§ 12. For the Narcotick Property being fixed by the Acid, it presently gave the Patients ease, and made them sleep easily and quietly, without going into the Head, or making the Stomach sick: and by the Narcotick Property of the Opium it thickned the Blood and other Juices, stopping their fluidity by a kind of incrassation: and by the Styptick quality of the Vitriol, it not only put a perfect stop to the internal Hæmorrhage, but also induc'd the speedy healing of the Wound.

§ 13. It has all the Vertues of other Opiates, and much more pleasant and safe than any of them, and may be given in all sorts of Fevers of what kind soever; for the Acid removes the heat of the Fever, and the fixed Opium allays (upon the spot) the violent fermentation of the Blood and Humors, yea, of Choler it self, and so gives Nature a respite against the fury of the Disease.

§ 14. It is prevalent against the Scurvy, Dropsie, Jaundice, Gout, and Rheumatisms; eases all Pocky Pains and Aches, and presently alleviates the most intolerable Pains of the Bowels, expels Wind, takes away Griping, and gives ease in Stone and Gravel, whether in the Reins or Bladder.

§ 15. It may be given every Night at Bed-time, *à gr. j. ad iij.* or *iv.* upon extremity: and where the Disease has been inveterate, or of long standing, the Pain great, and the patient very weak, it may be given Morning and Evening; for it strengthens the whole Humane Frame after an admirable manner.

CHAP. XIV.

Of TROCHES and TABLETS.

I. * *Bolus Alexiteria*, seu *Cardiaca*, A Cordial Bole, or Troches, resisting Poyson.

Bate.] ℞ *Angelica, Bawm, Scordium, Burnet, Scabious, A. M. ij. Dragons, M. j. Flowers of Marigolds, Clovegilly-flowers, A. M. iij. Wood of Aloes ℥ss. Berries of Kermes ℥iss, Cochinele ʒij. Whitewine ℔ij. vel q. s. digest warm for 24 hours, then express out, and with fine Bole in fine Pouder ℥viij. make a kind of Pulp, or Pudding like Substance, which dry in the Sun. This Work repeat five times with the said Infusion, and at last form them into Troches S. A.* Dose, ℈j. *ad* ʒj. in malign Diseases.

Salmon.] § 1. I should rather chuse to make it with the Juices of the eight first Ingredients than with their infusion in Whitewine, for thereby the Medicine would be both stronger and better.

§ 2. It may be given Morning and Evening, as a Preventive against the Infection of the Plague, or the Contagion of other malign Diseases.

§ 3. But curatively, when the Sick is in Bed, and well cover'd

down, in order to sweating, drinking after it a small draught of some proper Sudorifick Antidote, *&c.*

II. *Tabulæ Absinthiacæ*, Tablets of Wormwood.

Bate.] ℞ *Trebble-refined Sugar* ℔j. *Wormwood-water q. s. boil them S. A. dropping in Chymical Oil of Wormwood, gut. 60. and then pour it forth upon a Marble Plate or Tile.* They are Stomatick, Hepatick, Splenetick, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. They strengthen a weak Stomach almost to a Miracle, warm and comfort it, cause Appetite and a good Digestion, and corroberate all the other Viscera.

§ 2. You may eat them as Sweetmeats, or hold them in your Mouth till they melt down; but I should rather chuse to dissolve ʒij. *iij.* or *iv.* in a Glass of Ale or Wine, and so take them in a Morning fasting, or as need requires.

III. * *Tabulæ Amygdaloïdes*, Tablets of the Almond-like parts of Benjamin.

Bate.] ℞ *The white parts of the best Benjamin* ℥j. *Flowers of Sulphur* ℥ij. *Root of Florentine Orice* ℥iss. *Sanguis Draconis* ʒj. *white Sugar* ℥xij. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth. extracted in Rose-water, q. s. mix and make Tablets or Troches. S. A.* They are very powerful against the Asthma, Cough, Phthisick, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. Dose, *ad* ℥ʒj. You may beat them into Pouder, and mix the same with any proper Syrup or Pectoral Water, and so take it Morning and Night, or in case of a Cough, as often as the Cough afflicts.

§ 2. They heal inward Ulcers of the Bowels, stop Fluxes of the Belly, and dry up Catarrhs.

