

On further conversation with the patient regarding the introduction of the hat pin into the urethra, he said that he had not had sexual intercourse for twenty years. I had had my suspicions of masturbation as the reason of the passage of the hat pin, and this confession of his sexual continence for so long a time tends to confirm me in that suspicion.

October 4, 8 p.m., patient doing well, French bougies numbers 22, 24, 26 and 28 passed.

October 8, 8 p.m., patient improving right along. The scrotum is clearing up in good shape. The wound has healed almost perfectly and the stitch removed. Bougies numbers 22, 24, 26 and 28 passed. The site of perineal wound thoroughly dusted with talcum powder.

The patient has not returned since, but I frequently see him on the street and he appears to be all right.

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**Foreign Body in Right Bronchus Removed by Aid of Bronchoscope.** By SECORD H. LARGE, M.D., Cleveland, Ohio, in *The Cleveland Medical Journal*.

Mr. J. W. W., of Mansfield, age 28, was kindly referred to me by Dr. C. A. Hamann, with the following history:

On September 17, 1906, while driving along the country road, he was eating peanuts. The horse gave a sudden jump, causing him to take a deep inspiration, while he had part of a peanut in his mouth. He felt something go into the trachea and was seized with a violent attack of coughing. He immediately consulted his family physician, who sent him to Cleveland. Dr. Hamann diagnosed a foreign body in right bronchus.

I saw him on the 19th, two days later, and he was then having considerable pain in the right lung, aggravated on inspiration. His temperature was 99 4-5 degrees, pulse 84.

The larynx and upper part of the trachea were thoroughly cocaineized with a 20 per cent. solution. He was then placed on a low stool, the head thrown well backwards, and the tube inserted. The first tube used was too short to bring the foreign body into view. By using the longest tube I had, which is 13 1-2 inches long, I was just able to see the foreign body. It was firmly lodged in the bronchus and was enveloped in thick mucus. On grasping it with long forceps it broke off and I had to remove it in four pieces. After its removal the pain imme-