it crusts up with the exudate and may cause the clothing and bedding to adhere to the diseased surface. False hair may set up an eczema of scalp or forehead ; a bad ear-ring an eczema of ear. Friction from hat-bands, "frizzes," "bangs" and dyed veils may produce acne—(*Wigglesworth*). In soldiers the helmet sometimes gives rise to an eczema. A stiff, ill-ventilated hat may produce alopecia.

The dermatoses principally affected by the clothing are :

Dermatalgia—The clothing becomes simply unbearable.

Dermatitis Congelationis—Tight clothing and boots tend to it.

Erythema Intertrigo—Heavy underclothing, tight or ill-fitting garments ; hard, foul and wet diapers may cause it.

Urticaria, sudamina, hyperidrosis, bromidrosis, miliaria may all be caused by too heavy or tight underclothing in hot weather ; flannels or apparel colored with poisonous dyes may produce urticaria ; woollen fabrics may cause miliaria.

Eczema Genitalium—Eczema of the genitals may be excited by the irritation of the clothing while walking. Sweat may be effused in a normal condition upon and with articles of clothing and cause a stench by chemical changes both in the clothing and fluid. Urine may be retained upon the underclothing and set up a persistent dermatitis of the scrotum, perineum or inner surfaces of the thighs in either sex.

Onychogryphosis—Tight-fitting gloves, boots and shoes may cause it.

Pruritus—Heavy bedclothes or the friction of the clothing may produce it.

Pruritus Digitorum Pedis. Acute and Chronic Eczema.— Irritation of underclothes or dyes contained in them.

Erythema Pernio. Furunculi—Irritation of clothes.

Seborrhœa Corporis, or Unna's *Eczema Seborrhoicum*— Flannel may produce these, also *Tinea Versicolor*, and in infants the so-called *Lichen Strophulosus*.

Acne—Woollen fabrics. Acne artificialis limited to the forehead may be caused by the irritation of some enamelled hat-band, likely containing arsenic. This should be replaced by a soft linen or silk lining. A feather pillow often increases the congestion of the face in acne.