IV. * *Tabulæ de Angelica*, Tablets of Angelica.

Bate.] ℞ *Fresh Angelica roots boil'd to a softness, and passed thro' a Sieve* ℥iss. *trebble-refined Sugar* ℥xij. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth, q. s. mix and make pure white Tablets.* They are Bezoardick, Cardiack, Traumatick, Emmenagogick, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. They are good against the Contagion of infectious Times, and may be taken Morning, Noon, and Night, by way of prevention.

§ 2. Dose, ℥j. *ad* ℥ij. and indeed they may be taken rather as a Sweet-meat, than as a Medicine.

V. * *Tabulæ Antimoniales*, Antimonial Tablets.

Bate.] ℞ *Ceruse of Antimony (made from the Regulus)* ℥vj. *trebble-refined Sugar* ℥xij. *with Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth, make small Tablets, weighing each a Scruple, S. A.* The Vertues are the same with the *Electuarium album.*

Salmon.] § 1. They are good to purifie and cleanse the Blood, and sweeten all the Juices of the Body by absorbing their Acidities;

§ 2. And therefore are good against the Cachexia, Dropsie, Jaundice, Scurvy, and such Diseases which proceed from a discrasie of the Blood, *&c.*

§ 3. You may take them Morning and Night *à* ʒss. *ad* ʒj. eating them either alone, or reducing

cing them into Pouder, by mixing them with some proper Syrup, or other Vehicle.

VI. * *Tubulæ Antisynanchicæ*, Tablets against the Quinsey.

Bate.] ℞ *Flowers of Sulphur* ℥j. *Goose dung in fine Pouder* ℥iij. *Sanguis Draconis* ʒij. *Oil of Aniseeds, gut. vj. trebble-refined Sugar* ℥viij. *with Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth q. s. mix and make Tablets.* They are good against the Ulcers of the Mouth, Thrushes, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. Dissolve and mix them with a little Hony, and apply the mixture to the part affected; inwardly, by smearing it upon the place; and outwardly, in a Quinsey, by applying it in manner of a Cataplasm.

§ 2. Or you may dissolve, and mix with some proper Water, and often gargle with it in a Quinsey, or other Tumors, Swellings, Ulcers, and Sores of the Throat and Tonsils.

VII. * *Tabulæ de Aurantiis*, Orange Tablets.

Bate.] ℞ *The yellow of Orange, Limon, and Citron-peels candied, A.* ℥j. *Confects of Aniseeds and Ginger, A.* ℥iij. *Galingal* ℈ss. *Cloves N° xij. preserved Nutmegs N° ij. Aromaticum Rosatum* ℈iv. *sweet Almonds blanched, Eringo-wood candied, A.* ℥j. *Pine-nuts, Pistaches, A. N° x. Musk, Civet, Ana. gr. iv. Ambergrise* ℈j. *trebble-refined Sugar* ℔ss. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth made in Rose-water, q. s. mix and make a Paste, which form into Tablets,* S. A. They are Antiscorbutick, Cardiack, Carminative, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. What the *Aromaticum Rosatum* is, see in our *Pharm. Lond. lib.* 4. *cap.* 21. *sect.* 2. the rest of the things almost are Sweetmeats.

§ 2. You may take it as often in a day as you please to gratifie your Palate and Stomach: It chears the Spirits, and makes a sweet Breath.

VIII. * *Tabulæ Burgesianæ*, Burgess's Tablets.

Bate.] ℞ *Green Liquorice* ℔j. *Decoction of Raisins, Scabious, and Violets,* ℔vj. *Infuse for three days, and boil to the half: press out, and evaporate to the thickness of Honey; to which add white Sugarcandy in pouder* ℥xij. *Gum Tragacanth in pouder* ℥ij. *Oil of Aniseeds gut. xx. Ambergrise gr.* iij. *beat them well together, and make a Mass, of which form Tablets or Rouls,* S. A. They are Bechick, Cardiack, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. They are pectoral and opening, good against Obstructions of the Lungs, Coughs, Asthma's, Wind, Gripings of the Bowels, Cholick, *&c.*

§ 2. They may be held in the Mouth, and suffer'd to dissolve at leisure; but being often or long us'd will offend the Stomach.

