Department of the Omaha Medical

### -and-SURGICAL INSTITUTE

There is no branch of medicine or surgery which requires a more thor-ough scientific knowledge of the subject than diseases of the eye and ear. The ordinary physician will admit that he knows little more of these diseases than the patient; to the specialist, therefore, both physician and patient turn for re-lief and cure. The family physician can often prescribe some remedy to allay pain, but seldom attempts more. We fully appreciate our responsible pos-ition in taking charge of these impor-tant organs, and have supplied ourselves with every new instrument and medicine known to be of any value, and are from time to time adding to our faculty men skilled and experienced in this branch of the profession, and do not hesitate to claim superiority over any oculist or aurist in the west; and the thousands we have cured after others have failed, substantiate our claims. To those afflicted with eye and ear dis-eases, we simply say, call and consult us, get a scientific opinion, then visit whom you like, and if you are an intelligent person you will return to us for treatment and cure.

We have, at considerable expense of time and money, written papers upon all diseases of the eye and ear, describing the eye and ear and their diseases. in plain language, with numerous illustrations, are written for the benefit of patients and physicians who write us in regard to cases; by reading them carefully physician and patient will have a clear understanding and can describe cases to us more intelligently.

DISEASES OF FEMALES.

So prevalent have become chronic dis-eases of females and so many have applied to me in person and by letter, and so rapidly has my practice in this specialty increased (owing, I am proud to say, mainly to my success in effecting cures, after others have failed), that I have been obliged to write a book upon these diseases in order to make known my views and methods of treatment. More especially to those who state their cases to me by letter and are treated by correspondence. The vast majority of cases can be properly treated without a personal interview. Long experience in treating cases by letter enables us to treat persons scientifically without seeing them. Each disease has certain unmistakable signs or symptoms which, when told to the scientific physician, point out to him the exact nature and location of the disease and enables him to choose the proper remedies to effect a cure—often without seeing the patient. Every case consulting me, whether by letter or in person, is given the most careful and considerate attention. We ask you for your own benefit, if

you are in any way affected, to write to us for this book, and read carefully as far as concerns your disease and then give us a history of your case in your own language. You can write at your leisure better than you You can can state to me if here, or fill out a question blank. Or if you find it convenient to call, do so, and I will give you a personal examination and explain your disease to you by the aid of manikins, models, anatomical preparations and charts so plainly that you will understand your condition thoroughly can convince any intelligent person that we have the best facilities and most complete medical and surgical institute in the country, east or west. In every case give age, postoffice, county, state express office, married or single, how long out of health, what has been done for you, as well as you know, and whether you can visit me if it would be necessary, in the course of treatment, and then describe symptoms in your own plain language, reading all the articles that have a bearing on your case; and as you read, write your statement. Upon the receipt of the history of your case we will thoroughly analyze your disease and give you a scientific candid opinion of the disease and treatment required to effect a cure if it can be done by science and skill.

Book upon diseases of women with blank list of questions for patient to answer free upon application. BATTERIES, INHALERS, BRACES.

TRUSSES And all kinds of medical and surgical appliances manufactured. The physicians and surgeons in charge of the different departments are men of large experience, skilled in their specialties. SURGICAL OPERATIONS

For the cure of hair lip, club feet tumors, cancers, fistula, cataract, strabismus (cross-eyes) varicoccle, inverted nails, wens and deformities of the human body, performed in the most scien-

We treat chronic diseases of the lungs, heart, head, blood, skin, scalp, stomach, liver, kidneys, bladder, nerves. bones, etc., as paralysis, epilepsy (fits), scrofula, dropsy, Bright's disease, tape worm, ulcers or fever sores, dyspepsia or gastritis, baldness, eczema, curvature of the spine, contracted limbs, and all deformities of the body.

HOW TO REACH THE INSTITUTE. If you arrive by way of the Union Pa-cific or B. & M. railroad take the street car to the corner of Farnam and Thir teenth streets, and go two blocks north If by the way of the St. Paul railroad take the Thirteenth street car, which passes our door, or take carriage or omnibus to Thirteenth and Dodge street, northwest corner.
SURGICAL APPLIANCES, INSTRU

MENTS, ETC., Any more than it does to schools, rail roads, hotels, or any other legitimate business or enterprise, provided it is done in a sensible, truthful, professional manner. The publishing of testimonials, offers of large sums of money for case that cannot be cured, accounts of miraculous cures, etc., resorted to by pretenders, is disgusting, and brands

them as imposters.

