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GRATEFUL WITNESSES

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Both Malaria and Rheumatism.

Months ago I had occasion to publicly testify to the rare curative properties of Swift's Specific in the treatment for rheumatism, from which I had suffered for several years. I am again constrained to bear testimony to the virtue of this famous medicine in the treatment of another and quite a different disease.

During my late visit to the North I was stricken down with malarial fever, and at times my recovery was extremely doubtful. At this period of my sickness, however, a copy of an Atlanta paper came to hand in which was a certificate from some person who had used with success Swift's Specific in a similar case. Having a bottle with me, I immediately commenced taking it, and I am proud to say that good results followed at once. I then procured a few bottles from Boston, and continued to take three doses daily until I recovered my health perfectly, a result largely due to that valuable prepation, S. S. S. Gratefully,

SIDNEY HERBERT.

Atlanta, January, 1886.

Interesting Texas Girl Case.

The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.—Gentlemen: In answer to your inquiries as to the health of my little girl, I state: Her health is good. For ten years she has been afflicted with diseases of the hip joint, and although she has been rendered permanently lame, her abscesses have healed and her health is good. I have every reason to believe that she owes her restoration to the use of S. S. S., by which her blood has been purified and she invigorated. In all she has taken some fifteen bottles, and is still keeping up its use. I charge nothing for saying that I have great faith in S. S. S., and to its healing and blood purifying properties I attribute the restoration of my little girl to perfect health. Yours truly,

A. P. BOYD,
Editor North Texan, Paris, Texas.
January 20, 1885.

Blood Poison.

Three years ago I contracted blood poison. I took mercury and potash for six months without any benefit. I then took Swift's Specific, and it soon drove away every symptom of the disease. I recommend S. S. S. on every occasion, as it is really a boon to humanity, and every one suffering with blood poison can take it with great confidence.

PROF. EDWIN BAAR, 234 E. 32d st.
New York, Jan. 13, 1886.

ITS BOOM

HEARD EVERYWHERE.

From Alabama.

I have been afflicted with rheumatism over three years. Two years of the time I could not walk a step—could not even stand on my feet. My joints were all swollen and some of them running sores. I commnnced taking S. S. S., and in six weeks was walking. I consider that I am cured of the worst case of rheumatism that I ever heard of, and Swift's Specific did the work. IKE PRUITT.

Salem, Ala., Jan. 21, 1886.

We know the above statement to be true. We gave him the medicine (S. S. S.). The day we gave it to him he actually could not stand upon his feet—had no use of his limbs whatever. We make this statement cheerfully, as the result of our own observation. ADAMS BROS. & CO.,
Dealers in General Merchandise.
Salem, Ala., Jan. 21, 1886.

Wonderful Effects From One Bottle.

I have for the past five years been suffering from what the physicians told me was malarial poisoning. Have taken a great deal of medicine for it, many times going through a regular course as prescribed for me, feasting on quinine, etc., but got no relief. I have now taken one bottle of S. S. S., and I have no more chills and no bad feeling, and am free from the disease. It has helped my appetite greatly and built me up generally.

JOSEPH ANDERSON, 333 Third Ave.
New York, Dec. 9, 1885.

A RECORD OF FIFTY YEARS.

