

Castile soap, each two ounces ; squills, in powder, 1 ounce ; calomel, 3 drachms. Beat them well together ; then add, nitre, 2 oz. ; aniseeds and caraway seeds, fresh powdered each one ounce. Beat them into a mass with honey and liquorice powder, and divide into ten balls.

ALTERATIVE BALLS FOR SURFEIT, MANGE, &c.

Take of precipitated sulphur of antimony, gentian root, and socotrine aloes, each one oz. in fine powder ; nitre, 2 oz. ; calomel, and cantharides, in powder, each 2 drachms. Mix, and make them into a mass for balls, with honey or treacle. Each ball to weigh one ounce and a half.

These balls will be found very useful in many diseases ; such as surfeit, hidebound, mange, grease, or swelled legs, lameness of the joints, molten-grease, inflammation of the eyes, and, indeed, in all lingering and obstinate diseases. One ball may be given every other morning, for a fortnight or three weeks together.