IX. * *Tabulæ Cardialgicæ*, Tablets against Pain of the Stomach.

Bate.] ℞ *White Chalk* ℥ij. *Crabs-eyes* ʒj. *Nutmegs* ʒj. *white Sugar* ℥xij. *Mucilage of Quince-seeds q. s. mix and make Tablets.* The Title shews their Vertues.

Salmon.] § 1. You may eat ℥j. or ij. or more at a time, as you eat Sugar-plumbs, and they will (by reason they are made of a fixt *Alcali*)

cali) absorb the Acid Humor, which is the cause of those intolerable gnawing pains at Stomach.

§ 2. This is made for such as cannot take the Medicine without Sugar; but to speak Truth, the *Alcalies* alone are much more effectual.

X. * *Tabulæ Carminativæ*, Tablets breaking Wind.

Bate.] ℞ *Pouder of common Daucus-seeds* ℥j. *trebble-refined Sugar (dissolved in Decoction of common Daucus-seeds)* ℥xij. *boil and pour forth*, S. A. Otherwise thus: ℞ *Cardamoms grosly pouder'd* ℥j. *yellow of Orange peels cut small* ℥iiss. *trebble refined Sugar* ℥xvj. *(dissolved in Rose-water two parts, Thyme-water one part) boil, and pour forth*, S. A. It is a most excellent Remedy against Wind.

Salmon.] § 1. They remedy the Cholick, expel Wind, and are good against stoppage of Urine, and the Stone.

§ 2. You may hold them in your Mouth till dissolved, or otherwise eat them like Sweet-meats.

XI. *Tabulæ Cathartica*, Purging Tablets.

Bate.] ℞ *Diagrydium* ʒiss. *Cream of Tartar* ʒvj. *Oil of Cloves gut.* vj. *trebble-refined Sugar* ℥iv. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth made with Rose-water q. s. make Tablets*, S. A.

Salmon.] § 1. You may give from ʒv. *ad* ʒx. according to Age and Strength, against the Scurvy, Dropsie, Jaundice, Gout, Rheumatism, and other like stubborn and inveterate Diseases.

§ 2. Let it be given in the Morning fasting, with Observations as in other Purges. It works safely, gently, and without griping.

XII. *Tabulæ Dialthæa*, Tablets of Marshmallows.

Bate.] ℞ *Pouder of the Roots of Marshmallows* ℥ij. *Liquorice* ℥j. *Flowers of Sulphur* ʒvj. *Gum Tragacanth* ʒij. *trebble-refined Sugar* ℥xij. *Aqua Pectoralis q. s. mix and make Tablets* S. A.

Salmon.] § 1. What the *Aqua Pectoralis* is, you may see *cap.* 1. *sect.* 45. aforegoing of this Book.

§ 2. It is intended to open Obstructions of the Lungs, and the passages of the Urine. It is good against Coughs, Colds, Catarrhs, Wheasing, Hoarseness, and other Distempers of the Brest and Lungs.

§ 3. Dissolved in Parsley or Onion-water, or Water of the biting Arsmart, and drunk, it helps against the Stone, Sand, Gravel, or any stoppage of the Urine, and eases the Pains of making Water. Dose, ℥j. *pro vice.*

XIII. *Tabulæ Diambræ*, Tablets of Ambergrise.

Bate.] ℞ *Species Diambræ* ℥ss. *trebble refined Sugar* ℥viij. *Cinnamon-water q. s. boil them according to Art.* They are Cardiack, Cephalick, Stomatick, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. What the *Species Diambræ* are, see *Pharm. Lond. lib.* 1. *cap.* 21. *sect.* 14. with their Vertues and Uses.

§ 2. The intention of this Prescript of our Author is to comfort and strengthen the Head, Brain, Nerves, Heart, Stomach, and all the principal Bowels.

§ 3. They are good against Megrims,

grims, Head-ach, Vertigoes, Lethargies, Apoplexies, Convulsions, Palsies, Sickness at Heart, Fainting, and swooning Fits. Dose ℥j. Morning and Evening, or at any time of Fainting.

