FORMULÆ.

LOTION FOR SUNBURN.

Citrie acid	 2 drachma
Pure sulphate of iten	 18 grains
Camphor	2 "
Elder flower water	 3 oz,

FRUIT SALT.

Sulphate of magnesium (dry)	Lounces,
Citrate of magnesium	į
Bitartrate of potassium	4 "
Bicarbonate of sodium	1 "
Tartaric acid	
Sugar	B 44

Powder these and mix, preserve in dry bottles. An excellent saline laxative.

CAMPHORATED VINEGARETTE.

Camphor dissolves readily in glacial acetic acid, and its solution in this medium perfumed with a little bulk perfume makes a fine vinegarette.

Camphor,	I onnee,
Alcohol	1 drachm.
- Glacial acetic aci	d 10 onnces.
Bulk perfume	l ounce.

Rub the camphor with the alcohol to reduce it to a powder, and add the glacial acetic acid, then the bulk purfume.

Syrup of Liconics. - Dietrich (in Helfenberger Annalen) gives the following formula for an improvised Syrupus liquiritie:

Extract licorice, entirely sol-		
uble in water	120	parts.
Ammonia	.5	• 14
Alcohol	200	**
Distilled water	80	••
Simple syrup q. s. ad 1	000	••

Dissolve the extract of licorice (which should be entirely soluble in water in all parts) in the water, and add the ammonia and alcohol fractionally, with constant stirring. Filter, and to the filtrate add the simple syrup.

SALOI, EMULSION. - M. Jonisse, an Orleans pharmacien, communicates to Non-venux Remedes the following formula for a palatable emulsion of salol. This drug is insoluble in water, and when the alcoholic solution is mixed with water it is immediately precipitated, and cannot be properly diffused. The formula for the emulsion is:

Saiol	l dr.
Powdered gum arabic,	I dr.
" tragacanth	graine.
Tineture of tolu	21 drs.
Syrup of tolu	1 02.
Water, to	3 ozs.

Triturate the salol with the powdered gums, and make into a cream with water; to this add the syrup; pour the tineture into the rest of the water, and mix with the first portion.

STUFF FOR COLDS.—Dr. C. H. Stowell, of Washington, recommends the following in place of solution of cocaine:

Sodii bicub	ms.	ii.
Magnesiae carb. (levis)	S	iii.
Menthol		j.
Cocaine hydrochlor		ir:
Sacch, lactis	13 d	rs.
M. Sig. ! Use as smull.	_	

The most marked relief will follow the use of this powder, and a few applications will do much to abort the catarrhal attack. Its effects are immediate, highly agreeable

to the patient, and continuous for a number of hours.

CARBOLIC SALVE.—The following is a great improvement over the usual formulas for earbolic salve:

Petrotatum Yellow wax	
Camphor	16 onnces.
Carbolic acid	24 "
Oil sussafras	2 "

Melt the carbolic acid and while warm add the camphor and oil of sassafras. Melt the wax and add it to the petroleum, melting them together; while cooling but still liquid add the solution of camphor in carbolic acid, etc., and stir occasionally while cooling. This is an excellent carbolic ointment, the caustic properties of the carbolic acid being neutralized by the camphor.

FENNER.

TOOTH PASTE FOR COLLAPSIBLE TUBES. - For this purpose a paste must be made thin enough to be run into the tubes and to exude readily from the orifice.

Precipitated chalk	8 ounces,
Powdered cuttle bone	2 "
Powdered castile soap	2 "
Carmine No. 40, in fine	
1.owder	1 drachm.
Oil of cloves	20 minims.
Oil of nutmeg	20 minims.
Oil bitter almoud	
Oil rose	5 minims.
Alcohol, glycerin, honey	
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or syrup and water, each 2 onnees.

Beat the soap first with the water and warm until softened, then add the remaining liquids and mix well together. In this incorporate the solid ingredients and put up in the tubes. Fenuer's Formulary.

STICK POMADES.—The following formulae are given in Dietrich's Helfenberger Annalen:

White - Melt together 50 parts white wax, 25 parts easter oil, 25 parts Venetian turpentine, and for every 3 ounces of the mixture add 5 drops of the perfume given below

Blowle - Melt together 250 parts yellow wax, 125 parts castor oil, 125 parts Venetian turpentine, 1 part etheric extract of annato, and perfume as above.

Light Brown—Use the base above given (for blonde), adding 1 part of extract of alkanet and 2½ parts of chlorophyl. Perfume as before.

Dark Brown—The same base as for light brown, the deepening of the shade beingattained by increasing the proportion of extract of alkanet and chlorophl, a very dark brown being secured by doubling the proportion of these ingredients. An intense brown is attained by the addition of umber, which should be rubbed up with the castor oil before melting.

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