

each particular case. I have found this preparation satisfactory in other forms of disease of the skin, as ring-worm, &c. It is worthy of trial in any form of disease of the skin which is thought to be of parasitic origin. I have accomplished more with this combination, prepared in suitable proportions respectively of the acid and balsam to suit individual cases, and in a much shorter time, as an external application in many forms of cutaneous affection, than with all other local applications combined. I have also found it to act well in some cases of burns and scalds.

CASE OF SUNSTROKE TREATED BY QUININE,

BY DR. DRAKE.

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G. D., æt. about 45, was brought by the police to the Montreal General Hospital about half past five o'clock in the afternoon of July 13th, suffering from symptoms of sunstroke.

The patient is a harmless, good-natured fellow, somewhat imbecile: he has been for some time an inmate of the Protestant House of Refuge. The day before admission he went away from the Refuge and did not return. The following afternoon the police found him lying on his back, insensible, in an open place near the wharves quite unsheltered from the intense rays of the sun. He was at once conveyed to the Hospital.

On admission he was insensible, skin hot and dry, face dusky, pupils contracted, conjunctiva injected, tongue dry and parched, respiration shallow, pulse feeble and thin, almost imperceptible and quite impossible to count, secretion completely arrested; temperature 107.8°

Seeing the necessity for prompt action, I at once applied an ice-bag to the head and on account of the excessively high temperature gave him 30 grains of quinine in three doses at intervals of half an hour. Two hours after the first dose was administered, the skin became moist and was soon covered with