

ORTHOPÆDIC APPARATUS.

2356A. Improved Hardened Sole-Leather Jacket, with Head Support
For relieving superincumbent weight of the head from the spine, or for wry neck
a Sayres Jury Mast or Roberts Improved Elastic Traction Head Rest may be
 applied to the leather jacket.

The former supports the head by a rod reaching above the back of the head, and from which supporting bands extend beneath both occiput and lower jaw.

The Roberts Head Rest, see Fig. 2363, is less conspicuous, as it does not pass over the head, and can be worn with more comfort. When ordering either of the above with the jacket, send us also, in addition to the mold, the following measurements:

1. Lay a thin and flexible strip of lead along the back, molding it exactly to the spine and all its sinuosities from the top of the head to the middle of sacrum. With this pattern trace carefully the shape of the spine and head on a sheet of paper, marking the points opposite the upper and lower borders of the scapula and the crest of ilium, also the affected parts of the spine. Send this tracing to us.

2. Circumference of head under the chin and over the head. 2356A.

3. Circumference of head around the chin and back of the neck. In taking this measure care should be exercised that the tape encircles these parts in an even horizontal line.

4. Circumference of body at crest of the ilium.



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2359. Ryan's Simple Apparatus for Potts' Curvature of the Spine. This apparatus is similar in construction to the Ryan's Improved, as shown on the next page, with the exception that no adjustable crutches are supplied, but instead, the steel band extending from axilla to axilla around the back is padded under the arms and extended somewhat higher to serve as crutches or support for the shoulders. It serves the purpose admirably if properly fitted, but can not be extended at will like the Improved pattern. For measurements see Fig. 2357A.

Price to patients, according to size,
 \$20.00 to \$30.00.

(See Special Instructions on Page 7.)

