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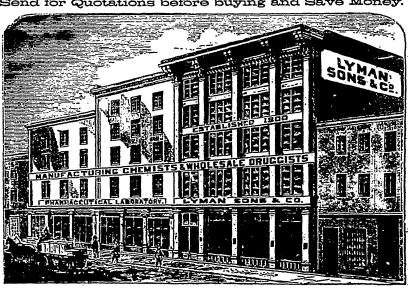
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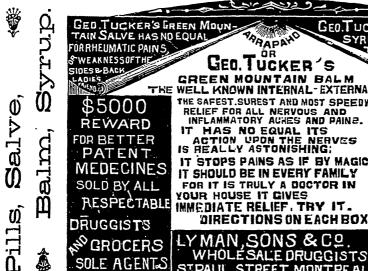
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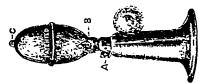
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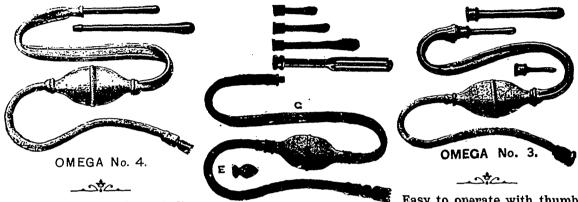
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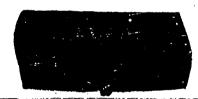
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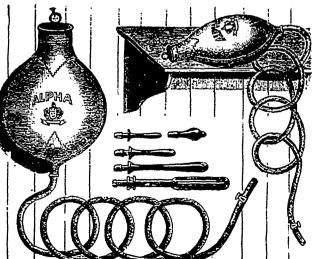
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We have to call attention to the action being taken at the instance of the Medical Profession against the sale of any and all patent or proprietary medicines. A proposed Law has been prepared, and the terms of same strike directly at the "root" of the entire patent medicine business in the Province of Quebec.

If the Medical men are successful in this Province similar action is contemplated in the other Provinces, and according to the enthusiasts who are pushing the matter in preparation for the next session of the Quebec Legislature, the sale of all prepared medicines will be contrary to Law in a very few weeks' time!!!

To the strict pharmaceutist this would make his profession a rich field indeed and, further, we are not prepared to say, but that instances could be shewn where the general public would benefit through being unable to obtain some of the abominable preparations now sold under patents and elegantly enough arranged to catch the eye of the suffering. Again, in the same connection it may be said that the public occasionally suffer at the hands of incompetent men who legally possess the M. D. Exceptions of this sort are few, fortunately, and the same remark would apply as to the patented medicines in current sale in this country.

There are two sides to every question. The Province of Quebec has a really large number of

very eminent men in the general practice of medicine, as well as amongst what are known as specialists. Men who have world-wide reputations, and as a matter of fact it is not now necessary as in former years for any sufferer to go to New York, London, or Paris, for consultation and advice. Montreal has renowned and skilled practitioners in all branches of Medical Science. On the other hand a different story might be urged in some directions as to incapability or worth.

The present movement against patent medicines is not one by the Medical men as a whole, but we believe is likely to go to the Legislature under the wing of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, or other constituted authority representing practically—the Profession.

It is therefore important that the matter should have the immediate and active attention of those interested as proprietors or as sellers of medicines. A fine of one hundred dollars is suggested as a fitting punishment for each and every sale of any medicinal compound of whatever nature which is prepared, put up or sold for the alleviation or cure of any disease, sickness or human trouble.

The result of the passage of an act of this sort would doubtless throw inestimable wealth into the hand of the Doctors, and at the same time totally he ordinary drug business of to-day which ups in relity is so largely made up of patent medi-When we think of the millions of dollars that would immediately be diverted from the numberless manufacturers of the articles attacked by the proposed Law we are quite appaled with the The M.D.'s would benefit. The bonafide druggist of years gone by would be revived and would reap enormous benefit, possibly, but of course at the equivalent disadvantage and loss of a vast vested interest who have rights which must be observed, as we view it, and who are not likely to submit quietly to any such "wiping out" as I now proposed.

In the Western States and Territories there are comparatively few Doctors, and the trade in patent medicines is beyond any idea, possible to be gained from experience, in business, in any central or eastern portion of this Continent

In Canada we have an ample number of Physicians, and, patented medicines constitute to-day, no inconsiderable portion of the ordinary druggist's business. Doctors and patent medicines are employed as it were co-equally. The better medical men do not complain and the poorer ones do, for they find people, applying for relief to an inconvenient extent, to the Druggist's well filled shelves of patent nostrums, in preference to calling in the aid of what they may consider doubtful medical skill.

Can the sale of a medicine, for which a patent has been issued by the Dominion Government, he prevented by authority of a Provincial Law? We are of impression that the trade cannot be interfered with by the Quebec Legislature, but it will he well for those so vitally interested to act at once and follow up any effort put forth by the Medical plishment of their selfish intentions.

The question of prescribing by Druggists, otherwise than by the sale of or recommending of patented articles, is also dealt with as well as any persons who may dare to announce in writing or in print, by circular or in the press, any remedy or cure, who are made liable for \$100 fine for each and every contravention, etc., etc.

In the future it is therefore proposed that at each and every step a Doctor must be consulted, and to keep clear of the "poor house" that portion of the population who may not be endowed with this world's goods to any extent will have to read up Pharmacopæias and dose books and ascertain the uses of the commoner drugs, Rhubarb, Jalap, Squills, etc., etc.

To get satisfactorily rid of a severe cold, one will have to go across the American lines to obtain a bottle of Gray's Syrup and to build up a shattered constitution Bovinine or Fellows Syrup will call for a trip from home upon the part of those who obj ct. to be experimented upon. Paines Celery Compound and Davis' Pain Killer will be "th'ngs of the past." Beef Wine and Iron and Cod Liver Oil Emulsion will have to give way to Iron Pills, Bouillon and cheap Sherry; and to Cod Liver Oil,

stale à la Doctor's Dispensary. One inclined to be "blue" in disposition can only find comfort today in the idea that possibly a majority of the M.D.'s would under the new law open drug stores and take with them in the stream of their prosperity the disintegrated druggists and finally decide to prescribe, and do the very trade themselves which they pretend to take before the Law makers of the country as pernicious and health destroying. Would this constitute a purification in medicine? Each and every obnoxious clause embodying their ideas states clearly that "a licensed Physician" can do everything that a competent pharmacist will be fined for!! Money is at the bottom of it and this will not be lost sight of, one can readily imagine, if they succeed. Their success one can argue might therefore bring about a worse state of affairs than at present exists. The public would lose in the long run and the drug and patent medicine trade would be in the hands of incompetent The Hoctor-Druggists could prescribe any or all patent medicines and probably for the gain attending their sale would decide to do so. this no reflection is intended in the direction of Profession with measures to prevent the accom- the number of experienced M.D. Druggists in the business to-day, but the instantaneous transfer which could occur of an actual trade from the well-appointed Drug store of to-day to the medical practitioners Dispensary would not at the same time make competent druggists out of the most learned Physicians. Will the patent medicine men accept the chance for the future of a satisfactory sale of their goods through wholesale and retail Doctor's establishments or will they exert themselves to avert the danger with which their interests are menaced?

> WE would call attention to the advertisement on another page, of the California Fig Syrup Company.

> Their Syrup of Figs has been recently placed upon the Canadian market, and the merit of the goods, together with the very extensive advertising done by the Company, through the press of the Dominion, has already secured a fast increasing It will be interesting to our readers to learn something of this new article and its progress in the United States. The business was established there some ten years ago with San Francisco as a headquarter. Later it was found necessary to establish a branch more readily accessible to trade in the Central, Southern, and Eastern States.

factory has recently been completed at Louisville, Kentucky,—six stories, 60 x 150 feet, and at a cost of \$125.000.

From this centre alone the Company ship about 100 gross per day.

In the United States they spend upon advertising \$250,000 per annum.

The California headquarters are not as extensive as the new premises above mentioned, and consist of a four story substantial building, 50 x 100 feet, as a factory with warehouse and offices convenient thereto. The Company have arranged to spend \$15,000 in Canada the first year, and the trade can rest assured, one and all, that the new addition to the patent list has come to stay, and we bespeak for it that consideration accorded to staple articles only.

Mr. R. C. Queen is the President and General Manager of the Company, and is known throughout the United States as one of the most successful of proprietary medicine men,—active in business and far sighted in his operations. We had the pleasure of a visit recently from the Company's energetic Canadian representative, Mr. George T. Langbelle, a gentleman who seems to ably carry out the methods of his principals, and who has given a most thorough start to the Company's new enterprise in the Dominion.

WE reproduce a circular recenty distributed in the city of Sherbrooke, P. Q. The trade there naturally feel annoyed at the course adopted by Mr. Mathieu to increase his clientele. The following speaks eloquently for itself and requises little comment:

PRESENTS! PRESENTS! TO ALL.

Buy all your drugs, patent medicines, toilet articles, etc., at the Sherbrooke Drug Store.

At a lower price than any where else for the same quality and you will receive a nice present, worth from 30 to 50 cents. Your choice on the following articles: A bottle of good perfume, a good hair brush, a nice shaving mug and other nice articles being worth at good value from 30 to 50 cents, at the following conditions:

Every time you will buy for one dollar or buying for the sum of two dollars per small amounts,

in the course of two months.

Wishing to introduce some fine line of cigars I have, I will give a bottle of perfume to anybody buying 25 cents worth of cigars.

J. L. MATHIEU, DRUGGIST, 153 Wellington Str., near Mr. H. Samuel, Sherbrooke, P. Q.

In some places we find druggists cutting prices to secure customers. In other places low prices are advertised and inferior articles supplied-second and third qualities—in other words the public are enticed to deal with those purporting to be "cutters," but who are not such in reality, but simply make gain by deceiving the unwary. In this particular case we have no parallel. It is a novel idea in the drug trade to offer the public goods "at a lower price than any where else," and at the same time to offer what purports to be the value of from 30 to 50 per cent 'the amount to be purchased in the general line and "a bottle of perfume to every purchases of 25 cents worth of cigars." It is impossible to carry out the offer made.

We have heard of prizes being given by tea stores to purchasers to a certain amount and upon railroad trains, one occasionally finds the news-boy offering prize packages for sale, but never in the direction of the one and only "Profession and Business" combined.

In the interest of the drug trade generally we draw attention to the action of the druggist issuing the circular and with the hope that his confreres in the provincial association may be able to induce him to discontinue a method which cannot fail to demoralize the drug business wherever practiced, and which in the end can bring no real advantage to any one who may adopt it.

PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION OF THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

The regular meeting of the Council of the Pharmaceutical Association of the Province of Quebec was held in the committee room of the Montrea! College of Pharmacy, 595 Lagauchetiere Street, on Tuesday, November 3rd, at 3 p.m.

