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IMPROVEMENT IN MEDICAL COMPOUNDS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, WILLIAM M. GREEN, of Wartrace, in the county of Bedford and State of Tennessee, have invented a new and Improved Medical Compound, of which the following is a specification:

The invention relates to a compound that has in view the cure of gonorrhoea and syphilis; and consists in a composition formed of the ingredients and in about the proportions hereinafter specified.

I take one ounce of calycanthus root, the same of poke-root, and the same of silk-weed root, and mix these with a gallon of gin or whisky. It is ready for use after standing four or five days.

The patient should take as much as may be contained in an ordinary wine-glass about

half an hour before each meal. Ordinary cases will be cured in from ten to twenty days; but those of a chronic or hereditary character will require a longer time.

I am aware that poke-root has been heretofore employed in syphilis, and that silk-weed has been used with gin for urinary complaints.

Having thus described all that is necessary to a full understanding of my invention, what I claim as new is—

A medical compound consisting of calycanthus root, poke-root, silk-weed root, and whisky or gin, in about the proportions specified.

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