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IMPROVEMENT IN PILE REMEDIES.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ROBERT M. ROSENTHAL, of Jeffersonville, in the county of Clark and in the State of Indiana, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Medical Compound; and do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description thereof.

The nature of my invention consists in a medical compound for the cure of piles, as will be hereinafter more fully set forth.

My pile compound is composed of catnip, stramonium, cut tobacco, onions, whisky, and lard, in about the following proportions: One ounce catnip, one ounce stramonium, one ounce cut tobacco, and one and one-half onion of medium size. These ingredients are placed in a stone vessel, and one-half pint of whisky poured over the same, when it is covered up and allowed to remain three days. One pound

of old lard, in its raw state, is then added to it, after which the mass is boiled over a slow fire for about two and one-half to three hours. It is then pressed out, and the salve is completed ready for use.

I do not confine myself to the exact proportions specified, as they may perhaps be varied somewhat.

What I claim is—

The within-described medical compound, consisting of catnip, stramonium, tobacco, onions, whisky, and lard, substantially for the purposes herein set forth.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing I have hereunto set my hand this 21st day of March, 1876.

ROBERT M. ROSENTHAL.

Witnesses:

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