

far so good. From a scientific point of view it now remains to be seen how L. will fare in the future in so far as regards the development of cancer.—*Union Medicale*.

CHRONIC ALCOHOLISM :

R. Tinct. capsici 1 ounce.
Tinct. zingiberis 1 ounce.
Tinct. valerianæ ammon. 2 ounces.
Celerina 2 ounces.

M. Sig.—Teaspoonful in teacupful of hot tea three or four times daily.—*St. Louis Clinique*.

At this season of the year, when radical and sudden thermal changes are the rule, it becomes of vital interest to the busy practitioner to have in compact, ready form, such approved medicaments as meet the analgesic and antithermic requirements of the bulk of his patients. As pertinent we call attention to the following combination tablets: "Antikamnia and Codeine," each containing $4\frac{3}{4}$ grs. antikamnia and $\frac{1}{4}$ gr. codeine; "Antikamnia and Quinine," each containing $2\frac{1}{2}$ grs. antikamnia

and $2\frac{1}{2}$ grs. quinine; "Antikamnia and Salol," each containing $2\frac{1}{2}$ grs. antikamnia and $2\frac{1}{2}$ grs. salol; and "Antikamnia, Quinine and Salol," each containing 2 grs. antikamnia, 2 grs. quinine and 1 gr. salol. These, together with the well-known "Antikamnia Tablets," of varied sizes, and "Antikamnia Powdered," constitute indispensable factors in the armamentarium of the physician, and are more than ordinarily indicated in present climatic conditions.

DANGERS OF ANTITOXINE.—Dr. J. Lindsay Porteous reports that there may be dangers from the use of antitoxine in the treatment of diphtheria. He used it in the case of a male, two injections being made, and both were attended by extensive purpura—around the seat of injection—which disappeared in the course of a few days. Later, however, a most aggravating urticaria developed and the patient suffered intensely. Upon reporting this accident to the manufacturers, they took the number of the phial containing the substance, traced it to a certain horse, and an order was given to have the animal turned out immedi-

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