

contracted influenza, of whom three fell ill on the first day of the experiment; in the other four squadrons there were respectively twenty-two, nineteen, thirty-two and forty-two cases. After the sixth day of treatment there were no further cases in the squadron, while the disease continued to progress in the other detachments. Graeser therefore considers it proved that quinine is not only a specific against influenza, but if given at the right time and in sufficient doses, can also prevent the outbreak of the disease. Mosse has more recently confirmed these views by experiments on rabbits.—*British Medical Journal*.

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