

the growth filled up the upper part of his larynx, depriving him of even the power of whispering. The arsenic was reduced, and finally omitted in the second week of September. The glands on the right side of the neck suppurated, and were incised, and then paralysis of the right arm, which had existed for a few days, was relieved partially. The tissues over the larynx and the left side also became inflamed and infiltrated, the base of the tongue swollen, and the difficulty in opening the mouth, owing to the hardness of the parts under the chin, made swallowing difficult and painful. He was troubled by persistent vomiting during the last three or four weeks of his life, which nothing seemed to be able to allay. He got gradually weaker, the fetid odour from the trachea and a sinus on the right side was exceedingly distressing, and he died on October 18th, living for nearly five months after the tracheotomy. Durham's No. 3 cannula suited him very well, causing very little irritation.

EPILEPSY AFTER VACCINATION.

DR. W. F. MACDONOUGH (Twickenham, S.W.) writes: The thanks of the whole profession are greatly due to Mr. E. Climson Greenwood, who has so disinterestedly taken the trouble to inquire into an alleged case of epilepsy after vaccination. During the past two years and a half I have attended K. H.'s family, also K. H. for a short time, and then suggested his attending a hospital, where he went under Dr. Althaus's care.

Mr. Greenwood's history of the case is correct, and though I always had the vaccination cause of the fits dinned into my ears, I attributed it in my own mind to other causes.

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