

Miscellaneous.

THERE are many preparations offered the profession for treatment of dyspepsia—some good, and some of little benefit. Of the former variety, Lactopeptine admittedly stands at the head, and we have recently made trial, with most satisfactory results, of this preparation in its new form—Lactopeptine tablets. The formula, as is well known to the profession, comprises a perfect simulation of all the ferments necessary to perfect assimilation, and in the tablet form preparation, can be carried in the pocket of the patient, and used at such intervals as his physician may direct. They are very neatly put up, and can be secured through any druggist.

ANTISEPTIC LAVAGE OF THE STOMACH.—

R. Sodæ bboratæ	ʒij.
Creolini	gr. iv.
Acid. salicylici	gr. xvij.
Thymolis	gr. iv.

M. Use with a syphon tube after clear water lavage once a day.—*Rosenheim.*

Dr. ROBERT H. BABCOCK, of Chicago, has been using Maltine with Coca Wine, and says he is convinced of its great service when it is desirable to check undue tissue waste, or to enable a patient for a time to endure unusual demands upon his strength. He recently prescribed it for a female patient with tubercular induration of one apex. The tendency was to fibroid transformation rather than caseation, but for some reason she had come to a standstill, and his efforts to improve her condition seemed futile. Her chief complaint was a feeling of weakness. After using Maltine with Coca Wine for a week, she reported herself as feeling better and certainly appeared stronger and more cheerful. She continued the preparation for a month, and the decided improvement in her condition dates from that time. Malto-Yerbine is, in his opinion, a good stimulating expectorant, and in one case of broncho-pneumonia contributed much to the patient's recovery. He says it seems to be a good vehicle for the administration of other expectorants in the case of children, and it has been occasionally so employed by him.—*Maryland Medical Journal.*