

Tartar, half an ounce, mingle them and make a powder.

*Virtues.* It purges watry humors, and is good for *Rhumatisms, Dropsies, and Pox.*

*Dose.* A scruple, or half a dram of it may be taken at a time.

*Electuaries.*

*Confection of Alkermes, in Latin, Confectio Alkermes.*

Take of the juice of fragrant Apples, of Rose-water, each a pint and an half, Syrup of the grains of Kermes a quart, of Sugar a pound, boil them to the consistence of Honey, take it from the fire, and while it is hot, add two drams of Ambergrease, dissolved in a few drops of oyl of Cinnamon, having well mixed them, add the following powders, of choice Cinnamon, of the best wood of Aloes each six drams, of clear Pearls prepared two drams, of leaf-gold, one dram, of the best Musk half a scruple, mingle them.

*Virtues.* It is reckoned Cordial, and good in *Pe-stilential Feavers.*

*Dose.* A dram of it may be taken at a time.

*Electuary of Sassafras, in Latin, Electu-arium e Sassafras.*

Take of the fragrant wood of Sassafras two ounces, of common water three pints, boil it to the consumption of a third part, adding towards the end, half an ounce of Cinnamon bruised, strain the liquor, and with two pound of white Sugar, boil it to a thick syrup, adding to it two drams of Cinnamon powdered, of Nutmegs powdered half a scruple, of Ambergrease, xxxij. gr. Musk gr. iij. of  
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the leaves of Gold number ten, of spirit of Vitriol four drops, make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It is a good drying Medicine, and is proper for tickling Coughs, and Consumptions.

*Dose.* A dram of it may be taken at a time.

*Electuary of Lawrel berries, in Latin, Electuarium e Baccis Lauri.*

Take of the leaves of Rue dried ten drams, of the seeds of Bishop-weed, Cumin, Lovage, wild Maroram, Nigella, Carraways, wild Carrots, Parsly, Bitter Almonds, black and long Pepper, Horse-mint, sweet smelling Flag, Lawrel berries, Castor, each two drams, Sagapenum half an ounce, Opoponax three drams, clarified Honey a pound and an half, the things to be beaten being beaten, towards the end add the Gums dissolved in White-wine, and make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It is good for the Cholick, strengthens the stomach, and expels wind.

*Dose.* A dram of it may be taken at a time, half an ounce of it is commonly given in Glisters, for the same purposes.

*Confectio De Hyacintbo.*

Take of the fragments of Jacynth, of red Coral, of Bole Armonick, of sealed earth, each half an ounce, of the grains of Kermes, of the roots of Tormentile, and Dittany, of the seeds of Citron cleansed, of Sorrel, of Purslain, of Saffron, of Myrrh, of red Roses, the whites cut off, of all the Sanders, of the bone of a Stag's heart, of Harts-horn, of the Raspings of Ivory, each four scruples, of Saphyrs, Emeralds, Topaz, Pearls, Leaves of Gold, and Silver, each two scruples, of Camphor,  
Musk,

Musk, and Ambargrease, each five grains, with Syrup of Lemons make a Confection.

*Virtues.* It's Cordial and good in the Plague, it revives the Spirits, and is good in Hectick Fevers.

*Dose.* A scruple or half a dram may be taken at a time.

*Diatfayrion.*

Take of the roots of fresh Satyrion three ounces, of the Pulp of Dates, sweet Almonds, of Pine Apples, Pistaches; and of Ginger Candied, and of Eringo roots Candied, each one ounce, of Cloves, Galingal, long and black Pepper, each three drams, of Ambargrease, one scruple, of Musk two scruples, of penides four ounces, of Cinnamon, and Saffron, each half an ounce, of Malago Sack three ounces, of Nutmegs, Mace, and Grains of Paradise, each two drams, of the seeds of the Ash, of the Bellies and Loyns of Scinks, of factitious Borax, and Benzoin, each three drams, of the wood of Aloes, and Cardamons, each two drams, of the seeds of Nettles and Onions, and of the roots of Avens, each one dram and an half; beat all the Simples, and mix them, then with two pound and one half of Syrup of Ginger, make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It is chiefly used to provoke Languid venery.

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

*Diascordium.*

Take of Cinnamon, woody Cassia, each half an ounce, of true Scordium one ounce, of Dittany of Crete, Tormentile, Bistort, Galbanum, Gum Arabick, each half an ounce, of Storax Calamit, four drams  
and

and an half, of Opium, and the seeds of Sorrel, each one dram and an half, of Gentian half an ounce, Bole Armonick, of Lemnian Earth sealed, half an ounce, of long Pepper, and Ginger, each two drams, of white Honey Clarified, two pound and an half, of Sugar of Roses one pound, of good Canary eight ounces, make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It is good against Malignity, and to prevent Infection; it is good to stop all sorts of Fluxes, and it gives rest; it is also good to stop the Hickup.