DR. J. W. MCMENAMY, In charge of this department of the Omaha Medical Institute, has had twenty years experience in his own and other large medical establishments. He s acknowledged as the leading specialist of the west. The Commercial Record, Omaha, July 1, 1886, says: "Dr. Mc Menamy, the proprietor of the Omaha Medical institute, is, beyond a doubt one of the most skillful specialists in the western states, and is well fitted by nature, education and experience to fill the responsible position he occupies a the head of the largest medical and surgical institute in the west. In the treatment of diseases of women and diseases of the urinary and sexual organs (private dis eases) he probably has no superior in the United States. We personally know

him to be reliable and responsible. He has exclusive charge of diseases of the sexual organs and nervous system. All letters are read and answered by the doctor personally.

# EYE AND EAR Omaha Medical and Surgical Institute

N. W. Corner 13th and Dodge Streets, Omaha, Nebraska.

The Omaha Medical and Surgical Institute is a permanent medical institution, conducted by thoroughly educated physicians and surgeons of acknowledged skill and experience. The Medical Institute is a large three-story brick building, centrally located, being nearly opposite the leading hotel of the city (the Millard), and contains our Medical, Surgical and Consultation Rooms, Labaratory, Drug Store, Surgical, Brace and Instrument Manufactory. The boarding depart-

### Fifty Elegantly Furnished, Well Ventilated Rooms

for the sick, supplied with all the modern conveniences, con-STRUCTING THE LARGEST AND MOST COMPLETE MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITUTE IN THE WEST.

It is an acknowledged fact that while in every community are found physicians skillful and experienced in the treatment of fevers and other acute diseases, the most intelligent and candid of them, as well as their patrons, acknowledge a scarcity of doctors capable of treating intricate chronic diseases or performing difficult surgical operations, and many physicians will admit that thousands are suffering from socalled incurable diseases, solely from the want of scientific treatment and medical and surgical skill. It is also a fact that many of the newly-discovered and most valuable remedies are totally unknown in many sections of the country. That while the public are in possession of the latest inventions in mechanics and agriculture, and have discarded the old cumbersome machinery of their ancestors, the most important of all sciences, Medicine, is in many localities in the hands of men behind the age in which we live.



CAUTION .- Designing persons, taking advantage of our reputation, are constantly starting bogus Medical Establishments to deceive strangers visiting the city. These pretenders usually disappear in a few weeks. Beware of them, or their runners or agents. The Omaha Medical and Surgical Institute is the only established Medical Institute in Omaha. Dr. McMenamy, Prop. When you make up your mind to visit us, make a memorandum of our exact address and thus save trouble, delay or mistake.

It is with a full appreciation of these facts that the Omaha Medical Institute was established by skilled specialists and supplied with the latest and most valuable discoveries and inventions in Medicine and Surgery, and that much-soughtafter boon, Health, thus placed within the reach of all that can be cured by science and skill,

We have the facilities, apparatus and remedies for the successful treatment of every form of Chronic Disease requiring either medical or surgical treatment for its cure, and invite all persons in search of relief to come and investigate for themselves, or to correspond with us. Long experience in treating cases by letter enables us to treat persons scientifically without seeing them. Each disease has certain unmistakable signs or symptoms which, when told to the scientific physician, point out to him the exact nature and location of the disease and enables him to choose the proper remedies to effect a cure-often without seeing the patient.

At all times, under all circumstances, and in all vocations, merit commands honor, worthiness commands respect and ability commands success; and the success which has attended us in the past in effecting cures where others have failed is the best evidence of our skill and ability, and our standing and reputation among business men is the best evidence of our integrity and responsibility.

We invite all to correspond with or visit us before taking treatment elsewhere, believing that a visit or consultation will convince any intelligent person that it is to their advantage to place themselves under our care; that we have superior advantages and facilities for treating special diseases, which, combined with our acknowledged ability, experience and reputation, should make our Institute the first choice.

## For the Treatment of all Chronic and Surgical Diseases and Diseases of the Eye and Ear. DR. McMENAMY, - - - Physician and Surgeon in Charge, Twenty Years Hospital and Private Practice. Assisted by a Number of Competent, Skillful and Experienced Physicians

Particular attention paid to Deformities, Diseases of Women, Diseases of the Urinary and Sexual Organs, Private Diseases, Diseases of the Nervous System

Lung and Throat Diseases, Surgical Operations, Epilepsy or Fits, Piles, Cancer, Tumors, Etc. Address all Letters to DR. J. W. McMENAMY, or OMAHA MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITUTE, Cor. 13th and Dodge Sts., Omaha, Neb.

