

POMADE FOR PITYRIASIS CAPITIS.

M. Vidal regarding pityriasis as due to the predominance of the sudoriparous over the sebaceous glands, believes that the first indication is to supply the deficiencies of the latter. With this view he uses pomades composed purely of vegetable oils, regarding animal oils as often too irritant.

He prescribes usually—

Coco^s butter 10 parts.
Castor oil..... 50 "
Oil Bergamot q.s.

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ANTIPRURITIC LOTIONS—DELIJOUX.

Borate of Soda..... 8 grammes.
Distilled Water 100 "

Dissolve.

Or, Borax..... 10 grammes.
Glycerine 20 "
Distilled Water.. 80 "

Dissolve.

This lotion is recommended in pruritus, ephe-
lides, pityriasis, and other herpetic manifesta-
tions.

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ANTIDYSENTERIC CLYSTER—V. D'ARLON.

Sulphate of Alum and Potash 8 to 12 grammes.
(120 to 180 grains.)
Extract of Valerian 4 grammes.
(60 grains.)

Laudanum of Sydenham,
(Vin. Opii.)..... 1 gramme.
Starch 30 grammes.
(450 grains.)
Decoction of Marsh Mallow.. 500 grammes.

Mix.

This quantity is enough for two injections to
be taken in the 24 hours in cases of dysentery.

FOR DYSENTERY.

R Bismuth Subnit..... $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce.
Salicylic Acid 6 grains.
Carbolic " 3 drops.
Laudanum, (Sydenham's).. 1 drachm.
Tinct. Belladonn 1 "
Aqua 1 pint.

M.

Inject one ounce with baby syringe after
each evacuation.

UTERINE NEURALGIA.

R Tinct. Aconit. Rad ʒiss.
Ammon. Chlorid ʒii.
Ammon. Iod ʒi.
Tinct. Card. Co ʒi.
Syr. Aurant..... ʒiv.
Aq. Anisi..... ad ʒviii.

M.

Sig., one drachm every four hours.

SALICYLIC ACID MIXTURE—CASSAN.

Salicylic Acid 4 grammes.
Citrate of Ammonia.... 2 "
Rum or Cognac..... 30 "
Distilled Water 154 "

This solution contains about 25 to 30 centigrammes of salicylic acid per tablespoonful. The citrate of ammonia enables the salicylic acid to be dissolved in a smaller quantity of brandy.

VARNISH FOR BURNS.

R Common Varnish..... } 10 parts.
(1 part litharge to 25 parts of linseed oil.)
Salicylic Acid 2 parts.

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A case of axillary aneurism cured by pressure on the subclavian, by means of a shot-bag, is reported in the *New York Medical Journal* by Dr. B. A. Watson.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS, KINGSTON.—The dinner of the Students and Faculty of this institution took place last month, was well attended, and very successful. We understand that the number of students this session is large.

PARRISH HALL.—A private Medical Home for Opium *habitues* has been opened in Brooklyn, N.Y. The system pursued is the immediate reduction of the quantity of opium consumed to that amount which will suffice without suffering, and thenceforward its gradual decrease. Therapeutical and dietetic measures to suit the indications are used. Drs. J. B. Mattison and A. M. Mathias are Superintendents; Dr. Parrish, Consultor.