

FORCED RESPIRATION.—Dr. G. E. Fell, at the late Annual Meeting of the New York State Medical Society (N. Y. Med. Jr.), presented further observations on his method of forced respiration. In 1888 he had reported the saving of five lives by himself and one by a foreign physician according to this method. Since then he had saved three more patients, and a number of other physicians had met with like success. While chiefly used in cases of opium poisoning, the method would probably prove equally useful in cases of drowning and of traumatic shock. He exhibited the apparatus employed. Forced respiration had been used for many hours at a time without damage to the lungs, and on various occasions when Sylvester's method of artificial respiration had proved utterly futile, this had brought prompt relief and in many instances a cure.

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