

In these cases neither the hæmoglobin nor the red corpuscles were estimated by laboratory methods—nor was there any need. Each case, its progress and its results, have been so plain that “he who runs may read.”

I could cite other cases of both primary and secondary anæmia in which I have had equally good results, but as they were not so marked, so severe and so critical, I will desist, concluding by fully concurring with the statement that is made, that “this preparation, Gude’s Pepto-Mangan, when taken into the stomach undergoes no chemical change whatsoever. Being practically predigested it is readily absorbed by the mucous membrane of the stomach, the process of assimilation is easy, and the metals are taken up by the blood immediately.”—DEERING J. ROBERTS, M. D., Nashville, Tenn., in *Southern Practitioner*.

THE attention of the profession is directed to the advertisement on another page of this issue of Park’s Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites and Guaiacol, prepared by Messrs. Hattie & Mylius. This preparation cannot but appeal to physicians as being a very valuable combination. Ever since its introduction the sale of this Emulsion has been steadily on the increase, which speaks well for the satisfactory results obtained from its use.

SANMETTO IN ENURESIS DIURNA ET NOCTURNA.—Some years ago my attention was called to sanmetto as a remedy for troubles of the genito-urinary organs, particularly in men past middle life, and I have had some very gratifying successes with its use. Recently I was called upon to prescribe for two boys, eight and ten years of age respectively. Everything had been tried, including whipping, to break up the “habit” of wetting the bed at night, and one of them also his clothing in the day time. It occurred to me that sanmetto would be worth trying, and to the delight of every one concerned it has been perfectly successful; and now for the past six months and twelve months respectively, these boys have been entirely cured of this unfortunate “habit.” Undoubtedly, the trouble was due to irritability of the prostate and mucous membrane of the bladder; hence the prompt and permanent relief afforded by sanmetto. I have written these few lines hastily, calling the attention of the profession to these cases, with the hope that others will try the same remedy for the same “habit.”

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A VERY GRAVE ERROR.—The experience of many of the best men of the profession, not only of the United States but abroad, has established the clinical value of antikamnia. Among those who have paid high tributes to its value and who occupy positions of great eminence, may be mentioned Dr. J. Acheson Wilkin and Dr. R. J. Blackham, practitioners of London. They have found it of value in the neuralgias and nervous headaches, resulting from over-work and prolonged mental strain, paroxysmal attacks of sciatica, brow-ague, painful menstruation, la grippe and allied conditions. Indeed, the practitioner who has such cases as the latter come under his observation, who attempts their relief by opiates and stronger drugs, when so efficient an agent can be used, which is much less harmful, commits a grave error. Experience goes to prove that ten grain doses of antikamnia in an ounce of sherry wine, taken every two to four hours, will carry the patient through these painful periods with great satisfaction.—*Medical Reprints*, London, Eng.