

ness. She was in bed four weeks after this seizure, during which time she had several similar attacks. In September, took to bed again; this time her convulsions were worse and venesection was done.

In all these seizures she would have spells of dizziness and a feeling of weakness; the heart would beat very rapidly; she would stiffen out and be unable to speak. The patient never became unconscious, and could always tell when an attack was coming on.

In the attack, after the stiff feeling appeared, she would experience generalized tremors, flushing of the face, and a stiffening of the eyelids, and an aching spastic contraction of the wrists and fingers (somewhat resembling tetany, and not appearing in the feet).

After the seizure, would lie down. She never bit her tongue or passed urine. She says she frequently frothed at the mouth. Attacks would follow each other rapidly, and be accompanied by weeping. The whole seizure would last probably half an hour. Has also had frequent attacks of hiccough.

On December 15, 1905, was admitted to the T. G. H. While there she had several seizures. She also developed complete right-sided hemianesthesia; was insensible to painful sensations, to heat, cold and touch; conjunctiva not involved; also had an attack of severe pain in the left ear, and neuralgia in the left side of the face, and at this time first noted deafness. No cataleptic attacks.

On January 19, 1906, developed an attack of appendicitis. This became better, patient's nervous symptoms improved, and she was discharged from the T. G. H. on February 28th.

In July, 1906, entered the T. G. H.; was operated on for appendicitis on September 10, and was discharged from the hospital in October.

Patient felt well till about Christmas, 1907, when, one morning while at work, she noticed that her hands were trembling, her lips quivering, and later becoming stiff. Her heart beat rapidly, and she had to lie down for about an hour. After resting she felt better, but had a severe headache. She went home for two weeks, recovered, and then returned to work. Shortly afterwards she had another attack, which was very severe, and similar to those above described. She then developed influenza and was in bed for some days. A week ago started back to work, and had the same sort of seizures—hands shook, body would ache and the face would flush. There was spastic contraction of the fingers, lasting for about 15 minutes; the eyelids seemed also to become stiff.