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15-second facts

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SANITATION AND THE BRITISH

You know your patients best, not as statistics, but as human beings. But how do they live when compared to the population as a whole? We thought you might be interested in some broad statistical facts about how people are living in Britain to-day. Let's look at the sanitation and plumbing facilities they have.

- A Of nearly 17 million households in Britain, over 2 million (about 12.5%) do not even have a hot-water tap. East Anglia is particularly ill-served in this respect: 19.5% of households there have no running hot water.
- B Only 80.5% of households have a fixed bath to call their own: 4.1% have to share, and 15.4% (that's 2,616,560 households) have to scrub along without!
- C Some 15½ million households have a flush W.C. to themselves, though 14.7% of these are outside the dwelling itself. Some have to share: rather more than a million of them.
- D Perhaps the most surprising fact is that in this day and age 291,550 households (1.7% of the total) have no W.C. at all.

We tend to associate lack of sanitary facilities with rural areas, but Greater London—where the number of households with exclusive use of hot water, bath and W.C. is 7.3% below the national average—is second only to S. E. Wales (8.8% below). London's reputation is, however, saved by its suburbs—the outer Metropolitan area is 11% better off for plumbing than the average.

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Compound Linctus

When cough is complicated by bronchospasm or congestion of the upper respiratory tract, Extil Compound Linctus effectively treats the cough *and* these complications. Extil Compound Linctus combines the antitussive properties of noscapine, the decongestant and bronchodilator effects of pseudoephedrine, and the antihistaminic activity of carbinoxamine maleate.

Formula: Each 10 ml dose contains
Noscapine BP 25 mg
Pseudoephedrine 49.2 mg
(*equivalent to 60 mg pseudoephedrine hydrochloride BPC*)
Carbinoxamine maleate 6 mg

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