XIV. * *Tabulæ Diatragacanthi*, Tablets of Gum Tragacanth.

Bate.] ℞ *Species Diatragacanthi frigidi (newly made) ℥ss. Musk, Ambergrise, A. gr. j. Civet gr. ij. treble refined Sugar ℥xij. Damask Rose-water q. s. beat them together into a Mass, and make pure white Tablets.*

Salmon.] § 1. What the *Species Diatragacanthi* are, see cur *Pharm. Lond. Lib.* 4. *Cap.* 21. *Sect.* 21. with their Vertues and Uses.

§ 2. These Tablets are much more pleasant than the *Species*, and therefore fitter for the more delicate Stomachs.

§ 3. They are Pectoral, and good against Coughs, Colds, Asthma's, Consumptions, Catarrhs, Preternatural Heats, and Ulcers of the Lungs. They cause a clear Voice, and a sweet Breath. Let them be held in the Mouth, and suffered to distil down at leisure.

XV. * *Tabulæ Divinæ*, Tablets of a most Excellent Vertue.

Bate.] ℞ *Lac or Milk of Sulphur vive* ℥ij. *white Sugar* ℥vj. *Mucilage of Quince-seeds q. s. mix and make Tablets each containing a Dram.* They are an *Arcanum* in the Cure of the Hæmorrhoides; and prevail against Scabs, Asthma's, *&c.* Dose N° iij. or iv. twice or thrice a day.

Salmon.] § 1. They are a Specifick against Coughs, Catarrhs, Colds, Hoarseness, Wheesings, shortness of Breath, difficulty of Breathing, and other Distempers of the Brest and Lungs.

§ 2. They heal also Ulcers of the Mouth and Throat, and dry up salt sharp Humors, in what part of the Body soever.

XVI. * *Tabulæ Embryonum*, Tablets to strengthen the Fœtus in in the Womb.

Bate.] ℞ *Pouder of Bistort-Roots, Ivory, Red Coral, Coriander-seed prepared, A. ℥ss. white Amber, Crystal, Berries of Kermes, A.* ʒij. *white Sugar* ℥xvj. *Quince-water, q. s. boil them S. A. adding Oil of Cinnamon gut.* vj. *then pour it forth.* They are of great Vertue in preventing Abortion, and strengthning the Child in the Womb, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. You may give of them *à* ʒiij. ad ʒvj. twice a day, *viz.* Morning and Night, for eight or ten days together: they strengthen the Womb, and corroborate the *Fœtus*, contained.

§ 2. If the Woman has often miscarried, and is apt to fall into that Weakness upon small occasions, you will do well to add to the Composition, *Catechu* ʒvj. *white Henbane-seeds* ʒij. and then the Medicament will be without comparison.

XVII. *Tabulæ Emeticæ*, Vomiting Tablets.

Bate.] ℞ *Stibium, or Glass of Antimony in subtil Pouder ℥ss. trebble refined Sugar ℥iv. Oil of Aniseeds. gut.* 5. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth*

canth q. s. mix. and make Tablets. Dose, *gr.* 16. *ad* 40.

Salmon.] § 1. I like not this Medicine, nor may it be safely given to weak Constitutions: to very robust Bodies you may venture to give it *à gr.* 15. *ad* 30. but you had best to be sure of their Strength before-hand.

§ 2. But to make a Medicine of the same Vertue and Operation, and to work with a great deal more safety, you may do thus. ℞ *Tartar Emetick of Mynsicht* ʒss. *trebble refined Sugar* ℥iv. *Rose-water q. s. boil to a consistency, adding Oil of Cloves gut.* vj. *then pour them forth.*

§ 3. Of these you may give from *gr.* 16. *ad* 40. or 48. in strong Constitutions, which will give 3, 4, 6, or 8 Vomits, and sometimes more, but with safety enough, if the Sick be perswaded to drink largely of Broth or Poset-drink.

§ 4. When you would have it give over working, give Broth well seasoned with Salt, or mixt with a little *Cremor Tartari*, and as hot as 'tis possible to be got down the Throat, and the Vomiting will immediately cease, and take its course downwards.

XVIII. *Tabulæ Farfaræ*, Tablets of Coltsfoot.

Bate.] ℞ *Leaves of Colts-foot gathered in a serene Air (cleansed from their Mucosity with a moist Cloth, and sprinkled with Spanish Wine, and dryed) in fine Pouder* ℥ss. *Pouder of Liquorice* ℥ss. *white Sugar-candy in fine Pouder* ℥xij. *Gum Tragacanth (dissolved in Pectoral Decoction) mix and make Tablets or Troches*, S. A. They are an Efficacious Pectoral Medicament, prevalent against the Cough, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. What the *Decoctum Pectorale* is, see in our *Pharmacopœia Londinensis*, *Lib.* 4. *Cap.* 14. *Sect.* 4. which is the thing intended here under that Name.

