OILS.

"Kepler Solution" of Cod Liver Oil.

For years the problem of rendering Cod Liver Oil palatable has been the bugbear of pharmacy. The preparation of Emulsions was the first stepping-stone to success; these, however, were proved by experience to be found wanting in therapeutic efficiency. Although the fat at time of swallowing was finely sub-divided, yet during its sojourn in the stomach it was melted by the warmth of the body, and the globules coalesced, forming a complete mass, causing eructations and exciting nausea. Such being the case, we resolved to test the capabilities of the Kepler Malt Extract as a SOLVENT for Cod Liver Oil, and with the aid of centrifugal motion, induced by machinery, the oil was perfectly dissolved in the Malt Extract. Further, it was found that this Solution, being made in an albuminous body, is not acted upon by the gastric secretion, so it passes through the pylorus to be digested by the pancreatic ferments and is perfectly absorbed. This preparation, therefore, does not cause eructations of the oil, it does not excite nausea, and it is PALATABLE. The Kepler Malt Extract itself is a rich diastasic food, and assists in the digestion of farinaceous matters. In this Solution are contained the richest force-producing and tissue-forming elements of any food that can be obtained. The *rationale* of the Kepler Solution is obvious. The fat is administered in a state ready for immediate assimilation; and in conjunction with the force-giving and fattening properties of the oil we have the desirable digestive assistance rendered by the diastase, while the albuminoids and natural vitalising phosphates act as a food for muscle, brain, and bone.

When there is a rapid tissue metamorphosis the Kepler Solution of Cod Liver Oil is an admirable fuel for the system, maintaining nutrition and protecting the tissues against the ravages of the tubercle bacilli.

The Kepler Solution:—1. Does not excite nausea. 2. Is not malodorous. 3. Is not unsightly. 4. Does not derange digestion. 5. Is not voided *en masse*. 6. Is completely assimilated.

The Lancet reports:—"It has hardly any taste of the oil. Many can take it easily who cannot take the oil."

The Medical Press and Circular says—"The Kepler Solution is the most palatable and easily digested of any form of Cod Liver Oil."

The British Medical Journal reports:—"*The Kepler Solution is an ideal form for the administration of fat.*"

Kepler Extract of Malt and Kepler Extract of Malt with Cod Liver Oil, (Kepler Solution) supplied to the Medical Profession, in ¾-lb. and 1½-lb. bottles, at 1/8 and 3/- each. Retail prices, 2/6 and 4/-

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