Merchant's Gargling Oil for a great many years, and that I have never had a complaint made to me about it but have heard many say it was a noble thing. One gentleman in this city told me soon after buying a bottle at the time the late horse disease was at its height, that it had done his horse more good than any other medicine he had used.

WYOMING TERRITORY.

Extract from a letter from Addams & Glover, Wholesale and Retail Druggists, Cheyenne, W. T., Feb. 6, 1873.—As a Liniment for horses, Gargling Oil stands at the head of the list. We have sold immense quantities of it along the line of this road.

MEXICO.

Extract from a letter from A. J. J. Austin, M. D., dated Camargo, Mexico, March 5, 1873.—I confidently recommend your Gargling Oil for the various infirmities for which you recommend it, and am perfectly satisfied by experience that for burns it is not excelled.

CANADA.

Extract from a letter from James Brown, Nithburg, Canada, Aug. 14, 1855.—The Oil which I have received from you has been very effective in the cure of two cases of Sweeney, and some other diseases.

One Thousand Dollars Reward for the proof of the existence of a better Liniment than "Merchant's Gargling Oil" or "Merchant's Vegetable Worm Tablets."

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Merchant's Worm Tablets.

A Certain and Safe Remedy for Worms in Children and Adults.

As it is a well-known and melancholy fact that one great cause of death among children is from worms alone, it cannot be too deeply impressed upon the minds of parents the necessity of closely watching their children. By so doing, and understanding the symptoms and true cause of the disease, thousands of children might be saved from early graves.

Symptoms of Worms.

The following are a few of the very numerous symptoms and diseases which are caused by Worms: Deranged appetite, emaciated extremities, offensive breath, frequent picking at the nose, grinding of the teeth during sleep, hardness of the belly, with frequent slimy stools, and sometimes convulsive fits, pain in the head and stomach, inquiet sleep, fainting, trembling, coughs, indigestion, low spirits, frightful dreams, and a gradual wasting away of flesh.

Many physicians have been led astray by mistaking the symptoms of Worms for other diseases; and not until death has relieved the sufferings of the patient and an examination taken place, did the true cause present itself.

Merchant's Vegetable Worm Tablets.

They are as pleasant to take taste as confectionery, and children take them readily as they are, or pulverize and mix with milk.

They are thorough in their work, and cause no pain.

They correct and cleanse the stomach. They restore health and vigor, and make your children happy and cheerful.

Bear This in Mind.

There are many people who imagine that because there has been no discharge of worms after the use of a Worm Medicine, that it has failed to perform its work. This is a great mistake, especially in cases where MERCHANT'S VEGETABLE WORM TABLETS are given. They not only effectually destroyed the Worms, but also remove the nests in which the young have been deposited. They are not strictly a purgative, and the Worms being dissolved into slime or mucus, pass away in the natural discharges.

This should be remembered when this Medicine is given, and there need be no fear but the Medicine has fully accomplished the desired result.

Follow the directions carefully. When dealers offer you other remedies, insist upon having none but

Merchant's Vegetable Worm Tablets. And when you have them, you may feel safe and know that your children will be cured.

None genuine without Merchant's Gargling Oil Trade Mark engraved on the Revenue Stamp on each box.

If the dealers in your place do not keep Merchant's Worm Tablets for sale, insist upon their sending to us, or where they get their medicines and get them, as they will save the lives of your children.

If not found at the nearest Drug Store, enclose twenty-five cents in a letter, with Post Office address, and a box will be sent by mail.

Directions for Using Merchant's Vegetable Worm Tablets.

ADULTS.
6 Tablets, Night and Morning.

CHILDREN.
10 to 12 years old, 4 Tablets, Night and Morning.
5 to 8 years old, 3 Tablets, Night and Morning.
2 to 5 years old, 2 Tablets, Night and Morning.

For smaller children give one Tablet at night and morning, dissolved in a little water. They should be given the last thing at night and the first thing in the morning. After finishing with the remedy, give a dose of Senna tea or Castor Oil.

Adults sometimes require a full box to effect a cure, children less according to the above age. Keep the bowels loose while using the remedy.

An easy, quiet, quick mode of giving Merchant's Worm Tablets, is to take roll of paper or smoothing iron, and make the Tablets fine; pour a little hot water on them, which will dissolve them, add milk, and children will take them without knowing they are taking medicine.

Soliherry, Greene Co., Ind., March 26, 1872.

MR. JOHN HODGE, Sec'y Merchant's Gargling Oil Co., Lockport, N. Y.

DEAR SIR:—The Merchant's Worm Tablets I only lasted ten days. Every box was successful. The fame of their good qualities has spread and they are being called for every day. They are ever so far superior to anything we have ever had before. I wish you to send me six dozen as soon as possible.

ISAAC MCNABB & CO.

Extract from a letter from Lower & Berger, dated Shonesville, Ohio, Feb. 22, 1873. In your last case of goods to us, you had included one dozen boxes Merchant's Worm Tablets, and they give most excellent satisfaction.

Extract from a letter from J. Cooper Mathers, dated Meadway, Fla., March 12, 1873.—The Worm Tablets are selling very fast. They are giving satisfaction everywhere.

Price, 25 Cents per Box.
Manufactured by MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL CO., LOCKPORT, N. Y., UNITED STATES.

MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL:

OR UNIVERSAL FAMILY EMBROCATION

UNPARALLELED IN THE HISTORY OF MEDICINE AS THE MOST REMARKABLE EXTERNAL APPLICATION EVER DISCOVERED FOR

Flesh Wounds, Galls of all kinds, Sprains, Bruises, Cracked Heels, Ring Bone, Poll Evil, Windgalls, Callous, Spavins, Sweeney, Fistula, Siftast, External Poisons, Scratches or Grease, Stringhalt, Mange, Sand Cracks, Lameness, Strains, Foundered Feet, Horn Distemper, Corns, Whitlows,



Rheumatism, Chilblains, Cramps, Caked Breasts, Boils, Bites of Animals, Weakness of the Joints, Contractions of Muscles, Burns and Scalds, Frost Bites, Old Sores, Painful Nervous Affections, Chapped Hands, Swellings, Tumors, Toothache, Roup in Poultry,

AND MANY OTHER DISEASES INCIDENT TO MAN AND BEAST.

Prepared only by Merchant's Gargling Oil Company, Lockport, N. Y., and for sale by Druggists and Medicine Dealers generally. The only genuine is "Gargling Oil, Lockport, N. Y." (shown on bottle label, and the signature of Wm. W. Merchant over the cork.) Sold by respectable dealers in the United States, and by all foreign countries.

Be careful of the name and of the wrapper. In the year 1870, by John Hodge, Sec'y Merchant's Gargling Oil Co., the will of the Librarian of Congress, at Washington.

The above is a fac simile of outside Wrapper of Large and Medium size bottles.

