

## A NEW MEDICINE.

# Seven Springs Iron & Alum Mass.

(Neither "Nostrum" nor "Patent Medicine.")

## THE COMBINED SUBSTANCE OF SEVEN MINERAL SPRINGS, OBTAINED BY EVAPORATION.

This valuable preparation is the solid substance of SEVEN MINERAL SPRINGS in Washington county, Va., and is reduced to a "Mass" by evaporation. The following analysis, made by Prof. J. W. Mallet, finds it to consist chiefly of IRON, ALUMINA, MAGNESIA, GLAUBER SALTS, and LIME.

Analysis by Prof. J. W. Mallet, of the University of Virginia.

The Mass appears as a stiff dough, or soft solid, of a light gray color, and marked acid reaction to test-paper. The contents of several bottles having been thoroughly mixed, the following composition was found for the mixture in 100 parts:

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| Aluminum Sulphate.....                      | 15.215 | Potassium sulphate..... | .060   |
| Ferric sulphate (per-sulphate iron).....    | 4.628  | Sodium sulphate.....    | .226   |
| Ferrous sulphate (proto-sulphate iron)..... | .412   | Lithium sulphate.....   | .019   |
| Nickel sulphate.....                        | .162   | Ammonium sulphate.....  | .022   |
| Cobalt sulphate.....                        | .014   | Sodium chloride.....    | .326   |
| Manganese sulphate.....                     | .257   | Calcium fluoride.....   | trace. |
| Copper sulphate.....                        | .008   | Calcium phosphate.....  | trace. |
| Zinc sulphate.....                          | .301   | Silica.....             | 1.504  |
| Magnesium sulphate.....                     | 16.006 | Organic matter.....     | .123   |
| Strontium sulphate.....                     | trace. | Water.....              | 42.938 |
| Calcium sulphate.....                       | 17.538 |                         |        |
|   |        |                         | 99.759 |

## A CARD TO THE MEDICAL PROFESSION.

We, the physicians of Abingdon, Washington county, Virginia, having tested the merits of the "IRON AND ALUM MASS," as made from the "SEVEN SPRINGS" in this county, believe it to be a most excellent "medicine," and a valuable contribution to "Materia Medica." It is a remedy which combines Tonic, Alterative, Diuretic, and Antiperiodic properties, to such a degree as to deserve more than a mere mention at our hands.

We have used this "Mass" in a number of cases, especially in chronic cases, and it has proved satisfactory in almost every instance. We deem it unnecessary to mention in detail the different classes of diseases in which this medicine is applicable, as the analysis itself will indicate its application. There is, however, more virtue in the combination than is at first glance suggested. We therefore take pleasure in recommending this "Mass," (and water from these springs) to the favorable consideration of the medical profession, feeling assured that it will prove satisfactory.

Respectfully,

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## HOME TESTIMONY—FROM AN EXPERIENCED PHYSICIAN.

I have been using the "Seven Springs Iron and Alum Mass" in my practice, and find it a most excellent remedy for Chronic Bronchitis and Throat Affections, Torpid Liver and Kidney Affections, Chronic Diarrhoea and Constipation, Dyspepsia, Nervous and Sick Headache, and in the treatment of some of the diseases peculiar to females I have found it to be very valuable; Leucorrhoea, Amenorrhoea, Dysmenorrhoea, Menorrhagia, Anaemia, Chlorosis, Chorea, diseases following Intermittent Fever, and in all cases in which it is desired to improve the impoverished condition of the blood. I know of no other remedy which combines more happily Tonic, Alterative, and Diuretic properties.

W. F. BARR, M.D., ABINGDON, VA.

This "Mass" is sold by some of the leading Druggists in cities and towns, but in order that Physicians and others may have a better opportunity for procuring it, we will mail to their address six packages on receipt of \$5, or for a less number \$1 per package. All orders entrusted to us will be attended to promptly. The usual discount to the trade.

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