*Dose.* A dram, or two drams of it may be taken at a time, but a scruple or less may be sufficient for a child.

*Mithridat, in Latin, Mithridatium.*

Take of Arabian Myrrh, Saffron, Agarick, Ginger, Cinnamon, Spicknard, Franckincense, Treacle Mustard seed, each ten drams, of Selsey seeds, Opobalsam, or Oyl of Nutmegs by expression, of sweet smelling Rush, of Arabian Stechas, of true Costus, of Galbanum, Cyprian Turpentine, long Pepper, Castor, of the juice of Hypocistis, of Storax Calamit, Opopanax, of fresh Indian leaf, or for want of it, of Mace, each one ounce, true woody Cassia, Polymountain, white Pepper, Scordium, of the seeds of Cretick, Daucus, Carpo-balsamum, or of Cubebbs, Troches, Cypheos, Bdellium, each seven drams, of Celticknard cleansed, of Gum Arabick, of the seeds of Macedonian Parsly, Opium, the lesser Cardamoms, seeds of Fennel Gentian, flowers of red Roses, Dittany of Crete, each five drams, the seeds of Anise, Asarabacca, sweet smelling Flag, the greater Valerian, Sagapenum, each three drams, of Athamantick Spicknard, Acacia, the bellies of Scinks, the tops of St. John's-wort, each two drams  
and

and an half, of the best Canary Wine, as much as is sufficient to dissolve the Gums and Juices, viz. about twenty six ounces, of clarified Honey thrice the weight of all, except the Wine, make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It is good in Malignant diseases, and to prevent infection; it is good for bitings of venomous Creatures, it promotes sleep, and eases the pain of the Colick, and stops fluxes.

*Dose.* A dram of it may be taken at a time.

*Philonium Romanum.*

Take of white Pepper, of the seeds of white Henbane, each five drams, of Opium two drams and an half, of woody Cassia one dram and an half, of the seeds of Smalage one dram, of Macedonian Parsly, Fennel and Daucus, of Crete each two scruples and five grains, of Saffron a scruple and an half, of Indian Spike, Pellitory of Spain, and Zedoary, each fifteen grains, of Cinnamon one dram and an half, Myrrh, and Castor, each one dram, of clarified Honey, thrice the quantity of all; make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It's good to ease pain, and is good in the Stone, and to expel Malignity.

*Dose.* Half a dram or a dram may be given at a time.

*Electuary of the Egg, in Latin, Electuarium de ovo.*

Take a fresh Hens Egg, and having made a small hole, extract the white, fill the vacuity with good Saffron, not powdred, leave the yelk within, afterwards cover it again with an other shell put over and rost it by a gentle fire in an earthen vessel, till all shall  
begin

begin to grow black; but take care the Saffron be not burnt, for if it should, it would be an injury to the whole Composition, take out the matter and dry it, and powder it, then add to it of white Mustard powdered an equal weight; then take of white Dittany, or of Fraxinel, and of Tormentile, each two drams, of Myrrh, Hartshorn, and of the roots of Butterbur, each one dram, of the roots of Angelica, Burnet, Juniper-berries, Zedoary, and Camphor, each half an ounce, mingle all together in a Morter; and then add of *Venice Treacle* the weight of all; beat them together for about three hours, pouring on a sufficient quantity of syrup of Lemons make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It is used in pestilential diseases, to provoke sweat, and to expel the malignity.

*Dose.* A dram or two drams of it may be taken at a time.

*Venice Treacle, in Latin, Theriaca Andromachi.*

Take of Troches of Squills forty eight drams, of Troches of Vipers, long Pepper, of Thebaick-opium, and Troches Hedycroy, each twenty four drams, of red Roses dried, the white being cut off, of sweet Illyrick Orris, of the juice of Liquorice, of the seeds of sweet Navew, of the tops of Scordium, opobalsam, Cinnamon, Agarick, Trochiscated, each twelve drams, of Myrrh, sweet Costus, or Zedoary, Saffron, true woody Cassia, Indian Nard, Scenanth, white and black Pepper, Olibanum, Dittany of Crete, Rhapontick, Arabian Stechas, Horehound, the seeds of *Macedonian Parsly*, Calamint dryed, Cyprian Turpentine, the roots of Cinquefoyl, and Ginger, each six drams, the tops

