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Then again Sage Rig pa'i ye shes said these words, "O Great Sage, listen.

ड़िर.चंट.२.इब्बा । हे। क्.चयु.बट.४्षब्य.<mark>वच्चे</mark>ब्य.बुज.चर.ड़ेटी ।शैब.<mark>कट.⁹वेट</mark>.बट.<mark>चट.बट</mark>ा.शुख्र.इब्य.ट.बुज.च्या.बुब्य.व्यत्त्रेब्य.व्यत्त्रेव्य.बुंब्य.बुंव्य.बुंब्य

The three kinds of compounds not shown in the five sections are the ash medicines, *khanda* and medicinal *chang*. Ash medicines are best for curing cold disorders, *khanda* for hot disorders, medicinal *chang* for both single *rlung* disorders, *rlung* disorders combined with *bad kan* and *mkhris pa*. These three kinds of compounds are hidden for the purpose of keeping secrecy.

First, the compounds of medicinal ash are the follows: the general preparations of ash medicines including the sharp, the smooth and the medium compounds, the specific preparations, and the various miscellaneous compounds.

First of all, the general compounds are prepared on the basis of rlung, mkhris pa and bad kan disorders.

= The smooth compound against rlung combined disorders, is preparated by kneading sgron shing, dur byed, 'bras bu gsum' (the three myrobalan fruits), pa tra, sa rdzi ka, ya bakshara, rgya tshwa, kha ru tsa, tsabs ru tsha, shing tsha, thal tshwa, roots of pi pi ling, tsi tra ka and tsha ba rna pa gsum (three hot medicines), thoroughtly with milk, curd, butter, oil, marrow and fat.

= The medium compound against *mkhris pa* combined disorders is prepared by adding *hong len*, *btsod*, *zhu mkhan* and *kyi Ice* to the abovementioned smooth compound and kneading it thoroughly with curd from a cow or a goat.

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= The sharp compound against single bad kan disorders is prepared by adding tsha ba gsum (three hot medicinal herbs), rdod g.yak ru (the ash of wild yak horn), shu dag and shing kun to the above smooth compound and kneading it thoroughly with soup made from the bones and meats of carnivorous animals and chang.

The consistency of all these general compounds should be shapeable and prepared flat and round, like a spindle wheel. Put these shaped medicinal compounds into an unused clay pot, and close the lid properly. Seal the annular gap in between with dough, cover it fully with mud, and seal it further with sand. Prepare the ashes formed inside the pot, after having been heated properly on a fire of clods, as medicinal powders or pills, on cooling down. And add bu ram (jaggery), ka ra (white sugar) and sbrang (honey) as medicinal vehicles. This compound helps to digest undigested food i.e. ma zhu, generates me drod, destroys bad kan lhan and skran, extracts bad kan lcags dreg, eliminates skya rbab and dries up 'or and dmu chu. The addition of appropriate ingredients to the basic compounds, according to the practical instructions, eliminates all kind of disorders.

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The specific preparation of *Chong zhi 'phrul gyi thal* is comprised of three aspects: mild, medium and strong compounds.

ट्रीवार्चा <mark>यद्म अन्नेब भ्रूवार्</mark>ष्ट्र <mark>भ्रुव</mark>। स्त्रित्त्र बट्गावार्ष्ट्र स्ट्राट्य स्त्र स्वाप्त स्वाप्त स्वाप्त यत्र क्ट्र स्वाप्त स्व प्राप्त स्वाप्त स्व

= For preparing the mild compound, add equal quantities of a ru ra, tsha la, rgyam tswa, pi pi ling, bong nga dkar po, and cong zhi at two times the total quantity, along with mu zi the size of sheep droppings. Put them in a hard pot and seal with mud. Heat it properly by keeping it in the center of a coal fire. When the smell of mu zi disappears, it indicates a complete, standard burning process. Afterwards, remove the ash and grind it into a fine powder, and add ka ra (white sugar). This compound eliminates ma zhu, bad kan lhen, bad kan lcags dreg, stone poisoning, precious metals poisoning, bad kan associated with mkhris pa disorder, skran

resulting from bad kan smug po and all stomach disorders, irrespective of their hot or cold nature.

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= The medium compound formed by adding bzang drug (the six superlative medicines), rgya tshwa and pri yang ku to the above compound, eliminates ma zhu and acute combined hot disorders.

= The strong compound prepared from tsha ba Inga (the five hot medicines), a ru ra, rgya tshwa, rgyam tshwa, thal tshwa, kha ru tshwa, mdze tshwa, ze tshwa, lan tshwa, cowries, the throat of bya rgod, sram, nya rus, with the addition of cong zhi at two times of the total quantity; when burnt in a similar manner as mentioned above completely destroys cold natured skran.

