

ing a few moments, in the muscles of the right arm, leg and side of the face. Has also observed diplopia on several occasions within two months.

Four days ago he had a chill, since which time he has had a great deal of pain in the head, forehead, buzzing in the ears, loss of appetite, vomiting, and diarrhoea, accompanied by a great feeling of weakness. At present he lies very quiet in bed, all his movements being very slow. The abdomen is flat, and muscles rigid; tongue clean and moist. When he vomits there is very little nausea either preceding or following. Breathing slow and irregular. Pulse is 40 per minute; respirations 10. There is much intolerance of light, and he always lies with his head turned away from the window; when the gas is lit he moans and complains. Sounds of any kind also annoy him considerably. He complains continually of being drowsy, but does not sleep much. I had his eyes examined by Dr. Buller, who reported the presence of double optic neuritis, and a small spot of hæmorrhage in the left retina.

*Heart and Lungs* healthy. Urine normal in amount and appearance and free from either albumen or sugar.

*Ordered* sodæ hypophos. gr. v.; ol. morrhuæ ℥ss. three times daily.

During several days subsequent to this there are noted a continued dull, heavy suffering look; continued pain in head,—increased by light and sound; pulse became slightly faster, being 56 on the 18th, whilst the respirations were 12. At this time he began taking a draught of chloral and pot. bromide, to relieve the persistent sleeplessness.

By *Nov. 2nd*, he was somewhat better, not quite so dull and drowsy. Pulse, 100; respirations, 17. Slight dilatation of the left pupil was noticed.

*16th.*—Has had a superficial pain over left brow, of a darting character; it is found that there is decided tenderness over the three branches of the 5th nerve, most marked over the supra-orbital. This condition lasted only two weeks, and is noted as absent on the 1st of December. He was now up and about.

*Dec 26th.*—A sudden giddiness under which he fell; the