

VIII. CONTRACTIONS.

- A. Aa.* Ana, of each ingredient.
- Abdom.* Abdomen, the belly; abdominis, of the belly; abdomini, to the belly.
- Abs. febr.* Absente febre, in the absence of the fever.
- Ad 2 vic.* Ad duas vices, at twice taking.
- Ad gr. acid.* Ad gratam aciditatem, to an agreeable sourness.
- Ad libit.* Ad libitum, at pleasure.
- Add.* Adde, or addantur, add; addendus, to be added; addendo, by adding.
- Admov.* Admoveatur, or admoveantur, apply.
- Adst. febre.* Adstante febre, when the fever is on.
- Aggred. febre.* Aggrediente febre, while the fever is coming on.
- Altern. horis.* Alternis horis, every other hour.
- Alvo adst.* Alvo adstricto, when the belly is bound.
- Aq. bull.* Aqua bulliens, boiling water.
- Aq. ferv.* Aqua fervens, boiling water.
- Bis ind.* Bis indies, twice a day.
- BB. Bbds.* Barbadosensis, Barbadoes.
- Bull.* Bulliat, or bulliant, boil.
- Cærul.* Cæruleus, blue.
- Cap.* Capiat, take.
- C. m.* Cras mane, to-morrow morning.
- Coch. ampl.* Cochleare amplum, a large spoon.
- Coch. infant.* Cochleare infantis, a child's spoon.
- Coch. magn.* Cochleare magnum, a large spoon.
- Coch. mod.* Cochleare modicum, a dessert spoon.
- Coch. parv.* Cochleare parvum, a small spoon.
- Col.* Colatus, strained.

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VISCOUNTESS PALMERSTON

On Saturday night Lady Palmerston commencing
receptions at Cambridge-house, Piccadilly. Previous
evening party Lord and Lady Palmerston entertained
distinguished party at dinner, the guests including his Ex-
cellency the Belgian Minister and Madame Van de Weyer, his
excellency the Marquis d'Azeglio, the Marquis and Mar-
chioness of Lansdowne, the Earl and Countess of Tanker-
ville, the Earl and Countess of Cork, the Earl and Countess
of Shaftesbury and Lady Victoria Ashley, the Earl of
Coventry, the Earl Cowper, Viscountess Jocelyn and Hon.
Misses' Jocelyn, Lord Frederick Cavendish, Hon. Evelyn
Ashley, and Mr. Henry Greville. Covers were laid for 22.
At half-past 10 o'clock Lady Palmerston's saloons were
opened for the reception of company. Among the
members of the *corps diplomatique* present were the Turkish
Ambassador and Madame and Mademoiselle Musurus, the
Prussian Minister, the Swedish Minister, Count
the Spanish Mini

... Presidential chair ...
... controls the Senate.
... perhaps, still more important
... of the confiscation of the estates
Eighteen months ago Congress passed
... stringent Bill, confiscating to the use
... Federal Government all the property, real
... and personal, of those who had taken up arms
... against it, contrary to an express provision of
... the Constitution, which declares (Article III., sec.
... 3, cap. 2) "that Congress shall have power to de-
... "clare the punishment of treason ; *but no attainder*
... "*of treason shall work corruption of blood or for-*
... "*feiture, except during the lifetime of the person*
... "*attainted.*" Eighteen months ago Mr. Lincoln
... had constitutional scruples, and he returned
... Bill with objections. In deference to his
... and authority the Bill was modified
... forfeiture of estate

Colat. Colatur, let it be strained; colaturæ, of or to the strained liquor.

Colent. Colentur, let them be strained.

Comp. Compositus, compounded.

Cont. rem. Continuatur remedia, let the medicines be continued.

Coq. Coque, boil; coquantur, let them be boiled.

Crast. Crastinus, for to-morrow.

Cuj. Cujus, of which.

Cujuslib. Cujuslibet, of any.

Cyath. theæ. Cyatho theæ, in a cup of tea.

Deaur. pil. Deaurentur pilulæ, let the pills be gilt.

Deb. spiss. Debita spissitudo, a proper consistence.

Decub. Decubitus, of lying down.

De d. in d. De die in diem, from day to day.

Dej. alvi. Dejectiones alvi, stools.

Det. Detur, let it be given.

Dieb. alt. Diebus alternis, every other day.

Dieb. tert. Diebus tertiis, every third day.

Dim. Dimidius, one half.

Dir. prop. Directione propria, with a proper direction.

Donec alv. bis dej. Donec alvus bis dejiciat, until two stools have been obtained.

Donec alv. sol. fuer. Donec alvus soluta fuerit, until a stool has been obtained.

Ejusd. Ejusdem, of the same.

Enem. Enema, a clyster; enemata, clysters.

Ext. sup. alut. Extende super alutam, spread upon leather.

F. pil. xij. Fac pilulas duodecim, make 12 pills.

Feb. dur. Febre durante, during the fever.

Fem. intern. Femoribus internis, to the inner part of the thighs.

F. venæs. Fiat venæsectio, bleed.

Fist. arm. Fistula armata, a clyster pipe and bladder fitted for use.

Fl. Fluidus, liquid; also, by measure.

Gel. quav. Gelatinâ quâvis, in any kind of jelly.

G. G. G. Gummi guttæ Gambiæ, gambooge.

Gr. Granum, a grain; grana, grains.

