

ness, sent out with the predetermination to properly meet the extreme circumstances of a destructive movement set up by the enemy.

Without saying more of the particulars of the case, I must add that the issue was a fortunate one. I knew that the rapid uterine contraction in this case was developed by the teaspoonful of ergot; it was Dr. Mallory's ergot, manufactured by Parke, Davis & Co. The doctor told me it was "P., D. & Co.'s Normal Liquid Ergot," and that its action was uniformly powerful and prompt. Preparations of ergot used by me in the last twelve years have never given me results comparable with those obtained by that one dose here described. The effect in the case recited was marvellous.

This is the first tribute in particular terms I have paid any firm, and I should certainly not give it in this instance, did I not believe the truth of what I have said.

A GENEROUS CONTRIBUTION TO THE FUND OF THE JUBILEE WING OF THE WINNIPEG GENERAL HOSPITAL.

WHEN the managers of the Winnipeg General Hospital undertook to raise \$50,000 for the Jubilee addition to that institution they realized it was no easy task that they had set themselves to accomplish. The people of Manitoba already felt that they had been fairly well taxed for this institution and it was with considerable difficulty, therefore, that some \$37,000 was raised towards the amount needed, and this seemed to be about the limit which Manitoba was capable of giving. It was with a great deal of satisfaction, therefore, that the information leaked out last spring that some philanthropic gentleman had contributed \$13,000 to the hospital fund, a sufficient amount to make good the \$50,000 promised for the Jubilee addition.

The generous contributor of this amount was as modest as he was philanthropic, and would not allow his name to appear in connection with the gift. It has, however (as such things are apt to do) leaked out that Mr. W. W. Ogilvie made the contribution, and a representative of the *Telegram* called upon Mr. F. W. Thompson, Mr. Ogilvie's manager, in Winnipeg, to obtain confirmation of the rumor.

"Yes," said Mr. Thompson, "the rumor is correct. Mr. Ogilvie has always felt a deep interest in the Winnipeg General Hospital and believes it to be one of the most deserving of Manitoba's institutions. He has shown his appreciation of it on a number of occasions by substantial contributions, and he seemed to take much pleasure on this occasion in making up the balance of the \$50,000 necessary to complete the Jubilee addition. He did not design that his name should appear in connection with it, but it has somehow or other leaked out, and now seems to be generally known. I see no reason why any further attempt at concealment is advisable."