

will respond to food just exactly as if the rest of the body were there, showing it is an entirely mechanical process. Here we have a young squid, and you will notice it has a sucking bottle. Nature gives some of these organisms a quantity of food to sustain them for a time. You can see him drinking out of his sucking bottle. Here we have a pair of twins with their backs fastened together. Here is a monstrosity simply because we added a little alcohol to the sea water in which it was developing.

In conclusion, I want to show you how mechanical they are when under an electric current. They couldn't go in any other direction if they wanted to, and they turn in whichever direction the current is changed. When the current is changed too quickly, they simply oscillate.

I thank you very much for your most splendid attention. (Applause.)

At the close of Dr. Price's address, H. B. Anderson, M.D., C.M., on behalf of the Academy of Medicine and the audience, moved a vote of thanks to the speaker for his excellent address and extraordinary illustrations. F. Arnold Clarkson, M.B., in a clever and witty speech, seconded the motion.