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MEDICAL COMPOUND.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, SOPHIA M. TRACY, a citizen of the United States, residing at Deadwood, in the county of Lawrence, Dakota Territory, have invented a certain new and useful Medical Compound; and I do declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description of the invention, such as will enable others skilled in the art to which it appertains to make and use the same.

My invention or compound has relation to healing remedies; and it consists of the following ingredients, combined in the proportions stated, viz: two ounces of Peruvian bark, (Cinchona,) two ounces of wild-cherry bark, (Prunus Virginiana,) two ounces of white-oak bark, (Quercus alba,) two ounces of whortleberry bark, (Vaccinium resinum,) one ounce of calamus-root, (Calamus aromaticus,) one-half pound of white rock-candy, and one gallon of pure whisky. These ingredients are all put together in a substantial vessel, well shaken together, then allowed to stand for several days—

say five days—then strained off ready for use. I prefer to use the dry barks.

This bitter is a tonic, to be taken internally, a table-spoonful at one dose, threetimes a day, and is a remedy for all malarial diseases, for nervousness, dyspepsia, and kindred complaints.

What I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The herein-described composition of matter, to be used as a tonic, consisting of Peruvian bark, (Cinchona,) wild-cherry bark, (Prunus Virginiana,) white-oak bark, (Quercus alba,) whortleberry-bark, (Vaccinium resinum,) calamus-root, (Calamus aromaticus,) white rock-candy, and pure whisky, in the proportions specified.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature in presence of two witnesses.

SOPHIA M. TRACY.

Witnesses:

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