

Mental defectiveness.

Functional nervous disorders (St. Vitus' dance), especially if associated with shrugging of shoulders and head, twitching of the eyes, hands or feet.

Local Symptoms.

Pain—may indicate:

Teeth—Decayed teeth or gumboil.

Head—Defective vision.

Abdomen—Indigestion or constipation.

Ear—Abscess.

Leg or Back—Tuberculosis of the bones of leg or spine.

Eruptions on the skin—may indicate:

(These cases should be referred at once to the doctor or nurse.)

An acute contagious disease. The rash comes on suddenly.

Measles. Preceded by running of nose and sneezing.

Scarlet fever.

Chicken pox.

Smallpox.

A contagious disease of the skin. The rash is of longer duration.

Impetigo contagiosa—around mouth and nose.

Ringworm—on scalp, hands, arms or face.

Pediculosis—on hand and child scratches.

Scabies—on hands, webs of fingers or body accompanied by itching and scratching.

Red Eyes (with or without discharge)
—may indicate:

Defective vision, especially if accompanied by scowling, squinting, headaches, holding reading matter at an improper distance from the eye.

Pink eye (acute contagious conjunctivitis) if accompanied with a discharge.

Running Ears—may indicate:

Abscess of the ear.

Deafness.

These conditions often follow cold in the head, adenoids, scarlet fever, measles.

Children should occupy seats in front of room.

Mouth Breathing—may indicate:

Adenoids, often accompanied by repeated colds in head, and deafness.

Sore Throat—may indicate:

Simple cold.

Tonsilitis.

Onset of scarlet fever.

Onset of diphtheria.

Swelling in the Neck—may indicate:

Mumps—about the ears.

Enlarged tonsils.

Tubercular and simple enlarged glands.

A GEOGRAPHY SUGGESTION.

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I was asked to show you my method of teaching map-drawing. I got it from watching a class in drawing in New York "blocking" their subject. I find even inartistic pupils learn to draw easily both maps and objects in this way. The explanation is much simpler than it sounds here. Take Europe for instance and let Venice be your central point of a wheel. The circumference will touch, or pass through, London, Eng., the southern tip of Scandinavia, the western shores of the Black Sea, and this same distance (i.e., the radius of the circle) is the length of the Baltic

Sea, the length of the Caspian Sea, the length of the Black Sea, the length of the French coast from the tip of Brittany to Jutland peninsula, also from Ireland to Iceland. Thus, having placed these points, it is not difficult to fill in the outline. This may be, as you see, carried into greater detail.

In drawing South America make a right angle (see illustration), with the arms A-B and A-C equal. From C and half the length of A-C, draw a perpendicular C-D and again from D at right angle, draw D-E half of length C-D. Produce B-A to the length of E-A and