

twenty years ago. Fever, enlargement of the spleen and bacillary septicemia are the striking features in this disease. It is easy to understand that frequently it is mistaken for typhoid fever. In many cases where typhoid fever was thought to be followed by tuberculosis the case was really one of tubercular infection from the first.

Nerve Grafting in Facial Paralysis is the subject of a paper by Freeman, of Denver, with report of a case of anastomosis between the hypoglossal and facial nerves.

In the pathological section an extensive article is from the pen of W. G. McCallum, M.D., of Baltimore, on the Physiology of Absorption from the Peritoneal Cavity.

The volume contains many other articles, each with its interesting features. One might mention "Neurovascular Disturbances of the Nose," by Grayson, of Philadelphia; "Suppuration in Appendicitis," by E. M. Conner, M.D., F.R.C.S., Eng., London; Excision of Hip in Arthritis Deformans.

Progress of medicine during the year 1908 occupies one-third of the volume and briefly deals with the many advances in the various departments of medicine.

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