

because somebody said so, and nobody contradicted him." The author of the above is an Indiana man, and the only way it can be explained is, that he was taking his usual daily anti-ague medicine—whiskey and quinine.—*Peoria Monthly*.

FELLOWS' HYPOPHOSPHITES.—The attention of our readers is called to the advertisement of Fellows' Compound Syrup of the Hypophosphites, which appears for the first time in our pages. Having used this preparation for some years, we have no hesitation in recommending it in cases of overwork and where a good, reliable and pleasant tonic is required.

WYETH'S PEPTONIC PILLS.—This pill will give immediate relief in many forms of dyspepsia and indigestion, and will prove of permanent benefit in all cases of enfeebled digestion produced from want of proper secretion of the gastric juice. By supplementing the action of the stomach, and rendering the food capable of assimilation, they enable the organ to recover its healthy tone and thus permanent relief is afforded. One great advantage of the mode of preparation of these pills is the absence of sugar, which is present in all the ordinary pepsin and pancreatin compounds; in this form the dose is much smaller, more pleasant to take, and is less apt to offend the already weak and irritable stomach. The results of their use have been so abundantly satisfactory, that we are confident that further trials will secure for them the cordial approval of the medical profession.

MALTOPEPSYN.—The following letter from a Toronto physician speaks for itself:—

TORONTO, 26th July, 1881.

HAZEN MORSE, Esq.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of the 12th inst., asking our experience of the use of Maltopepsyn in the Infants' Home, I beg to say, on my own account and for Doctors McDonald and Pyne, whom I have spoken to on the subject, that much benefit has been derived from the employment of your preparation wherever the use of agents required to promote digestion was indicated.

It has been found beneficial, also, in vomiting accompanying diarrhoea among the infants of the Home, and is advantageously administered in certain forms of diarrhoea.

Yours truly,

J. H. BURNS, M.D.,

Consulting Physician at Infants' Home.