### OUR MODE OF TREATING DEFORM-

We treat all physical deformities by means of our new and improved appliance and apparatus, perfected after many years of practical experience, entirely ignoring the old torturous mode of treatment and thereby dispensing with all pain and danger to the patient. Upon all cases of deformities, surgical appliances and apparatus will be fitted and perfectly adjusted. The patient can then return home and prosecute the treatment to a successful termination, under our directions. The surgical ap-pliances can be worn by the most delicate, without pain or inconvenience, and patients need not be confined to their rooms.

### HIP-JOINT DISEASE.

Inflammation and disease of this, the largest and most important joint of the body, is fraught with danger and the most serious consequences. It is the joint to which more force is applied with more varied and extensive moveextent of friction surface when the parts are inflamed, and surrounded by more powerful, important and numerous muscles than any other join of the body.

The disease is more prevalent among children and youths, yet adults are not infrequently its victims. Its common causes are external injuries, blows, falls or strains, yet occasionally arises without any apparent cause, induced, probably, by a scrofulous or strumous dia-thesis. Inflammation of the synovial membrane and articular cartilages of the hip joint, commencing in the usual subacute form, is so obscure in the early period of the disease that its true character is seldom observed, and properly understood by the inexperienced surgeon. It would, however, require several pages of this journal to give in detail the various symptoms attending the different stages of this disease. We can, therefore, only mention briefly the more prominent symptoms. It first manifests its presence by a feeling of uncasiness and fatigue of the affected limb after exercise, with more or less pain in and around the knee joint, especially at night; the cause of the pain being first experienced so remote from the real point of attack is that the hip joint is deeply seated, and the parts thus far affected are destitute of the nerves of sensation. As the disease advances an apparent elongation of the limb is often, if not always, ob-served, caused by the inflamed and thickened condition of the synovial membrane lining the socket and head of the thigh bone. The disease in its inflammatory state, insidiously progresses until the entire structure of the joint is involved, the deep-seated nerves of sensation are encroached upon and the pain shifts to the hip joint, becoming severe, and at times intense; a distinet limp is now observed, the slightest motion or weight borne upon the limb increases suffering, and the joint becomes tender to pressure and often swollen. In its fearful ravages destructive ulceration invades the synovial membranes, cartilages and ligaments

appearance. Caries or disease of the bone now supervenes, causing softening and gradual decomposition and wasting away of the head of the thigh bone, which, in many cases, becomes shorter, and sometimes almost obliterated, the powerful muscles of the hip are wasted away, become atrophied and rigidly contracted, drawing the limb up and hip out of position, presenting an ap-parent dislocation, and the fearful detruction is complete, and the poor, unfortunate victims, if they have survived the shock to their systems from the long-continued sufferings, are left at death's door, pale, haggard, and emaciated, with the leg drawn up, hip forced back and upward, muscles and flesh of limb wasted away, leaving it a deformed. useless and cumbersome appendage. Nor is the picture overdrawn, as thousands throughout our land annually fall victims to this terrible disease and are

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the abscesses or openings formed on th

exterior, while in other cases the matter

is absorbed and no abscesses make their

of the pain and suffering they endure WE CAN FURNISH ANY REM = DY, Appliance, instrument or apparatus known, at a fair reasonable price. Electric batteries for home use at lowest prices. Our remedies are prepared in our own laboratory, and are the best and purest. Our prices are as low as can be made and do our patients justice. Cases treated by letter veccive the same care and consideration as those that visit us.

left in this sad condition, and none but

they can ever know the intense agony

To those who are suffering from the various forms of Hernia (Rupture), we would say that our long experience in the treatment of this disability, which fills so many lives with suffering and misery, enables us to afford you the greatest measure of relief



support, of the pleasures and enjoyments of life? Every impulse or desire for usefulness to himself or society is an abortion; hopes blighted; the future but a long weary life in deformed humanity—to be called and known to others and himself, as a cripple a maimed and useless creature; and when he contrasts his lamentable fate with Chose blessed with sound limbs and body, enjoying life's pleasures and usefulness, the society of friends, the business and social circles free to move, think and act-how his very soul must recoil, and how sad his heart must be as he feels 'twere better had he never been