Present: H. R. Gray, A. Manson, John T. Lyons, C. A. Nelson, Joseph E. Morrison. A. La-Rue, R W. Williams, J. R. Parkin, W. S. Kerry, W. H. Chapman, A. E. DuBerger; Henry R.

Gray, Esq., President, in the chair.

The Secretary read the minutes of the previousregular meeting, and also the reports of the Preliminary and General Boards of Examiners which were duly confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

A letter from Mr. W. H. Chapman was read, accepting his appointment as a member of the Council, and Mr. Chapman was heartily welcomed to the Council Board.

Letters were read from Mr. A. Carruthers, thanking the Council for privileges granted, and from Mrs. G. O. Somers, informing the Council

that the business in Magog carried on by her late husband, Dr. G. O. Somers, had been sold to a Dr. Goyette.

Resolved that the Attorney of the Association be instructed to proceed against those physicians; who are keeping Drug Stores without having complied with the Provisions of the Quebec Pharmacy Act.

The Registrar was authorized to purchase a Mimeograph for the use of the Association.

A letter from Mr. John J. Hall, President of the Ontario College of Pharmacy, was read, with reference to negotiations for reciprocal interchange of Diplomas. The Secretary was instructed to write Mr. Hall that the Council would take the subject into their consideration and discuss the question fully at its next meeting in January.

Reference was made to proposed amendments to the Medical Act, and the clauses therein affecting Druggists, but as it was understood that the College of Physicians and Surgeons did not intend to press their objectionable clauses at present, no formal action was taken, but that the Executive would watch any Legislation on the subject, and if found necessary would call the Council together.

A protest and notification from Mr. Emile Barbeau, one of the unsuccessful candidates at the last Major Examination held in the city of Quebec, was presented, demanding from the Council, that they should grant him his licence as a Licentiate of Pharmacy, when the following resolution was passed:

Resolved: That the Board of Examiners having reported that Mr. Barbeau had failed in his examination, this Council cannot entertain the application of that gentleman to be placed on the register as a Licentiate of Pharmacy, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to his notary.

A letter from Mr. Harry E. Mason was read, petitioning the Council to be relieved from writing on the subject in which he had failed at the Preliminary Examination, namely: History, when the Secretary was instructed to inform Mr. Mason that his petition could not be granted, and that he would be required to present himself for examination on History at the next Preliminary Examination to be held on the 7th of January, 1892.

E. Muir, .Registrar.

PHARMACEUTICAL EXAMINATIONS.

The Semi-Annual Examinations of the Pharmaceutical Association of the Province of Quebec, of Minor and Major candidates for Certificates of Certified Clerk and Licentiates of Pharmacy respectively, was held on Tuesday and Wednesday last in Laval University, Quebec, when eleven Major, and nine Minor candidates presented themselves. They were examined in Chemistry, Materia Medica, Practical Dispensing, Reading of Prescriptions,

Weights and measures, and Botany, the examination being both written and Oral. Of the candidates present three passed their examination for the degree of Licentiate of Pharmacy, and five for Certificates as Certified Clerk, and we here name in order of merit as follows: Licentiates of Pharmacy, Edgar DuBerger, J. P. Durand and O. St. Amour: Certified Clerks, D. J. MacMamamy, George Laurence and W. K. Brown, equal, L. T. Mongenais, and J. A. R. de Cotret. The examiners were: Alex. Manson, S. Lachance, John T. Lyons, Montreal; R. W. Williams, Three Rivers; Jos F. Morrison, Quebec; and A. E. DuBerger, Waterloo.

E. Muir, Registrar.

SULPHONAL-BAYER.

In the treatment of insonnia from whatever cause demanding medicine, we aim to use a remedy of which sleep is the sole, or at least the predominant physiological action. It was originally claimed by the manufacturers of sulphonal in Germany, The Farbenfabriken vorm Friedr Bayer & Co, of Elberfeld, that its sole effect was to cause sleep of a quality very similar to that of nature, and of the many investigators of it, both here and abroad, there has not been one to report unfavorably of its The very general consensus of opinion in its favor is all the more singular from the fact that of all the others discussed here, different examiners have had the most diverse and puzzling experiences The almost universal report of sulin their use phonal is that it has iittle or no effect upon the vast majority of insomnious subjects, save the important one of increasing, prolonging the natural tendency to sleep; that its action is not narcotic, but purely hypnotic; that the pulse, pupils, temperature, respiration, appetite, and the secretions remain practically unaffected after its daily use for indefinite periods, and that it is finally promptly eliminated from the system principally by the kidneys, without irritation or detriment to those organs. Sulphonal is also a member of the ether series, and is a crystalline, white, solid, with a slight tendency to effloresce when exposed to the air, and is easily powdered, emitting when warmly triturated, a faint odor of sulphur, and it is almost tasieless. It is singularly insoluble in any of the potable solvents, as water, dilute acids or alkalies, or very dilute alcoholic solutions. It is soluble in two parts of ethylic alcohol (95 per ct.) and one of ether, but this is not potable, and any dilution of this with water precipitates the sulphonal. It may be given in powder, or a dose of the finely powdered drug may be suspended in three or four fluid drachms of cold water by means of gum acacia and syrup, which should be thoroughly shaken before using, and but one dose prepared at a time, as it rapidly settles to the bottom of the container. It may be conveniently given also, in hot gruel, or in milk.

The name sulphonal is evolved from the com- ! hours of unbroken sleep, resulting in about half an pound word which expresses its chemical identity--diæthyl-sulphon-dimethyl-methan, and the actual solubility is one part of the drug to about 100 parts of cold, and one to about 18 or 20 of boiling water, which, of course, drops it on cooling. It is unaffected by acids, alkalies or oxidizing agents, a very staple compound, of the symbol (CH,), C(C, H, SO,), and was discovered and named by Prof. Baumann, who, with Prof. Kast, of Freiburg, tested, first on dogs, afterward on normal human beings, finally upon insomnious persons, insane and otherwise ill, its physiological effect in a series of clinical observations, which showed that in doses of 2 to 3 grammes (grains 30 to 45) to persons in health, it produced lassitude, hebetude and sleep; in the same doses to those suffering from nervous and febrile insomnia it caused a sound, refreshing sleep of from 5 to 6 hours' duration, within from one-half to two hours after administration. Subsequently Prof. Cramer and Doctor Rabbas obtained similar results upon insane patients in the Marburger Irrenheilanstalt. In no instance did it effect unpleasantly or dangerously; produced no evil effect afterward upon the circulation, respiration, appetite, digestion, secretions nor excretions. The pupils remained unaffected. "Although somewhat slower in taking effect than chloral hydrate, (Notes on New Remedies for June, 1888) the action of sulphonal is more prolonged. Doses of 2 to 3 grammes proved safer and more effective than proportionately larger doses of amylen hydrate. Another peculiar and valuable attribute of sulphonal is that its prolonged use does not weaken its physiological effect, nor does it produce the desire for a narcotic, that makes the use of chloral (and some other drugs) so dangerous. Additional and general investigation will doubtless verify the above observations and insure the popularity of this new hypnotic."

The papers by Prof. Kast and Dr. Rabbas were published in 1888 (in the Beriiner Klin. Wochen., Nos. 16 and 17.) The latter considers it more desirable than paraldehyde or amylene, and as compared with chloral hydrate, sulphonal is less prompt but more lasting in hypnotic effect. Further corroborative evidence will be found in papers by Langgard u Rabow, (Ther. Monatshefste, for May, 1888); by Salgo, (Wiener Med. Wochen, No. 20); by Rosin, (in Berlin. Klin. Wochen, No. 18); by Astreicher, (in the same); by Cramer, (Munch. Med. Wochen, June 12, 1888, p. 395); by Schwalbe, (Deutsch. Med. Wochen, June 21, 1888, p. 499); and by Rosenbach. (Berlin. Klin. Wochen, June 11, 1888, p. 481.) Astreicher found it best to give the dose several hours before bedtime, as it was rather slower to act than some others of the same class; but he found it none the less reliable, especially in the insomnious insane. Cramer's cases were all of the latter class, and in his 407 trials on 92 insane subjects he had positive success "in 92.6 per cent, i.e. from five to nine

hour after its administration. He had not an instance of unpleasant effect, "though in one case grains 480 in six days, and in two other grains 45 daily were given for two months." Schwalbe's results are of especial value and reliability, as they were exhaustive and carefully tabulated. selected fifty patients, ill of various bodily and of mental diseases and disorders, all insomnious, and got "a prompt and satisfactory hypnotic effect in 66 per cent." But what is of especial value is the fact that "of twenty-four cases of purely nervous insomnia, success was complete in 90.3 per cent.

To such cases it seems best adapted, for in instances where the sleeplessness was the direct result of pain, or of decided irritation, but 44.4 per cent slept at all, and these but for a few hours. Schwalbe agrees with Kast that the drug is purely hypnotic, not narcotic. It seems decidedly most valuable in perturbed nervous and unbalanced cerebral cases, but in no sense is it analgesic, nor does it allay the noctunal cough of phthisis, or bronchitis. Contrary to the experience of Kast; Schwalbe found that it did not relieve cardiac dyspnœa.

In but 12 per cent of all cases so far investigated in Europe, were there any ill-effects from its daily use, and this was confined to slight headache or to transient vertigo.

Schwalbe's experience of it in children was satis factory in doses of four grains, in male adults in doses of from grains 15 to 30, and in female in less doses from grains 12 to 25.

In the department for females of the Pennsylvania Hospital for the Insane, the writer has observed carefully the action of sulphonal upon a group of twenty cases of mental disorder, all of whom had been quite insomnious, so as to resist the sedative force of the bromides with ergot, urethane, tinct. hyoscyamus, English. Eight of them resisted all these and also paraldehyde, seven of them resisted all these as well as opium and chloral hydrate in the usual doses, while all but one of them were usually controlled, i. e. slept, by the use of hyoscine hydrobromate, in doses ranging from grain 1-120th to 1-90th. The groupcomprised three cases of acute melancholia with delusions of fear of bodily harm and of impending calamity; one of dementia, senile; one of melancholia agitata; two of epileptic insanity; two of melancholia, chronic; three of mania acute: two of mania sub-acute; one of mania chronic: four of secondary dementia; and one case of nervous disorder with threatened insanity. Of these all the subacute and the chronic were much accustomed to the effects of sedatives, hypnotics, &c.. all requiring night medicine regularly. But one moderate dose of sulphonal, suspended by acaciæ and syrup in water, was given each patient about an hour before bedtime, and in no instance was the dose repeated, nor were any of them taking any other drug. The group was intelligently observed

at night by nurses sitting up. The results were carefully observed and tabulated. The drug was given 480 times, no patient receiving in all less than twenty-one doses. In thirteen of the cases the nightly dose was 15 grains; in four it was 20 grains; in one it was 21 grains; and in one case it was 22 grains.

The results were as follows:

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An excellent effect, i. e. 6½ to 9 hours of continuous sleep	instances.
A fairly good effect, i. c. 4 to 5 hours of con-	
tinuous sleepin 34	66
An imperfect effect, i. e. 2 to 3 hours (or	
broken naps)in 42	44
No hypnotic effectin 23	"
Total480	

This yields of positive successes 79.2 per cent of the entire number, and of total failure of hypnotic action 434 per cent.

