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YEO'S MIXTURE IN TYPHOID FEVER—REPORT OF TWENTY-TWO CASES.\*

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The cases upon which this paper is based were under the treatment of Dr. Wilkins, Physician to the Montreal General Hospital. This method was followed out at his suggestion, after reading the article in *The American Journal of Medical Sciences*, by Dr. Yeo, and I am indebted to him for kind permission to make free use of these cases, over which I had charge as his assistant.

The total number of cases coming under observation was twenty-four, but of these only twenty-two are available for notes, being the number in which the treatment was applied throughout the entire course of the disease.

Epidemics of typhoid fever vary so much from season to season, both as regards their virulency and centralization on special systems, that it would be unreasonable to draw any definite conclusions from so few cases; but the number is nevertheless sufficiently large to allow of a brief critique of the principles set forth, basing the remarks upon an experience derived from twenty-two cases.

For the benefit of those who may not be conversant with the subject I will try and synopsize as briefly as possible

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