

healthy degree a little; that is, to about 100 degrees of Fahrenheit. While these, or the means before advised, are going forward, a glyster of common warm water and a spoonful of salt should be thrown into the bowels by a bag and pipe. Tobacco is sometimes useful, but so difficult to apply properly, that we say nothing respecting it, especially as it is sometimes dangerous. The frequent application of spirit of hartshorn to the nose may be used as an auxiliary.

6. That it is dangerous to pour any liquid into the mouth before it appears that the power of swallowing is restored; after which an emetic may be given, and if it succeed in vomiting the patient, a small quantity of warm wine may be got down subsequently to its operation. Blood-letting, in the generality of cases, is of no use.

7. That with regard to the practices here recommended, it is to be understood, that they are not soon to be discontinued, though good effects are not immediately apparent. It has often happened, that though means employed for one hour have not succeeded, the same means continued for two or more hours have at length had the desired effect. It should, therefore, be regarded as a rule, to persist in the attempt to restore life for two or more hours unless the signs of death keep increasing, in which case it will be useless.

Notwithstanding the plans we have now recommended are so perspicuous as to enable any intelligent person to put them in force, yet it is particularly advisable to procure proper medical assistance as soon as the nature of things will admit of it.

EXTENT AND POPULATION OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

	Ex. in sq. miles.	Population.
England and Wales	57,812	13,897,187
Scotland	32,167	2,365,114
Ireland	31,874	7,767,401
Islands in the British Seas	332	103,710
Army, Navy, &c.	277,017
Totals of the United Kingdom..	122,185	24,410,429
Colonies and Dependencies in Europe...	124	140,354
Ditto ditto North America	439,493	1,461,626
Ditto ditto West Indies..	177,552	887,283
Ditto ditto Asia	24,664	1,157,042
Ditto ditto Africa	200,723	267,540
Ditto ditto Australia	58,505	100,733
Possessions and Dependencies of the		
East India Company	1,180,000	123,301,000
Totals of the British Empire..	2,203,246	151,726,007
Ionian Islands—under British protection—Population 208,100; extent in square miles, 1098.		

J. W. M'COUREY, General Printing Office, St. John's.