It is gratifying to note the general improvement which attends the regular nightly sleep produced by such a singularly harmless drug as sulphonal appears to be. In but seven instances had its use · for many continuous nights been followed by unpleasant effects, and these were limited to transient morning headache and slight vertigo in two of the patients taking the larger doses. As a rule, with very few exceptions, the patient rises with the usual appetite; free from a sense of malaise. no instance did it produce any appreciable effect upon the temperature, pulse, respiration, skin, kidneys nor pupils, nor did the digestion appear to be at all impaired by its regular use. The sole physiological action appeared to be the production of sleep, usually quite restful and prolonged.

As the results were good in these hospital cases, tolerant of such drugs, would not probably less doses overcome the insomnia of the simply weary, over-worked or irritable nervous system? It should prove useful in the insomnia of general disease of which pain is not a prominent factor. It will not ease pain, nor will it bring sleep when pain is present as a continuous sensation, but it will allay nervous restlessness, vigilance and agitation cases of acute mania, with much motor activity, it does not act nearly so promptly nor effectually as hyoscine, in any doses. Male adults usually re quire a larger dose by from three to five grains than do females. In the latter a fair average dose is from 15 to 18 grains, but there need be no fear in increasing the amount to 30 or 35 grains. Should no hypnotic effect follow the latter quantity the remedy will fail in any amount.

RECAPITULATION OF RESULTS-HYPNOTIC ACTION.

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Hyoscine—positive success, about71	per cent.
" —total failure,	ı · "
Sulphonal—positive success,	
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Paraldehyde—positive success,68	
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Hyoscyamine—positive success,	7.23 "
" —total failure, about	5 "
Urethane—positive success, about	š "
" —total failures,ni	umerous.

In concluding this paper the writer would pass by with a brief notice such more or less hypnotic substances of more recent introduction, or of revival, as hypnone, amylen-hydrate, amylen-phenate, ethyl-bromide, ormosine (from the ormosia dasycarpa) Jamaica dogwood, spartein, kava-kava, methylal, because, with scarcely an exception, they have failed to stand the test of applicability to the treatment of insomnia in the insane. Those of the i. I ether series, as hypnone, ethyl-bromide and the amylen compounds are either violent, variable and uncertain in their action and are undesirable from their unpleasant taste, or they disagree with the stomach, impair digestion, and cause unfavorable secondary disturbances. Methylal is said by Krafft-Ebing to be the best remedy that he has tried for poroxysms of delirium tremens. The various amyls and methyls have received, from time to time, favorable notice from contributors to current medical literature, but the mere fact of their remaining in the background of our therapeutical array, is significant of the retirement to which they will be relegated in the near future. The present paper seems to the writer, after much careful trial, and long-continued study of effects, to embrace the most reliable, least variable and least harmful of the more recently introduced hypnotics applicable to the treatment of some forms of insomnia in the insane. If it will be found that in doing so any light has been shed upon the subject of the action of these modern hypnotics, he shall feel fully recompensed for the continuous efforts put for for several years, and proceed encouraged toward further investigation.

PHARMACEUTICAL USES OF EXTRACT OF MALT.*

BY JEAN GORDON, PH. G.

Although the use of extract of malt as an emulsifying agent and as a vehicle for various remedies is frequently mentioned in journals and pharmaceutical works, and manufacturing chemists have put upon the market a very large number of mixtures or emulsions of malt extract with cod liver oil, some of them so prepared as to be quite agreeable to the taste, yet I am not aware that the dispensing pharmacist has availed himself to any extent of its advantages in preparing mixtures when insoluble substances are to be suspended. I was first led to experiment with it on being asked by a physician to prepare an emulsion of naphthalin and to make it as pleasant as possible. The slight solubility of naphthalin in water renders most of its mixtures very unpleasant, and after trying many experiments it occurred to me that extract of malt might be used, it not seeming to possess sufficient medicinal activity to cause its use to be objectionable in the very small proportion necessary to form

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a good mixture. After rubbing the naphthalin in a mortar to a very fine powder, a definite quantity of malt extract is then added gradually, and triturated until a perfectly smooth mixture is obtained. The substance is now suspended, but the mixture is too thick to pour well from the bottle; it is then diluted by the addition of an equal volume of wild cherry, which not only renders the mixture fluid enough to pour out easily, but also imparts to it an agreeable flavor. The higher specific gravity of the malt extract causes the particles of the naphthalin to remain suspended, and its viscidity, even when diluted one-half, is sufficient to prevent it from floating on the top until after standing for some time, when slight agitation will restore a uniform mixture. In an emulsion of naphthalin with mucilage of acacia, a very large proportion of acacia must be used, and after standing for some hours the naphthalin will be seen at the bottom of the bottle, and it is only after the most vigorous shaking that a smooth mixture can be restored, if at all, it being very difficult to dislodge the sedi-Compressed tablets of naphthalin are predose sometimes used, it is not a substance exactly suited to that form of administration, if by any means a preparation can be obtained that will to some degree mask the strong odor and taste

In extract of malt it seems to be less soluble than in syrup, or mucilage of acacia, the mixture just described having scarcely any of the odor and even less of the taste of naphthalin unless held on the tongue until it has been partly-dissolved by the fluids of the mouth. It was not the purpose of the physician to administer a medicinal dose of malt, hence only a sufficient quantity was used to make a satisfactory preparation—five grains of finely powdered naphthalin being contained in one fluid

Some of the resinous substances most frequently administered in form of emulsion, yield with extract of malt, mixtures equal in all cases to the acacia emulsions, and, in most instances, more agreeable to the taste, and of more attractive appearance. The unsightly appearance of both the tincture and resin of guaiac when made into an emulsion with acacia is well known to every pharmacist, and it is a remedy which is frequently prescribed. It would seem to be worth making an effort to improve upon the old emulsion. With the tincture of Guaiac a good mixture can be made by stirring together in a graduate, equal measures of extract of malt and afterwards tincture of guaiac, gradually added; care must be taken not to allow the tincture to come in direct contact with the sides of the graduate, and it is well to take the precaution to first wet the sides with the extract and syrup before the addition of the tincture. The mixture obtained in this way, while not as bright in appearance as either the malt extract or the syrup, does not assume the blueish color of the gum emulsion. After standing for a day it separates into two layers, the lower transparent and bright, the upper one having a slightly curdled appearance, but a slight shake of the bottle suffices to cause the layers to mix again. That the guaiac is contained in both layers I have determined by setting aside a portion in a narrow tube until the two layers had formed and examining them both; the lower one becomes opaque by the addition of water, but glass tubes or graduates containing it can be made perfectly clear and bright by simply rinsing with cold water, thus showing that the resin has been taken up or emulsionized by the extract of malt.

With the Resin of Guaiae the method must be slightly different. It should be first rubbed thoroughly in a mortar with the extract of malt until a smooth paste is obtained, after which sufficient of the syrup of wild cherry is added to make the mix'ure fluid again.

the bottle, and it is only after the most vigorous shaking that a smooth mixture can be restored, if at all, it being very difficult to dislodge the sediment. Compressed tablets of naphthalin are prepared, but on account of its bulkiness and the large dose sometimes used, it is not a substance exactly suited to that form of administration, if by any means a preparation can be obtained that will to some degree mask the strong odor and taste

In extract of malt it seems to be less soluble than in syrup, or mucilage of acacia, the mixture in the same manner as with tincture of guaiac, but to prepare a mixture from the gum resin, it is best to rub it first in a mortar with a small quantity of hot water to form a paste, then add the malt and syrup alternately in small portions; it can easily be made to contain 8 per cent. — Jouble the strength of the U. S. P. Mistura Asafœtidæ. An advantage of this over the official mixture is, that it does not have the exceedingly disagreeable smell of the latter and the taste is less unpleasant. Like just described having scarcely any of the odor and even less of the taste of naphthalin unless held on

For the administration of the tineture and fluid extract of *Cannabis Indica*, malt extract answers very well; with these preparations the best result is obtained with the following proportions:

R Tincturæ Cannabis Indicæ ½ oz. Extracti Malti.......... i dram. Syrupi Pruni Virginianæ ... ½ oz.

With Copaiva it is necessary to proceed much the same as in making an ordinary emulsion, starting with a small portion of the extract of malt in a mortar and adding with trituration alternately portions of copaiva, malt and syrup. The mixture retains about the color of the malt, forms two layers on standing, but is easily restored by agitation.

With other resinous tinctures and fluid extracts the results have been similar to those described, the ones selected for mention being those we are called upon most frequently to dispense, and are also typical resinous substances. Extract of malt, as prepared by the official process, or as found in the market papared by the various manufacturers, is in itself too thick to dispense as a vehicle, hence it is necessary to use a diluent of some kind. I have selected the syrup of wild cherry for the purpose, because of its agreeable taste and slight odor of hydrocyanic acid. With an extract of malt made according to the direction of the Pharmacopœia, results were obtained identical with those

from the commercial extracts; about the only difference noticed was in the color of the mixtures, some of the commercial extracts being of a darker color.

In summing up the result of my work in this direction, it may be said that in extract of malt we have a ready, inexpensive and equally good substitute for acacia in suspending and masking the taste of disagreeable, resinous and other insoluble substances, wherever its presence in small quantity is not found to interfere with the therapeutic action of the substance prescribed.—Am. Jour. Phar.

PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION OF THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

WRITTEN MINOR EXAMINATION.

Quebec, October 13th, 1891.

N.B.-You are requested to-

1-Write on one side of the paper only.

2-Number and letter your answers so as to

correspond with the printed questions.

3—Number the sheets of paper in their proper order and attach them together, then fold them up and place your No. on the outside.

MATERIA MEDICA.

r.—Name and describe six official exudations . with their sources and their chief characteristics.

2.—How would you distinguish between Sweet and Bitter Almonds by appearance, and from which of the two is the fixed oil obtained, and how? Name a substance which exists in the Bitter and not in the Sweet. Name the official preparations.

3.—Name the drugs which contain the following active principles: Veratrine, Santonine, Atropine, Eserine, Pilocarpine, Codeine and Pecrotoxine.

4.—Give the doses of the following official preparations:—Tinct. Aconiti; Liq. Atrop. Sulph.; Liq. Arsenical.; Liq. Am. Acet.; Donovan's Sol.; Tinct. Chlorof. Co.; Tinct. Colchici.; Ext. Can. Ind.; Ext. Physostig.; Ext. Conii.

CHEMISTRY.

r.—What is the difference between an Element and a Compound? Name three Elements and two Compounds of each of these Elements?

2.—What is Sulphur? How is sublimed sulphur prepared? In which preparations of the B.

P. is the latter used?

3.—Give the atomic weight and symbols of the following Elements: Potassium, Sodium, Phosphorus, Silver, Gold, Platinum, Lead and Iron.

4.—What is meant by specific gravity and how would you take the specific gravity of a liquid.