tops of Cretick poly, Ground pine, the roots of Celtick nard, Amomum, Storax Calamit, the roots of Athamantick, Spicknard, tops of Germander, the roots of Rhapontick, Lemnian Earth, Indian Leaf, Chalcitis burned, or instead of it Roman Vitriol burned, the roots of Gentian, Gum Arabick, the juice of Hypocistis, Carpo-balsam, or Nutmeg, or Cubebs, the seeds of dryed Anise, Cardamoms, Fennel, Sefely, Acacia, or instead of it the thickned juice of Sloes, the seeds of Treacle Mustard, top of St. *John's*-wort, the seeds of Bishops-weed, and of Sagapenum each four drams, of Castor, of the roots of long Birthwort, of judaic, Bitumen, or Ambar, of the seeds of Cretic Daucus, Opopanax, and the lesser Centaury, and of fat Galbanum, each two drams, of old Canary Wine, as much as is sufficient, viz. forty ounces, wherein are to be dissolved the moist Simples, and such as will melt, of clarified Honey three times the weight of the dryed species, make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* This is really an excellent Medicine, it's used in the Plague, to expel Malignity, to prevent infection, and to provoke sweat, it's good for Mother-fits, and the Gout, when it is struck in, it's good for a Loosness, the Gripes and Collick, and is frequently used with good success in great colds; but care must be taken that the sick do not catch fresh cold after it.

*Dose.* Half a dram, a dram, a dram and an half may be taken at a time, two drams of it given in a Glister, with half a pint of Milk, is excellent for easing the pains of the Gripes, and Collick, and stopping a Loosness, and the bloody Flux.

London

*London Treacle, in Latin, Theriaca Londinensis.*

Take of Hartshorn Rasped two ounces, of the seeds of Citron, wood Sorrel, Peony, and Basil, each one ounce, of Scordium, and Coralin, each six drams, of the roots of Angelica, Tormentile, Peony, of the leaves of Dittany, Lawrel, and Juniper berries, each half an ounce, of the flowers of Marygolds, Gillyflowers, Rosmary flowers, of the tops of St. John's-wort, Nutmegs, and Saffron, each three drams, of the roots of Gentian, Zedoary, Ginger, Mace, Myrrh, of the leaves of Scabious, Devils bit, Carduus Benedictus, each two drams, of Cloves and Opium, each one dram, good Canary Wine a sufficient quantity, of Clarified Honey thrice the weight of all; make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It is much of the same virtue with the former.

*Dose.* A dram of it may be taken at a time.

*Diacrocma.*

Take of Saffron, of the roots of Asarabacca, of the seeds of Parsly, Daucus, Anise, Smalage, each half an ounce, of Rhubarb, of the roots of Athamantick Spicknard, and Indian Spike, each six drams, of true wood of Cassia, Costus, Myrrh, Scenanth, Cubebs, of the roots of Madder, of the juice of Wormwood, and Maudlin thickned, of Opobalsam, or of oyl of Nutmeg, each two drams, of Cinnamon, and sweet smelling Flag, each one dram & an half, of Scordium Ceterach, and juice of Liquorice, each two drams and an half, of Tragacanth one dram, of white Sugar eight times the weight of all, dissolved in Endive water, and clarified; make an Electuary.

*Virtues.*



*Virtues.* It opens Obstructions, it is good in the Stone, and expels Malignity.

*Dose.* A dram, or a dram and an half of it may be taken at a time.

*Purging Electuaries.*

*Caryocostinum.*

Take of Cloves, of Candied Costus, or of Zedoary, of Ginger, and Cumin, each two drams, of Hermodactiles cleansed from the bark, of Diagrydium, each half an ounce, of Honey of Roses, thrice the weight of all, powder all, except the Diagrydium, and mix them well with the Honey, then add the Diagrydium powdred apart; make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It is chiefly used for pains of the Limbs, and Gout.

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

*Extract of Cassia for Glysters, in Latin, Cassia extracta pro Clysteribus.*

Take of the leaves of Violets, Mallows, Mercury, Beets, Pellitory of the wall, flowers of Violets, each one handful, make a decoction in a sufficient quantity of water (adding at the end the flowers of Violets) whereby the Cassia may be extracted, and the canes washed within; then take of the Cassia extracted by this Decoction, and boiled to a consistence, one pound, of brown Sugar one pound and an half; make an Electuary by boiling it.

*Virtues.* It is used in cooling Glysters for the Stone, and running of the Reins.

*Dose*

*Dose.* Two ounces of it may be given at a time,

*Diaphenicon.*

Take of the pulp of Dates cleansed and boiled in Hydromel, half a pound, of fresh Penids three ounces, of sweet Almonds blanched three ounces and an half; all being beat and mixed, add a pound of clarified Honey, boil them a little, then sprinkle into them of Ginger, long Pepper, and Mace, Cinnamon, of the leaves of Rue dried, of the seeds of Fennel and Daucus, each two drams, of Turbith finely powdered four ounces, of Diagrydium an ounce and an half; make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It is used in Glisters, to expel wind,

*Dose.* Half an ounce, or six drams may be given at a time.

