

# Jottings.

## WARTS AND MOLES.

Warts and moles may be removed by touching them daily with glacial acetic acid, which must not be permitted to touch the healthy skin. If this is carefully done, no scar will be left.—*Toledo Med and. Surg. Reporter.*

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## A SIMPLE EMERGENCY INTUBATION SET.

This can easily be made by passing a large soft rubber catheter through the nose, guided by the fingers into the larynx. Cut a soft piece of wood to suitable shape if you have no mouth-gag. Use this instead of a cork; the latter is unreliable, as experience has often proven. The mucus can be readily sucked out by attaching a syringe to the end protruding from the nose. The catheter should be large, the eyelet part cut off and smoothed, and can be fastened to face by adhesive strips.—*Med. Summary.*

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## LEMONS.

I became acquainted with the great value of the lemon in California, where it is used for nearly everything, and as I am never averse to picking up good ideas, I have adopted some of the the "old woman's remedies." Sucking a lemon will very often settle a sour stomach or one that refuses all food. I was poisoned by eating chile-con-carne containing tainted meat, and for days could retain nothing on my stomach until I took lemon juice. This will in some cases stop the vomiting of pregnancy.

A lemon applied to a felon will often abort it. Cut off one end of the lemon and stick in the finger, leaving it twelve hours. Lemon juice is an excellent application for sunburn. I have applied lemon juice with excellent results in follicular tonsillitis. With lemon juice I cured rhus poison that had resisted treatment. It is an excellent remedy for eczema of the legs in fleshy cases with bad circulation. Apply the juice twice a day. In fevers, weak lemonade is often better than water as a drink.—Dr. C. E. Henry, in *Alkaloidal Clinic.*