PHARMACY.

r.—How many fluid ounces of Spt. Rectif. B. P. | each: Composited would you require to make 78 fl. ounces of Proof and Ranunculaceae.

Spt. B. P.? What is Methylated Spirits of Commerce?

2.—Describe the method of making Tinctures by maceration and percolation. Name six Tinctures made by maceration and four by percolation giving strength and doses of each.

3.—How much Cocaine Mur. is required to make one ounce and a half of a 5 per cent solution?

4.—Write out the following prescription in full and translate the direction into French. Note the corrections to be made if any.

B.

Pulv. Jalap 99 Scammon 75 Hydrarg Perchlor gr × ×

M. et in pulv. × ii divide. quorum cap. ii vel iii ut necesse sit ad sedes.

WRITTEN MAJOR EXAMINATION.

Quebec, October 13th, 1891.

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MATERIA MEDICA AND TOXICOLOGY.

1.—Give natural order and source of Rhubarb. How many varieties are recognized by the B. P. Name them, with their characteristics. State composition and the adulteration sometimes found in the powder, with means of detection.

2.—Is Nux Vomica a fruit or a seed? Name two Alkaloids which it contains. State which is

most poisone's and the percentage present.

3.—What is Acetanilide? Give its mode of preparation, physical properties, therapeutical effect and dose.

4.—Name the appropriate antidotes in cases of poisoning by Oxalic Acid, Arsenic, Nitric Acid, Liquor Ammonia, Corrosive Sublimate; Hydrocyanic Acid and Carbolic Acid.

BOTANY.

r.—Name the Botanical terms of the arrangement of leaves on the stem and deteribe the various kinds of leaves. Name also the different parts of a leaf, and give the cellular structure of a fleshy leaf.

 Explain the difference between Monaecious, Diaecious, neutral and polygamous flowers. Give

an example of each kind.

3.—How many official plants belong to the natural order Solonaceae? Name them, and give outline of salient points of difference existing between said plants.

4.—Give diagnosis of the following natural order, mentioning three official plants belonging to each: Composite, Umbellifere, Leguminosea

CHEMISTRY.

1.—Give chemical tests for the following:— Borates, Chlorates, Nitrates, Hyposulphites, Hypophosphites, and state how to distinguish the chloride from the Cyanide of Silver.

2.—What percentage of real acid is present in diluteo Sulphuric Acid, 30 grammes of which are neutralized by 84 cubic centimetres of the official

volumetric solution of Soda.

3.—To what operation and what quantities of materials does the following equation refer:—

 $Na_{2}C_{2}O_{4} + MnO_{1} + 2H_{2}SO_{4} = MnSO_{4} + Na_{2}SO_{4} + 2H_{2}O + 2CO_{2}$

4.—Show by equations the chemical changes which take place in the preparation of Liq. Ferri Perchlor. Fort.

PHARMACY.

1.—Give the process for preparing Chloroform and mention its specific gravity, tests, dose and Pharmacopæia preparations.

2.—Write what you know about the preparation of Emulsions and describe the best method for making Emulsion of Turpentine, Bals. Copaibae, Cod Liver Oil and Castor Oil.

3.—Name the preparations of Phosphorous in the Pharmacopœia and give their doses. Describe the method of preparing Oleum Phosphoratum and Pilulae Phosphori.

4—Define Dialysis and its object, and give the Pharmacopoeia method of making Dialysed Iron with characters, specific gravity, tests and dose.

One hundred grains by weight of Dialysed Iron affords a precipitate with solution of Ammonia, how much should the precipitate weigh when washed, dried and ignited?

BUFFALO LITHIA WATER A SOLVENT FOR URIC ACID CALCULI.*

By E. C. Laird, M.D., Haw River, N. C., and Fred. S. Whalley, M.D., Resident Physician at Buffalo Lithia Springs, Va.

STATEMENT OF DR. LAIRD.

The relief afforded by Buffalo Lithia Water to a patient of mine, Col. H., of this place, a sufferer from renal calculi, is I think, worthy of some record. The first of May last he came under my care subject to frequent attacks of nephritic colic. Except as to the usual treatment for the relief of present suffering, I put him exclusively upon Buffalo Lithia Water, Spring No. 2, under the influence of which he in a few weeks passed four calculi weighing from two to three grains each, which was followed by a disappearance of symptoms. Notwithstanding, however, the continued use of the water, after a short interval there was a return of these attacks with increase both of frequency and severity when he made a visit to the Buffalo Lithia Springs, where he used the water six weeks with the following results: Ten days after arrival he began the discharge at intervals, large quantities of 1 1888.

calculi and sand which continued for several weeks and afterwards gradually diminished, until at the expiration of the six weeks there was only occasionally and barely perceptible upon minute examination a slight sandy deposit in the urine. At the same time improvement in the general condition of the patient was very marked.

The amount of calculous matter discharged may safely be estimated at from one to one and a half ounces. Under microscopic examination it was evident, I think, that the calculi were originally parts of larger formations dissolved by the action of the water. Analysis made by Dr. F. S Whaley, Resident Physician at the Springs and consulting physician in the case, showed it to be uric acid.

Six weeks have clapsed since he left the Springs. Use of the water continued. The urine is free

from sediment and normal.

It is *proper for me* to add that I was in constant attendance upon Col. H., during his stay at the Springs.

STATEMENT OF DR. FRED. S. WHALEY, RESIDENT PHYSICIAN.

Dr. E. C. Laird brought to me for analysis in June last three calculi which he informed me had been passed by Col. H., of Haw River, N. C. They were egg shaped, hard, brown, and weighed respectively, two, two and a half, and three-fourths grains. All of them showed marked facets Analysis proved these to be uric acid. The formation was in consecutive layers, and I made three analyses for one. One from the outer layer, one from the middle, and the other from the nucleus. All of these analysis proved a uric acid calculus. My examinations were both chemical and microscopical.

After this the patient came to the Buffalo Lithia Springs, where as resident physician, I was called in and saw him daily for about four weeks. He suffered from frequent attacks of nephritic colic and passed at intervals large quantities of uric acid calculi and uric acid sand under the use of Spring No. 2. The particles passed were irregular and so soft that they could be mashed between the fingers. The sand and fine particles under the microscope looked broken, porous, and presented a worm eaten appearance. I believe from this and similar cases which have come under my observation, that the Buffalo Lithia Water possesses solvent power over uric acid calculi. My belief is based on the following observations. 1st. That the calculi passed under the use of this water are softened so that they crumble easily. 2nd. The crystals under the microscope (which are passed under the use of water) are not so well defined and present a worn appearance, and the edges are not so sharp. 3rd. That patients with attacks of nephritic colic, under the use of water, passed uric acid sand and the atticks are relieved.

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RESORCIN THERAPEUTICALLY.

By Alfred Eichler, M.D. San Francisco.

Resorcin, if exposed to light or kept in a moist place, will soon acquire a reddish tinge, but it does not lose its activity. It is soluble in water and alcohol, also in ether. Solutions assume on standing a darker, whisky-like color, without any impairment of their activity. In very concentrated solutions it acts as a mild caustic, if applied to mucous membranes; it does not irritate sound skin, however. When sufficiently diluted it seems to have a soothing effect on inflamed surfaces and also on the mucous membranes. Internally it may be administered in doses ranging from two to fifteen grains.

Resorcin is to be prefered to Carbolic Acid in all instances when the latter proves too irritating. Consequently it is especially useful in affections of the mucous membranes; it is then used in aqueous solution, largely diluted. A three to five per cent solution is mostly preferred. In Catarrh of the l'osterior Nares and of the Pharynx it is found to be an excellent application; it is also useful in affect ions of the upper air passages. A good formula is presented by the following:

Kosorcin	a drams
Sodium Salicylate	dram
Sodium bi-Borate	1 dram
Glycerin	2 fl. oz.
Waterenoug	
Ise freely three times daily.	

This solution will soften and bring away all hardened secretion, relieve the congestion and i lessen the discharge. For thus cleansing the nasopharynx a posterior nares syringe should be used instead of a nasal douche, which, in unskilled hands is very likely to create mischief, that is, inflammation of the middle-ear. In many other affections of the air-passages does Resorcin give great relief. Whooping-cough, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Laryngeal Ulcers are benefited by it. It is especially valuable in chronic ailments of this kind; it is of less use, however, in the acute affections-like Croup and Diphtheria. It should be applied in i diseases of the throat with an atomizer or inhaling apparatus. A five to ten per cent solution will serve all purposes.

Resorcin sometimes acts charmingly in other diseases of the mucous surfaces; it is an excellent injection in all stages of Gonorrhea, although it here also produces more benefit during the latter stages; in inflammation of the neck of the bladder it may also be employed. From two to five per cent solutions will be the proper strength to use.

The internal use of Resorcin is chiefly limited to producing its antifermentative action. In Gastriand Intestinal Catarrh, Dilatation and Ulcer of trade. The following the Stomach, and in all those diseases where gases are important in the alimentary canal, its use is indicated. Impure Resorcin is said to occasion comitting; but, according to Andeer, pure Resorcin is and the local druggists.

one of the very best and most certain remedies against Vomiting, and he says that it will prove efficient in all possible forms of vomiting—as in those caused by pregnancy, kidney and liver diseases, also by sea-sickness and after excessive eating and drinking of alcoholic liquors. The dose as applied by him range from five to forty grains. It is most conveniently administered in capsules.—Merck's Bulletin

THE PRICES OF QUININE FOR SIXTY-NINE YEARS.

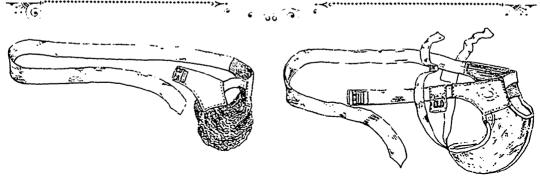
The Oil, Paint and Drug Reporter has recently published the tollowing table of the highest and lowest prices at which quinine has been quoted during each year since and including 1823. The prices given in the latter portion of the table are for foreign quinine in bulk, in New York:

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1S28 6 00	3 25 1863	3 25 2 70
1\$29 2 90	2 25 1864	3 75 2 60
1830 2 50	1 75 1865	2 40 2 20
1831 1 50	1 35 1866	260 235
1832 200	1 75 1867	2 20 1 95
1833 1 87	1 70 1868	2 35 1 90
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1840 3 12	2 87 1875	
1841 262	2 50 1876	2 70 2 20
1842 200	1 60 1877	4 50 2 70
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DRUGGIST'S ASSOCIATION—A meeting of the Druggists of the counties of Peterboro', Northumberland, Durham and Victoria was held in Port Hope lately, for the transaction of business and the general advancement of the mutual interests of the trade. The following gentlemen were in attendance:—Messrs. Walsh, McKee, and Schofield of Peterboro'; Messrs, Gregory, Higginbottom, and Perrin of Lindsay; Mr. Templeton of Cobourg, and the local druggists.