= Prepare *Tsha bsregs sbyor* compound from two *khyor* of salt, which is bluish and sweet in taste, and not mixed with *p'i tshwa*; one *bre* of cow curd and thumb-sized *rgod sha¹*. Boil the compound with rigorous stirring until the compound becomes a semi-solid, indicating the disappearance of its water content. Put the compound into a pot and seal the lid to prevent the leakage of smoke. The ash formed by heating the mixture property on a fire of clods, with the addition of *star bu*, pi pi ling and *bu ram* cures *ma zhu*, *bad kan lhen*, *bad kan lcags dreg* and destroys blood *skran*.

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= Ga bur nag po'i thal sbyor is comprised of phag ril as the principal ingredient and srag dkar, hong len, de ba and shing sngon², the four accompanying ingredients separately, without any leakage of smoke. Knead the formed ash with the urine from a red cow with white spots, and

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¹ rGod sha refers to the flesh of a vulture or a wild yak. Shing sngon here referres to stab seng.

² Shing sngon here referres to stab seng.

mix it with *ka ra* (white sugar). This cures *ma zhu* caused by *rims*, short frequent pains caused by lung infections, *rims* and jaundice. Particularly, for curing stomach infections, it acts like nectar.

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= Adding chang to the ash compound prepared by burning the four ingredients of big pan, srad dkar, snya lo and kyi lce without any leakage of smoke, cures rims associated with rlung, and acts like nectar at borderline of hot disorder.

Rin po che yi thal sman sbyor (the medicinal ash compounds of the precious metals) are prepared as follows:

= Prepare gold ash compound by first hammering <u>gser</u> into a sheet as thin as bee's wing. Rub and powder it well without leaving any flat portions. Add <u>tsha la</u>, <u>mu zi</u>, <u>til</u> and <u>zar ma</u>, and roll them into pills for burning in a pot over a coal fire.

= Prepare copper ash compound by burning zangs, then hammering and folding it again and again, until it becomes as thin as the wing of the bee. Cut it into pieces with one's finger-nails. Remove the tarnish with a light *chang* and mix it with tsha la and muzi. Subsequently, put it into a pot, close the lid tightly, and burn it until it reaches its standard level.

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Prepare silver ash compound by adding dngul with the ash of dngul chu disintegrated by star bu and then burning it in a same manner as mentioned above by mixing it with tsha la and mu zi.

= Prepare iron ash compound by rubbing <u>lcags</u> with a file and pulverizing it into fine powder.

After adding <u>tsha la</u>, <u>a ru</u> ra and <u>mu zi</u>, make it into paste form. On burning the paste into pot, it converts into ash.

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In all these burning processes, if the additive ingredients are insufficient, the burning process will not reach the standart level. Therefore, increase the necessary ingredients. These compounds eliminate mdze and poisoning, and dry up the accumulation of pus and blood into the torso.

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= For preparing *mtshal* ash compound, make a clay pot with a proper lid. Grind *mtshal* into fine powder, put it into the pot and level the powder properly. Close the annular gap with mud and seal it with sand to prevent leakage of steam. Pour water on the top of the pot while burning it from the bottom. Stop the burning process, when the bottom of the pot turns white, as this indicates that the burning process has reached its standard level. On cooling down, open the lid and collect the ash from the bottom after the accumulation of *dngul chu* at the inner surface of the lid. This ash compound is best for removing gangrenous muscle tissues.

= Burn deer horns, conches, cowries and 'gron bu thod on a coal fire until it turns white.

चह्येच । चलाचाचे, प्रेथ्ययत्त्वा, कुरास्चा, क्षुंचा, श्रुंचा, श्रुंचा, <mark>श्लूंचा, यचा, मुख</mark>ा, श्लूंचा, श्लूंचा

Burn tsha ba gsum (three hot medicines), za 'og (satin), phur mo, sgog skya, btsan dug, phag ril and feathers etc. in a clay pot, keeping the pot upside down on an iron pan without any leakage of steam. Most of these ashes dry up the accumulation of pus and chu ser.

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Prepare Cong Zhi rgod btul compound by burning cong zhi properly on the coal fire until it turns white. On dipping it in chang or whey, it produces a hissing sound, reduces its heat and turns into powder, simultaneously. This ash compound treats gag, gangrenous muscle tissues, skran developed below the xiphoid process and bad kan lcags dreg." Thus it was said.

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This is the eight chapter, which reveals the section on medicinal ashes, from the Secret Quintessential Instructions on the Eight Branches of the Ambrosia Essence Tantra.