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"Oh Happiness, how far we flee
From thy own path in search of thee!
Oh Health, thy own pure front, we stray,
Now dog-eyed Instinct's of our way;
Or pot out from Nature's self to learn—
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WHAT ARE THESE PILLS?

Composed of the simple extracts of four plants, common to most of the woods in Central Alabama and Mississippi; these pills combine in a remarkable degree the different curative powers known to modern science, assisting Nature to expel all disease from the system, without crushing its elasticity or pole-axing its energy by the introduction of nauseous drugs or mineral poisons.

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This is not a "patent medicine" These pills have been used for many years, they have been analyzed by chemists, they have received the fullest endorsement from the most eminent medical practitioners, and they are *fast ripening into fame*.

Imitations of originality are made in their favor. Assertions of astonishing discoveries in some inscrutable manner are set forth, no effort is made to delude the unsuspecting one. All that is claimed is, that these pills have been proven to be a reliable remedy, operating certainly upon the whole system, prompt in effect, agreeable in their nature, and as harmless for a child and infant.

How They Are Made.

Wright's Southern Indian Vegetable Pills have been carefully made and are now mainly prepared to fill special orders from physicians, druggists, planters, and other customers, who have shown a discriminating appreciation of their knowledge that they are made of pure, pure and efficacious ingredients; and knowing of their existence in Dr. Wright, are hoping to be free from the impositions of selling any thing to the trade that is not pure and genuine. The new process of distilling the plants, purifying the essential elements from all foreign matter (which was mainly the discovery of that great chemist, Dr. Torrey) has alone enabled him to make the pills at a cost sufficiently reasonable to place them within the reach of the public as a general remedy. The following certificate from the well known analytic chemist, Dr. Boston, is a sufficient guarantee of their purity.

"I have analyzed for my own purpose I have subjected to the test of analysis a quantity of your South-ern Indian Vegetable Pills, selected at random, and take pleasure in certifying that I found them to contain no vitiating deleterious to the human system, but on the contrary, they possess the Salutiferous, Diuretic, Expectorant and Cathartic properties in a remarkably harmonious combination, and my opinion is that they are the most universal remedy known to the public.

Respectfully, A. D. PRESTON, M. D.

Their Use by the Profession.

The endorsement of their virtues by every leading man who has tried them, and their popularity with their practice, can be a recommendation to the public than Wright's Southern Indian Vegetable Pills are claim upon the popular confidence, instead of relying for no others that we know of. On this subject we cannot do indeed to insert the following extract of a private letter from the venerable Dr. Henshaw, one of the ablest and most experienced leaders of his profession in the whole South.

"I may be said that I am injurious the prestige of Physicians by acknowledging how much I prefer to be dispensed with, but I permit no narrow prejudice of that nature to sway my conscientious judgment towards those who have proved themselves benefactors to mankind. I might easily have told them pills were of my own preparation, but that I prefer to the good old principle "Give unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's." My advice to all who are within the range of my practice is to keep your pills by them. Let the first warning which disease gives them, commence taking them according to the directions, and keep their use until they are certain they have driven off the enemy. In nine cases out of ten where I am afterwards called in, I only reiterate the same instructions. I may pretend to recover their health in spite of them; and great is the gratitude of the recovered invalid—those who believe they cannot be cured of any ailment without swallowing an immense quantity of nauseous and disgusting drugs."

A Testimony of a Minister.

In this respect we think it worth while to publish two letters received from gentlemen whose high standing gives their testimony of no little weight with public opinion. One is from the Rev. J. B. Barrow, a highly known and loved throughout Africans, who recently called to a new field of labor in Northern Texas. He wrote to Dr John Wright, under date of the 20th September, 1859, as follows:

"Little know the good which has been accomplished already by these few boxes of pills you recommended to me at that visit. They have been a blessing to my unfortunate member of my little flock, and those neighborhood they are hailed as the harbinger of health. I am still find now, my dear friend, that you can underestimated their value at the time you extended it in effects to me. Such a case of cure as your pills made was never before given to helpless man by his fellow man."

The other is from a wealthy and successful planter of Alabama, which we insert entire.

Letter from a Planter.

GOSHEN, ALA., November 4, 1860.

Messrs. JOHN WRIGHT & CO., New Orleans, La.

Gentlemen: Inclosed please find my check No. 781, at sight days sight, in favor of Mr. Jas. Gordon, for $6 00 to settle my account to date. You will please forward to me a dozen boxes more of Wright's Southern Indian Vegetable Pills. They are the greatest blessing I have ever met with, and save me a heavy medical bill yearly in my place. The doctor's fees are as great as the cost of the pills, and I can by overseer ends no difficulty in treating every case of sickness that comes to his knowledge with a prompt and perfect success. My negroes are healthier and stronger than those of any plantation I know, and I candidly confess it to be my opinion, that the use of your excellent pills is agreeable fact is solely due to the care which is taken of them at the first complaint of sickness, and there being always a box of your pills on hand. I use them altogether in my own family, and I do not be without it, will supply for a small fortune. You may seem high praise to you, but I assure you it is nothing more nor less than the plain, matter-of-fact truth. Please forward the pills at once, and oblige me, as ever, Yours truly,

THOS. C. HENDERSON.

From Dr Humphries, of Charleston, S C., we have received the following honest letter, written to him by a well known wealthy man, who is now a staunch and valiant soldier in the army of Southern independence.

Liver Complaint.

Dr. Humphries: *Dear Sir*—I don't know what to do to make you know how grateful I feel for those boxes of Wright's Southern Indian Vegetable Pills you gave me. After having suffered for so many years, and at last I never was going to get any health or be worth a good day's work, I am now as strong and hearty as I ever was in my life. Indeed, I feel like doing anything else I ever heard of, and getting all kinds of fun, who could tell me it was a disease? Well, I don't but not one cure it, although God knows I took much of their prescriptions. If the prayers of a poor man like me will help you any, God, you have mine, fervently and truly.

JOHN W SIMMONS.

Send for a circular of these pills. It contains full and interesting details, with important information to the sick, comforting, complete directions for the use of the pills, and a special card to females, which every one of them ought to read.

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