

I want to thank you for the sample of Resinol Shaving Stick. I find it first-class. I want to say that it is the only Soap I can use or shall use in the future. I shave every day, and my skin is as soft and velvety as a girl's. My son also uses it, and many of my friends and patients. The Unguent Resinol is all you can claim for it.—L. Dawby, M.D., West New Brighton, S.I., N.Y.

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**SURPRISED AND GRATIFIED.**—In relating his experience in the treatment of gouty conditions. Dr. Arthur Bailey Francis (Queen's College), Belfast, Ireland, reports the case of J. W., a gentleman in advanced life and of marked gouty diathesis, who came under treatment complaining of severe pains in the lumbar region and extending down one leg to far below the knee. Dr. Francis says: "I found that he had received a chill, and was also suffering from catarrhal bronchitis. I diagnosed lumbago and sciatica, and put in force the orthodox methods of treatment one after the other, but with little benefit to the patient. Insomnia now became a cause of anxiety; bromides had little or no effect, and I was revolving in my mind the safety and advisability of morphia, hypodermically, when it occurred to me to first try the effect of antikamnia and codeine tablets. This I did, ordering one tablet at bed-hour, to be followed in fifteen minutes by a similar dose, and that also by a third at the expiration of half an hour from the administration of the last. On seeing the patient the following morning I was surprised and gratified to find that he had passed a quiet night, slept well, and that the pain in back and legs was greatly modified. I continued the administration of antikamnia and codeine tablets after this, and before the end of a week the patient was quite free from pain, slept well, and was, in fact, convalescent. I should mention that this patient is seventy years of age, but notwithstanding this, I could detect no depressing effect on heart or nervous system consequent on the administration of these tablets. Since treating the above case, I have prescribed antikamnia and codeine tablets for insomnia, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia in all its forms, including tic-douloureux, hemicrania, and that due to dental caries, and always with the most satisfactory results."

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