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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Excerpt from The Dublin Journal of Medical Science, Vol. 113: January to June, 1902 The peculiarity to which I refer was the rapid manner in which this girl of eighteen years of age became ill without any known cause or previous sickness. Within a month (as Dr. Blakeney kindly informed me) she was completely paralysed, as to motion, in both arms and legs. She was unable to stand or walk or move in bed. She lost control over the bladder and rectum, and bedsores (of which she has the scars) formed over the sacrum and nates. She was in this state of paralysis of arms and legs for four months, when the power gradually returned, and after a period of fifteen months she was discharged, at her father s request, on May 29, 1899, in very much the condition we find her in now. [The patient was here introduced and exhibited.] Analysing the symptoms in the order of their prominence one notices - I. The paraplegia to be of a complex character. The paralysis of the muscles...



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