

E X P L A N A T O R Y.

The following letters have appeared in the *Montreal Transcript*. The communication was over an anonymous signature from a desire that the question of Homœopathy should be divested of all personal relations, and thus left to be dealt with on its own merits. Two letters over the signature of *Anti-Humbog* having appeared, one of which professed to deal with facts, it appeared desirable that secrecy should no longer exist. "Anti-Humbog" having also promised a third letter, "Homœopathy" felt it would be better that the correspondence should henceforth be over the writer's real name. That promised third letter has not appeared, and it must therefore be inferred that "Anti-Humbog" feels himself silenced. Resting upon the solid base of Nature's law, that like cures like, the Homœopath has not the slightest fear of discussion with the adherents of a practice of Medicine in which all is doubtful and uncertain, only so far as it accords with that law. The true Homœopath has no desire to injure the practice of any regular professional medical man, but only urges upon the latter as a bounden duty to himself, to God and to suffering humanity, that he test fairly and honestly the great law upon which all curative action rests. There are now thousands of regularly educated Physicians and Surgeons who have given up the uncertainties and injurious treatment of Allopathy for the safe and reliable practice of Homœopathy. Under its treatment acute cases yield and recover with a rapidity which amazes the most experienced practitioner, while many chronic cases are greatly relieved, or entirely cured, which resisted the skill and attention of Allopathic physicians for years. In some instances the same medical man, who found his efforts baffled while an Allopath, met with almost immediate success after adopting the true method of cure.

The correspondence is now placed in a complete form before the public, and intelligent men are asked to give their serious attention to a matter which relates so closely to their own comfort, and to the interests of Humanity.

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