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While the purely medical affections are correctly treated, the same cannot be said of the dental, as the treatment of odontalgia recommended is by no means such as an educated dental practitioner would pursue. The author, however, is not behind the majority of his medical brethren in this respect, for many of the most prominent are sadly wanting in their knowledge of the dental organs, at least so far as their diseases are concerned.

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