

show the effort syndrome complex. It is now the rule in the E.M.S. that all cases with this diagnosis should be examined by a psychiatrist, and so far no report, as far as we know, has been published giving the results of these special examinations.

So far as our experience goes in this country, it should be stressed that it is quite useless making a man fit temporarily and returning him to service, only to find later that he is unable to fulfil his obligations and has to be discharged. Nevertheless, the problem is too big not to be tackled, and it does seem that one of the services rendered by the Ministry of Health and the Emergency Medical Service is the determination to deal with it and, so far as it is possible, to return such men as are capable to their duty.

ERRATUM

In "Practicalities: Number 1," page 117, line 10, in the July issue of the POST-GRADUATE MEDICAL JOURNAL an unfortunate typist's error was inadvertently passed for press. The passage should read:

"*Scopolamine* is the other drug used, in doses of 1/150th to 1/75th of a grain."

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