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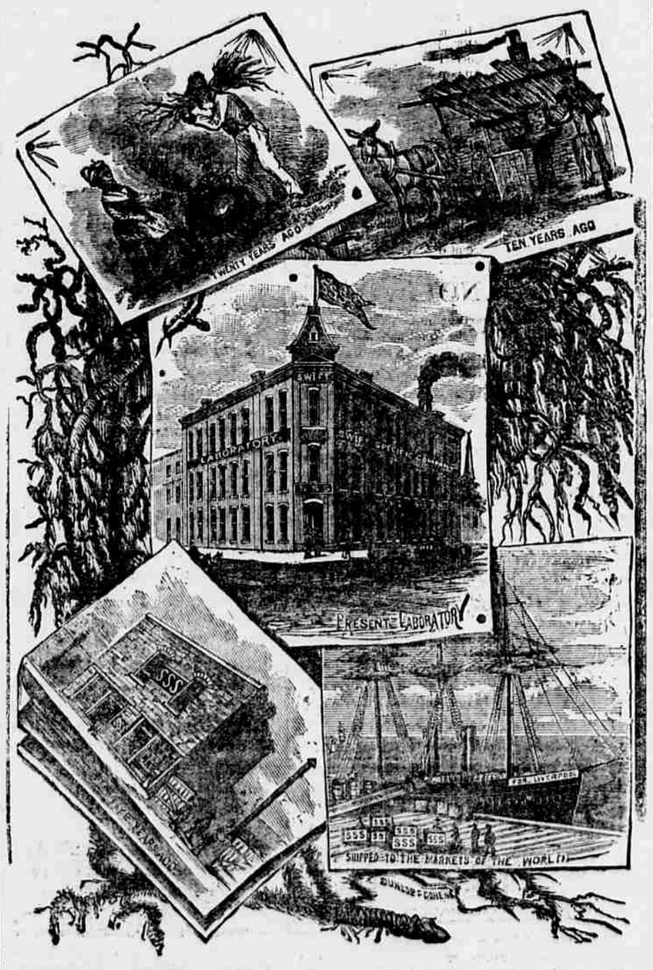

Nervous Debility Cured.

For several years past my wife's health has been exceedingly feeble—a general break-down of the nervous system from malaria. She was greatly reduced in flesh. No remedy seemed to do her any good. In the spring of 1883 I induced her to try Swift's Specific. The first bottle gave her hope, and twenty bottles produced wonderful results. She gained thirty pounds in flesh, and it renovated her whole system. It is certainly the greatest tonic in the world.

T. J. HIGGINS.
Indian Springs, Ga., Nov. 8, 1884.

Malarial Poison Eradicated.

I have for five years been suffering from what the physicians told me was malarial poisoning. Have taken a great deal of medicine for it, many times going through a regular course as prescribed for me, but got no relief. I have now taken one bottle of S. S. S. and have no more chills and no bad feeling, and am free from the disease. It has helped my appetite greatly, and built me up generally. JOSEPH ANDERSON,
333 Third Ave.
New York, Dec. 9, 1885.

Eczema.

I have had salt rheum for a long time, and have suffered much from the effects of the mercury which I have taken for its relief. I have traveled all over the United States and Europe, and have never found anything to benefit me as S. S. S. has done. My mercurial rheumatism is all gone, and my salt rheum is nearly so. I was also affected with malaria, and S. S. S. has relieved me of it, after having tried quinine and everything else I could hear of with no permanent benefit.

S. E. KELSEY, box 67, Salem, Mass.
January 11, 1886.

Terrible Case Cured.

In 1878 I was poisoned by contact with poison oak. My face and neck swelled terribly, and the itching and burning sensation was almost unbearable. I tried both the homeopathic and the allopathic treatment, but both failed of a cure. I went under treatment of one of the most distinguished physicians of New York City, then to Dr. Agnew, of Philadelphia, and these failed to effect a cure. I tried Hot Springs, Ark., and Blount Springs, Ala., where I found temporary relief only. For two years I suffered on, and alternated between comparative relief and sufferings that seemed beyond my power to bear. It seemed no matter what I did, as if it were impossible to rid myself of the poison. In 1884, in October, when in desperation, but having very little faith in it, I commenced using Swift's Specific. After I had taken a number of bottles I felt that my digestion and general health was improved, but so far as I could tell the poison was still in my system. After I had finished the second dozen bottles I began to see a change for the better. Nearly every sign of my dread affliction had disappeared, my skin was clear and in its normal condition, and again I believed that I was forever free from this terrible affliction. I have now completed my forty-eighth bottle, and feel free again, with no sign of any eruption but a few pimples, which I believe to be the last faint signs of the result of my terrible blood poisoning. I cannot say too much in praise of the S. S. S. J. E. SHERMAN.

Mobile, Ala.

THE SONS OF MARS.

