

THE BRADLEY FUND.
 Sir, I am sorry to know that the following Donations for the medical relief of the poor in the East of London have not been published in your issue of Monday next, October 20th. I remain, yours faithfully,
 RICHARD JEFFREYS,
 Eastwood House, Chesterfield.

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DYSDIPSOSIS OF FEET.
 The following replies to "A Medical Man's" question at page 773 have been received.

Dr. K. N. MACDONALD (Cupar Fife) thinks that borax or boracic acid will be found to be a remedy both suitable and effectual. It is mentioned in Dr. Lauder Brunton's text-book of *Pharmacology and Therapeutics*, page 408, as being "useful in checking the heat of perspiration"; and Dr. Williams, in his *Manual of Pharmacy, Materia Medica, and Therapeutics*, page 415, is still more emphatic; he recommends it as an "effectual remedy by dipping the stockings in a strong solution of the acid, and allowing them to dry before being applied."

Mr. ARTHUR H. W. AYLING recommends washing the feet in tepid water every night and morning, and then dusting them freely with powdered oxide of zinc.

Dr. G. S. writes that our correspondent should impress upon this patient the fact that the perspiration is not felt when soiled. The foul smell comes from that which has soaked into the socks and shoes, and has become decomposed. All treatment will be useless unless the patient changes his shoes and socks frequently, especially after walking, and he should burn, or otherwise dispose of his present stock of boots and shoes. As local remedies, a lotion of carbolic acid (1 to 30 or 40 of water), followed by the application of oxide of zinc powder, will be found very efficacious. Dr. G. S. also recommends "A Medical Man" to consult Dr. Neale's *Medical Digest*, where he will find references to a number of good remedies.

MORPHINE INJECTIONS DURING SICKLING.
 M. D. asks: Is there any one of our readers of the BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL who has seen any bad effects from sickling very young babies, the mother having at the same time injections of morphine of the usual strength made, perhaps eight in number? Are such cases mentioned in medical literature? I suppose these cases are rare, and a fatal result still rare. Any member knowing of a case of death will oblige by communicating it.

HOME FOR AN HYSTERICAL CASE.
 Sir,—"Hysteria" will write to Miss Selzer, Netherfield, North Nibley, Gloucestershire, he will get the required information. Netherfield is not large, but compact and comfortable. It is situated on the side of the Cotswold Hills, having a western aspect. It is sheltered from the north and east winds. Its drainage is good; its water pure; its air delicious; its views extensive; its scenery charming; its locality healthy; its surroundings wooded. It is a comfortable home, with good society and pleasant company.

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THE MEDICAL DIRECTOR OF THE ARMY AND NAVY MEDICAL SERVICE.
 Sir, I beg to suggest to the publisher of the annual *Medical Directory* that a seniority list of the army and navy medical services, transcribed from the December Army and Navy List of each year, might be published in each annual directory. Further, a seniority list of the volunteer surgeons would be very interesting. A few pages would suffice for such list. Yours, etc.

TRICYCLES AND BICYCLES.
 Sir, I shall be glad if some of your readers can give me, from experience, an opinion with respect to the comparative safety of the tricycle over the bicycle, or vice versa, especially with regard to the security of the injuries occurring in the use of both. Yours faithfully,
 G. J. H. EVART, M.D., Surgeon-Major.

MR. W. L. H. BLENKARNE.—Dr. Lauder Brunton's Lectures on Disorders of Digestion (with additional matter) are announced by Messrs. Macmillan and Co. as being "in the press." See advertisement in last week's Journal.

FACIAL SPASMS.
 Sir,—"A married woman, aged 45, has suffered for about eighteen months from spasms of the muscles of expression of the left side of the face." She is slightly nervous, but otherwise her general health is good. She has been taking tonics, such as iron and strychnine, and has had liniments, blisters, and electricity applied locally, without the least improvement. I shall be very thankful for information as to the most successful mode of treating the case.—Yours, etc.

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- The Insane in the United States and Canada. By D. Hack Tuke, M.D., LL.D. London: H. K. Lewis. 1885.
- Milk Analysis and Infant-Feeding. By Arthur V. Meigs. Philadelphia: Blakiston, Son and Co. 1885.
- Handbook of Diseases of the Skin. Edited by H. V. Ziemschen, M.D. New York: William Wood and Co. London: Sampson Low, Marston and Co. 1885.
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