

might come but no,—the patient was getting thinner and weaker day by day due to inanition.

Now it was pretty sure that the last medicine must have been the Similimum, otherwise the patient's mind would not have been touched at all. After a few months I had to repeat another dose of IM; and this cured the patient after a few aggravations.

A CASE OF ELEPHANTIASIS OF SCROTUM AND SKIN OF PENIS.

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• Patient a hindu, aged 44, came under my treatment for the above complaint, on the 6th Dec., 1897. He was subject to fever during new and full moon for 22 years. The scrotum and the skin of the penis used to swell during the continuance of the fever and subside after its disappearance. For the last 6 months there has been no subsidence of the swelling, and it has now assumed the appearance of elephantiasis. Ten years ago he had syphilis of which he was cured by old school treatment, but without salivation. Secondary symptoms appeared a month after the healing of the primary sore. Burning ulcers broke out on the scrotum, and they were cured by a course of Sarsaparilla. There are no ulcers now but there is considerable itching in the scrotum. The last attack of fever he had was in July, last and it had continued for two months. No fever since September. Palms and soles discolored, and corns have appeared on them. Had gonorrhœa and hæmaturia when only 16 years old. Gave him *Silicea* 12x. He had steadily improved under it. The improvement commenced in his feelings which were very despondent; then the sensation of heaviness in the parts disappeared, and the hypertrophy of the scrotum, I learn, has nearly gone.
