

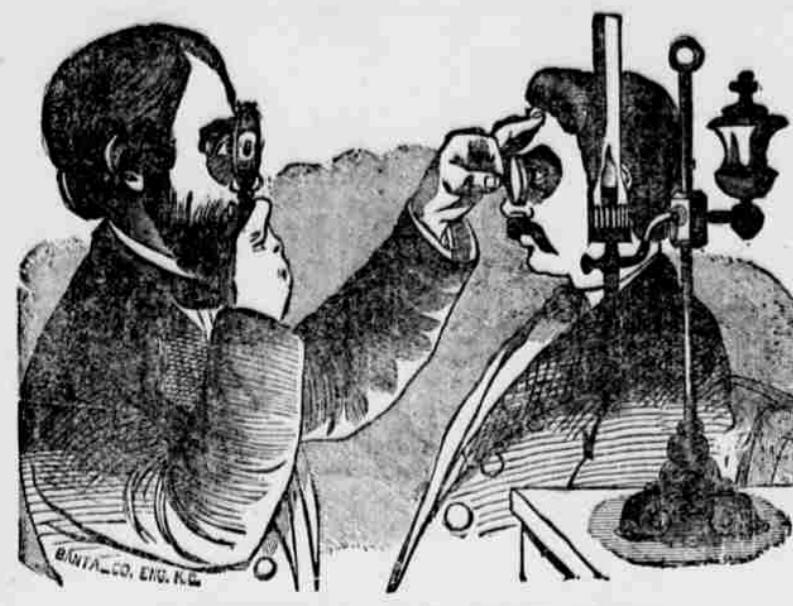
OMAHA MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITUTE

CORNER 9th AND HOWARD STS., OMAHA.

For the Treatment of Every kind of

CHRONIC & SURGICAL DISEASE

And Diseases of the Eye and Ear.



THE LARGEST MEDICAL INSTITUTE IN THE COUNTRY.

Organized with a full staff of Skilled Physicians, Surgeons and Trained Nurses.

EYE AND EAR DEPARTMENT.
There is no branch of Medicine or Surgery which requires a more thorough knowledge 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 relief and cure. The family physician, however, is often called upon to treat these diseases, and should be able to do so. We have a full staff of specialists in this department, and have succeeded in many cases where other physicians have failed. We have a full staff of nurses, and our patients are treated with every new instrument and medicine. We have a full staff of assistants, and our patients are treated with every new instrument and medicine. We have a full staff of assistants, and our patients are treated with every new instrument and medicine.

If all we say of our institution, and our advantages and facilities for the successful treatment of disease is not found, on your arrival and investigation, to be just as we have represented them, WE WILL PAY ALL THE EXPENSE OF YOUR TRIP AND YOU CAN RETURN HOME AT ONCE.



DISEASES OF THE EYE.

We have had wonderful success in this department in the past, and have made many improvements in our facilities for treatment, operations, artificial eyes, etc.

CASES TREATED BY CORRESPONDENCE.

Cases treated by correspondence receive the 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 have 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, 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.

SUPERIOR ADVANTAGES.

We have superior advantages and facilities for treating diseases, performing surgical operations, boarding and nursing patients, which, combined with our acknowledged ability, experience, responsibility and reputation, should make the Omaha Medical and Surgical Institute the first choice.

How to Reach the Institute.

If you come by the B. & M. or U. P. railroads, go to the 11th street side of Union Depot and take motor car to Howard, and walk two blocks east to 9th and Howard, or take a cab from depot to the Institute. If you come by other roads take 16th street motors at Webster street transfer without extra charge at Cass street to 11th street motor, get off at Howard and go two blocks east to Institute, or take a cab.

Spectacles and Eyeglasses

A scientific test of the Eye, by means of the Ophthalmoscope and Naber's Trial Case, is made by our Oculist and Optician, for the proper adaptation and adjustment of glasses. All persons suffering from Defective Vision will find it to their advantage to consult our Optician.

