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Henry S. Wellcome
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Dear Sir. Your circular received and studied with much interest. I will give you a few hints from a long life of experience in the practice of medicine and Surgery. And if you desire ~~more~~ further elaboration, I will gladly give them in the future.

When a boy Father lived in Herkimer County New York state. Our Cow had a caked bag and a welch farmers wife told him to use Polk root as a police and give her a tea of the same in her slop. The cow got well remarkable quick. I have used Phitolaca, (Polk Root) for forty four years in Raked breast, always with success. I well remember Father asked her how they first found out its value. Her answer was that in Wales a Farmer was plowing up an old hedge on the road side where a quantity of Polk bushes grew and exposed a quantity of the roots, and a Cow having a Caked bag was seen eating the roots, and the cake disappeared almost amediately

A Lady keeping books in a drug store; a fire occured, the ~~wa~~ water destroyed more than the fire,. The next day in sorting goods the dry from the wet, she noticed a package of Marsh Mallow root was a glutinous mass. A year after her sister was very sick with inflamitory Rheumatism, with not relief; while trying different local hot and cold applications she thought of the Marsh Mallow root. A package was ~~re~~ produced and after powdering, made into a poltace and gave almost instant relief. She turned her house into a domestic hospital to treat mostly chronic Rheumatism; many cases were badly deformed, Joints set and out with hardened and enlarged cartilage, and one case where the shoulders, Elbowes and wrist and finger joints all out of joint (the fingers) with hips and knee joints also set, . Now she always cured and restored perfect form with her Marsh Mallow poltices in time. But the Doctors put her out of business because she had no licence and was not a graduate. She told me this twenty years ago, and I have ~~re~~ used Marsh Mallow in all forms of Rheumatism with never ~~a~~ failing success connected with our Hygienic treatment.

In the summer of 1858 I took my vacation from school in northen Wisconsin with licence to hunt and fish in the Chipuay reservation. One hot day in June we sat in shade, when Indian and Squaw came and the Indian unloaded his Squaw near where we set. She leaning over a small pole with full Buttock exposed to us, and the Indian took a popuse fuley two lbs, with the placenta. The Squaw went to the river near at hand, washed her self and the popuse, then lay down on the grass for few moments when she arose and indian packed a big bundal on her back with Popuse on top and they marched on ten miles away to the reservation. In a few days we visited the reservation and I hunted up my first case -as a witness- of Obstetrics, I was piloted to

Turner,

(H.H.T.)

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