Preliminary Phytochemical Screening of Medicinal Plants of Hilly Districts (Kumaon and Garhawal Divisions) of U.P. (Pt. II)

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The Present Paper which is second in the series, Pt.I Published in BMEBR Vol. I No. 2 (1980). It deals with phytochemical screening of fifty-one medicinal plants collected from hilly districts of Uttar-Pradesh (Kumaon and Garhwal divisions) which are used in indigenous Systems of medicine as well as by local inhabitants either as single drugs or in combinations, for the cure of varions ailments. The study carried out so far, revealed the presence of alkaloids in thirtyone plants, of flavonoids tn twenty eight, glycosides in thirty four, saponins in

thirty four, sterols in thirty seven and terpenoids in thirty three plants.

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