Our Office and Consultation Rooms.

are Furnished with a Complete Supply of Surgical Instruments, Appliances for Examining Diseases, Compressed Air Apparatus, Ear Speculum, Ophthalmoscopes, Microscopes, New Apparatus for Applying Electricity or Magnetism, New and Improved Vaporized Inhaler, Atomizer, etc. In fact the finest and most valuable collection of Medical, Surgical and Anatomical Apparatus to be found in any Hospital, Infirmary or Medical Institute in the country.

DISEASES OF THE EAR

Our many new improvements and facilities for treating the various diseases of the ear have in a great measure been the cause of our great success in this department.

STOMACH AND LIVER.

Dyspepsia, Constipation and Other Diseases of the Liver, Stomach and Bowels.

When the liver, stomach and bowels fail in the proper performance of their respective functions, health and comfort soon take their flight. The process of digestion, assimilation, secretions and excretion of the greatest importance in the nutrition of the human system. If the process of digestion is not properly performed the whole system must suffer, if the food taken into the stomach is not digested it spoils, gas (or wind) and acids are formed from its decomposition which distend and irritate the lining membranes of the stomach and the bowels, causing congestion and inflammation; the food not being digested, the strengthening element it contains cannot be absorbed into the system, consequently the body suffers. The blood becomes thin and impure, being loaded with impurities and deficient in the life giving elements, which it can only obtain from nutritious, perfectly digested food. The liver receiving this impure blood through the portal circulation becomes congested, torpid, inactive and fails to secrete the bile which it should furnish to assist in carrying the excrement from the system. These conditions develop Headache, Neuralgia, Nervousness, General Debility, Flatulence, Constipation, Dizziness, Despondency, Gloomy Feelings, Coated Tongue, Bad Taste and Breath, Sallowness and Dryness of the Skin, Mouth Spots, Eruptions, etc., etc. In fact the congested condition of the bowels and debility often leads to congestion of the womb, leucorrhoea, prostrata, retention of menses, etc., etc.

The treatment of this class of disease requires thorough building up, in vigorous treatment, restoring the organs to their natural functions and conditions, receiving vitality and vigor, and directed at the foundation of the disease and not at the symptoms. Our success in curing this class of disease has been most flattering, and warrants us in saying that persons afflicted with Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sick Headache, Neuralgia or Debility can no longer afford to neglect to visit us at once.

Our remedies act directly upon the tissues, restoring wasted energies, giving back to the human structure the animating elements of life which have been wasted, maintaining that buoyant energy of the brain and muscular system, rendering the cerebral, spinal and energetic, entirely overruling the dull, inactive, sluggish disposition which the debilitated experience.

Patients visiting the city for treatment 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 ailments enable us to prescribe with certainty and success in many cases, if a description of the case is given.



Treatment and Cure of Consumption.

We have stated that consumption was an incurable disease, but we have lately spent considerable time in New York City and other places, investigating the new method of treatment and apparatus invented in Germany, and now being used and recommended by the leading physicians of the world, all of whom state positively that they have cured hundreds of cases heretofore considered incurable. We have purchased the apparatus complete, the first ever brought west of New York and after a thorough trial in a large number of cases, believe that a remedy or cure has at last been found for this disease, which has so long bid defiance to skill and science.

