

Receipt to kill Bugs.

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If a Room, or a whole House be infected with them, take 4 Oz of Copperas, 4 of Ox-Galls, 2 Oz of Wormwood, and 1 Quart of good Vinegar, put them into an Earthen pot, and boil this liquor for half an hour, then mix good Lime with it, and rub the Skirting Board, and the Crevices of the Floor,

Let the Furniture be taken down, and well brushed, and wash the Wainscot of the Room, and the Woodwork of the Bed, and Chairs, with the same ingredients except the Lime, with the addition of an Oz of Quick Silver, half an Oz of Swine's fat, 2 Quarts of Soap Suds, half an Oz of Gum, & half an Oz of hemp seed oyl.

Receipt of the above sum of money

for the purchase of the above mentioned goods

at the rate of ...