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Jalap is apt to be attacked by worms, which are said to devour the amylaceous or softer parts, and to leave the resin. Worm-eaten Jalap should be employed for obtaining the resin, but should not be pulverized, as it would afford a powder of more soluble in alcohol, in ether, and in chloroform:

than proper strength.

Jalap should be rejected when it is light, of a whitish color internally, of a dull fracture, spongy,

or friable.

Adulterations or substitutions. It is sometimes collected in an immature state, or at an improper season, and then contains but little resin. Sometimes previously deprived of the resin.

Mealy jalap -jalap stalks; male, fusiform, or woody jalap, consists of the tuberous root of

Ipoma:a Orizabensis. Ledanois.

Tampico jalap—from *Ipomwa simulans*. Hanbury. Mirabilis jalap—Lin., or four o'clock—the tuberous root.

Tests for adulteration and substitution, and for plants collected in an immature state, or at an im-

proper season:

On exhausting 100 parts of jalap by alcohol, concentrating the tincture and pouring it in water, a precipitate of resin should be obtained, which, after washing with water, and drying, should weigh not less than 12 parts, and of which not over 10 per cent should be soluble in ether.

Previously deprived of resin, it is sticky upon

the surface, and of a dark color internally.

Mealy jalap resembles true jalap externally, but has few scattered resin cells and a mealy fracture.

Jalap stalks (male or light, fusiform or woody), etc., often cut into transverse slices two or three inches broad, light brown and more fibrous in texture, containing resin which is entirely soluble in ether.

Tampico jalap forms globular or elongated tuberous pieces, which are often smaller, but occasionally larger, than true jalap; deeply wrinkled, and destitute of transverse scars. The resin is completely soluble in ether.

Mirabilis jalapa resembles jalap in shape, but is darker externally, and contains a large number of

acicular crystals.

Radix Mechoacanae is always in sections of a cotine, in sulphurico-acidulated solution, is oxiwhitish or gray color, destitute of resmous circles; dized by manganese dioxide. Cotarnine is a it cannot be mistaken for jalap.

Jalap - the tuber - is heavy, compact, hard, brittle, with a shining undulated fracture, exhibiting numerous resinous points, distinctly visible with the microscope. Externally dark brown, with lighter colored spots and short transverse ridges; internally, pale grayish-brown, with numerous concentric circles composed of small resin cells. - Pharm. Era.

THREE CONIUM ALKALOIDS.

1.—Pseudo-conhydrine, C.H., NO, — a new Alkaloid from Conium maculatum.—E. MERCK recently succeeded in isolating this substance, which exists in very small proportion in the highest-boiling portions of CRUDE CONINE, wherefrom it is obtained pure by fractional distillation in vacuo, and subsequent repeated recrystallization.

PSEUDO-CONHYDRINE crystallizes in needles; soluble in alcohol, in ether, and in chloroform; melting at about 98° C [208.4 F]; and boiling, as near as has been determined, at 230-233° C [456-461.4 F],—some degrees higher than Conhydrine.

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Prof. LADENBURG is at present engaged in a thorough investigation of PSEUDO-CONHYDRINE, to which he gave this name on account of its isomericity with Conhydrine,—as appears from the above formula, derived by him.

2.—Conhydrine, -C_sN₁,N(), -is a Natural Base contained besides Conine, in the seeds of Conium maculatum. Its action is similar to that of Coniine, but somewhat weaker. It forms lustrous white leaflets; difficultly soluble in water: easily so in ether and in alcohol.

3.—Coniine (Conicine, Cicutine), chemically pure, Merck—C₈H₁,N,—the principal active substance of Conium maculatum (Poison-hemlock; Spotted Hemlock),—is a colorless, limpid liquid, of pentrant odor.—It has not before been placed on the markets in a degree of purity equal to that of E. Merck's preparation; as is shown by the absence of color from it, and its limpidity.—Merck's Builetin.

RARE OPIUM ALKALOIDS.

Three such (Laudanine, Protopine, and Tritopine) were recently described as having been first prepared for the markets by E. MERCK, of Darmstadt; the existence of the latter-named one—TRITOPINE—and the method for its isolation, having both been discovered at E. MERCK'S LABORATORIES.

—Two more Rare Opium Derivatives (COTARNINE and LAUDANOSINE) are described helow: while the *Physiologic characterization* of one of the above-mentioned three (PROTOPINE) is also here added.

Cotarnine,—C.,H.,NO,H.O,—a Narcotic.— COTARNINE is one of the Artificial Opium-bases; being formed, along with Opianic Acid, when Narcotine, in sulphurico-acidulated solution, is oxidized by manganese dioxide. COTARNINE is a

yellowish crystalline powder; soluble in boiling water, in alcohol, and in other: insoluble in potassa lye.

According to Buchheim and Loos a dose of 0.0075 gramme [1/8 grain] of COTARNINE, in frogs, produces paralysis of the peripheral nerve termina-

Laudanosine—C., H., N(), (acc. to HESSE) - is a Natural Opium-alkaloid; very easily soluble in alcohol and in ether; crystallizing from officinal benzin (petroleum ether) in fine white needles, mostly grouped in rosette form; melting at 89 C

Identity-tests, according to E. KAUDER:

When LAUDANOSINE is thrown into pure concentrated sulphuric acid, the latter at first remains colorless; on crushing the alkaloid, a rose coloration takes place; which, on warming, changes to faint green, and, on evaporating the acid, into dark violet with a dingy reddish tinge. If the acid solution be diluted with water, or abandoned to draw water from the atmosphere, the color changes toward red brown.

As shown by FALK, LAUDANOSINE is a Spastic poison.—the lethal dose, in rabbits, ranging between 0 07 and 0.08 grammes per kilogramme of

animal [7--8 parts per 100,000].

Protopine, — a Narcotic; Muscular, Nerve, and Cerebral Poison... This OPIUM-ALKALOID, whose physical and chemical qualities were before described, as above remarked, has been physiologically investigated by ENGEE, with the following results:

- 1.—PROTOPINE, in small doses, given to frogs, acts as a Narcotic, similarly to most Opium-alka-
- 2.—In strong doses, similarly given, it acts as a Paralyzant to the Muscular substance and peripheral Nerve-terminations.

3:-At the same time, the Reflex excitability is maintained under small and medium doses, but

suspended under large ones.

4.—In mammals, Protopine exercises an action similar to that of Camphor given in toxic doses; however, the effects are distinguished from those of Camphor by paralysis of the Circulatory organs.— Merck's Bulletin.

A FEW CORN CURES.

By H. M. WHELPLEY, PH. G., M.D.

It must not be forgotten that the conditions which caused the corn in the first place will induce its return under like circumstances. Always impress the customer's mind with this fact. The use of the surgeon's knife in removing toes is the only means of preventing the return of corns on some people's feet. But then the druggist need not worry over that, for the trade is a source of revenue if properly handled.

Probably the most popular corn cures depend on the action of salicylic acid. Among the many l

therapeutic properties of this comparatively new remedy is its power to disintegrate epithelial tissue. It is usually combined with Cannabis Indica. The form I have found useful is to mix nine parts of salicylic acid with one part of extract of Cannabis Indica and forty-eight parts of collodion. This is applied to the corn every night with a camel's hair brush. The foot should be clean before it is applied and the mixture permitted to thoroughly dry before it comes in contact with clothing.

I am aware that there are several other formulas published for this same mixture, and that they usually call for less of the salicylic acid, but I believe the above amunt should be used in order

to get good results.

A salicylic acid corn plaster is made by mixing six parts of resin and adding five parts of balsam of fir, and then stirring in ten parts of salicylic acid as it cools. This can be spread on any suitable medium for a plaster. When used the corn must not be rubbed with the shoe.

Lanolin forms the basis of another salicylic acid plaster, and cocaine is added with the idea of making it painless. To form the plaster mix six drachms of salicylic acid thoroughly with ten drachms of lanolin. Dissolve five grains of hydrochlorate of cocaine in a small quantity of warm alcohol, and mix the solution with one fluid ounce of creosote. Mix one half ounce of melted white wax with one half ounce of vaseline and add the creosote solution. To this add the cocoaine solution and mix.

Some of the salicylic acid corn cures are simply a salicylic acid cerate, made by mixing one part of salicylic acid with eight parts of simple cerate.

Among the corn plasters made without the use of salicylic acid is one composed of forty parts of resin cerate, forty parts of galbanum plaster, fifteen parts of verdigris, five parts of turpentine, (the leoresin) and three parts of creosote.

There is also in the market a corn plaster which is an ordinary adhesive plaster with about fifteen per cent of salicylic acid and a small percentage of

benzoin.

Salicylic acid is sometimes associated with arsenic in the proportion of two drachms of the salicylic acid with one drachm of arsenious acid and one ounce of vaselin. This is used as a salve on linen.

Still another corn plaster is made of salicylic acid one part, Burgundy pitch one part, and yellow

A caustic corn salve is made by mixing a hot saturated solution of caustic soda or potassa with twice its bulk of glycerite of starch.

A solution for the cure of corns has been made by dissolving thirty grains of tannic acid in one ounce of a mixture of equal parts of tincture of

iodine, acetic acid and glycerin.

This list could be continued for some time, but the above formulas will enable the energetic druggist to satisfy his customers and aid in filling his money drawers.

PERSONALS.

C. A. Love, a Chicago druggist, exhibits the suggestive sign of "Love the Druggist."

THE corner store of the Masonic Temple, Chicago's wonderful building, has been rented to a druggist at a rental of \$15,000 per year.

DR. GOVETTE, of St. Johnsbury, Vt. has purchased Somer's block, Magog, Que. He also intends buying the stock of drugs and carrying on the business.

MESSRS G. M. Anderson and M. T. Nelles have formed a partnership and are opening a drug store in London, Ont. Mr. Anderson was traveller for the London Drug Co., and M. T. Nelles was lately with Mr. B. A. Mitchell.

THE students at the Ontario College of Pharmacy are again up in arms. The students and the new professors have not been able to hitch well together, which resulted in a big row lately, the professors being hooted, etc. A deputation waited upon Prof. Shuttleworth and asked him if he would take charge of the institution again. The Ontario College of Pharmacy is certainly doing well in the way of keeping up its reputation.

The Dominion Dyewood & Chemical Co. Toronto, Sole Agents in Canada for the Farbenfabriken, vormals Friedr Bayer & Co., Manufacturers of Phenacetine and Sulfonal-Bayer, announce that they are now offering these valuable products to the trade in the form of lozenges The Phenacetine-Bayer Lozenges contain 4 and 8 grains and the Sulfonal-Bayer 8 and 16 grains, put up in neat hoxes of 50 and 100 each. This will be a very convenient form for the prescribing of these valuable remedies.

MR. ALLAN CAMERON, for a number of years with Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, was the recipient on Saturday, Oct. 31st, of a very handsome souvenir from his fellow employees in the shape of a Gold Chain and Locket suitably engraved.