It was a wise measure in establishing the home for disabled Confederate soldiers, near Richmond, Va. Some time ago the Swift Specific Co. received a request for a donation to the inmates, which was sent. Colonel James Pollard, superintendent of the home, writes under date of Dec. 25:

"Your medicine has created quite an excitement in our home. The inmates who have been using it have found great relief.

LEE CAMP, SOLDIER'S HOME,
Richmond, Va., Dec. 15, 1885.

I hereby certify that I have taken two bottles of Swift's Specific and have derived considerable benefit therefrom, and would be glad to obtain some more, for I believe it will cure me.

JOHN A. T. EWING,
Room No. 4, Cochran Building.

LEE CAMP, SOLDIER'S HOME,
Richmond, Va., Dec. 15, 1885.

I hereby certify that I have taken three bottlrs of Swift's Specific for secondary blood poison, and have derived great benefit. It acts much better than potash or any other remedy I have ever used.

B. F. WINFIELD, M. D.,
Formerly of Sussex Co., Va.

A Total Wreck.

In 1864 I contracted blood poison. Since that time I have suffered tortures from an affection of the skin, rheumatism and ulcerating sores. During those long years of disease I underwent treatment at the hands of leading physicans in Norwich, Hartford, Providence, Boston and Chicago. Failing to get relief at one place I would go to another, but met with the same treatment and effect everywhere. The quantities of mercury and potash I have taken have not only done me no good, but I believe it has done much harm. I have been taking S. S. S. six weeks, and it is hard to believe my own feelings, though the fact that it has done more for me in that short time than all other medicines have in twenty years is plain and undeniable. Six weeks ago I was a total wreck, without hope. Now that I have taken fourteen bottles of S. S. S. my rheumatism is among the things of the past, and the scars only show that I was diseased. When I began taking Swift's Specific there was a large eating ulcer over my right eye which alarmed me greatly, and no one who saw it thought I would ever get well. Like the other, it is gone, and I thank God for the creation of the Swift Specific Company and their great remedy.

D. K. W. BRIGGS, Brooklyn, N.Y.
Nov. 18, 1885.

Father and Child.

Two years ago I contracted blood poison, and after nine months of treatment by physicians with no benefit, I have been cured by Swift's Specific. When I began taking S. S. S. I had run down in flesh from 181 to 132 pounds. There were three large sloughing ulcers as large as the palm of my hand on my leg and one on my head. Now they are all cured up and I have regained fifteen pounds of my lost flesh. I am feeling thoroughly well and gaining every day. Swift's Specific has also cured a child of mine of "king's evil" or scrofula after two doctors said it must die. It had large swellings in its neck, sore eyes, and a chronic discharge from one ear. It was the cure of the child which led me to take it myself, and for the good of others I am only too glad to have them referred to me that I may tell what this wonderful medicine has done for me and mine.

C. VAN HOESEN, M. D., 154 West St.
New York, Dec. 26, 1885.

Your most valuable medicine, Swift's Specific, has done me so much good that I feel like saying this for the benefit of those who suffer as I did. I was poisoned by poison oak, and saw not a well day for six years until I used Swift's Specific. In the six years I used almost every kind of medicine, but none had the desired effect. After using six bottles of Swift's Specific I am restored to perfect health, with not a sign of that awful poison left.

DAVID NESBITT.

CANCER CURED.

About twenty years ago I discovered a little sore on my cheek and the doctors pronounced it cancer. I have tried a number of physicians, but without receiving any permanent benefit. Among the number were one or two specialists. The medicine they applied was like fire to the sore, causing intense pain. I saw a statement in the papers telling what S. S. S. had done for others similarly afflicted. I procured some at once. Before I had used the second bottle the neighbors could notice that my cancer was healing up. My general health had been bad for two or three years—I had a hacking cough and spit blood continually. I had a severe pain in my breast. After taking six bottles of S. S. S. my cough left me and I grew stouter than I had been for several years. My cancer has healed over all but a little spot about the size of a half dime, and it is rapidly disappearing. I would advise every one with cancer to give S. S. S. a fair trial.

