[Mr Attree Recipe for A S K --- for Indigestion] Sarah Creighton Wilkins

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Ingredients
calomel
nutmeg
gentian root
rhubarb
water
boiling water
cloves
soda

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Halifax
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Description

Mr, Attree's remedy for indigestion and bile.

Transcription

Mr Attree recipe for A S K -- for 1821
Indigestion after his order to take
5 grains of Calomel & 3 ditto of Nutmeg
going to Bed or the Bile

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1 Dram of gentian Root
1 ditto of Rhubarb
a pint of boiling Water
4 Cloves
A Wine Glass full twice or three
times a day to begin twice
10 grains of Soda to be added to each
Glass of the infusion

April 28th very good

Annotations

Calomel

Mercury chloride, once used as a purgative as well as an insecticide and fungicide.

gentian Root

Native to Asia, Europe, and the Americas, the roots of genus gentiana were used in making beverages as well as in remedies for a variety of ailments, including digestive disorders, fevers, and dyspepsia.

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