The presentation was made upon the occasion of his severing his connection with the firm mentioned. Mr. Cameron is a popular young manamember of the Montreal Lacrosse Team and a champion hockey player. He will be much missed in his old circle, and carries with him the best wishes of all in his new field of labor.

B. M. CANNIFF.—The Globe says: "One of the largest drug dealers in Manitoba is B. M. Canniff, of Portage la Prairie. Mr. Canniff went to the Portage from Picton, Ont., in 1882 and, after surviving the boom, had the misfortune to be saddled with the church debt of the English church at the Portage. As one of the trustees he was personally responsible and had to pay about three thousand dollars in cold cash. Even with this load

he has steadily risen in the financial thermometer until to-day he is one of the most successful business men in the Portage. He has two splendid drug stores on Saskatchewan avenue. Mr. Canniff has recently erected a beautiful residence for himself on one of the finest streets in the Portage."

Illinois College of Pharmacy,

The winter term of the Illinois College of Pharmacy began September 24th. Its present class is the largest it has ever had, and contains 67 seniors and 144 juniors.

Seven of the students are ladies. The summer term will begin March 10th, 1892

free Want Department.

Druggists in need of apprentices and help generally, are invited to make free use of this department, and all persons seeking situations in the drug trade are cordially invited to do likewise. Advertisements of business for sale will also be inserted free of charge.

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THE ANALYSIS OF BEESWAX.

By C. MANGOLD.

On account of the natural fluctuations of the so-called constants of yellow beeswax, such as the acid and saponification numbers, as well as the iodine number determined by the Hübl process, adulteration with less than 6 per cent. of paraffin or ceresin is difficult to detect.

A. and P Buisine, applying (Bull. Soc. Chem., 1890, 3, 567) the principle previously enunciated by Hell, Stürcke and Schwalb, have devised a method of sufficient apparent value to warrant its investigation at the hands of the author.

The wax is saponified with potash and heated with potash lime, by which treatment the higher alcohols are converted into fatty acids with elimination of hydrogen, which serves as a measure of their amount. The hydrocarbons present are unattacked and can be extracted from the residue.

The author's investigations confirm those of A. and P. Buisine, and have led him to recommend the following method: 2-10 grammes of the wax are melted and saponified by potash-lime, the reaction being aided by stirring. The saponified product is powdered when cold, intimately mixed with three times its weight of potash-lime, and the mixture transferred to a thick-walled, pear-shaped bulb-tube, which is heated to 250° C. (for two hours, according to Buisine, c.f., the time adopted by the author below) in a mercury bath contained in an iron vessel. This vessel is provided with a lid which screws on air-tight, pierced with four apertures through which pass air-tight, respectively, the pear-shaped bulb, a thermometer, a thermostat, and a long tube open at both ends to condense any mercury which may volatilize. tube connects the pear-shaped bulb with a Hofmann's burette, in which the hydrogen is measured.

Although the author has made some determinations of its amount (obtaining results somewhat lower than those of Buisine), his attention has been chiefly directed to the estimation of the hydrocarbons present. Having observed, however, that the volume of hydrogen only becomes constant when the heating has been continued for three hours, he adopts this time as the minimum necessary for the determination of the hydrocarbons. After the completion of the reaction, the residue in the bulb-tube and the bulb-tube itself are powdered and extracted for some hours with petroleum ether in a Soxhlet's tube, the ether distilled off, and the residual hydrocarbon dried at 110° C. and weighed.

Schwalb has already noted (Annalen, 1886, 235, 149) that pure beeswax itself contains about 6 per cent. of hydrocarbons; while A. and P. Buisine have found as much as 12.5-14 per cent., a result confirmed by the author. In endorsing this statement, he arrived at the conclusion that as little as 2 per cent. of foreign hydrocarbons may be detected.

The best approximation to the true proportion of paraffin is said to be obtained by assuming the quantity of hydrocarbons normally present in beeswax to be 13'5 per cent.

The following table gives some figures for unbleached beeswax of diverse origins:

True saponi-

			cation number
		,	
			after deduction
	Hydro-	Acid	of acid
Source of sample.	carbons.	number.	number).
Aussee	0 0	19.79	72.51
Native	13.75	20 44	70 65
**	14.72	20.42	67.84
Dalmatia		18.81	71.99
Hungary	14.60	23.04	66.22
Bosnia (Banjaluka)		10.31	
Slavonia		20.95	70.23
Carniola		20.08	69.62
Bosnia (Dolna-Tulza).	13.35	20.03	70:37
Lower Styria		18.56	72.20
Lower Austria	13.72	20.58	67.83
Mozambique		19.42	71.78
Chili	13.35	19.99	70 01
Monte Cristo	13.20	20.24	67:45
Morocco	11.05	21.66	77.02
Bombay	14'04	_	
Madagascar	11.77	20.03	72.85
Saffi	12.50	19.92	73'48
Oran	11.22	19 91	79.99
Massanah		21'11	69:49
Mogador	11.40	20.85	75.55

A sample of yellow beeswax from Transylvania had an acid number of 16.66, and a total acid number of 72.68; that is to say, a true saponification number of 56.02, plainly indicating that it was adulterated with paraffin or some similar hydrocarbon. The total percentage of hydrocarbons was 28.12, corresponding to an addition of 17 per cent. of paraffin calculated on the original wax. The percentage of hydrocarbons and the total acid number of the mixture being known, the total acid number of the original wax could be calculated, and was found in this case to be 87.6. A mixture made by adding 8 per cent. of paraffin to a genuine sample of beeswax gave figures on analysis corresponding to an addition of 7.4 per cent.

A few figures for bleached beeswax are also given:

			True saponi-
			cation number
		(after deduction
	Hydro-	Acid	of acid
Source of sample.	carbons.	number.	number).
Smyrna	10.93	20.87	68:33
Egypt	11.35	20.04	69.94
Transylvania	13.61	24.68	
Hungary	15.48	23.05	*79·49
*79*49 in origina	al. ·		

According to A. and P. Buisine, bleached wax gives a lower result for hydrocarbons than yellow wax; the last two samples are apparently impure, and have been bleached by chemical means.

¹ Chem. Zeit., 1891, 15, 799; The Analyst, August, 1891.

CASCARA SAGRADA AND ITS EXTRACTS.*

BY JOHN MOSS, F.I.C., F.C.S.

This paper is presented as the result of an endeavor to furnish a reply to question No. 8 in the Blue List. No one is more conscious than the it is only submitted in the hope that it may be regarded as an instalment which may receive additions on a future occasion or may provoke an Though there is instructive discussion now. nothing of interest, from a chemical point of view, it may prove of some little practical value to the pharmacist.

An attack has been commenced on the chemical part of the subject, but the results are not sufficiently definite for publication. The difficulties of separating a number of proximate plant constituents are only to be overcome by much time and more patience, especially when they consist mainly of resinous bodies which overlap in their characters and are liable to change under the very operations by which it is sought to isolate them. When the separation is effected, it is intended to submit the principles to trial and observation under competent medical direction, and in this way it will be possible to furnish an answer to another part of the problem, viz, the relation of the bitter resin to the therapeutic activity.

Liquid extract with water.—The British Pharmacopæia directs that the liquid extract of cascara shall be prepared by boiling the coarsely powdered bark in distilled water till it is exhausted, evaporating the decoction until it measures in fluid ounces three-fourths of the weight of bark in ounces, and when cold adding thereto a third of its volume of rectified spirit. The average specific gravity is 1.05. During concentration and towards the end of the operation the decoction lets fall resinous matter of two kinds, one firm even in the hot liquid and the other of a softer character. hard resin comes down first. The decoction being removed from this deposit, the softer portion can, whilst still warm, be for the most part separated from the harder one.

The official dose of the sold extract of cascara is 2 to 8 grains. Three grains of the harder resin produce a distinctly aperient effect in sixteen hours. The same quantity of the soft resin is only gently laxative at the end of a similar period. No pain was observed with either. The weight of the resins together from 100 pounds of bark varies somewhat, but averages i to 2 pounds.

A cask in which fifty gallons of the fluid extract, prepared as above from commercial spring gathered 1889 bark (the separated resin was added to it and in great part was taken up on addition of the spirit) at the end of twelve months contained a firm deposit which, when thoroughly drained, weighed 7 pounds 12 ounces, equivalent to 1.6 per cent. This corresponds closely with the proportion deposited during evaporation of the decoction, as described in a preceding paragraph, and the two have doubtless much in common. The fluid extract withdrawn was brilliant to the last drop.

Three grains of the residue completely dissolved writer that it does not approach completeness, and + or melted in the saliva in five minutes, the latter portion not so readily, indicating the presence of at least two bodies of different solubility. It was fairly bitter, with the characteristic cascara flavor, and slightly astringent to the tongue. A distinct laxative action was exercised in sixteen hours.

The deposit lost on the water-bath 18.6 per cent., and of dry extract so obtained 60.2 per cent. was dissolved by water. The solution filtered with difficulty and was dull and opalescent when cold, but became clear on heating. Water does not separate the components sharply, and of course it does not follow that what is soluble in water is also soluble in an aqueous solution of the constituents of the bark. The aqueous solution when evaporated gave a bright bitter extract dry ing to a deep brown varnish, slightly hygroscopic. It was feebly aperient or laxative in thirteen hours. The portion of the deposit not dissolved by water dried to a black cindery residue on the water-bath and was almost without taste. Three grains acted as a laxative in eighteen hours. In general characters it closely resembled the harder portion of the resins deposited from the original decoction during evaporation, as already described

Proof spirit dissolves 93.2 per cent. of the dry cask deposit, but drops a portion on standing, so that when filtered the filtrate yields only 78 per cent. of dry residue. Rectified spirit (0.838) dissolves 88.2 per cent. of the cask deposit, practically the same as proof spirit. The portion not dissolved by proof spirit was seen under the microscope to consist of degraded organized matter.

One ounce of ground bark which has been used for the official liquid extract was dried, and percolated with proof spirit till almost colorless. Evaporated, the resulting extract was yellowish-brown and oily. It weighed 20.72 grains, equivalent to 4.73 per cent. Three grains taken in the mouth tasted somewhat bitter at first, afterwards acrid, and at the end of five minutes had not disintegrated and required to be swallowed in the mass. In three cases it was not merely ineffective as a laxative, but appeared to exercise a slight astringent action.

Liquid extract with proof spirit .-- Seven pounds of thin, spring gathered 1890 bark were ground to number 40 powder and exhausted by percolation with proof spirit. After recovery of the proof spirit, the residual thin extract was made up to 7 fluid pounds by the addition of sufficient strong spirit to make the liquid equal to proof in strength of alcohol. The specific gravity was 1.025. slight deposit has appeared after three months. In one instance 20 minims were very effective, producing slight pains in seven hours and full

^{*} Read at the Cardiff meeting of the British Pharmaceutical Conference.

purging in fourteen, and again in seventeen hours. In a different and less sensitive subject, 30 minims produced analogous results. It is not improbable that a smaller dose in each case would have produced merely laxative effects, but further observations are obviously desirable.

