

the perineum without a tear, which seemed impossible without extensive rupture.

FOR GONORRHOEA.—Prof. Schrimmer (*Wein Med. Woch.*), speaks well of injections of salicylate of mercury in gonorrhœa. He gives :

R.—Hydrarg. salicylat., . . . gr. $\frac{1}{4}$.
Aq. destil., . . . $\frac{3}{4}$ iij.—M.

Sig.—Use as injection three times a day.

By this means the discharge is checked in two or three days, and on leaving off the remedy it commences again in a mild form, consisting of mucus, and disappears of itself in a few days. In the chronic form a stronger solution is used, of say, $\frac{5}{8}$ grain to two or three ounces of water,

DYSMENORRHOEA.—A noted physician recommends the following :

R. Pulv. camphore. gr. x
Pulv. Doveri. gr. xx
Ext. hyoscyami. gr. x

M. Ft., pil. x.

Sig.—Two pills every two hours till pain ceases.

TALMAGE says :—Established physicians, encourage young doctors by telling how you yourself once took measles for scarlatina. Don't walk around with a profundity and overwhelmingness of manner, as though you were one of the eternal degrees. And if you have nothing to say that is encouraging, compress your lips, put your hand over your mouth and keep still.

VOMITING OF PREGNANCY.—Menthol 1 part, spt. vin. rect. 20 parts, aq. dest. 150 parts, is the formula for the administration of this drug in the vomiting of pregnancy. The dose is $\frac{3}{4}$ js every hour. Dr. Gottschalk and other experienced observers have been very successful in the treatment by this means of several intractable cases.

FOR EXOPHTHALMIC GOITRE.—Dr. A. F. Watkins recommends (*Week. Med. Rev.*) the following prescription in the treatment of exophthalmic goitre :

R.—Picrotoxin, $\frac{1}{30}$ grain.
Aqueous extract of ergot, $2\frac{1}{2}$ grains.
M.—Ft. pil.

Sig.—One pill three times a day.

FOR PLEURODYNIA.—For quick and lasting re-

lief in pleurodynia, J. Adolphus, M.D. (*Medical Age*), praises gelsemium and ammonium muriate. He gives the first in the form of the tincture, ten drops every hour ; or, if the latter medicine is employed, twenty to thirty grains are administered every four to six hours.

ECZEMA.—Shoemaker says that for the itching of the skin so commonly met with in eczema there is nothing that affords such prompt and effective relief as a mixture of equal parts of glycerine and lime water. This may be applied to the skin as often as necessary.

Take of powdered starch. . . . $\frac{1}{2}$ drachm.
Subnitrate of bismuth. . . . $\frac{1}{2}$ " "
Spermaceti ointment. . . . $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce.

Mix. Valuable for irritation in the axilla, about the groins, and erythema of the female breasts.

WOODBURY says that ten grains of the bicarbonate of soda in a half-ounce of an infusion of uva ursi every two hours will relieve acute inflammation of the bladder immediately.

LUMBAGO.—A valuable internal remedy :

R.—Ext. Cimicifugæ fl., - - $\frac{3}{4}$ j.
Celerina (Rio) - - - $\frac{3}{4}$ vij.—M.

Sig.—Teaspoonful every four hours.

ROYAL MEDICAL COLLEGE, KINGSTON.—Dr. W. G. Anglin has been made Professor of Pathology and Dr. E. Ryan Demonstrator of Anatomy in the above College.

DR. FRANK LYDSTON, Opera House Block, Chicago, will be pleased to send a copy of his lecture on Sexual Perversion to any one enclosing a stamp.

CALCIUM SULPHIDE IN CROUP.—The *Med. Reg.* (*Ed.*) recommends the use of the above drug in doses of one-tenth gr. hourly for the worst cases.

THE *American Lancet* says that a five per cent. solution of chloral hydrate will clear the hair of dandruff and prevent alopecia from that cause.

PILOCARPIN is said to be useful in the treatment of chronic articular rheumatism.

It is said that one-half the population of Edinburgh is treated gratuitously.