

mends the following preparation for arresting the watery discharge in the eczema of children:

℞ Zinc oxide...	}	aa 20 grammes
Tale		
Glycerin		
Dilute alcohol	}	aa 10 grammes
Distilled water		

Moist dressings of one-quarter to one-half per cent. resorcin are also effective.

M. Ft. mistura.—*New York Med. Jour.*

LARYNGEAL COUGH.

If the cough is due to a simple irritation of the larynx Robin advises (*Bulletin général de thérapeutique*, January 15, 1912) steam inhalations medicated with eucalyptol or an atomized infusion of coca, as suggested by Renault:

I.

℞ Foliarum cocæ erythroxyton	5.00 grammes
Floris liliæ	2.00 grammes
Aquæ bullientis	100.00 cubic centimetres

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Infuse for twenty minutes. Three grammes of sodium carbonate and four drops of spirit of peppermint are added to the infusion, which is sprayed into the open mouth by means of an ordinary atomizer.

II.

Compresses wet with very hot water may be applied to the anterior portion of the neck.

III.

Although the amount of the medicament is very small, the following mixture will prove beneficial and may be added to the foregoing:

℞ Tincturæ aconiti radicis	guttas xx	
Tincturæ belladonnæ	}	aa guttas xv
Tincture benzoini		
Potassii bromidi	6.00 grammes	
Aquæ liliæ destillatæ	150.00 cubic centimetres	

M. Sig.: A tablespoonful on appearance of the laryngeal cough.—*New York Med. Journal.*