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HAIR-TONIC.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, DAVIS TOPE, a citizen of the United States, residing at Geneva, in the county of Fillmore and State of Nebraska, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Hair-Tonics, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to hair-tonics, and has for its object to restore, promote, and strengthen the growth of hair; and to this end it consists in preparing a compound, with the ingredients hereinafter stated, in the manner and in the proportions substantially as hereinafter described, and more particularly set forth in the claim.

In preparing my compound I take two ounces of spirits of cologne, one-half dram spirits of ammonia, two and one-half drams of tincture of cantharides, twenty drops of oil of rosemary, twenty drops of oil of nutmeg, and twenty drops of oil of lavender.

I preferably compound my tonic from the above ingredients in the proportions substantially as above set forth; but I do not limit myself thereto, as the proportions may be varied without sacrificing the benefits of my invention—as, for instance, should the compound seem too strong in any particular case,

it may be diluted with water, or the quantity of one or more of the ingredients may in some instances be increased.

In preparing my compound it is only necessary to take the ingredients and mix them in substantially the proportions specified, when it will be ready for use.

I am aware that a composition for the hair consisting of cologne, cantharides, oil of rosemary or nutmeg, and oil of lavender is not new.

Having now described my invention and the manner of compounding the same, what I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent of the United States, is—

In a hair-tonic, the compound composed of the following ingredients, to wit: spirits of cologne, spirits of ammonia, tincture of cantharides, oil of rosemary, oil of nutmeg, and oil of lavender, all combined substantially in the proportions hereinbefore described.

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

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