



Tuberculous Pleurisy (Classic Reprint)

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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 Tuberculous Pleurisy Mr. President and Fellows: - Many members of your ancient and honorable body (Bowditch, Wyman, Ellis, Garland, Sears and others) have dealt with many problems in connection with pleurisy; and without making invidious comparisons it may be said that their contributions, more particularly those of the late Henry I. Bowditch, are the most important which have been made on the subject in this country. While modesty made me hesitate to select any question relating to pleurisy as the topic for the Shattuck Lecture of this Society, I felt that differences of opinion on many points - not the least on those concerning the frequency, varieties, and sequences of the form known as tuberculous - would justify the narration of an experience gleaned during the first four years of service in the medical wards of the Johns Hopkins Hospital. I. Incidence of tuberculous pleurisy in the postmortem Room and in the Wards. (a) In the post-mortem room. - A trustworthy estimate of the incidence of tuberculous pleurisy can be had only by anatomical investigation....



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