

CASE 10.—*Eczema Under each Breast, Large Excoriations, with a very Disagreeable Odor.*—Stella P.—r, student, æt. fourteen, a very fleshy and well developed girl, the breasts were as large as those of a nursing woman. I found on examination numerous areas of salt rheum over the body, and under each breast were excoriations, palm sized, covered with a profuse mal-odorous discharge, pruritus was very severe; in each axillæ were similar patches but smaller in extent, but with the same disagreeable odor to the discharge. Patient had been variously treated before coming under my care. Borated water, hot, was applied to the parts for one minute, dried, and Iatrol dusted over the excoriations and to be re-applied as often as necessary to keep the parts dry. Itching was relieved at once and so was the disgusting odor. Patient came under my care on September 15, and October 18 the excoriations had entirely healed; there was still some pruritus upon other parts of the body but no lesions. I ordered a corset to be worn to avoid irritation.

CASE 11. *Pustular Eczema of the Scalp and Face.*—Edna S—, æt. sixteen months, a well nourished, healthy appearing child, was brought to my office November 15, 1893. The scalp was covered with dime to dollar sized patches covered with thick crusts, with pus oozing freely around the borders. The face was in nearly the same condition as the scalp, the eyelids were so swollen that patient could not open them. There were numerous excoriations over the scalp and face, the result of efforts to relieve the intense pruritus. The crusts were removed by sweet oil and water, and followed by the dusting over the parts Iatrol.

Oozing and pus formation was so great that the powder soon formed cakes, and I substituted, Iatrol, four drachms; olive oil, one ounce; applied on absorbent cotton and kept in place by bandaging and frequently renewed. Improvement was rapid from the first, and cure was complete in two weeks.

CASE 12. *Pustular Eczema of Scalp.*—C. N—l, æt. one year, was brought to the dispensary for treatment November 18, 1893. The whole of the scalp was one mass of crusts, matted hair and filth; pus oozing wherever the crusts were removed; odor disgusting. The crusts were ordered removed by sweet oil, and the surface to be covered with absorbent cotton, saturated with Iatrol in olive oil and kept in place by bandages. The dressings to be renewed several times in twenty-four hours. Itching and odor was relieved at once.

Improvement rapid from the first, and at the end of one week no vestiges of the disease remained.