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Nitric and muriatic acids of the specific gravity 1. 12 act instantly on the tooth, accompained with an evolution of a quantity of small air bubbles from the whole of the surface; about eight times their weight of these acids are sufficient for the solution of the solidifying principles of the teeth.

The mass left undissolved has nearly the original form of the tooth, is flexible, semi-transpa-