§ 2. They are good against most Diseases of the Brest and Lungs, chiefly Coughs, Wheesings, Hoarseness, difficulty of Breathing, shortness of Breath, and Obstructions in those parts, *&c.*

XIX. *Tabulæ Fæniculinæ*, Tablets of Oil of Fennel-seed.

Bate.] ℞ *Trebble refined Sugar* ℔j. *Fennel-Water q. s. boil, S. A. dropping in Chymical Oil of Fennel-seeds gut.* 50. S. A. They are prevalent against the Cholick, Wind, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. It is a pleasant sort of Medicine for such as can away with the taste of the Fennel-seeds, which in some sort strengthens the Stomach, as well as discusses Wind.

§ 2. It is good for Children, and to ease them of the Gripes that are new-born, to which some Children are very obnoxious.

§ 3. Elder People may also take them with singular Advantage against the Cholick, Pain and Sickness at Stomach, from ʒvj. *ad* ℥iss. at time of the Fit; otherwise by way of prevention, only Morning and Night.

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XX. * *Tabulæ Grifeæ*, Tablets of Ambergrife.

Bate.] *Ambergrife* ʒj. *Musk gr. vj. Alum gr. ij. white Sugar-candy in Pouder* ℥xij. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth (extracted in Mint-water) q. s. mix and make Tablets.* They comfort the Brain and Heart, and wonderfully revive the Spirits, natural, vital, and animal. Dofe, ʒj. or *ij.* three or four times a day.

Salmon.] § 1. Being held often in the Mouth, and fuffer'd to diftil down at leifure, they caufe a fweet Breath, and chear the Heart.

§ 2. They are alfo prevalent againft Palpitation of the Heart, Sicknefs at Stomach, and Fainting or Swooning Fits.

XXI. * *Tabulæ Hæmoptoicæ*, Tablets againft fpitting of Blood.

Bate.] ℞ *Terra Lemnia* ʒiij. *fine Bole* ʒij. *Lapis Hæmatitis*, Magiftery of *Ivory*, *A.* ℈iv. *Biftort Roots*, *Henbane-feeds*, *frefh Limon-peel cut very fmall*, *A.* ʒj. *white Poppy-feeds* ℥ß. *Sugar of Rofes* ℥viij. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth q. s. mix and make Tablets.* The Title fhews their Vertues: Let them be taken often in a day.

Salmon.] § 1. You muft take white Henbane-feeds, and if you encreafe them to ʒij. it will be fo much the better.

§ 2. To make it more effectual, you ought to add *Catechu* ʒ.*ij.* encreafing in proportion the quantity of the Sugar of Rofes, which ought alfo to be of red Rofes.

§ 3. They may be taken often in the day-time; but it will be neceffary at Night going to Bed, to take *gr.* 2 or 3. *plus minus*, of our our *Volatile Laudanum.*

XXII. * *Tubulæ Helenii*, Tablets of Elecampane.

Bate.] ℞ *Pulp of frefh gathered Elecampane Roots, made by boiling* ℥ifs. *trebble refined Sugar* ℔j. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth, extracted in Hyffop-water, q. s. mix and make Tablets.* They are very profitable againft Coughs, Afthma's, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. You may take them often in the Day or Night, more efpecially when a Fit of Coughing is prefent; they give eafe upon the Spot, and in fhort time cure.

§ 2. But that their Effects might be more certain, it is my opinion, that thefe Tablets fhould be taken in the Day-time, and *gr.* 2, 3, or 4 of my *Volatile Laudanum* at Night going to Bed, drinking after them a draught of *Milk-water.*

XXIII. * *Tabulæ Infantium*, Tablets for Infants or Children.

Bate.] ℞ *Rofin of Jallap* ʒj. *Mercurius dulcis in fine Pouder* ʒvj. *trebble refined Sugar* ℥iij. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth, q. s. mix, and make Tablets, each weighing half a gram.* They are commended for killing Worms, two, three or four of them being taken in a Morning.

