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PSORIASIS.

Gerstle (*Dermat. Centralbl.*) believes psoriasis to be of neuropathic origin. He has seen psoriasis coincident with gout and diabetes a number of times. In Joseph's clinic, 151 out of 975 patients were cabinetmakers. He has found chrysarobin very effectual as a curative. The flakes are first thoroughly removed with soap and hot water, so that the chrysarobin can come in contact with the diseased tissue. A 10 per cent. solution in traumaticin is applied twice a week and rubbed in with a stiff brush. The dermatitis which occasionally followed this treatment was easily cured by boricized vaseline. A peculiar coincidence was that these cases were cured of the psoriasis more speedily than those in which there was no dermatitis. For the treatment of lesions on the head and face a milder salve is used, so as to protect the conjunctivæ and to avoid staining of the skin.—*Medical Standard.*