

of 1 in 2,000, applied with a brush, gives immediate relief.

Or:

Sol. of adrenaline (1 to 1,000), 10 drops.

Sol. of cocaine (1 to 100), 5 drs.

Cherry laurel water, 5 drs.

Sniff up a few drops three or four times a day.

A spray of a mixture of menthol (15 grs.) and vaseline oil (1 oz.) is agreeable and useful.

Where inflammation of the lip and the edges of the nose is present:

Cocaine, 10 grs.

Tannin, 1 dr.

Cold cream, 5 drs.

—*The Medical Press.*

Surgical Treatment of Exophthalmic Goiter

Porter (*ibid.*) agrees with other surgeons that surgery, in properly selected cases, offers more and quicker improvements than medical treatment. To be successful, earlier operation must become the rule before incurable degenerations have developed. When reasonable medical treatment has been carried out the surgeon should be consulted. While from the very nature of the disease permanent cures may not be common, permanent improvements follow timely and appropriate operation in the large majority of cases after medical treatment has proved unavailing.—*J. A. M. A.*