Salmon.] § 1. If the Child be very young, you ought not to give above one or two of them at a time.

§ 2. Two contain of the *Refin of Jallap gr.* ij. and of the *Mercurius dulcis gr. xij.* which is a Dofe large enough for any Child of 3, 4, 5, or 6 Years old.

§ 3.

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§ 3. You ought so often to repeat it, till the Worms come away, or the Child grows well, which after 5, 6, or 7 Doses you will see.

XXIV. * *Tabulæ Lenthales.*

Bate.] ℞ *Green Liquorice* ℥viij. *Aniseeds* ℥iv. *Caraways* ℥j. *Waters of Coltsfoot, Hyssop, Horehound,* A. ℔j. *infuse them in B. M. for three days, then express out strongly, and exhale to the thickness of Honey, adding Cherry-tree Gum, Gum Arabick,* A. ʒij. *Gum Tragacanth* ℥ss. *infus'd for two days in Damask Rose-water* ℔ss. *then add trebble refined Sugar* ℔ij. *Musk, Ambergrise,* A. *gr. vj. Pouder of Liquorice* ℥ss. *beat all well together into a Mass, of which form Tablets, or Rouls,* S.A. They are a pleasant kind of Pectoral.

Salmon.] § 1. Here is more cost than worship in this Medicine; but besides being Pectoral, being often and long us'd, they cause a sweet Breath.

§ 2. *If choice Catechu in fine Pouder* ℥ij. be added, the Medicine will be five times the better to all the Intentions it is propos'd for.

XXV. * *Tabulæ de Pipere,* Tablets of Pepper.

Bate.] ℞ *Cinnamon* ℥ss. *Ginger* ʒij. *black Pepper* ℈ij. *Calamus Aromaticus, Mace, Nutmegs,* A. ℈ij. *gr. v. Cubebs, lesser Cardamoms,* A. *gr.* 15. *Cloves, Galangal, yellow of Orange-peels new cut,* A. ʒss. *yellow of Citron-peels fresh cut* ʒj. *cut all together grosly, and add blanched sweet Almonds* ℥v. *Citron-peel candied* ℥j. *white Sugar (dissolved in Mint-water)* ℔j. *boil and pour forth,* S. A. They are Cephalick, Stomatick, Carminative, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. These comfort a cold and moist Head, Brain, and Stomach, strengthen the Nerves, and are good against Vertigoes, Lethargies, Apoplexes, Palsies, Indigestion, and want of Appetite.

§ 2. They expel Wind admirably, give ease in the Cholick, and comfort the Bowels after any violent Flux. You may give them from ℥ss. *ad* ℥j. at a time, especially at Night going to Bed, or in the Morning fasting.

XXVI. * *Tabulæ Prunellæ,* Tablets of Sal Prunellæ.

Bate.] ℞ *Sal Prunellæ* ℥ss. *trebble refined Sugar* ℥vj. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth, q. s. mix and make Tablets.* They are held often in the Mouth, to quench Thirst in Fevers.

Salmon.] § 1. Or you may give them at set times, as Morning and Evening, ʒjij. at a time, and if you please, you may dissolve them in ℥iij. or *iv.* of Blackcherry-water or Milk-water, simple or alexiterick.

§ 2. They are good also against scalding of Urine, or heat and pain in making Water; they provoke Urine, and remove the stoppages of the Water: but in these cases they ought to be given in Parsley, Hydropiper, or Onion-water, *&c.*

XXVII. * *Tabulæ Rosaceæ,* Rose Tablets.

Bate.] ℞ *Red Roses exungulated* ℥vj. *Gum Arabick, Gum Tragacanth,* A. ℥ss. *trebble refined Sugar* ℥xvj. *Rose-water q. s. mix and make a Paste, of which make Tablets*

or Rouls, S. A. You may add thereto some few drops of Oil of Nutmegs. They are profitable against Catarrhs, inveterate Coughs, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. The Roses must be reduced to a fine Pouder; and the Gums dissolved in the Rose-water, and then the Paste made *secundum artem.*

§ 2. If *I* was to use them my self, *I* would have *Catechu in fine Pouder* ʒvj. added to the Composition; it much advances the worth of the Medicine, and makes it almost infallible.

