

# MATERIA MEDICA CABINET



For Students  
of Pharmacy and  
Medicine

The student can familiarize himself practically with the properties of drugs *only as he has the opportunity to handle and examine specimens himself*. The descriptions in text books, even when aided by elaborate engravings, appeal only to the imagination, and the impression received from reading is consequently of necessity imperfect—often misleading and generally evanescent. It is not enough, even, that the student have access to cabinet collections, although these render excellent educational service. *It is only by having the specimen actually in hand, that, with the aid of lens and dissecting needle, he can intelligently follow the descriptions of his manual.*

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**Our Materia Medica Cabinet** contains specimens of all crude drugs of vegetable origin recognized in the Pharmacopoeia, and many not so recognized that are in common use—in all, 288 specimens—thus furnishing an indispensable supplement to such works as the Dispensatories, Maisch's Manual, Sayre's Conspectus of Organic Materia Medica, etc., etc.

Each specimen is put up in a little box, with a label bearing simply a number—three indexes or keys (Numerical, Botanical, and Vernacular) accompanying the case. The indexes, being alphabetically and numerically arranged, enable the student to find any required specimen without difficulty, while the absence of names on the labels enables him to practice himself in the identification of drugs.

*Length of Cabinet, 28 inches; Width, 18 $\frac{1}{4}$  inches; Depth, 14 inches.*

*Material, Antique Oak. Japanned Tin Boxes with Round Glass Tops.*

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