Gtt. Gutta, a drop; guttæ, drops.

Gutt. quibusd. Guttis quibusdam, with a few drops.

Har. pil. sum. iij. Harum pilularum sumantur tres, let three of these pills be taken.

Hor. decub. Hora decubitus, at going to bed.

Hor. som. Hora somni, just before going to sleep; or on retiring to rest.

Hor. un. spatio. Horæ unius spatio, at the expiration of an hour.

Hor. interm. Horis intermediis, at the intermediate hours between what has been ordered at stated times.

Ind. Indies, from day to day, or daily.

In pulm. In pulmento, in gruel.

Inj. enem. Injiciatur enema, let a clyster be given.

Lat. dol. Lateri dolente, to the side that is affected.

lb. Libra, a pound weight, or wine pint; when preceded by Arabic figures, Avoirdupois weight is meant, but when succeeded by Roman numerals, Troy weight, or pint measures.

M. Misce, mix; mensura, by measure; manipulus, a handful.

Mane pr. Mane primo, very early in the morning.

Min. Minimum, the 60th part of a drachm measure.

Mitt. Mitte, send; mittatur, or mittantur, let there be sent.

Mitt. sang. ad ℥xij saltem. Take away at least 12 oz. of blood.

Mod. præsc. Modo præscripto, in the manner directed.

Mor. sol. More solito, in the usual manner.

Ne tr. s. num. Ne tradas sine nummo, do not deliver it unless paid, as a caution to the shopman, when the presence of the customer prevents the master giving a verbal direction.

N. M. Nux moschata, a nutmeg.

O. Octarius, a wine pint.

Ol. lini s. i. Oleum lini sine igne, cold drawn lint-seed oil.

Omn. hor. Omni hora, every hour.

Omn. bid. Omni biduo, every two days.

Omn. bih. Omni bihorio, every two hours.

Omn. man. Omni mane, every morning.

Omn. noct. Omni nocte, every night.

Omn. quadr. hor. Omni quadrante horæ, every quarter of an hour.

Oz. The ounce Avoirdupois, or common weight, as distinguished from that prescribed by physicians in their orders.

The z is not the last letter of the alphabet, which it resembles in form, but the old mark of a contraction being used for which printers now use a point, although very awkward when another stop succeeds, and this even when z is used.

P. Pondo, by weight.

P. D. Pharmacopœia Dublinensis.

P. E. Pharmacopœia Edinensis.

P. L. Pharmacopœia Londinensis.

Part. vic. Partitis vicibus, to be given in divided doses, instead of all at once.

Per. op. emet. Peracta operatione emetici, when the operation of the emetic is finished.

Post sing. sed. liq. Post singulas sedes liquidas, after every loose stool.

P. r. n. Pro re nata, according as circumstances may require.

P. rat. at. Pro ratione ætatis, according to the age of the patient.

Pug. Pugillus, a gripe between the finger and thumb.

Q. s. Quantum sufficiat, as much as is sufficient.

Quor. Quorum, of which.

R. Recipe, take: but for this the old authors, and the French to this day, use this sign \mathcal{J} , being the old heathen invocation to Jupiter, seeking his blessing upon the formula, equivalent to the usual invocation of the poets and of Mahomedan authors, or the Laus Deo with which book-keepers and clerks formerly began their books of account and invoices, a practice not yet quite extinct.

Red. in pulv. Redactus in pulverem, powdered.

Redig. in pulv. Redigatur in pulverem, let it be reduced to powder.

Reg. umbil. Regio umbilici, the parts near the navel.

Repet. Repetatur, or repetantur, let it be continued.

S. A. Secundum artem, according to art.

Semidr. Semidrachma, half a drachm.

Semih. Semihora, half an hour.

Sesunc. Sesuncia, an ounce and a half.

Sesquih. Sesquihora, an hour and a half.

Si n. val. Si non valeat, if it does not answer.

Si op. sit. Si opus sit, if there be occasion.

Si vir. perm. Si vires permittant, if the strength will bear it.

Sign. n. pr. Signetur nomine proprio, write upon it the usual name, not the trade name.

Ss. Semi, an half.

St. Stet, let it stand; stent, let them stand.

Sub fin. coct. Sub finem coctionis, when the boiling is nearly finished.

Sum. tal. Sumat talem, let the patient take one like this.

S. V. Spiritus vinosus, ardent spirit of any strength.

S. V. R. Spiritus vinosus rectificatus, spirit of wine.

S. V. T. Spiritus vinosus tenuis, proof spirit, or half and half spirit of wine and water.

Temp. dext. Tempori dextro, to the right temple.

T. O. Tinctura opii, tincture of opium, generally confounded with laudanum, which is properly the wine of opium.

T. O. C. Tinctura opii camphorata, paregoric elixir.

Ult. præscr. Ultimo prescriptus, the last ordered.

V. O. S. Vitello ovi solutus, dissolved in the yolk of an egg.

Vom. urg. Vomitione urgente, when the vomiting begins.

Zz. Zinziber, ginger.

℥. Scrupulum, a scruple, equal to 20 grains Troy.

ʒ. Drachma, a drachm, equal to 3 scruples, or in liquids the 8th part of an ounce measure.

℥. Uncia, an ounce Troy or in liquids the 16th part of a wine pint.

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