

complain of nervousness, irritation, palpitation of the heart, etc., symptoms which the physicians often take as preceding the state of coma, and, unfortunately, cause the diet to be interrupted. In such cases a prescription of Dionin will be found very beneficial.

For pruritis nothing is better than *Natr. salicyl*, 45 grains daily, or the same amount of aspirin.

THE NEW TREATMENT FOR PNEUMONIA.

After long and laborious clinical study—extending, in fact over a period of more than twenty months—Messrs. Parke, Davis & Co., announce the addition of Pneumonia Phylacogen to their list of therapeutic agents. This product is designed for the treatment of pneumonia or any infection caused by the pneumonococcus. Administered in the early stage of the disease it is said to cut short the pneumonic process in a manner that is truly remarkable.

Pneumonia Phylacogen has been administered to patients of all ages and of many nationalities, with highly gratifying results in a large majority of cases. "From experience gained in the study of typical cases treated under favorable circumstances," one writer remarks, "we are led to believe that almost every case of pneumonia seen within the first twenty-four hours after the initial chill will recover if properly treated with Phylacogen." Another observer, a professor in one of the large American medical schools, pays the product a high compliment in these words: "Pneumonia Phylacogen is the only therapeutic agent in my experience that has ever shown a definite therapeutic action on the pneumonic process."

In view of the fact that pneumonia is one of the commonest and most fatal of infections (it is said upon good authority that it causes more deaths than tuberculosis, scarlet fever and smallpox combined), the new Phylacogen gives promise of a veritable therapeutic blessing.

GLYCO-THYMOLINE.

The many cases of nasal and naso-pharyngeal inflammation which are so prevalent at this season, call to mind the fact that Glyco-Thymoline is almost a specific in their treatment.

The cooling, soothing and slightly anodyne effect of this preparation on the dry and hot mucous surfaces is well known to the profession. In addition Glyco-Thymoline will by its exosmotic properties relieve the congested area of the inflammatory exudate and by stimulating the capillaries to renewed activity bring about a normal condition of the parts.