MRS. NANCY J. MCCONAUGHEY,
Ashe Grove, Tippecanoe Co., Ind.

Eczema Conquered.

WATKINSVILLE, Feb. 13, 1886.

Gentlemen—It is due to you to say that I think I am entirely well of eczema after having taken Swift's Specific. I have been troubled very little in my face since last spring. At the beginning of cold weather last fall it made a light appearance, but went away and has never returned. S. S. S. no doubt broke it up; at least it put my system in good condition and I got well. It also benefitted my wife greatly in case of sick headache, and made a perfect cure of a breaking out on my little 3-year-old daughter last summer. JAMES V. M. MORRIS.

SCROFULA.

A Little Girl's Affliction.

Miss Jessie Wagner is the daughter of Mr. D. R. Wagner, of the firm of Messrs. D. R. Wagner & Co., merchants in Water Valley, Miss. He writes from his home under date of Oct. 10, 1885, and says:

"Our little girl, Jessie, was taken with scrofula about six years ago. She was then only 6 years old. We tried all the best physicians in our town, as well as those at Hot Springs and Eureka Springs, Arkansas; in Philadelphia and New York City, besides the virtues of numerous other springs which we visited, and did for her all that affection and money could do for about four years, and with all this we barely managed to keep her alive. She was the most afflicted child I ever saw. She had abscesses on all of her joints and on her neck, and small pieces of bone worked from them for more than two years, and her elbow and hip joints stiffened. After trying, as we thought, almost everything, and apparently without any permanent effect, in our despair concluded to try Swift's Specific. Strange to say before she had finished the first bottle we saw a change for the better. Her appetite began to improve and her eyes to brighten. Soon she ceased to complain of the distressing pains which had made her life miserable for the previous years. In ten months after she began to take S. S. S. all the abscesses had healed up, and she now had grown much taller and improved in weight 20 per cent. Now, with the exception of a stiff elbow and hip, she is as well as any one. No one who knew her condition thought she would ever get over it. We attribute her recovery to Swift's Specific entirely. I have seen it tried with several others here, and always with good results."

A Wondrous Change.

I have been afflicted with scrofula from my infancy, and in consequence have always been a frail and delicate creature. I might truthfully say that I was raised chiefly on mercury and potash. These remedies for the time being would dry up the fearful ulcers with which I suffered, but they would return with greater violence. I was the merest shadow as to form and person. My digestion was all deranged, and my existence was most wretched. At last a great tumor came on my neck below the left ear. It increased in size until my head was forced to the right shoulder. In March, 1884, I was induced to try Swift's Specific. My system responded to the medicine promptly, and I began to improve from almost the first bottle. The fearful tumor has all disappeared. From a fraile little girl I have developed into as healthy and robust a young lady as there is in the neighborhood. Swift's Specific is the only remedy that has ever given me any permanent relief, and I am in better health and weigh more than I ever did before. My old friends scarcely recognize me since the wonderful change has been wrought in my appearance.

MISS TOMMIE EMBRY.
LaGrange, Ga., May 14, 1885.

A Desperate Case.

I have been suffering with scrofula for the past four years. For two years I tried various remedies prescribed by a number of the best physicians. They treated me for what they called a fatty tumor on neck. This proved a delusion, as the rising, which had assumed a fearful shape, broke and commenced to discharge freely. In 1883, being convinced that the affliction with which I suffered was of a scrofulous nature, I was induced to try Swift's Specific. I was growing desperate, and wanted a speedy cure, and as the S. S. S. did not act as promptly as I thought it should, I was easily persuaded to quit it and try another preparation. That did me no good, and I changed to another containing potash and mercury, and that came near wrecking me. My life was despaired of. Almost disheartened of ever seeing a well day again, I was induced to go back to Swift's Specific. It was my only hope. In December, 1884, I commenced a regular course. It was some time before my system yielded to its influence, but when it did I began to improve at once. I had become so weak I could scarcely walk, but under the influence of S. S. S. my general health has greatly improved, and I feel as well as well as I ever felt in my life to-day. The scars alone remain to tell of my former sufferings, every other evidence of the disease having disappeared, and I can honestly say that S. S. S. has saved my life.