§ 3. If the Catarrh be fierce and inveterate, you must also add *Flowers of Sulphur* ʒiv. augmenting in proportion to these additions the quantity of Sugar.

XXVIII. * *Tabulæ Saponaceæ*, Soapy Tablets.

Bate.] ℞ *The best Venice Soap* ℥iss. *Liquorice* ℥ij. *Root of Florentine Orrice* ʒvj. *Flowers of Sulphur* ℥ss. *Angelica root* ʒij. *Oil of Aniseeds* ♁ss. *trebble refined Sugar* ℥viij. *Mucilage of Gum Tragaganta made in Hyssop-water, q. s. mix and make Tablets of Troches*, S. A. They are admirably prevalent against an Empyema, Phthisis, or Ulcer of the Lungs, *&c.* and most powerfully promote Expectoration.

Salmon.] § 1. This is no pleasant Medicine; your best way will be to dissolve them in some proper pectoral Liquor, as Hyssop or Mint-water, or Tent, Alicant, *&c.* and so drink the Solution.

§ 2. Dose, *à* ʒ*iij. ad* ʒvj. to be given in the Morning fasting, also at 10. in the Forenoon, at four in the Afternoon, and at Bed-time.

XXIX. * *Tabulæ de Styrace*, Tablets of Styrax.

Bate.] ℞ *Styrax Calamita strained, Pulp of Raisins*, A. ℥j. *Pouder of Liquorice* ʒvj. *Wood of Aloes, Cinnamon, A.* ʒij. *Nutmegs* ʒij. ♁ij. *fine Bole* ʒx. *Nutmegs preserv'd dry* ℥iss. *trebble refined Sugar* ℥xx. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth, q. s. mix and make Tablets.* They are Pectoral and Cordial, and wonderfully conduce to the cure of Catarrhs, Consumptions, *&c.*

Salmon.] § 1. They are to be held in the Mouth, till they are dissolved, and suffer'd to distil down the Throat by degrees, and that all the day long, as you see occasion.

§ 2. If *Catechu in fine Pouder* ℥j. *Flowers of Sulphur* ℥ss. be added to the Composition, it will be much the better.

XXX. * *Tabulæ Tartareæ*, Tablets of Tartar.

Bate.] ℞ *Crystals of Tartar in fine Pouder* ℥j. *trebble refined Sugar* ℥viij. *mucilage of Gum Tragacanth, q. s. mix and make Tablets.* They are to hold frequently in the Mouth against vehement Thirst.

Salmon.] § 1. They not only quench Thirst, but also cool the heat of the Stomach, strengthen it, and take away the sickness thereof.

§ 2. If *Juice of Limons* ℥ij. be added to the Mucilage, and so made up and dry'd, it will advance to the intention of the Medicine, and please the languishing Patient.

XXXI.

XXXI. * *Tabulæ Vermifugæ*, Tablets for killing Worms.

Bate.] ℞ *Pouder of crude Hartshorn, Ivory, A.* ℥ifs. *white Sugar* ℥viij. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth, q. s. mix and make Tablets, each weighing* ʒfs. Dose, N° *iij.* twice a day.

Salmon.] § 1. I am of Opinion, that if the Hartshorn and Ivory pass a Philosophical Calcination, they will not only more easily reduce to Pouder, but as their Bodies will be more open, so they will better operate to the end desired.

§ 2. That if to the Composition you add Pouder of Maw Worms ʒvj. it will be much more effectual to the intention, augmenting also in proportion the Sugar, *&c.*

XXXII. * *Trochisci Pectorales*, Pectoral Troches or Tablets.

Bate.] ℞ *Extract of Liquorice* ℥fs. *white Starch* ℥ifs. *Musk, Civet, A. gr.* iij. *Oil of Aniseeds, gut.* xij. *trebble refined Sugar* ℥xij. *Mucilage of Gum Tragacanth, q. s. mix and make Troches.* The Title shews the Vertues.

Salmon.] § 1. They take away the Asperity of the *Trachea Arteria*, give relief in vehement Coughs, open Obstructions of the Breast and Lungs, and prevail against Hoarsness, Wheasings, Asthma's, *&c.*

§ 2. You may hold them all day long in the Mouth, and suffer them to distil down at leisure.

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