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In cases of rheumatic fever, Prof. Wilson says the heart may become affected in all kinds of cases. The mildest cases suffer as well as the severest. The heart may also become affected at any stage of the disease, but very seldom during the earlier stages of an attack.

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