## IATROL

## As an Antiseptic and Germicide

THE Ideal antiseptic and germicide should be non-toxic, non-irritating and without odor. Corrosive Sublimate does not come up to these requirements, for while it is the best germ destroyer, its liability to produce poisonous symptoms, and its irritating properties, prevent its general use.

Carbolic Acid is open to like objections, and the same holds true for most of the antiseptics and germicides employed in medicine to-day. Iodine combinations come the nearest to filling the requirements of the ideal antiseptic.

The use of iodoform has been attended with the best results, and it is probably the most frequently used of all remedies having for their object the rendering of wounds aseptic. Instances are numerous, however, where its use has been followed by poisonous symptoms, or it has so irritated the parts that some other remedy had to be substituted for it.

Besides these objectionable features, Iodoform is characterized by such a disagreeable odor that its employment is oftentimes restricted.

The keeping of wounds aseptic, which has heretofore been accomplished by having the parts contacted and covered with an antiseptic in solution, is rapidly giving place to the so-called dry method. Moisture is a necessity for germ development. To carry out the dry treatment of wounds, it is necessary to have an antiseptic in an impalpable powder, free from all irritating properties, and non-toxic, so that it may be freely used over the wound surface, in order to prevent germ entrance.

IATROL is an inodorous and non-toxic, antiseptic powder, abtained synthetically from certain coal tar derivatives. It is a desideratum in antiseptic surgery, and may be safely used in the treatment of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, as well as in Vaginal, Rectal and Uterine Affections.

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