

*Simple Syrup of wormwood, in Latin, Syrupus absynthii simplex.*

Take of the juice of common wormwood clarified, of Sugar clarified each four pound, make a Syrup; the same way are prepared the simple Syrups of the juice of Bettony, Borrage, Bugloss, Cardus Benedictus, Camomel, Succory, Endive Hedge Mustard, Strawberries, Fumitory, Groundivy, St. John's-wort, Hops, Mercury, of the fresh tops of Mousear, Plantain, Apples, purslain, Raspberries, Sage, Scabious, Scordium, Houfleeck, Coltsfoot, Speedwel, and of other juices that are not acid.

*Virtues.* Syrup of wormwood is good to strengthen the Stomach, to stop vomiting, and for a dropsy.

*Dose.* Half an ounce of it may be taken at a time.

*Honey Medicines, and Medicines made of Honey and Vinegar, in Latin, Melita & Oxytelita.*

*Mercurial Honey, in Latin, Mel Mercuriale.*

Take of the juice of Mercury three pints, of Honey two pound, clarify and boil them to the consistence of Honey.

*Virtues.* It is used in Glisters.

*Honey of Mulberries, in Latin, Diamoron.*

Take of the juice of Mulberries, of the Tree and Shrub gathered before they are ripe, and before the Sun is up, and cleared by standing, each a pint and an half, of strained Honey clarified two pound, boil

oil them to a due thicknes in a Bath.

Virtues. *It is commonly used for inflamations, and sore mouths.*

*Honey of Roses, in Latin, Mel Rosarum.*

Take of Red Roses not full blown two pound, of the best Honey six pound, set them in the Sun according to art.

Virtues. *It is used to heal ulcers of the mouth and throat.*

*Simple Oxymel, in Latin, Oxymel simplex.*

Take of the best Honey two pound, of the clearest water three pints and an half, boil the Honey and Water in a glazed earthen pot, scumming of it continually with a spoon that hath holes; add by degrees one pint of White Wine Vinegar, boil it over a gentle fire to the consistence of a liquid Syrup.

Virtue. *It cleanses ulcers of the Lungs; it may be taken with a Liquorice stick.*

*Simple oxymel of Squills, in Latin, oxymel Scilliticum Simplex.*

Take of clarified Honey three pound, of Vinegar of Squills a quart, boil them according to art.

Virtues. *It is very cleansing and healing to the Lungs, and helps expectoration; it is a gentle vomit, but is most commonly given with other things.*

Dose. When you design to vomit with it, you may give two ounces of it at a time, when it is used for obstruction of the Lungs, it is best to mix half an ounce of it with two ounces of some pectoral Syrup, as with Syrup of Liquorice, Maiden hair, or the like.

*Oxymel*

*Oxymel Julianizans.*

Take of the bark of Capper roots, of the roots of Orris, Fennel, Parsly, Kneeholm, Succory, Asparagus, Cyperus, each half an ounce, of the Herbs, Hart-tongue, Tamarisk, Schenanth, each half an handful, of the seeds of sweet Fennel half an ounce, infuse them in Vinegar and water, of each a pint and an half, afterwards boil away half, strain it, and with clarified Honey and Sugar, each half a pound, make a Syrup of the thickness of Honey.

*Virtues.* This opens obstructions, is good for diseases of the Lungs, and Hypochondriack Melancholly, and for the Rickets, it also forces Urin.

*Dose.* Two or three ounces of it may be taken at a time.

*Rob, or Sapa.*

*Rob of Berberries, in Latin, Rob de Berberis.*

Take of the juice of Barberries strained one pint, of white Sugar half a pound, with the gentle heat of a Bath, boil them to a due thickness.

*Virtues.* It quenbeth thirst, cools and strengthens the stomach, and procures appetite.

*Juice of Liquorice, in Latin, Succus Glycyrrhizæ Simplex.*

Take of Liquorice Roots well cleansed, and gently bruised, as much as you please, infuse them three days in Fountain water, so much as may rise three fingers breadth above them, then boil it a little and press it out, afterwards boil it with a gentle heat to the due consistence of a juice.

*Virtues.*