

Selections.

AN OINTMENT FOR HÆMORRHOIDS.—In the *Journal de médecine de Paris* for June 27th we find the following formula, attributed to Kossoberdckji :

R Chrysarobin.....	11	grains ;
Iodoform.....	4½	"
Extract of belladonna.....	9	"
Vaseline.....	210	"

M. To be applied two or three times a day.—*N. Y. Medical Journal*.

HEADACHE DEPENDENT UPON OVARIAN DISEASE.—A prescription of Dr. Sinkler's is

R Ammon. bromid., ʒvj.
Ext. hydrastis fl., ʒss.
Tr. gentian. co., ʒiiss.
Aque, ʒiv.

M. Sig. : Dessertspoonful three times a day.—*Medical News*.

SCIATICA.—Dr. W. Richardson speaks highly of the following pill in sciatica :—

R Opium,
Ipecac, aa gr. ʒ4.
Salicylate of soda, gr. vss.
Fl. ext. cascara sagrada, q. s.
M. Sufficient for one pill.

Sig. : Make twenty such. One to three a day.—*Indian Lancet*.

SCARLATINA WITH ERUPTION LIMITED TO THE FACE.—Lemoine reported to the *Société Médicale des Hôpitaux* twenty-three cases in which the eruption was exclusively limited to the face. He referred to cases of a similar nature recognized by Braun as an epidemic in adults in Fürth 1840. That the cases were scarlet fever was established by the fact that typical cases occurred subsequent to these irregular cases. The patients presented themselves to the hospital suffering from an angina, with fever and redness of the face. The fever fell, but the redness continued, and was shortly followed by a more or less abundant desquamation. A few of the cases afterward developed albuminuria, anasarca, and symptoms of uræmia. He considered that the cases formed a transition stage between the anginoid scarlatina and scarlatina with general eruption.—*International Medical Magazine*.