

The unfavourable local lesions, such as aortic incompetence, are so, because they are so often degenerative or specific in origin. Then the prognosis in any stated case of valvular diseases, he points out, depends much on the environments and conditions of life in each case, and the forecast must carry with it suggestions of measures for prevention, the avoidance of fresh attacks of rheumatism and over exercise in youth. The work engaged in by the adult, the abuse of alcohol, tobacco, syphilis. The child-bearing period in the female and in advanced life the influence of the various forms of degeneration, some of which are amenable to treatment; all have a distinct bearing on the prognosis and must be carefully estimated in forming our conclusions.

Among other interesting papers are: Winged Insects and their Larvæ as Parasites of Men, by James J. Walsh, M.D., Ph.D.; Types of Hemiplegia, by G. L. Walton, M.D.; Moveable Kidney, by Frank Lydston, M.D.; The Operative Relief of some Forms of Prostatic Hypertrophy, by Charles H. Chetwood, M.D.; Clinical Lectures, by Nicholas Senn, M.D., Ph.D., LL.D., and John B. Deaver, M.D.

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