GREEN THOMPSON
Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 8, 1885.

A Mother's Gratitude.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.—Gentlemen: I want you to know what your medicine has done for my little boy. For more than four years he has been suffering from scrofula. I have worked hard to get him cured, but all to no purpose. All of my hard earnings during these four years, and what I had at the time we commenced his treatment, has gone to the doctors and druggists of this city, and when I gave them all up two months ago my son was pale, weak, and could hardly walk. He could not play with other children, and had no appetite at all. I began giving him Swift's Specific, and very soon his appetite came back. His cheeks began to brighten up, and now he eats well, has gained flesh, his cheeks are ruddy, and he romps and plays as much as any child on the street. I cannot tell you how grateful I feel, for I know your medicine has saved his life. None but the mother of a sick child can know how thankful I am and I wish every mother in the world could know of your valuable medicine. Very truly yours,

MRS. KATE MULCANY,
1111 E. 61st st., New York, N. Y.
Nov. 3, 1885.

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Cleanses the system of the baneful effects of

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And gives the victim a new lease upon life.

Mrs. Hearn's Statement.

I have been troubled with eczema of my face for the past three years and a half. My entire face was covered with it, and it rendered me so conspicuous that it was unpleasant to appear in public. I consulted the ablest physicians in the city, among others a celebrated specialist in diseases of the skin, who treated me during the first winter without the slightest perceptible benefit. I then tried the sulphur treatment and various advertised medicines with little or no effect. I visited several springs, including the Hot Springs of Arkansas, during the succeeding two years. At the latter point I placed myself under treatment of one of the leading physicians. Although my general health was greatly improved, the springs failed to accomplish the object of my visit. The eczema still clung to me, and was a great source of inconvenience and discomfort. After returning east, fully convinced that I would find no remedy, an acquaintance, who said that she herself had been raised from bed and cured of scrofula by S. S. S., so strongly advised me to try it that I began, with little faith on my own part and little encouragement from others. I have taken it for two or three months, and the result is that the disease is practically cured, there being but slight traces of it left. Swift's Specific is certainly a wonderful remedy, and I feel very grateful that I ever found it. I believe it will benefit others, and am ready to answer personally any inquiries in reference to its effect upon me.

MRS. E. HEARN, 36 E. 9th St., N. Y.
Dec. 25, 1885.

Blood Poison Relieved.

Three years ago I was afflicted with that most horrible of diseases, blood poison. In vain I sought help from the medical profession, changing doctors two or three times. The mercurial remedies used soon put me on crutches and brought on untold pain. I could see myself failing every day. My weight was reduced from 150 to 117 pounds in six weeks. I could see no use of living, situated as I was, and was so desperate at times that I felt like taking my own life. Friends interfered and urged me to go to Hot Springs. I started, but on my way met a friend who persuaded me to stop with him and to try Swift's Specific. I had no faith in patent medicines, and at first would not listen to such advice. But my sufferings were so intense I finally yielded. After the first bottle I felt a great change, and by the time I had used one dozen bottles I was like myself once more. I still felt some pain in my limbs and so continued the use of the medicine, and to-day one would never think that I had been such a wreck and cured by that wonderful remedy. It stands at the head of all blood remedies, and is a blessing to all mankind. J. H. BROWN.

Hornersville, Steuben Co., N. Y.
Nov. 30, 1885.

Catarrh and Blood Taint.

I have been a sufferer for many years from catarrh and blood taint. After the application of all the known remedies for such diseases, I found myself last summer on the very verge of the grave. Nothing seemed to do me good. As a last resort I commenced taking S. S. S., and have taken in all eighteen bottles. Before I had taken the second bottle I felt a decided improvement and am to-day enjoying most excellent health, better than for many years. MRS. E. J. COSNAHAN.

Richmond, Va., June 29, 1885.

Rheumatism Cured.

For thirty-five years I suffered from rheumatism. I have tried every known treatment, but got no permanent good effect. Swift's Specific has cured me entirely. O. F. RUSS, With Howe Scale Co.
Albany, N. Y., June 20, 1885.

