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During the past ten years the CANADIAN DRUGGIST has published hundreds of very valuable recipes for druggists' use. These have always been selected with great care and have been such as have been highly commended by those experienced in using them. We are aware that this portion of our journal is always perused by our readers and that the published recipes have in many cases been made good use of. We are often written to for recipes for special purposes and while we do our best to furnish some form we are frequently at a loss to give one which we can vouch for as being strictly reliable. A few of these queries will illustrate what we mean and demonstrate the difficulty in which we frequently find ourselves.

Please furnish me with a formula for a hot water cement.

Can you suggest an impervious coating for the inside of turned wood boxes so as to make them grease proof?

What is the most reliable formula you are aware of for dyspepsia tablets?

Which do you consider the most reliable label paste, acacia or tragacanth mucilage or flour paste?

Can you give me a cheap and satisfactory method of making labels adhere to tin?

These and multitudes of similar questions are frequently asked, answers to which cannot be found in books. From time to time when we have been unable to answer queries to our own satisfaction we have published the request and asked for answers. These we regret to say have not in many cases been responded to and we have often felt that we are continually giving but never getting. We wish every reader of this to ask himself if he has failed to exchange ideas with us when he had the knowledge and ability to do so. If you feel guilty and are willing to make amends we will cheerfully forgive you if you will on future occasions give