

Hiscox Chemical Works

Producers of Valuable Remedies and Toilet Preparations

A most interesting plant is located at Ryder Avenue and the Long Island Railroad, which is known as the Hiscox Chemical Works.

More than three decades ago this spacious plant had its origin in rather limited quarters at No. 163 Williams St., New York City, under the direction and proprietorship of Mr. David Hiscox, the father of the present owners. That was in 1876. Twenty-three years ago the business was moved to Long Island City, where for a period of ten years it flourished and increased until at the expiration of that time the scene of activities was transferred to Patchogue. At the present time the Hiscox Chemical Works is owned and conducted by Messrs. E. S. and J. F. Hiscox, sons of Mr. David Hiscox the founder.

At the laboratories of the Hiscox Chemical Works, several useful toilet preparations are manufactured which have been known to the American and Canadian public for several years.

Among these are Parker's Hair Balsam, a preparation most effective in helping, then thin, faded and lustreless hair back to its normal healthy condition. It is absolutely one of the best preparations ever compounded and restores fast graying tresses to the normal color in a most surprising manner at the same time aiding in the growth and improved appearance of the hair, making it a boon not only to the woman but also to the man.

Other preparations made by this concern are Greve's Ointment, a remedy for skin diseases, piles, burns, sprains, swellings, chapped skin, frostbites, etc.. "Hindercorns", which explains itself and

ensures comfort to the feet not only alleviating the pain but removing the corn, and Parker's Ginger Tonic, a tried and true remedy for coughs, colds and throat troubles.

Such has been the popularity of these remedies that in order to facilitate the handling of enormous shipments, the firm operates its own side track.

These preparations are all made on the premises and the laboratories have always been conducted under the espionage of the Messrs. Hiscox from the very infancy of the business. That means that these toilet preparations are compounded of the purest ingredients and are exactly as represented to the public.

The Hiscox Chemical Company is a concern whose goods are widely known, not only by reason of the extent of its advertising, but because of the intrinsic merit of the preparations which it advertises. These goods are sold in every state and city in the United States and the Dominion of Canada, thus furnishing a silent though eloquent testimonial to their merits. Over ten thousand publications handle advertising for the Hiscox Chemical Works.

The factory, as we have before stated, is a place of interest, covering the generous area of 11,900 sq. ft. of space.

The building is a two-story structure and there are nine hands employed to assist in the general duties and manufacture.

Such an enterprise can only have been built upon a solid foundation and countless thousands of patrons throughout the United States and Canada have testified to the efficacy and reliability of these preparations.