Little Girl and Scrofula.

My little daughter Manda was affected with scrofula since birth. The glands of the neck were enlarged and fearfully ulcerated, and for a long time had an offensive scrofulous discharge therefrom. In March last I commenced giving her Swift's Specific, and by the time she had taken the third bottle she was entirely cured. For four months past she has not had a symptom, and her general health is sound and perfect. I. H. STRICKLAND.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 6, 1885.

[Mr. Strickland is a Methodist minister who is well known in this city.]

Malarial Fever Cured.

In the fall of 1884 I was taken with a case of malarial fever which prostrated me in both body and mind. I was drugged after the old fashion with mercury and other mineral mixtures, but with no good results. My health was shattered and my energy gone. My legs and feet would swell and I had what everybody thought was dropsy. These symptoms alarmed me, and I was ready to grasp at any remedy suggested. A friend advised me to try Swift's Specific. I procured three bottles and commenced its use. The swelling soon subsided. I have taken the three bottles, which have made a perfect cure and I feel like a new man to-day. There never was a more meritorious medicine offered to suffering humanity. It has wrought wonders for me.

WILLIS JONES.
Leesburg, Lee Co., Ga., March 11, 1885.

Cancer of the Womb.

My mother, Mrs Feathers, has had a cancer of the womb for many months. Last winter the doctor told us it was cancer and could not be cured. Five different physicians in private practice have said the same thing. We took her to the woman's hospital of this city, and there they repeated the same story. Dr. Emmeit told us it was cancer, and she must die. We then took her to the New York College hospital, and they told us the same thing there, that she had cancer and could live but a very short time. She was then carried to my house, where she awaited patiently the coming of death as her only relief. We saw the advertisement of the Swift Specific Co., and as a "drowning man grasps at a straw," we went to the office of the company and the physician told me to try it, that it could do her no possible harm and that it would cure her. She had lost a great deal of flesh and strength, and it seemed folly to give her medicine after what we had been told. However, we commenced the S. S. S., and kept it up a month before we began to see any improvement. From that time on her general health improved and she was soon raised from bed. The discharge increased so much that it frightened us, but we kept on, and the cancer came away in great sloughs and lumps. For two months now there has been no hemorrhage, no sign of a discharge. Thank God, my mother is well. MRS. REBECCA CRAMER,

Dec. 7, 1885, 275 7th avenue, New York.

Arkansas Case of Catarrh.

Prof. W. P. Johnson, principal of the public schools in Benton, Ark., under date of March 17 writes: "This certifies that I have been a sufferer from catarrh for nearly eighteen years, being a portion of the time incapacitated from attending to my business. Tried a number of most eminent physicians north and south; spent over $500. I was partially deaf, a quantity of bones resembling fish scales came out of my nose and head, and I was at one time reduced to seventy pounds. Ten bottles of S. S. S. cured me sound and well, and I am so to-day. It is the best blood purifier I have ever used."

A FEW PLAIN REMARKS TO THE PUBLIC.

We do not think there is another preparation which can bring forward such indorsements. We do not claim our remedy to be a specific for all diseases, but we do know it to be a remedy for diseases of the blood. It has been established beyond all doubt that scarcely any disease can find lodgment with the blood in good condition. To all these we say: If broken down in health, or your malady can be traced to a bad condition of your blood, take our **SPECIFIC** and you will not be disappointed. Our preparation removes the accummulated poison of ages from the blood, and we boldly assert that ninety per cent of all diseases spring from some corrupting influence of this, "the fountain of all life," and we further assert that the proper vegetable remedies are cures for blood diseases.

We would again call your attention to the fact that in almost every instance where **SWIFT'S SPECIFIC** was resorted to, **it was after all remedies of the scientist had failed.** How much more potent the **SPECIFIC** would be could man be induced to avail himself of its powers before "every other treatment had been tried in vain," and the system impregnated with mineral poisons!

CORRESPONDENCE.

We invite every one who has any blood or skin disease to correspond with us. This costs you nothing, as we have two physicians of reputation, experience, and ability to attend to this correspondence. These letters are all kept strictly private.

