dition, with cold, clammy skin, feeble pulse, pronounced tenesmus, colicky pains, cramps in the calves, and who were sleepless and apathetic, Graeser declares, speedily exhibited striking improvement, and even in so short an interval as four or five days. The tormenting tenesmus and colicky pains were mitigated; the frequently prevailing sphincter-paralysis was overcome, and the evacuations, often as many as sixty per day, passed drop by drop with abundance of bloody mucus, quickly assumed a more solid character.

SPRAY IN SIMPLE CHRONIC RHINITIS :

R	Sodii boratis	gr. xv.
	Sodii bicarbonatis	gr xv.
	Ol. eucalypti	mլ i.
	Ol. gaultheriæ	m i.
	Thymol	gr. i.
	Menthol	
	Glycerinæ f	5ss.
	Aquæq. sad f	5i.

M. et Sig. To be diluted, adding two teaspoonfuls to one ounce of warm water for use as a spray. --CASSELBERRY, W. E., in *Jour. Am. Med. Assn.* Vaccination matinees have become quite the fashion in Paris. Persons belonging to fashionable society co-operate in arranging to have a doctor and a cow at an afternoon tea. The company are all vaccinated from the cow. In some of the large houses on the Champs Elysees, the cow is taken up in the elevator, and is temporarily installed in the dining room. The cards issued bear the words, "On Vaccinera."—Ex.

THE VALUE OF TUBERCULIN AS A TEST FOR TUBERCULOSIS IN CATTLE.—Probably few physicians are aware of the enormous practical value in the animal industry of tuberculin ; that is to say, if the position taken by the New York and other State Boards of Health regarding it is correct. A gentleman who has a valuable herd of thoroughbred cows writes us that twice within the last six months his herd has been examined by competent veterinarians and pronounced healthy. A third examination, however, with the aid of tuberculin, caused a condemnation of over one-half the herd. He adds :

" The New York State Board of Health is killing

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