

MERCK'S 1901 MANUAL

OF THE

Materia Medica

A READY-REFERENCE POCKET BOOK

FOR THE PRACTICING

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

CONTAINING

NAMES AND CHIEF SYNONYMS, PHYSICAL FORM AND APPEARANCE, SOLUBILITIES, PERCENTAGE STRENGTHS AND PHYSIOLOGICAL EFFECTS, THERAPEUTIC USES, MODES OF ADMINISTRATION AND APPLICATION, REGULAR AND MAXIMUM DOSAGE, INCOMPATIBILITIES, ANTIDOTES, PRECAUTIONARY REQUIREMENTS, ETC., ETC., OF THE CHEMICALS AND DRUGS USUAL IN MODERN MEDICAL PRACTICE;—A COMPREHENSIVE COLLECTION OF PRESCRIPTIONS, EMBRACING ALSO THE NEWER REMEDIES OF ESTABLISHED MERIT;—A CLASSIFICATION OF MEDICAMENTS;—AND MISCELLANY.

Catarrhal Croup.—See *Croup, Catarrhal.*

Catarrh Bronchial.—Inflammation of the bronchial tubes with mucous discharge. See *BRONCHITIS.*

Catarrh, Cervical.—Inflammation of the neck of the uterus, with mucous discharge.

R	Alrol..... 4 dr.	R	Ichthyol Merck..... 1 fl. dr.
	Boric Acid..... 4 dr.		Boric Acid..... 20 grn.
			Glycerin..... 1 fl. oz.

Apply after previous thorough cleansing.

After cleansing the cervix, apply on cotton externally and by tampon internally.

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PART II.

FORMULAS.

Catarrh, Epidemic.—A contagious inflammation of the air-passages known as "influenza" or "grip." See *INFLUENZA.*

Catarrh, Gastric.—Inflammation of the lining membrane of the stomach accompanied by excessive mucous secretion. See *GASTRITIS.*

Catarrh, Intestinal.—Inflammation of the intestines accompanied by a free mucous discharge. See *DYSENTERY.*

Catarrh, Nasal.—Inflammation of the air-passages of the nose, accompanied by a free discharge of mucus.

R *Acute:*
Menthol Merck..... 24 grn.
Chloroform..... 4 fl. dr.
Inhale few drops from palm of hand every 3 or 4 hours. Keep from the eyes.

R
Menthol Merck..... 96 grn.
Eucalyptol Merck..... 1 fl. dr.
Terpinol Merck..... 45 min.
Oil Scotch Fir..... to make 4 fl. dr.
Pour a few drops into a flask or glass, heat over spirit lamp, and inhale vapor as it evolves.

R
Eugeniline..... 20 grn.
Fowler's Solution..... 10 min.
Solut. Atropine (1 per cent.)..... 4 min.
Ext. Gentian..... 20 grn.
Powd. Acacia..... for 12 pills.
One every 3 or 4 hours.
(For acute colds.)

R
Atropine Sulphate Merck $\frac{1}{2}$ grn.
Morphine Sulphate Merck $\frac{1}{2}$ grn.
Eugeniline..... 10 grn.
Camphor..... 10 grn.
Make into 20 tablets.
One every $\frac{1}{2}$ hour for 6 doses, or until throat is dry, then every 2 or 3 hours.

R *Acute:*
Menthol Recryst. Merck 8 grn.
Camphor..... 5 grn.
Liquid Petrolatum..... 1 fl. oz.
Apply as fine spray, after thoroughly cleansing parts.

Catarrh, Urethral.—Inflammation of the urethra with mucous discharge.—See *URETHRITIS, Gonorrhoea.*

Catarrh, Vesical.—Bladder inflammation with mucous discharge. See *CYSTITIS.*

Cephalalgia.—Pain in the head. See *HEADACHE.*

Cerebro-Spinal Fever.—An acute and severe epidemic fever with great pain and extreme nervous shock. See *MENINGITIS.*

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R *Chronic:*
Iodine..... 5 grn.
Potassium Iodic..... 10 grn.
Zinc Sulphocarbolate Merck..... 20 grn.
Creolin-Pearson..... 30 min.
Water..... to make 4 fl. oz.
Apply once a day by syringe or spray.

R
Carbolic Acid Merck..... 15 grn.
Fl. Ext. Hydrastis..... 1 fl. dr.
Sodium Bicarbonate..... 1 dr.
Sodium Borate..... 1 dr.
Glycerin..... 1 fl. oz.
Camphor Water to make 8 fl. oz.
Use with posterior nasal spray.

R
Creolin-Pearson..... 30 min.
Camphor Water..... 4 fl. oz.
Glycerin..... 1 fl. oz.
Water..... to make 1 pint.
Use 2 or 3 times a day by spraying from an atomizer.

R
Ichthyol Merck..... 30 min.
Zinc Oxide Merck..... 4 dr.
Petrolatum..... 2 oz.
Smear nose internally by means of twisted linen cloth, and anoint nose externally.