### CAUSES.

Exhausted vitality of parents, transmitting a predisposition to the offspring, visiting the iniquities upon their children; the use of stimulants, such as tobacco, alcohol, tea and coffee; excessive physical or mental exertion and prostration; syphilis and scrofula; nervous irritability, etc. Acute diseases incident to childhood, induce, or are the exciting causes of this trouble, such as spinal or cerebral meningitis, scarlet fever, measles, whooping cough, worms, colds, etc. Falls, blows, sprains, injuries from careless nursing of infants and children, often result in paralysis, though months may elapse before its appearance

Some retire at night well as usual; the morning finds them helpless. With some, a slight ever precedes the malady. It may follow teething, spasms, attacks of severe illness, etc. Sometimes a slight difference is noticed in the usefulness or control of the hand or foot. This difference increases from week to week, or mouth to month, unti paralysis is complete.

With adults the causes are more apparent as falls, injuries, private diseases, fevers exposure, overwork - mental or physical

Paralysis may be general or partial, affectng the whole or only a part of the system. When partial paralysis affects one side of the body o ly, it is called "Hemiplegia." And when it affects only the lower part, or legs, it is called "Paraplegia." When only one limb, hand, foot, one side of the face, etc., it is then called Local Paralysis.

HEMIPLEGIA.

cases the left arm and right leg may be affected, or vice versa. The mind, in this kind of paralysis often suffers, and the speech ever the flow of blood to a limb or organ is may be impaired, but in young subjects the impeded from any cause, the blood vessels mental functions and speech, if injured, diminish in size and the limb or organ inusually recover. This, however, unfortu-clines to atrophy for want of proper nutrinately, is not so often true of adults, especially tion. if past the meridian of life.

Hemiplegia is generally the result of some obstruction of the cerebral artery, by tumor, syphilitic germinations, or growths, by abscess, injuries of the skull and brain,

the patient may be unable to move the limb, yet involuntary metion, with jerking and the fat cells deposited within the aggluti-trembling, is quite common and even annoy-nated muscles, promote molecular change, ing caused by continued congestion of the and separate the fibrillae under the influence

colds, while in very many cases no assignable cause is apparent.



### CURABILITY OF PARALYSIS.

This affection has, from its earliest history, been deemed incurable. And while the pro-fession denounced many of the vagaries and clung with a pertinacity unprecedented to ever did or can afford, their absurd practices in the treatment of We do it with one of years ago is still in vogue, and is handed physician may be or how well padded the down through our medical colleges and books apparatus, for the old principle is radically as a sacred relic. Hence the use of the red- wrong, and is a painful failure. hot iron along the spine, the moxa, the blister, lotions, liniments, strychnine and chance, are the agents relied upon by most simple as not to shed a drop of blood, nor Physicians for the relief of paralysis-all of which do but little except to render the sufferer more miserable.



### REMARKS ON TREATMENT.

Every intelligent mind at once comprehends the superiority and adaptation of our treatment, and that it is philosophical and reliable.

subsided, and we have only to deal with the

Now, if a muscle has been paralyzed, it of course ceases to contract, and several very important changes take place as a conse-

First, the muscles are in a great measure deprived of their due supply of blood, from which they derive their nutrition, and hence they wither away, as a starved child would become emaciated and feeble. Secondly, the little membranes investing

the muscles having ceased to glide over each other, become agglutinated or stuck together. Thirdly, the blood vessels themselves dininish in size and often some of them become almost impervious.

Fourthly, the carbonaceous matters are not well eliminated, hence the tendency to

fatty degeneration. It not unfrequently happens, that while a

This is the most common form of paralysis met with. It, in the majority of cases, safects the left side of the body. In a few tion of fat in and between the muscular cells,

Hence it will be seen that inasmuch as muscular action is indispensable in facililesion of the brain by the rupture of a blood tating the circulation, soything interfering vessel, by softening of the brain, disease or with it must necessarily bring about the several conditions already spoken of.

we cure paralysis:
1st. We increase the size of the dimin-

3d. By revulsion and massage we expel the system.

of artificial motion, galvanism, oxygen gas, sourcely ever occurs, and the chances usually powerful derivative treatment for the relief and deformed. There are no cases requiring increase inversely with the age of the patient.

With children the occurrence usually dates suitable mechanical mechani With children the occurrence usually dates suitable mechanical support to prevent diseases of this joint, as with it great suffer-back to eruptive fevers, teething, spinal fatigue and correct deformities, muscular ing and life-long deformity may be prevented; meningitis, falls ar accidents; others to education, and cultivation of will power.

