

it and rub it all over the affected parts for several nights in succession, and in a short time the warts disappear with their roots for ever.

In puerperal convulsions Dr. Morgan says: "Dr. Wiltbank thought that œdema of the feet and legs in first pregnancies indicated a tendency to convulsions. In a primipara I attended, this condition was present, and convulsions came on during confinement. In a second pregnancy the same condition appeared; I gave *Apis* and it disappeared. She had no convulsions. In another case there was œdema of the feet and legs which disappeared after taking *Apis*, and she had a normal labor.

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Foot Sweats.

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SILICA—*Offensive foot sweat* with rawness between the toes. Itching of soles, driving to despair.

SEPIA—*Profuse foot sweat* or *very fetid*, causing soreness of toes. Burning, or heat of the feet at night. Crippled nails.

BARYTA CARB.—*Fetid foot sweat*, with callosities on the soles which are painful on walking. Soles feel bruised at night, keeping one awake, after rising and walking.

LYCOPOD.—*Profuse and fetid foot sweat*, with burning in the soles, one foot hot, the other cold, or both cold and sweaty. Swelling of the soles; they pain when walking. Fissures on the heels.

THUJA—*Fetid sweat* on toes, with redness and swelling of the tips. Nets of veins, as if marbled, on the soles of the feet. Suppressed foot sweat. Nails crippled, brittle, or soft.

GRAPHITES.—Profuse foot sweat, not fetid as in Sep. or Silica, but the most moderate walking causes soreness between the toes, so that the parts become raw. Spreading blisters on the toes, thick and crippled toe nails. (Jahr gives fetid feet under Graph).

KALI CARB.—*Profuse fetid foot sweat.* Swelling and redness of the soles; chilblains. Stitches in the painful and sensitive corns.

CARBO VEG.—*Foot sweat* excoriating toes. Toes red, swollen. Stinging, as if frosted. Tips of toes ulcerated.

ZINCUM.—The feet are sweaty and sore about toes; also fetid. Chilblains from scratching and friction. The suppression of sweat causes paralysis of the feet.

MUR. ACID.—Cold sweat on the feet, evening in bed. Swelling, redness, and burning of tips of toes. Chilblains.

NITRIC ACID.—Foul smelling *foot sweat.* Chilblains on the toes.

CALC. OST.—*Foot sweat* which makes the feet sore. Feet feel cold and damp, as if she had wet stockings. Burning in the soles.

LACTIC ACID.—Profuse *foot sweat*, but not fetid (Graph).

SULPHUR.—Sweating and coldness of the soles. Burning soles, want them uncovered.

PETROL.—Feet tender and bathed in a *foul moisture.* Feet swollen and cold. Hot swelling of the soles with burning. Heel painfully swollen and red. Chilblains. Tendency of skin to foster and ulcerate.

IODIUM.—Acrid, corrosive *foot sweat.* Edematous swelling of the feet.

PLUMBUM.—*Fetid foot sweat.* Swelling of the feet.

PODOPHY.—Foot sweat evenings.

CANTHAR.—Temporary cold sweat on feet. Smells like urine.

HELLEBOR.—Humid, painless vesicles between the toes.

SQUILLA.—*Cold foot sweat.* Sweat only on toes. Soles red and sore when walking.

Jahr gives the following :

- FOOT : SWEAT.—Acon. *Amm.* Baryt. CALC. *Carbo veg.*
 Cocc. *Cup.* Cycl. *Dros.* Graph. Iod. *Kali.* Kreos.
Lach. *Lycop.* *Mag. m.* Merc. *Nat. m.* *Nit. ac.*
Nux jug. *Petr.* Phos. *Phos. ac.* Plumb. *Puls.*
Sabad Sabin. SEPIA. SILIC. SQUILL. Staph. SULPH.
Thuja. Zinc.
- " CORROSIVE.—Iod. *Lycop.* *Nit. ac.* Silic. Zinc.
 (*Carbo veg.*)
- " FETID.—*Amm.* *Baryt.* *Cycl.* *Graph.* *Kali,* *Nit. ac.* *Nux*
jugl, Phosph. Plumb. *Sep.* SILIC, Zinc.
- " COLD.—Cocc. *Dros.* *Ipecac.* *Lycop.* Merc. *Squill.*
 Staph. *Sulph.* (*Canth.*)
- " NIGHT (at)—Coloc. (evening, *Mur. ac,* *Podoph.*)
- " SUPPRESSED.—*Cup.* *Kali.* *Nat. m,* *Nit. ac,* *Sep.* SILICA
 (*Apis.* *Rhus Tox.* *Puls.* *Thuja.* Zinc).
- " SOLES OF FEET (on).—Acon. *Arn.* *Kali.* *Nat. m,* *Nit.*
ac. *Petrol.* *Plumb.* *Sabad.* Silic. Sulph.
- " TOES (between the).—Acon. *Arn.* *Clem.* *Cycl.* *Ferr.*
Kal. *Sep.* *Sil.* *Squilla.* *Tarax.* *Thuja.*

To this we may add :

- " PROFUSE.—*Carbo v.* *Graph.* *Kali c.* *Lactic. ac.*
Lycop. *Sepia.*
- " With much *itching* of soles.—Silica. Sulph.
- " With *burning*.—Calc. *ost.* *Lycop.* *Mur. ac.* *Petrol.*
Sepia. Sulph.
- " With rawness.—Graph. Silica (*Carbo veg.*).
- " With *soreness*.—*Baryta c.* Calc. *Carbo veg.* *Graph.*
 Iod. *Petrol.* *Sep.* *Squilla.* Zinc.

- FOOT SWEAT.—With *redness and swelling* in the soles.—Iod.
Kali carb, Lycop. Petrol. Squilla—in the feet,
Plumb—in the tips, Mur. ac. Thuja—in the toes,
Carbo veg.
- „ With *pain, on walking*.—Baryta c. Graph. Lycop.
Squilla—at rest, Carbo veg. (stinging), Petrol,
(pain in heel of foot).
- „ With *crippled nails*.—Graph. Sepia. Thuja.
- MOISTURE (rather than sweat).—Fetid, Petrol.—Cold, Calc.
—*Medical advances.*

Pneumonia.

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MR. PRESIDENT, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I propose to bring before you to-night a few observations in an attempt to show the difference in the connection of the treatment of a case of pneumonia by the orthodox school of medicine and that of homœopathists. As medical men we have all had clinical teaching in the same way and with the same idea, viz., that of arriving at a sound diagnosis. Assuming that as homœopathists we claim to have a superior method of treatment producing superior results, the reason for our claim ought to be made known.

In the orthodox school of medicine as soon as a diagnosis of pneumonia is made, the patient is placed into a huge group and is given routine treatment which has varied but little for many years. In this paper I do not propose to consider nursing, &c., but confine myself entirely to the medicine aspect of the case. Usually the patient is given expectorant mixtures, sedatives, heart stimulants, anti-pneumococcic serum and vaccines. I need not dwell on the results of such treatment. The