The President: In the last two years I have had an opportunity of trying copper, on behalf of the gynaecologist, in the case of a patient connected with my family, who had malignant disease of the uterus. We tried cuprase injections, but they were useless. Then we tried ammoniated sulphate of copper, and the patient, on account of the pain they cause, said she preferred to have her malignant disease. We know Dr. Shaw-Mackenzie's treatment of cancer by copper, trypsine, &c. In this lady's case we have tried intravenous injections of ammonio-propionate of copper, given in the strength of a 1 per cent. solution, 1 cm. each time, the so-called copper alanine. Dr. Shaw-Mackenzie will supply it only for cases which are definitely inoperable. He does not put it forward as a cure, and he does not want any misapprehension as to its value to get abroad. The lady's condition has improved in the last six months. I hoped to have shown to-day a visible cancer, such as Mr. Tilley referred to, a lingual case, but there was some hemorrhage to-day, so I could not bring the patient. I hope to bring forward the case later after a trial of alanine. We shall be glad to know if anyone suggests radium for the present case.

Mr. Tilley: Is this epithelioma? Has it been microscoped? I have seen a good deal of the radium treatment of epitheliomata at the Radium Institute, but I have never seen squamous-celled cancer cured by radium. I have seen it cure sarcoma. The nearer the malignant growth approaches embryonic tissue in nature, the more likely is the effect of radium to be good. In highly-organized tissues the good effect, if any, has been only temporary, and often only in the sense of cleaning the part from septic element.

Malignant Growth of the Deep Pharynx.

By IRWIN MOORE, M.B.

REFERRED to me for further opinion by Dr. Jeffery, of West End, Hants.

Female, aged 47, with a large fungating growth in the deep pharynx, overlapping the larynx and causing much stridor; relieved by a recent tracheotomy. Patient has been able to swallow only liquid food since Christmas.

Opinions are invited as to the question of further treatment by diathermy or radium.

Epithelioma of the Tonsil and Fauces in a Woman, aged 57.

By WILLIAM HILL, M.D.

Opinions are invited as to the best form of treatment.

It was suggested that this case should be treated by combined surgical operation and diathermy.