

water just as hot as could be tolerated by the patient. In twenty-four hours the fever was gone, the diarrhoea stopped and the bloody discharge became checked. The patient, very much to the surprise of the doctor who was in attendance, was completely relieved of the dysenteric phenomena in twenty-four hours and recovery in other directions from that time forward was uneventful.

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### THE FIRST SYMPTOMS OF MIGRAINE.

Dr. J. J. Caldwell of Baltimore, M.D., in "Medical Progress" writes as follows: "The treatment of migraine, to be correct, must be adjusted on the basis of the element of causation. Constipation, if present, should be treated by a proper dietary and regular habits, but purgatives should be avoided. Only mild laxatives should be employed, and they should be abandoned when diet regulates the bowels, as proper diet will do. During the premonitory stage we can generally abort or rather prevent the development of an attack by the administration of two antikamnia tablets. They should be given, as soon as the first symptoms of the attack are manifest. If then, all symptoms are not speedily dissipated, another dose should be given in three-quarters of an hour or an hour. This means is a most effectual one to abort an