

disappeared. In the third week the spasm of the muscles became more marked. There was less tenderness in the cervical region. The herpes on the lips were quite healed. Emaciation became very great. Very little nourishment was taken, and pulse was feeble and irregular. The hydrarg. cum creta and the potassium iodide were discontinued, and spts. frumenti was given.

During the next two weeks the general condition gradually improved. Patient took more nourishment. The mental condition became much better; there was very little pain on movement, and the pupillary reflex became more active. The headache disappeared. An abscess formed in the right thigh anteriorly in the



sixth week, and about three ounces of thick green pus were obtained. The staphylococcus pyogenes aureus was the infecting agent. The patient improved markedly and took nourishment well.

Liquid peptonoids, one ounce every two hours, and Ferrol emulsion with manganese, were given after the fifth week.

From this time forth there was marked general improvement, and the patient was discharged on the 11th week completely restored.

I had the privilege of seeing both children, with their physician, Dr. C. M. Foster. The boy's case ran a course very characteristic of cerebro-spinal meningitis. There were the onset with