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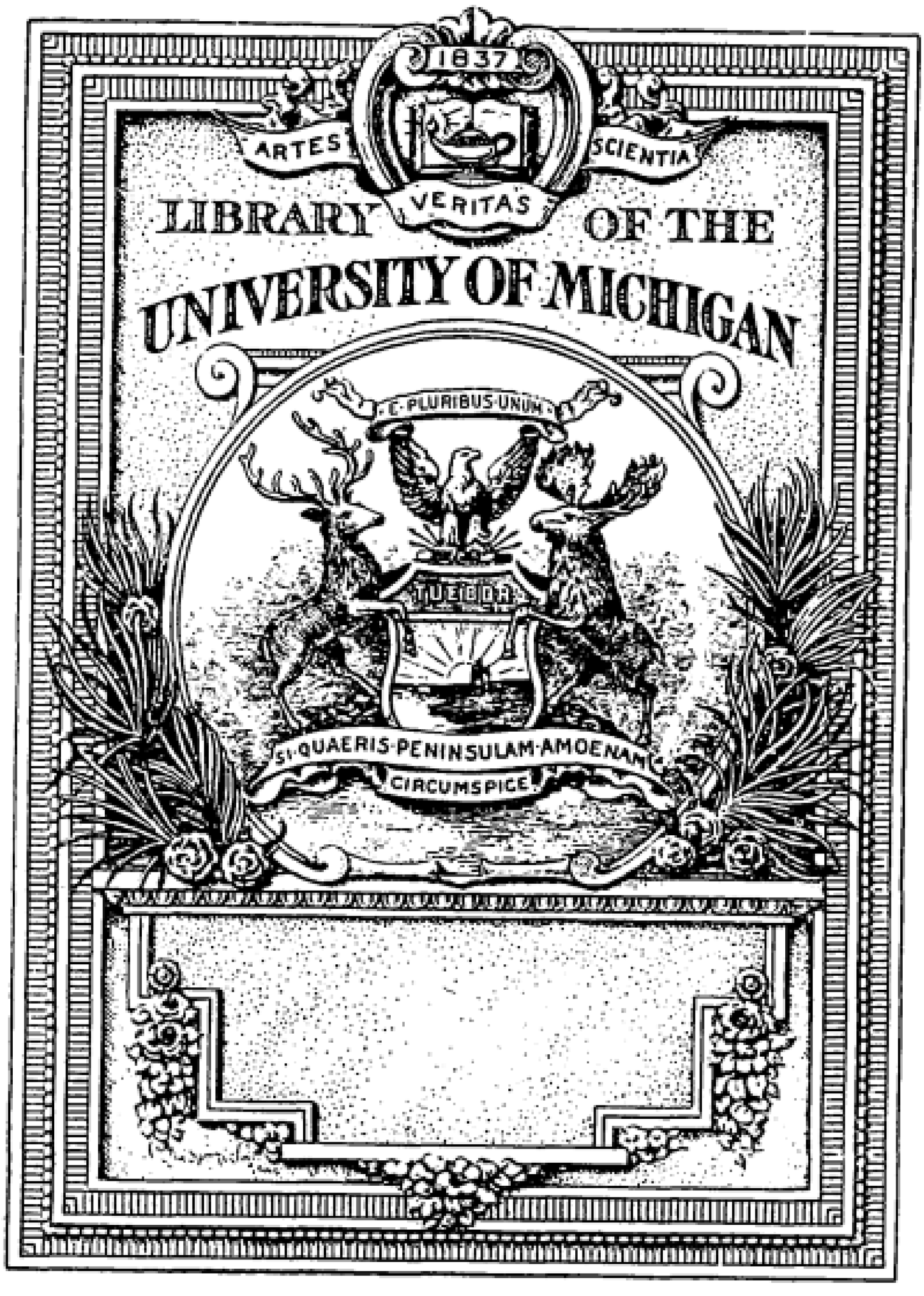

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Why another work on Domestic Medicine? many may ask. Their name is Legion already. Why another? In the first place, it may be replied, that this is a free country, and that those who can pay for printers' ink, have the right to shed it; and as no one is compelled to read every thing which is printed, no right is invaded by the appearance of a new book. In the second place, that though there are many works of the kind, there is none which suits everybody, else there would be but one. It has been thought that the peculiar arrangement of this work would perhaps suit a certain class of minds, not entirely content with any of the others. The favor with which the first edition was received, has induced the Editor to prepare, and the Publisher to issue a second, enlarged and revised. The Materia Medica has been compiled from the best authorities, and it is thought will be found accurate, and as full as consists with the limits of the work. The Editor has been guided by his own experience in the selection of the symptoms, to a great extent, and has added some indications which are deduced solely from that experience.

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