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MORITZ HOLST, OF MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

IMPROVEMENT IN MEDICAL COMPOUNDS OR BITTERS.

Specification forming part of Letters Patent No. 116,310, dated June 27, 1871.

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Moritz Holst, of Memphis, in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, have invented an Improved Medicinal Compound for the Cure of Ague; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full and exact description thereof.

The ingredients and proportions of the compound are as follows: Quinine or sulphate of quinia, one-half dram; spirits of niter, thirty drops; oil of turpentine, thirty drops; elixir of vitriol, thirty drops; oil of cloves, thirty drops; whisky, (best rye whisky preferred,) one-half pint. The above proportions are believed to be about the best; but a variation therefrom is ad-

missible without essentially impairing the efficacy of the medicine.

Dose for an adult, two table-spoonfuls three times a day before taking meals. For children the dose is one-half of the above quantity each time.

I claim as my invention—

The above-specified medicinal compound for the cure of ague, as set forth.

Specification signed by me this 29th day of March, 1871.

M. HOLST.

Witnesses:

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