

spine to the left side in Milley, in consequence of her constant efforts to lead her more passive but heavier and stronger companion.

This case of diplotesis is evidently inseparable, and although they may not die at the same moment of time, as did the Hungarian Sisters, within three minutes of each other, yet the death of the one, must necessarily involve the destruction of the other, within a comparatively short period.

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EXPLANATION OF THE PLATES.

Plate 1 fig. 1, Represents the United Twins, front view

“ “ 2, The same, back view

Plate 2 fig. 3, The pubic and perineal region, with the parts *in situ*

a The anus

b The meatus urinarius

c c Mons veneris

d A fossa or pit formed by the junction of the soft parts

Plate 2 fig. 4, The same with the labia pudenda dilated

a The anus

b b The meati urinarii

VIII.—*Sequel of a case of Aortic Aneurism and Diseased Heart*, which formed the subject of a lecture published in the July number of the *Medical Chronicle*—with Observations. By R. P. HOWARD, M.D., Physician to Montreal General Hospital, Professor Medical Jurisprudence, McGill College, &c. &c.

During Stuart's stay in the hospital he had an attack of acute pericarditis attended with much pain and a distinct double friction sound, which however yielded to gentle mercurialization and blistering, and he was finally discharged in April at his own request, feeling much relieved, though still an invalid. In the summer following he performed as formerly his duties, which were of a nature not involving much exertion; his breathing was tolerably easy, so that morning and evening he walked without much inconvenience a distance of three-fourths of a mile to and from his place of employment. A record of the 2nd Nov., 1853, states that "Stuart called to say that he had for some time back suffered much pain in left mammary and lateral regions, and back of left shoulder; there is a prominence of the chest to left of sternum between second and fourth rib which is very tender, pulsates synchronously with the arteries and seems to expand under the hand; but further examination deferred for the present." A month later the pain continuing to be