CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE.

One conclusive proof of the value of N. H: Downs' Vegetable Balsamic Elixir is the fact of its long and increasing sale. It was first brought to notice Fifty-six years ago, and has been constantly increasing in popularity since. The proprietors have, in their possession, certificates of cures of well-known public men as far back as 1831, and others in nearly every year since. No other medicine has been on the market so long. The simple reason of this long-continued demand is that it cures. Those who use it once are sure to buy it again when needing a cough medicine. The fact is, there is not and never has been anything to compare with it for the cure of Coughs and Colds, Catarrh, Asthma, Pleurisy, Hoarseness, Influenza, Spitting Blood, Bronchitis, and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs. Even that dread scourge of our northern climate, Consumption, can be cured when taken in season. This may read to some like a strong statement, but we have abundant proof that this has been done in numerous instances; in fact, in almost every case where the use of Downs' Elixir has been persisted in, and directions have been faithfully followed, a permanent cure has been effected. Read below the testimony of reliable witnesses.

BLUE Mr. LAKE, N. Y., March 5, 1885.

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Messrs. Henry, Johnson & Lord:

DEAR SIRS—I wish to add my testimony to the virtue of **Downs' Eliver**. Eleven years ago my wife was supposed to be in the last stages
of consumption. After all other remedies had failed she was persuaded to
try Downs' Elixir. She immediately began to improve, and, with the free
use of eleven thirty-five cent bottles, was restored to perfect health. We
have continued to use it in the family ever since with like results, and consider it the best medicine in the world for all throat and lung difficulties.
We feel that we owe you a debt of gratitude for the benefit we have received from it.

Respectfully.

WM. ALDOVS.

NORTH STERLING, Conn., Jan. 19, 1885.

Messrs. Henry, Johnson & Lord:

Dear Sirs—Let me add another mite in conscientious praise of **Downs' Elixir**. My only brother died with consumption in 1876. I was myself subject to a lung trouble, and friends thought I should soon follow my brother. I was so far gone with consumption that there seemed no hope for me, until, a few months since, I began taking your Downs' Elixir and am cured. I take pleasure in testifying to the merits of your wonderful remedy.

Very truly yours,

GEO. C. SPOONER.