

of medicine or surgery, or a departure from recognized methods and practices. In most instances they are deceptive and artful devices to impose on the public and increase the necessity for statutory regulation. . . . This question has been fully considered by the courts of other States, under similar statutes, and all support the conclusion reached by the court below."—Commonwealth vs. Byrd, 64 Pa. Superior Court 108.—*Medical Record*.

MEDICAL PREPARATIONS

URINARY ANTISEPSIS.

In the opinion of many practitioners Sanmetto offers the nearest approach to the ideal inhibitor to bacterial growth. It is not only non-toxic and non-irritating, but rather soothing to the urinary tract, while not strongly antiseptic, yet sufficiently bacteriostatic for common routine cases. It is largely excreted by the kidneys. In prostatic cases it tends to relieve incontinence, clears up the urine, and is as useful as a soother before and following instrumentation. It is of positive value in urethritis and cystic conditions. It is never accompanied by the untoward conditions so often following the use of more powerful germicidal and bactericidal antiseptics. Sanmetto is safe.

AUTUMNAL AILMENTS.

The autumn months constitute the season during which the average practising physician is called upon to treat the following conditions: 1. Typhoid fever, which is, more often than not, contracted at some unhygienic summer resort. The patient may return home during the first week or so, with headache, malaise, etc., or the premonitory or primary symptoms may appear after reaching home. 2. Malarial infection, in certain sections, which is more than usually rife in the spring and fall seasons. 3. The after-results of the gastro-intestinal disorders of infants and young children, due to improper feeding, etc., during the heated term. In almost every instance, when the acute symptoms have subsided, a condition of anemia and general devitalization is the final result that constitutes the essential indication for treatment. In convalescence from all forms of illness resulting in general debility, Pepto-Mangan (Gude) is the one ideal tonic and reconstructive. It not only revitalizes the blood, but also tones up every physiologic function. It stimulates the appetite, improves the absorptive capacity, increases energy and ambition and restores the blood to its normal condition. It is thus a general tonic and reconstituent of marked and certain value.