Two ounces of the dried marc from the proof spirit liquid extract were boiled with water. decoction was almost water white, with no tinge of vellow or brown, only dull; and when evaporated yielded a mucilaginous residue weighing 48 grains (5.48 per cent.) which gave the reaction for starch with iodine and did not reduce Fehling's solution. It was inert.

The results of these experiments appear to point to the conclusions:

- That an aqueous liquid extract does not represent the full activity of the bark. Water extracts all the active constituents by boiling, but does not retain them when the decoction is concentrated. From this it follows that an aqueous solid extract would represent the full activity of the
- That a proof spirit liquid extract does represent the full activity of the bark. This extract in the same doses as the official liquid extract produces slight passing discomfort, but no unpleasant

The communication from Dr. James Jardine which follows (and I beg to express my thanks to him for making this report at the instance of a total stranger and solely in the interests of medicine) gives the results of an enquiry into the therapeutic action of cascara collected in different years and seasons and localities.* Though not exhaustive it is extremely interesting, and tends to confirm the generally accepted views that bark from South Oregon is preferable to that from the northern parts of the same State, and that the older the bark the more benign is its action. In conclusion, a few explantory references to Dr. Jardine's paper are necessary.

Liquid extract (a)—Prepared from fine hold quills of thin bark, spring-gathered in 1888, specific gravity 1.05.

(b) From thin bark, spring-gathered in 1889, specific gravity 1.05.

(c) From medium thick bark, spring-gathered in

1890, specific gravity 1.05.

late in the summer of 1890 by Professor Searby on his own estate in Sonora county, dried just enough to travel without sweating or moulding, and forwarded by express. This was the most beautiful and carefully prepared specimen of cascara I have seen, and was in small quills uniformly nine inches long. Within fifty days of collection the liquid extract was ready. There was no separation during evaporation of the decoction. The preparation had a specific gravity of 1.067, was perfectly miscible with water and almost tasteless. After standing ten months it has acquired a bitter

taste, and some loose deposit has appeared occupying about 10 per cent. of its bulk. Professor Searby writes, "I have used the same bark (gathered a little earlier) for the last two years with most excellent results. I have used Coos Bay bark and also some from Humboldt county, and so far as medicinal effects go; cannot tell the difference. I have never used any but what was gathered in the spring and early summer." Dr. lardine's observations agree with this, so it would appear that the bark collected in late summer is not inferior to spring-gathered in any respect.

Solid extracts (e)-Prepared by the official process from bark gathered in winter, 1888-9, in Northern Oregon. This bark and that referred to in (1) are fully described in my "Note on Cascara Sagrada" in the Pharmaceutical Journal, February 16th, 1889.

(1) From bark gathered in winter, 1888-9, in Southern Oregon.

(g) From commercial spring-gathered bark in 1880.

Dr. Jardine's observations indicate that there is no important difference between the commercial spring-gathered bark and that collected in winter. As was the case in 1889, winter collected bark may only be looked for when great scarcity and demand hold out a prospect of adequate reward for exposure to the rigors of the season and the greater labor of cutting from the trees. It is, however, some satisfaction to know that winter-collected bark is not valueless. Barks from North Oregon must not, however, be judged too harshly from the unsatisfactory single specimen of winter bark reported upon. Properly collected and cured it may be valuable, but if so the inactivity of the present specimen indicates that it is liable to suffer from malign influence to which the specimen of southern bark has not been exposed.—Druggists' Circular.

* The communication referred to was not read at the The conclusiors arrived at by Dr. Jardine are meeting. indicated in this paper.

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From 'Sea-Sickness, (Cause, Prevention and Cure),
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By Thomas Dufton, M.D.

FOODS, Page 29.

Since the first edition of this work was published I have had brought under my notice a preparation known as BOVININE. I have given it a trial of over six months, and can speak in the highest terms of the result. It is just the very thing wanted for sea-sickness. It is "already made," and the patient has only to measure out ten drops in a wine-glassful of cold water, or soda water, and take it every hour, increasing the dose up to one teaspoonful as recovery from sea-sickness takes place, or is prevented, as the case may be. No other food is required. I have tested it in every way, and believe it to be prepared on sound scientific principles. Anyone can testify that it is extremely rich in albumen by putting thirty drops in an ordinary test tube half full of water and applying heat by means of a spirit lamp.

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Opinions invited regarding preparation of.

Montreal, Nov. 17th, 1891.

I should in dispensing this prescription rub the Quinine down and suspend it in the Syrupus, and dissolve the Soda Salicylate in water. Salicylate of Quinine is formed, but if dispensed as above I don't think it will be found to aglutinate together as when the quinine is in solution, so that a shake of the bottle will be sufficient, before pouring out dose.

It is not an elegant mixture, but that is the fault of the prescription and not dispenser, the latter would not be justified in adding mucilage to keep the Salicylate of Quinine in suspension without consent of prescriber, or in any way altering the prescription.

BASHAM'S MIXTURE.

By F. W. HAUSSMANN, PH. G.

Read at the Pharmaceutical Meeting of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, October 20.

Few formulas of the present pharmacopæia have experienced as much adverse criticism from both pharmaceutical and medical standpoints as the Mistura Ferri et Ammonii Acetatis. Every pharmacist, in following out the officinal method, has doubtlessly experienced the same result, namely, instability of the mixture, and gradual precipitation of the iron as oxyacetate. When freshly prepared, the mixture presents an attractive appearance, but on standing several days, especially in warm weather, or only partly filled bottles, the above change takes place. It is generally noticed, when bottles which contained it are presented for renewal, when the bottom and sides of the vial are stained by the iron

While recommending recent preparation in a number of the officinal mixtures, the pharmaceia neglects this necessary order in this instance, a rule which whenever possible should be observed.

The reason for this decomposition may be found in the insufficient amount of acetic acid ordered, also the general very dilute condition of the preparation. While perhaps not often called for in some localities, in others it is continually in demand, and the pharmacist, to save both time and labor, is compelled to keep a supply on hand. It is in such instances that the above disadvantage is mainly felt.

The suggestion has been made, in the necessity of keeping a "stock" on hand, to prepare a concentrated mixture, according to the pharmacopoeia, with the omission of the 50 parts of water, which was to be added at the time the mixture was dispensed. This "concentrated" mixture does, however, not last much longer than the finished article, precipitating in almost the same time.

An increased amount of acetic acid is, perhaps,

the only remedy.

From a medical standpoint, the exceedingly slight amount of active ingredients is the main objection, and frequently physicians prescribe this valuable remedy extemporaneously. Others again,

in prescribing it, specify "Old formula."

An older addition of the National Dispensatory gives a formula which yields a preparation in medicinal efficacy improved and in stability more perfect. It is nearly three times the strength of the now officinal article, and, while not without fault, is better than the pharmacopæial preparation. The following is the formula:

Liq. ammon. acetatis	3 IVSS
Ac. acetici dilut	5 i
Tinct. ferri chlorid	<i>5 s</i> s
Tinct. aurant. cort	₹ iss
Glycerini	3 ss

The "modus operandi" is similar to the one of the pharmacopæia. When prepared by this method the mixture will be of a deep brown, almost black color, due to the action of the iron upon the tincture of orange peel. If clixir of orange, U.S.P., or better a mixture of it with simple syrup, about equal parts, be substituted for the tincture, the preparation will be, though slightly darker, very similar in appearance to the freshly prepared officinal mixture. It does not precipitate unless under certain conditions to be mentioned.

A sample, one and a half years old, has not

shown any change as yet.

In preparing the mixture, a few points are to be observed, viz.: (1) The solution of acetate of ammonium should be freshly prepared, care being taken that it is not too alkaline. This happens frequently, especially as is often the case when made by this method, if the carbonate of ammonia is left too long in contact with the acetic acid. If the second pharmacopæial method is followed, namely, mixture of a solution of carbonate of ammonia with the corresponding strength of acetic acid, more satisfactory results may be looked for. In summer an increase of acetic acid often becomes necessary, as decomposition, especially in very hot weather, and particularly before a thunderstorm, frequently takes place. It manifests itself by the gradual darkening of the mixture, which soon becomes of a thickish consistence, with final, bulky precipitation. It becomes necessary to recommend to the consumer to keep the medicine in as cool a place as possible.

A change of this nature often gives rise to suspicion, and by previous information possible distrust may be avoided. In the selection of the material employed, some care is also necessary.

The acetic acid must be strictly U.S.P., free from empyreumatic impurities. If the latter be present on neutralization with the carbonate of ammonia, it will manifest itself both in odor and taste. Also, on the addition of tincture of iron, it will produce a considerably darker mixture. The same precaution may be observed in the ammonia salt, which is often of inferior quality.

In offering the substitute for the officinal Basham's Mixture, no new features are presented either in composition or method of preparation, merely slight alterations in an old and tried formula. But as improvement upon the pharmacopæial formula is a necessity, it may be worthy of consideration. It certainly has one advantage which the other does not possess, that of being stable.—Amer. Journal of Pharmacy.

NEW TEST FOR ARSENIC.

It is a well-known fact that a precipitate of the metal is formed by boiling arsenic with hypophosphorous acid. Thiele (Chem. Ziet.) has discovered that the same effect is readily produced by dissolving the arsenic in hydrochloric acid and adding hypophosphorous acid. This indicates a very convenient method of detecting arsenic in combination with antimony or tin. The solution to be ex-

amined, whether for arsenic acid, or arsenious acid, is strongly acidulated with hydrochloric acid, after which it receives an addition of hypophosphite of sodium in the proportion of at least 1 gram to every 10 c.c. By heating this liquid over a water-bath the arsenic is precipitated in the form of a brown or blackish powder, unless its amount is very small, in which case only a brownish coloration of the liquid will be produced. An addition a of potasium iodide makes the test more delicate. Aside from the precious metals, copper alone, positively interferes with this reaction, its precipitate, even in very minute quantities, closely resembling that of arsenic in color. Bismuth and antimony exert scarcely any influence, their precipitates being black, and formed only from strong solutions. Still, when either of these are present, it is better to omit the potassium iodide, especially in the case of bismuth. This test is not available for a quantitative separation of arsenic from antimony or tin, since the precipitates oxidize very readily and cannot be washed.

HOW TO TEST DRINKING WATER FOR IMPURITIES.

By Frederick J. Wulling, ph. g.

Sometimes the pharmacist is called upon, especially if his sign reads "chemist and druggist," to ascertain whether a sample of water is fit for drinking and domestic purposes or unfit for that It isn't a very difficult matter to apply a few tests for the simple determination of the fitness or otherwise of a sample in question. A complete i examination of the character of a sample of water is a very difficult problem and should be referred | also any urea that may be present. Pharm. Record. to a skilled chemist. The substances to be looked for primarily are organic matter, albuminoid matter, ammonia, nitrates and nitrites.

The nitrogen compounds are usually more unwholesome. Their presence and of ammonia : water containing them or either one usually becomes the breeding place of the contagious disease | germs if they are around.