4th. In a word we surround the patient deformity may result. The ankle, shoulder, with every means which science, art, and elbow, and wrist, are subject to the same long experience have developed having no forms of disease, and are followed by like hobbies, depending upon no nostrum, seek-ing only the restoration of the patient. No disease



appearance and use as though ne deformity had ever existed. This may seem mysterious or doubtful to those unacquainted with the new discoveries in surgical art. We effect a cure in one-fourth the time usually occupied in the treatment of such

follies of the fathers of medicine, they have cases, with the best treatment the old method We do it with one-tenth the pain and paralysis. The treatment adopted hundreds suffering. We care not how careful the apparatus, for the old principle is radically

In many cases no surgical operation is required; but should it be necessary, it is so cause any swelling, pain or soreness after ward.

The treatment never, in any way, interferes with health or causes the loss of a meal or a night's sleep-the skin never becomes sore from chafing or pressure by the appa-

The deformity will never return after the reatment is concluded. The motions of the ints are perfect, the gait natural, and all



We make a specialty of its treatment, and In most cases the immediate causes which have operated to produce the paralysis have facture, meet with invariable success. Most all patients are treated at home after the apparatus are fitted, which will require

THE KNEE-JOINT.

but one day usually.



Like other joints, is subject to all forms of affammation, abscess, tuberculosis, rheumatism and injuries, and, being the largest joint when affected, it is subject to the most

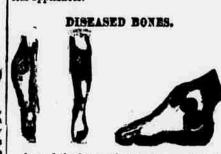
violent consequences. These facts being true, and the above rible disease, destroying the membranes and that they lack experience or facilities to named conditions being present, we are articulations, depositing matter in the cavity of the joint, and is attended with contraction friendship and those of the patient. Other half-educated, narrow-minded of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and the contraction of the limb, loss of motion, great pain, and limb of the limb, loss of motion of the limb of t Tuberculosis (or White Swelling) is a tersometimes death.

Dropsical effusions frequently occur as a doctors, ignorant alike of from disease, injury or compression of the spinal cord or its membranes, or reflex irritation. In this form of paralysis, although

At first, weakness of the limb may be the only complaint; but pain, swelling, and loss of motion soon follow, with prostration of

From any of the above diseases the cords

No disease affecting these joints can be successfully treated without proper mechanical appliances.



Any of the bones of the body are liable to caries or necrosis from Scrofula, Injuries. nflammation, Syphilis, &c., &c., and the portion diseased and dying becomes a foreign substance, often keeping up a discharge of matter, irritation and drain upon the system, destroying health and making life miserable. Such cases are easily cured, and often in a short time. Hundreds of limbs are amputated on account of such condition which could just as well have been saved. There is not one case in a hundred which is incurable.

### INDOLENT ULCERS.

Indolent Ulcers (or fever sores as they are salled,) are loathsome and painful affections, and, while they are often pronounced incurable, yet proper treatment will almost in /aricure them in a very short time. No class of cases yield more readily.

### OUR RESPONSIBILITY.

In regard to our responsibility, we claim to be straightforward, honorable business men, treating our patients as every physician should treat his patients with candor and honesty, as well as ability and skill; furthermore we are responsible financially which any one can determine for themselves by inquiring of the commercial agencies, have agents in every town, or Omaha banks or papers. As a further evsdence of our standing you will notice that our advertisements appear in all the first-class newspapers, and in some as the only medical advertisement. The reason of this is that these papers accept medical advertisements from firms known to be responsible and honorable.

It is to our interest to cure our patients; no physician or medical establishment can exist any length of time unless patients are treated with skill, honesty and success; therefore, our anxiety to cure our patients and obtain their friendship is not only a matter of honesty, but of business principles, and our continued prosperity is the best evidence of our success. We are regularly educated physicians and have had years of experience in this class of diseases, and are suppled with every remedy, appliance or apparatus known to the pubic world for the treatment and cure of

Though we have thousands of letters and testimonials from patients, we do not publish them-first, because it is considered unprofessional; second, we never use the names of patients as ref-erence, either in books, papers, circu-lars or conversation. We do business on our merits and skill, believing that the magnitude of our business, our superior advantages, reputation and experience, places us beyond suspicion or the necessity of publishing testimonials.

