

Johnston) remembered having seen Dr. Bell bleed a man in the hospital, and the seeming corpse revived and spoke, and lived three days. At the autopsy an extensive sclerosis of the vessels was found.

DR. MCCONNELL said that he had seen it stated that all men over 30 should be careful how they over-exerted themselves, and for physicians to advise persons known to have this disease to be especially careful was a most important point in treatment.

DR. G. T. ROSS pointed out that Dr. Osler has extracted 25 to 20 ounces with marked benefit, but he thought that this should be done only in selected cases.

*An Inquiry into the Causation of Local Motor Paralysis after Poisoning by Charcoal Vapor.*—DR. BRUÈRE then read a paper on this subject.

DR. JOHNSTON asked if these local paralyzes followed other substances, as pyrogallic acid, potass. chlorat., potass. bichrom., all of which produce met-hæmoglobin. He had administered these drugs to dogs and other animals without noting any recognizable paralysis. In horses with hæmoglobinuria, paralysis of the hind legs and retention of urine had been noted. Did Dr. Bruère consider the action specific or due to deprivation of oxygen?

DR. BRUÈRE did not think that the paralysis was due to any specific action.

#### SIXTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN ORTHOPEDIC ASSOCIATION.

To be held in Room 39, at the New York Academy of Medicine, September 20, 21 and 22, 1892.

The Association will be called to order daily at 9 a. m. There will be an afternoon session at 2 o'clock.

At noon on Tuesday and Thursday the Association will go into executive session for the transaction of business.

On Tuesday evening at eight o'clock, Dr. Lewis A. Sayre will receive the members and guests of the Association at his house, No. 285 Fifth Avenue.

At 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening the Annual Dinner will be held in the banquet-room of the Academy of Medicine. The charge will be five dollars per plate, and members are requested to notify the Treasurer at the earliest possible day of their intention to participate, and accompany this notification with a check for the number of places desired, with names of guests.

#### FIRST DAY—TUESDAY.

1. The President's Address. Dr. Benjamin Lee, Philadelphia.
2. Report of a Case of Spontaneous Dislocation of the Hip Joint. Dr. B. E. McKenzie, Toronto.

3. Adduction following Fracture of the Neck of the Thigh Bone. Dr. H. Hodgen, St. Louis.

4. Osteitis Deformans; with a report of Two Cases. Dr. Henry Ling Taylor, New York.

5. Lateral Dislocation at Knee Joint due to Local Disease, or Paralysis, with especial reference to treatment. Dr. T. Halsted Myers, New York.

6. Plaster-of-Paris Orthopedics.—Dr. A. J. Steele, St. Louis.

7. The Orthopedic Treatment of Infantile Spinal Paralysis. Dr. John Ridlon, Chicago.

8. A Report of Two Years' Operative Work in the Hospital for the Ruptured and Crippled. Dr. V. P. Gibney, New York.

9. Lateral Curvature. Dr. E. H. Bradford, Boston.

10. The Classification of Hip Disease. Dr. R. W. Lovett, Boston.

11. A Study of some of the Problems in the Mechanical Treatment of Hip Joint Disease. Dr. Newton M. Shaffer, New York.

12. Experiments demonstrating the Etiology of the Various Deformities in Hip Joint Disease. Dr. A. M. Phelps, New York.

13. Some remarks on the Etiology of Club-Foot. Dr. Samuel Ketch, New York.

Discussion to be opened by Dr. J. K. Young, of Philadelphia.

14. At what Age shall the First Treatment of Congenital Club-Foot be Instituted? Dr. H. Augustus Wilson, Philadelphia.

Discussion to be opened by Dr. C. C. Foster, of Cambridge.

#### SECOND DAY—WEDNESDAY.

The following papers will be discussed together:

15. The Non-Operative Treatment of Congenital Club-Foot. Dr. A. B. Judson, New York.

16. The Non-Operative Treatment of Club-Foot in Young Infants. Dr. R. W. Lovett, Boston.

17. Manual Replacement in the Treatment of Club-Foot. Dr. Ap. Morgan Vance, Louisville.

18. The Treatment of Club-Foot by Continuous Leverage. Dr. Henry Ling Taylor, New York.

19. The Place of Traction in the Treatment of Club-Foot. Dr. Newton M. Shaffer, New York.

20. The use of the Wrench in the Treatment of Club-Foot. Dr. Robert Jones, Liverpool.

Discussion to be opened by Dr. A. M. Phelps, of New York, and Dr. Roswell Park, of Buffalo.

The following papers will be discussed together:

21. The Operative Treatment of Club-Foot. Dr. DeForest Willard, Philadelphia.

22. Analysis of Bone Operations in Club-