BEWARE OF FRAUD—HOW TO DETECT IT.

In calling the attention of consumers to the counterfeits, frauds, and imitations of **SWIFT'S SPECIFIC (S.S.S.)**, we may be permitted to say that a remedy which has no merit is never counterfeited. It is the valuable medicines only which are a prey to pirates and thieves. Remember, that **SWIFT'S SPECIFIC** is prepared and put up only by this company, in oval-shaped, amber-colored bottles, and each bottle has a strip over the cork with the signature of C. T. Swift and J. W. Rankin, Secretary **SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.**

$1,000 REWARD will be paid to any Chemist who will find, on analysis of 100 bottles **S. S. S.**, one particle of Mercury, Iodide of Potassium, or any Mineral substance.

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We have reduced the roots and herbs of which **SWIFT'S SPECIFIC** is prepared to a shape to readily yield their virtues to boiling water, in order to accommodate those who can not take medicine containing spirit. We give three processes for preparing it. Each consumer can take choice; they are all equally good, but we recommend Process No. 1 to those who have been worn down and poisoned with Potash and Mercury mixtures. Price, 50 cents per package.

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A Business Man's Opinion.

Two years ago I took S. S. S. for a case of rheumatism, which had been afflicting me for ten years. I have waited this long before writing in order that I could be sure that I was cured, and that there would be no return of the disease. The cure has been complete, and I never fail to recommend Swift's Specific to those who suffer as I did. I know I can not say too much for it. One should always be proud of the bridge that takes him over the stream. R. J. GUNNING.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 1, 1885.

Treatise on blood and skin diseases mailed free. The Swift Specific Co., drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga. N. Y. 157 W. 23d street.

Mercurial rheumatism made me a cripple. After trying the springs two years, and the mercury and potash treatment until I was a skeleton and unable to do anything, I was prevailed upon to take a course of S. S. S. After taking three bottles my appetite began to improve, and I gained flesh rapidly. When I had taken twelve bottles I felt as well as I ever did. It is now twelve months since I took S. S. S. My health and appetite are good and I am able to attend to all the business I can get. CHAS. BERG.

Hot Springs, Jan. 1, 1883.

A Coppersmith's Story.

I am a coppersmith by trade, and during a series of years my arms (being bare when at work) have absorbed a wonderful amount of metal poison. Having a scrofulous tendency from my youth, the small particles of copper and brass would get into the sores, and by this process the poison was conveyed into my blood till my whole system became infected. I was treated with the old remedies of mercury and iodide potassium. Salivation followed, my teeth are all loose in my head, my digestive organs deranged, and I have been helpless in bed for over a year with mercurial rheumatism. My joints are all swollen, and I lost the use of my arms and legs entirely.

My sufferings became so intense that it was impossible for me to rest. The doctors advised me to go to the city hospital for treatment. This I could not bear. A friend, who has proved a friend indeed, urged me to try Swift's Specific, believing it would cure me. Others discouraged me, but I secured a few bottles, and have now taken two dozen bottles. The first effect of the medicine was to bring the poison to the surface and I broke out all over in running sores. They soon disappeared, and my skin cleared off. My knees, which had become twice their natural size, have resumed their usual size, and are supple as of yore. My arms and hands are all right again, and can use them without pain. The entire disease has left all parts of the body save two ulcers on my wrists, which are healing rapidly. I am weak from long confinement, but I have the use of all my limbs. This medicine is bringing me out of the greatest trial of my life, and I cannot find words sufficient to express my appreciation of its virtues, and the gratitude I feel that I ever heard of it.

PETER E. LOVE, Augusta, Ga.

Hereditary Blood Taint.

Mr. John Palmer, Sr., who is now 73 years old, has been suffering with a fearful hereditary blood taint from his early boyhood. Mercurial rheumatism ensued, and he became almost helpless. I secured for him six bottles of the S. S. S., which has almost removed the poison from his system, and entirely cured the rheumatism. THEO. J. PERRY, Cuthbert, Ga.