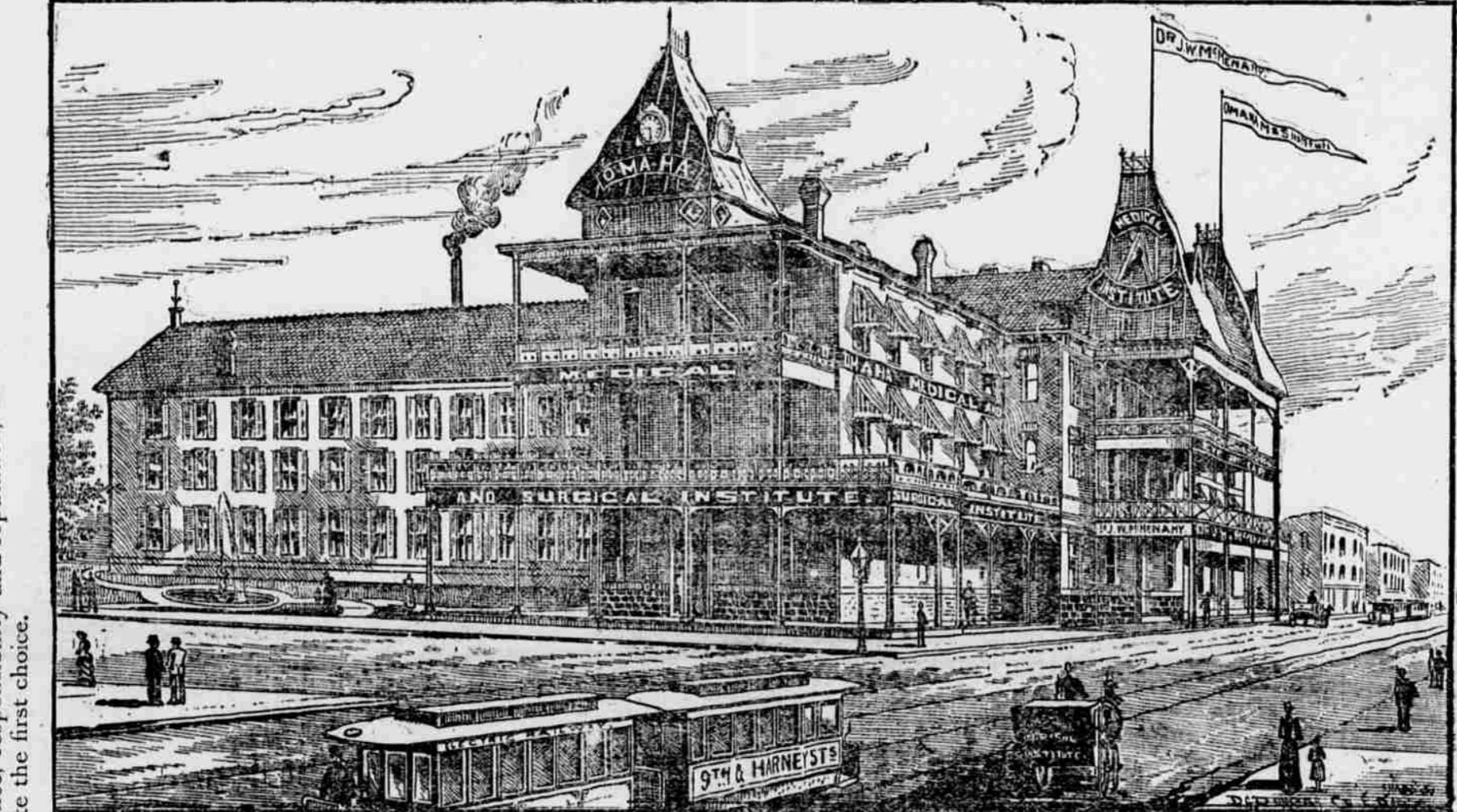
In order to receive the full benefit and cure from this method, a patient must use the Inhalation two or three times a day for several weeks. We have a room at the Institute fitted up especially for the cure of catarrh, bronchitis, asthma and consumption by this apparatus, and can record many cases of astonishing cures.

DISEASES OF WOMEN

A SPECIALTY. WE HAVE LATELY ADDED A LYING-IN DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN DURING CONFINEMENT. (Strictly Private.)

Only Reliable Medical Institute Making a Specialty of PRIVATE DISEASES.

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RUPTURE.

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 possible.

We are perfectly acquainted with the new operation for the cure of this condition, and have operated many times with perfect success. We manufacture the finest TRUSSES to order, and have a large stock of the best TRUSSES in the market of every manufacture, which will be fitted by an expert in that branch without extra charge, at the MEDICAL INSTITUTE DRUG STORE.

