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TOOTH-POWDER.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, WILLIAM DOEPP, of Homewood, in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, have invented a certain new and useful Tooth-Powder, of which the following is a specification.

My tooth-powder consists of the following ingredients, mixed in the proportions stated, viz: precipitated carbonate of lime, two and one-half ounces; powdered white sugar, one and one-half ounce; white castile-soap, one-half ounce; salicylic acid, fifteen grains; oil of peppermint, fifty drops; oil of cinnamon, ten drops. These ingredients are thoroughly mixed together, the castile-soap being first pulverized.

This tooth-powder is healthful for the teeth and gums, and is in no respect injurious thereto. It is an excellent cleaning agent, is pleasant to the taste, and is refreshing and cooling 20 to all parts of the mouth.

What I claim as my invention is— The herein-described tooth-nowder.

The herein-described tooth-powder, consisting of precipitated carbonate of lime, white sugar, white castile-soap, salicylic acid, oil of 25 peppermint, and oil of cinnamon, substantially in the proportions specified.

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