

Formulary.

ANTI-HIDROSOL.

A novel preparation for excessive or odorous perspiration.

Eau de cologne.....	20 ozs.
Ext. of white rose.....	10 ozs.
Acetic acid.....	1 oz.
Tannic acid.....	½ oz.
Beta-naphthol.....	½ oz.

Mix and filter. To be applied frequently to the perspiring surface with a soft sponge.—*Practical Druggist.*

PEPSIN ELIXIR.

The following formulæ are given by Ann. de Ph. de Liege:

Acidulated Pepsin Elixir.

(1) Pepsin.....	8.0 gm.
Distilled water.....	50.0 gm.
Extract of coca.....	2.0 gm.
Extract of cinchona.....	2.0 gm.
Sugar.....	50.0 gm.
Sherry wine.....	100.0 gm.
Hydrochloric acid.....	10 drops

Saline Pepsin Elixir.

(2) Sodium chloride.....	0.46 gm.
Pepsin.....	2.00 gm.
Alcohol.....	2.00 gm.
Glycerin.....	5.6 gm.
Sugar.....	24.5 gm.
Distilled water.....	65.5 gm.

—*Ap. Ztg.*

MENTHOLATED CREAMS.

	Parts.
1. Menthol.....	3
Salol.....	4
Olive oil.....	4
Adeps lanæ.....	100

Mix the menthol and salol thoroughly with the olive oil, and incorporate the mixture with the adeps lanæ.

2. A useful application for hoarseness with loss of voice, sore throat, cold on the chest, hard dry cough, and whooping-cough.

Petrolatum.....	15 ozs.
Adeps lanæ.....	11 "
Menthol.....	3 "
Fld. ext. belladonna.....	3 "

Rub the fluid extract with the menthol in a warm mortar until dissolved, and gradually incorporate with it the petrolatum and adeps lanæ by rubbing well together.

ARSENICAL SOAP FOR NATURALISTS.

1.

TAKE OF

Camphor in powder.....	1½ drams.
Arsenic.....	1 oz.
Distilled water.....	1 "
Precipitated chalk.....	1 "
Soft soap.....	2 ozs.
Carbonate of potash.....	6 "

Make the soap and water warm over a water bath, and then incorporate the

chalk, arsenic and potassium carbonate. Add the camphor when cold.

II.

TAKE OF

White soap.....	½ lb.
Pearlash.....	3 ozs.
Chalk in Powder.....	1 oz.
Camphor.....	½ oz.
Arsenic.....	½ oz.
Water.....	a sufficiency.

Reduce the soap to fine shreds, and place in a water bath with a small quantity of water, stirring occasionally until dissolved. When quite liquid add the pearlash and chalk. Then remove the source of heat, and add the arsenic gradually; rub in the camphor in fine powder when nearly cold. The product is of the consistence of soft soap.—*The British and Colonial Druggist.*

APPLICATION FOR PAINFUL BURNS

Chloral hydrate.....	G 1
Menthol.....	G 1
Cacao butter.....	G 2
Spermacei.....	G 2

Spread on linen and apply.

MILK TONIC FOR COWS.

	Parts.
Farini tritici.....	5,000
Pulv. sem. lini.....	2,000
Sem. feniculi.....	500
Sem. fenugraci.....	500
Sodii bicarb.....	500
Pulv. glycyrrhiz.....	500
Creta præp.....	250

—*Pharmaceutische Zeitung*

Preparations of Ichthyol.

Leo Leistikow, in the *Archiv fuer Schiff's and Tropen Hygiene*, gives the following formulæ:

ICHTHYOL POWDER.

	Parts.
Ichthyol.....	5-10
Magnesium carbonate.....	100
Talc, venetian.....	200

Mix.

ICHTHYOL PASTE.

	Parts.
Ichthyol.....	10-30
Lard.....	250
Infusorial earth.....	20
Zinc oxide.....	100

Mix.

ICHTHYOL OINTMENT.

	Parts.
Ichthyol.....	3-5
Vaseline, yellow.....	100

Mix.

ICHTHYOL PENCILS

	Parts.
Ichthyol.....	30
Yellow wax.....	20
Wool-fat.....	50

Mix.

ICHTHYOL COLLODION.

	Parts.
Ichthyol.....	5-10
Collodion.....	20

Mix.

—*Nat. Druggist.*

Indelible Laundry Inks.

The following, for use with a hand stamp, is taken from the *Sueddeutsche Apotheker Zeitung*:

Moisten 10 gm. dragon's blood, and the same quantity of silver nitrate with a small quantity of distilled water. Rub well together, and add 10 gm. dextrin, and sufficient glycerin to make the mass about the consistency of good printer's ink. Before applying the rubber stamp, apply a few drops of oil of sweet almonds to the face thereof, and rub it off with a rag. The best manner of inking the stamp is to rub the color into a bit of velvet, and apply the stamp to it, instead of to the ink direct.

The following are taken from the *Pharmaceutische Zeitung*. The inks may be used with either pen or hand stamp:

A GOOD BLACK LAUNDRY INK.

Copper sulphate.....	35 parts.
Silver nitrate.....	15 parts.
Ammonia water.....	50 parts.
Potassium tartrate.....	10 parts.
Caustic soda.....	10 parts.
Dextrin.....	10 parts.
Sugar.....	5 parts.
Lampblack.....	1 part.
Distilled water.....	80 parts.

Dissolve the copper sulphate in the ammonia water, and add the silver nitrate in powder. Warm the water, and add the soda, dextrin, and, when dissolved, stir in the lampblack. Mix the two solutions with persistent stirring.

ANOTHER BLACK INK.

In ten parts of ammonia water dissolve 5 parts of silver nitrate. In another vessel dissolve in 15 parts of distilled water 5 parts of caustic soda and 5 parts of gum arabic. Mix the solutions and let stand for one hour in a warm place. Fill into small bottles.—*National Druggist.*

DENISON'S ANTIPHTHISIC INHALANT.

Oil eucalyptus.....	(p. c. 20 to) p. c. 40
Carbolic acid, crystal.....	(p. c. 10 to) p. c. 30
Oil pinus pumilio.....	(p. c. 5 to) p. c. 10
Liquid guaiacol.....	(p. c. 5 to) p. c. 10
Oil clove.....	(p. c. 2 to) p. c. 5
Oil cedar.....	(p. c. 2 to) p. c. 5
Formalin.....	(p. c. 0.5 to) p. c. 1

With this medicate an appropriate amount of liquid petrolatum and use as a spray.—*Journ. Am. Med. Asso.*