CLUB AND CROOKED FEET.

We effect a cure in one-fourth the time usually occupied in the treatment of such cases with the best treatment the old method ever did or can afford.

We do it with one-tenth the pain and suffering. We care not how careful the physician may be or how well padded the apparatus, for the old principal is radically wrong and is a painful failure. In many cases no surgical operation is required, but should it be necessary, it is so simple as not to shed a drop of blood, nor cause any swelling, pain or soreness afterward.

The treatment never, in any way, interferes with health or causes the loss of a night's sleep—the sick never becomes sore from chafing, or pressure of the apparatus.

The deformity will never return after the treatment is concluded. The motions of the joints are perfect, the gait natural, and all hobbling removed.

We make a specialty of its treatment, and by the use of appliances of our own manufacture, meet with invariable success.

Most all patients are treated at home after the apparatus are fitted, which will require but one day usually.

We are frequently asked by parents at what age the feet should be straightened. We answer as soon after the child is 3 months old as possible; in very bad cases we think the best result can be obtained by cutting the cords, which can be done by an expert surgeon without danger. A very narrow knife being

passed beneath the skin, and the cord cut without scarcely any external wound, rubber plaster is placed over the small opening made by the knife. A club foot shoe and brace applied, the patient returns home and is soon well. If the case is not a bad one we can make a brace and shoe that will gradually bring the foot perfectly straight; in all cases it is best that the child should be brought to us for measurement, although in cases where it is impossible to do so we can send rules for measurement, which the parents can take and return to us when the brace will be made as accurately as possible, if it is not a perfect fit we will change without extra expense to persons ordering. Over the hundred cases of club feet have been cured by us without a failure.

DISEASES OF THE THROAT AND HEAD TREATED IN THE MOST SCIENTIFIC MANNER BY THE LATEST AND MOST IMPROVED METHODS.

We have the facilities, apparatus and medicines for the successful treatment of every form of disease requiring either medical or surgical treatment, and invite all to come and investigate for themselves or correspond with us. Long experience in treating cases by letter enables us to treat many cases scientifically without seeing them.

We manufacture Surgical Braces for Deformities, Trusses, Supporters, Electrical Batteries, and can supply physicians or patients any appliance, remedy or instrument known. Call and consult us, or write for circulars upon all subjects, with lists of questions for patients to answer. Thousands treated successfully by correspondence. We have superior advantages and facilities for treating diseases, performing surgical operations and nursing patients, which, combined with our acknowledged ability, experience, responsibility and reputation, should make the Omaha Medical and Surgical Institute the first choice.

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SURGICAL OPERATIONS

For the cure of Hair Lip, Club Feet, Tumors, Cancers, Fistula, Cataract, Strabismus (cross-eyes), Varicocele, Inverted Nails, Wens, and Deformities of the human body, performed in the most scientific manner.

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.

OUR MODE OF TREATING DEFORMITIES.

We treat all physical deformities by means of our new and improved surgical appliances 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 successful termination, under our directions. The surgical appliances can be worn by the most delicate without pain or inconvenience, and patients need not be confined to their rooms.

DEFORMITIES OF THE HUMAN BODY.

Best Facilities, Apparatus and Remedies for Successful Treatment of every form of Disease requiring MEDICAL or SURGICAL TREATMENT.

In this department we are especially successful. Our claims of superiority over all others are based upon the fact that this is the only medical establishment manufacturing surgical braces and appliances for each individual case. We have three skilled instrument makers in our employ, with improved machinery, and have all the latest inventions, as well as our own patents and improvements, the result of twenty years' experience.

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In order to obtain its full virtues, it is absolutely necessary to have the proper apparatus. We have lately purchased three of the largest and most complete batteries manufactured, so constructed as to give the most gentle as well as the most powerful current. Persons treated at this Institute by electricity recognize at once the difference between our expansive and complete electrical apparatus and the common, cheap batteries in use by many physicians. Over 3,000 dollars invested in electrical apparatus.

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