vine as well as equine *dung*." A drainage tube was then introduced and an antiseptic irrigation made for two days, after which recovery progressed without any complications, the wound rapidly healed, and on the thirty-fourth day the patient was discharged in excellent health.

Analyzing his case, Dr. Ternovsky frankly expressed his regret that he, having implicitly trusted the preliminary stitcher's statements, did not make a careful and thorough toilette of the abdominal cavity, and through this neglect exposed his patient to such complications as a suppuration with a high fever.—*Meditzinskiĭ Obozreniĭ*, No. 2, 1888.

V. Case of Stab (Knife) Wound of the Abdomen with Protrusion of the Omentum. By Dr. ALEXEEF (Kniaginín, Russia). A peasant boy, æt. 8, when playing with a jack-knife, stabbed himself in the epigastric region. When brought to Dr. Alexeef, about a day later, a transverse clean cut wound, one-half inch long, was found one and one-half inch from the costal arch, and one inch to the right of the middle line. A (highly oedematous and congested) piece of the omentum, of the size of a walnut, was protruding from, and tightly strangulated in, the wound. Without any delay, the author washed out the parts with a solution of resorcin, divided the pedicle into two portions, ligatured each separately, cut away the tumor above the ligatures and applied an antiseptic dressing. Neither local nor general reaction was noticed. A week later the boy left, with his wound healed. He remained in best health when seen some time afterward.—*Russkaia Meditzina*, No. 5, 1887, p. 95.

VI. Case of Stab (Knife-like Ferrule) Wound of the Abdomen with Protrusion of Bowel. By Dr. NIKOLAI I. TEZIAKOFF (Ariaja, Perm Government, Russia). A healthy, powerfully built peasant woman, æt. 53, when one night drinking *vodka* with two male neighbors, was suddenly attacked first by one of them, who thrust a staff armed with a pointed iron into her abdomen, and subsequently, after she had fallen, by both of her companions who, while continuing to deal blows, tried to strangle her. "The woman developed a most