*Catholicon.*

Take of the Pulp of Cassia and Tamarinds, and of the leaves of Senna, each two ounces, of the roots of Polypody, Violets, Rhubarb, each one ounce, of the seeds of Anise, Penid's, Sugar-Candy, Liquorice, of the seeds of Gourds Citruls, Cucumbers, Melons, each two drams, powder those things that are to be powdered, and take of fresh Polypody bruised three ounces, of the seeds of Fennel six drams; make a decoction in two quarts of Fountain water; boil it till the third part is consumed: to the strained liquor add two pound of the best Sugar, boil them again to the thickness of a Syrup then to the pulps of Cassia and Tamarinds dissolved in part of the Decoction, and put over the fire, pour by degrees the syrup, and add the powders, and make an Electuary,

*Virtues:*

*Virtues.* It is most commonly used in Glisters, to cool and loosen.

*Dose.* Two ounces may be given at a time.

*Lenitive Electuary, in Latin, Electuarium Lenitivum.*

Take of Raisins of the Sun stoned, of fresh Poly-pody of the oak, of Oriental Senna, each two ounces, of Mercury one handful and an half, of Jujubes and Sebestens, each number twenty, of Maidenhair, Violets, cleansed Barly, each one handful, of Damask prun's, and Tamarinds, each six drams, of Liquorice half an ounce; boil them in five quarts of water, to the consumption of a third part, then strain them out hard in one part of the Liquor, dissolve of the pulp of Cassia, and Tamarinds, and of fresh prunes, and Violet Sugar, each six ounces, in the other part of the Liquor, dissolve two pounds of fine Sugar: Lastly, add an ounce and an half of the powder of Senna, and two drams of the powder of Anise-seeds, for every pound of the Electuary, and so make an Electuary.

*Virtues.* It cools and purges gently.

*Dose.* An ounce, or an ounce and an half of it may be taken at a time, two ounces of it may be used in a Glisten, with Milk and Sugar.

*The following Composition is an excellent cooling Purge.*

Take of Lenitive Electuary two drams, of Cream of Tartar half a dram, of powder of Jalap two scruples, make a Bolus with a sufficient quantity of Syrup of Buckthorn, add to it three drops of oyl of Juniper; this cools and purges watry humors strongly,

ly, for weakly people use the following Medicine, Take of Lenitive Electuary one dram, of Cream of Tartar half a dram, of powder of Jalap one scruple, of Rhubarb powdred ten grains, with a sufficient quantity of Syrup of Roses solutive, and three drops of Oyl of Juniper, make a Bolus.

*Electuary of the juice of Roses, in Latin, Electuarium e succo Rosarum.*

Take of Sugar, and juice of Red Roses clarified in the Sun, each one pound and four ounces, of the three Sanders each half an ounce, of Mastick three drams, of Dragridium twelve drams, of Camphor one scruple, the Sanders must be Rasped, and then finely powdred, and sifted through a fine sieve, add the Diagyridium, powdred apart, with a drop of the oyl of sweet Almonds; then add the Camphor, likewise powdred, the Mastick finely powdred, lastly with the juice of Roses boyled to a Syrup with the Sugar, and while it is hot make an Electuary.

*Virtues. This purges strongly watry humors.*

*Dose.* Two, three, or four drams may be taken at a time. The following potion will purge, when scarce any thing else will; take of Tamarinds half an ounce, of the leaves of Senna two drams, of Rhubarb one dram and an half, boyl them in a sufficient quantity of Fountain water to three ounces, to the strained liquor add of Manna, and Syrup of Roses solutive, each one ounce, of Syrup of Buckthorn half an ounce, of the Electuary of the juice of Roses two drams, mingle them and make a potion: but it must be given only to strong people,

*Hiera*

*Hiera picra simplex*

Take of Cinnamon, Mace, Roots of Asarabacca, Spiknard, Mastich, and of Saffron, of each six drams, of Aloes not washed twelve ounces and an half, of Clarified Honey one pound and three ounces, make an Electuary.

Virtues. *It opens obstructions, and purges gently, and strengthens and cleanses the stomach.*

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

*Pills.*

*Pills of Agarick, in Latin, pillulæ de agarico.*

Take of Agarick Trochiscated three drams, of the roots of our Orris, with the sky coloured flowers, of Mastich and Horehound, each one dram, of Turbith five drams, of the species of Hiera picra, half an ounce, of the Troches of Alhandal, of Sarcocol, each two drams, of Myrrh one dram, of sapa a sufficient quantity; make a Mass for Pills.

Virtues. *It is good for purging the Breast and Lungs.*

Dose. Half a dram, or a dram may be taken at a time.

*Aggregative Pills, or Pills that have many Virtues, in Latin, pillulæ aggregativæ si- ve polychrestæ.*

Take of Citron Myrobalans, and Rhubarb, each half an ounce, of the thickned juice of Hemp Agrimony, Maudlin, and Wormwood, each two drams, of Diagridium five drams, of Agarick, Troches