- 1. For organic matter, put a little of the sample into a beaker, add 2 or 3 drops of dilute sulphuric acid and color distinctly with a solution of permanganate of potassium. matter is present, the color of the permanganate. or very little, it takes longer to decolorize. If the safe to assume that organic matter was not present. This is a tolerably reliable test.
- the water forms nitrons acid if nitrites are present, ' prepared oxides. which is easily detected by its power of liberating .

iodine from iodide of potassium. A little starch paste is mixed with a small quantity of a solution of potassium iodide, and the mixture added to the suspected water containing the sulphuric acid. If nitrites were present the nitrous acid formed liberates the iodine from the iodide, which turns blue This indirect method is a ready with starch. means for detecting the nitrites if present in not too small a quantity.

3, Nitrates are detected by converting into nitric acid, which turns morphia red. A portion of the water is evaporated to dryness, the residue treated with a drop of strong sulphuric acid (which makes nitric acid of the nitrat) and a portion of morphine added. If nitrate was present the mor-

phine gives red color.

4. For ammonia, Nessler's reagent is by far the best test. It may be made by dissolving 18 grains of iodide of potassium in a little water, adding solution of mercuric chloride until the red iodide of mercury first formed dissolves upon agitation. To this is added a solution of 50 grains caustic potassa and distilled water to make 8 ozs.

This reagent will detect 0.00375 of a grain in a pint of water by giving a yellow color. A reddish color or precipitate forms with larger quantities of

ammonia.

5. Albuminoid matter requires a more elaborate proceeding for its detection. If all of the above were found it is hardly necessary to go to the trouble of looking for albuminoids: the water would be unwholesome even if they were not pre-If it is desired to test for them, nevertheless, Chapman and Wankly's test is the simplest to employ. If the water was found to contain ammonia, the latter must first be removed, as must

PURIFYING WATER.

M. Villon thinks that he has discovered a meabundant if animal matter is present; they of all thod of special value, as compared with all others, other abnormal constituents render water the most i for the purification of water for industrial purposes. It consists in placing a solution of sodium nitrate and of albuminoid substances, does not necessar- into a vat divided into two compartments by a ily render water unfit for domestic purposes, but diaparagm: lead electrodes of large surfaces are put in this solution, and the current from a dynamo is then passed through. The sodium nitrate is decomposed, caustic soda being formed in the negative compartment and nitric acid at the positive pole, from which it dissolves a certain quantity of lead, forming lead nitrate. When the current If much organic ' has passed through the liquid for a certain time the solutions are run from the two compartment becomes discharged almost immediately; if less into the second vat, and there mixed by means of an agitator. The soda precipitates hydrated oxide color has not changed in 25 or 30 minutes it is of lead, and itself forms sodium nitrate. The solution is now filtered and the nitrate solution again submitted to electrolysis. When the baryta or 2. For nitrites, a little sulphuric acid added to lead oxide is used up, it is replaced by freshly

The purification of barytes is found to be more

perfect than that by lead oxide, and, according to M. Villon, the use of the filter press can be avoided ' by employing plumbate of sodium, that is a solution of lead oxide in caustic soda, the precipitate being simply allowed to settle out, and the water obtained shows a hardness of two or three degrees.

INCOMPATIBILITIES OF COCAINE.

Bruner states that cocaine is frequently prescribed with silver nitrate in ointments, when, as is probably not known to the prescriber, decomposition of the hydrochlorate ensues, with formation of a insoluble chloride of silver and a corresponding E. Schell, reports that if change in the cocaine calomel and cocaine hydrochlorate are rubbed together, chemical reaction sets in. Mercur's oxide too, if dispensed in the form of ointment containing cocaine hydrochlorate, changes, so that the ointment, instead of producing an anæsthetic effect upon the eyes, is exceedingly irritating. This i is due to the formation of oxychloride of mercury, cocaine used, the intimacy of its mixture with the oxide, and the age of the ointment.

A New Lanel, Paste.—The Moniteur Industriel gives the following: Macerate in a small quantity of water 120 grams of gum arabic, and in another vessel with a similar quantity of water 30 grams of tragacanth. When the latter is thoroughly swollen, rub it up until it makes a homogeneous magma, and to this add the gum arabic. Force the mass through a linen strainer, and to the mixture add 120 ccm glycerine and 2.5. ccm. oil of thyme, and bring the volume up to 1 liter by adding distilled water and thoroughly incorporating the whole. This preparation should be preserved in well stoppered bottles.

THE town of MacLeod is in distress. Those who have "town lots" or improved properties there will have the sympathy of all excepting perhaps the Railway Company and those who are destroying the work of years, for their own benefit. There can be no doubt but that a gross wrong is being perpetrated. It is a matter of history that railroad corporations have no soul, and there is nothing new in railroad officials selecting town sites as the road is built mrough the country. The company or its officers secure the land and then bring in the people and reap an enormous harvest in the sale of lots. In this case the benefit goes to the same pockets, but these sharks save the expense and trouble of advertising and of bringing in people | from a distance by selecting a position that will | destroy absolutely an existing town. We have a letter from a druggist in that section, and it seems to be actually, "move across the river or starve." The following appeared in the MacLeod Gazette: some time ago, and it explains the position: Dewdney."

To Move or not to Move is the Ouestion WHICH NOW AGITATES US.

"The question of moving is now for the second time agitating the people of Macleod. When it became known that representatives of the C. & E. Railway Co., possessing authority to definitely state their intentions with regard to Macleod, would soon visit the town, a meeting of property holders was held. A committee was appointed to wait on such representatives, and hear what they had to say. Messrs. Ross, Mann, and McKenzie having arrived in town, an interview between them and the committee was arranged for Monday morning, Sept. 21. Accordingly that morning the committee met Messrs. James Ross and Wm McKenzie, and talked the matter over. On being pressed for some definite information, Mr. Ross stated that the railroad would be built to the north bank of the river: that it was not their intention to cross the river at present; that nothing we could offer them would induce them to build into the present the quantity of which depends on the amount of town of Macleod, not even if the unoccupied portion of the town were given to them; that the company would establish a townsite at their terminus across the river, where the station, roundhouse and other permanent works would be built. Mr. Ross pointed out that the company did not wish to be understood as being antagonistic to Macleod; that they would come as close as possible to the present town, but that their terminal point had to be located with a view to future railroad building in the district, and that Macleod did not suit that purpose. He also pointed out that the new town would be the end of a division, both for the Calgary and Edmonton and the C. P. R., when the latter is built through the Crow's Nest pass: construction on the latter would probably commence at this terminus. Mr. Ross said the company wanted the people of Macleod to move to their town, and held that they would be bucking against fate if they did not do so. The company were prepared to deal most liberally with us if we would move. He concluded by asking the committee to make a proposition in three weeks, stating the terms upon which they would move, either to himself or a representative who would then be here.

At a subsequent meeting of property holders, the same committee was authorized to telegraph the situation to the government, and ask their assistance. Several telegrams were sent to Hon. Mr. Dewdney, and answered. The final message came yesterday, and is as follows: "James Ross writes assuring me railroad company will treat Macleod people in a liberal spirit. He expects proposition from them, when he will do all he can to meet their wishes. He says it is out of the question for the railway to go through the present townsite. The government has no power to force company's hands, but will use all possible influence with the company in the interest of Macleod. Signed, E.

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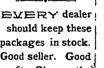


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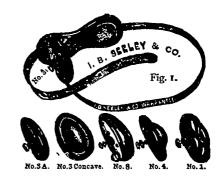
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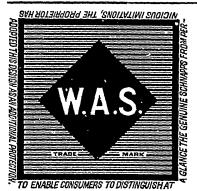
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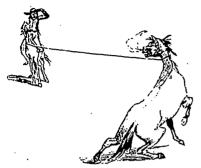


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" rhamnilb	25	2-11 00	" "lb 50 [Preston's]
" scopariilb	70		Watsons.hot 1 35
" taraxacilb	65		" vermifugelb 50 werm " voice [jujubes]lb 85
Sulphonal—Bayeroz	45	bulk 40 oz	
Sulphur præcip (lac sulp)lb	12	14 lb 10	Ung. acid boriclb 70
" rotund	4	brl 2½	ing acid carbolicilb 1 00 " salicylicilb 1 10
" sublimlb	5 5	bag 110 lbs 24	" althææ
Sulphuris iodidox	25	25 lb 4½	" belladonlb 70
Syrup aurantlb	20		" califaciens
" codeingelb	60		" calaminælb 40
Syrup ipecaclb	45		· cantharidislb 80
" ipecac complb	36	Whr qt. 32	" cetacei
" lactucariilb	45		" chrysarobinilb 80
" limonis lb	30	" 25	" eucalyptilb 75
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" sarsæ colb	35		" iodoformilb 1 20
" scillælb	20	" 15	" picis liquidlb 30
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Tamarindus, W. Ilb	14	10 lb 12	" simplexlb 50
Tapioca Flakelb		bag 7	" sulphlb 25
Tapioca pearllb		pag 7	" comp P. Llb 25
Teretenelb	75		" zincilb 30
Terebinth canadensislb	45	chian oz 40	" zinci oleatilb 60
" Venetlb	15		Urethane
Thymoloz	40	4	Vanilla beans
Tonquin beans		& 150	Vaseline 1 lb tins lb 30 5 lb tins 24
Tripoli doz.	90		Veratrinaoz 1 20
Triticum repens	20 75	L T. H 160	Verdigrislb 35 powd 40
" " drops	10	Gibson's 1 20	Vinum rubrum [port]gl 3 00 qr. cask 2 90
" " tanniclb	75	L T. H. 1.60	" 'opt "gt 3 50 " 3 25
': .nconite L. T. Hlb	90		" xericum [sherry]gl 1 75 " 165
" Bath pipelb	45		" " opt " gl 3 00 " 2.75
" boracic acid L.T. H.lb	90		. " " finegl 3 50 " 3 25
" cachou dwf bouquet lb	52		Witch Hazel extractgl 1 50 5gals 1.25 10gals 1.00
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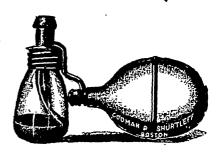
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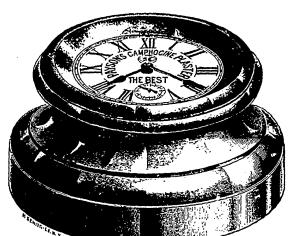
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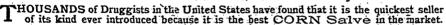
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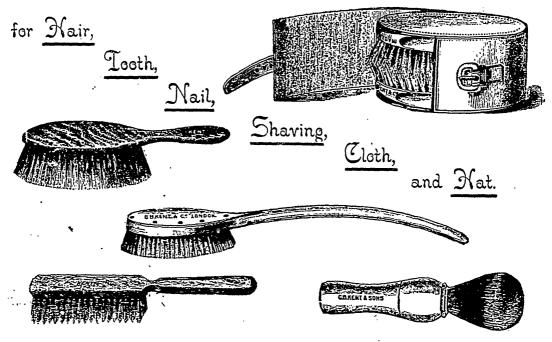
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