### Our Books and Circulars

are written for the purpose of imparting correct ideas of disease to those in search of relief in as few and plain words as possible. After reading them, patients will then be able to explain their situation to us understandingly and we can then advise them as to th curability of the disease, and whether they can be cured at home or will have to visit us. Many liberal,

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OF THE

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Our object in writing these pages is not to furnish reading matter to a class of persons who read out of mere idle curiosity, but for the benefit of the many who are suffering to a greater or less degree from diseases, or the effects of discases or abuses, of the sexual or urinary organs. Not a day passes but we re-ceive calls or letters from persons suffering from this class of diseases, or their sequel. Many of them are ignorant of the cause of the difficulty that has wrecked their constitutions, thrown a

cloud over their bright prospects and is shortening their days.

Others are painfully aware of their condition, knowing that, though their friends or family physician may lay their tailing health and impaired nervous en-ergies to the liver or lungs, it is an en-tirely different disease which has them in its grasp, and that to their own ignor-ance or folly they owe their present condition, and that, though they may change their habits now, their constitutions are so undermined that, without scientific medical aid, recovery of the vital powers is impossible.

The only reliable Medical institute making a specialty of

### PRIVATE DISEASES OF THE URIN-ARY AND SEXUAL ORGANS,

eaused by overwork, or worry, the indiseretions of youth, or excesses of riper years, or whatever may tend to lower the tone of life's vital forces, causing nervous and physical debitity or exhaustion, seminal weakness or incontinence (spermatorrhoea), and premature decay, followed by the long train of symptoms which the sufferer knows but too well, are cured by our new restorative treat-ment, renewing vitality and vigor, and restoring vital, physical and mental

The treatment of this class of diseases has until very recently been neglected by scientific educated physicians, and has been in the hands of patent medieine venders and ignorant men claiming to have one medicine that was a speci-

fic and would cure every case.

We know that thousands suffering from the effects of these vices have been disappointed so often that they are dis-couraged and have almost given up hope of ever being cured. To all such we desire to say that so long as they continue to experiment with specific remedies or appliances represented to cure such diseases, they are likely to meet with nothing but disappointment. No two cases are exactly alike and no remedy ever has been or ever can be prepared to meet the requirements of all. We have made a careful study of these diseases in all their various forms and complications, and with the aid of almost unlimited experience in adapting treatment to individual cases, we are enabled to cure after others have ut-

terly failed. We were among the first to make a specialty and study of this class of diseases, and to treat them upon scientific principles. We also treat strictures, gleet, and varicocele. All contagious and blood diseases, from whatever cause produced, successfully treated. can remove syphilitic poison from the system without mercury, or injury to

the system.

All communications confidential. Call and consult or send name and postoffice address—plainly written—and enclose stamp, and we will send you, in plain wrapper our Book to Men, upon private, special and nervous diseases, seminal weakness, spermattorhoea, impotency, syphilis, gonorrhoa, gleet, and all dis-eases of the genito-urinary organs, or send history of your case for an opinion.

Persons unable to visit us may be treated at their homes, by correspondence. Medicines and instruments sent by mail or express, securely packed from observation, no marks to indicate contents or sender. One personal interview preferred if convenient. Rooms and board for the accommodation of pa-

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DENCE. Cases treated by correspondence re-ceive his most careful attention. Each case is analyzed and examined by questions. A record by number is kept in our private office of each case and the remedy used. Prices are either so much for the full treatment, whether it takes a longer or shorter time, payable in advance, or so much a month, payable monthly in advance. It will be understood that for a certain amount we agree to treat a case until cured, charging no more if it takes a greater length of time than we had calculated upon. As we know from the average length of time in thousands of cases treated by us what we can afford to do, we take our chance and run the risk, knowing that if some cases require a long time to cure others are easily cured, and if we lose on one we make up on others, and so are safe on the average; while patients treated by the month pay so much for each month's treatment and run all risks themselves of their case being slow to get well or of rapid recovery, and thus costing them more or less. In either way we use the same remedies, viz.: the best known to science. When apparatus, instruments, etc., are furnished or surgical operations performed we make special prices, and our rates are as low as can be made and do our patients justice.

Patients visiting the city for treat-ment can obtain room and board in the

Institute building. To those who are unable to visit us, and are treated by letter, we will say that a long experience in treating cases by correspondence has enabled us to treat cases scientifically without seeing them. Fill out question blank as far as your disease is concerned, then in your own language tell us just what you would say if you were here. (Everything is confidential; you need not hesitate to tell us everything.)

We send medicine to every part of the Union, both by mail and express, with such clear and explicit directions for use that no mistake can occur. While it is always desirable to see a patient, our thorough knowledge of the human body and its allments enable us to prescribe with certainty and success in many cases, if a description of the case