

LARYNGISMUS STRIDULUS.—*Nouveaux Remèdes* recommends the following :

R—Chloroform 5 to 10 drops.
Water 3 vi.
Glycerine 3 ii.

Sig.—Teaspoonful every half hour.

DR. LAPHORN SMITH, of Montreal, was elected a Fellow of the American Gynecological Society, at its recent meeting in Brooklyn.

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