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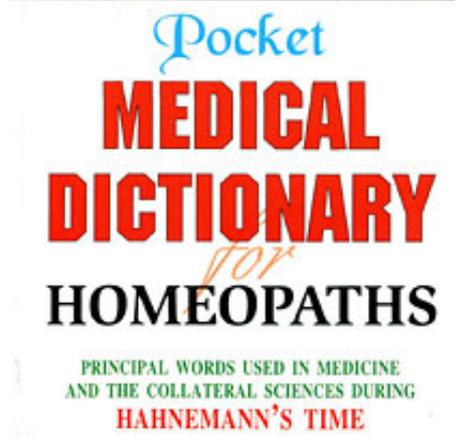
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SERUM

- Serology, *se-rol'-o-je*. The science of serum diagnosis and treatment.
- Seromucous, *se-ro-mu'-kus*. Composed of serum and mucus.
- Seropneumotho'rax. Pleurisy with serous effusion, associated with pneumothorax.
- Seropulent, *se-ro-pu'-ru-lent*. Composed of serum and pus.
- Seropus, *se'-ro-pus*. A fluid consisting of serum and pus.
- Serosa, *se-ro'-sah*. A serous membrane.
- Seroserous, *se-ro-se'-rus*. Joining two serosas.
- Serosine, *se'-ro-sin*. A proprietary remedy said to be antipyretic and aseptic. Same as *Bromanilin*.
- Serosi'tis. Inflammation of serous membranes.
- Serosity, *sc-ros'-it-e*. Having the quality of serous fluids.
- Serosynovitis, *sc-ro-si-no-vi'-tis*. Synovitis with serous effusion.
- Serotherapy, *se-ro-the/ ap-e*. The treatment of disease by the use of human or animal blood-serum containing antitoxins.
- Serotina, *ser-o-ti'-nah*. See *Decidua scrotina*.
- Serous, *se'-rus*. Having the nature of serum. S. Cav'ity, a large lymph-space. S. Flu'id, normal lymphatic fluid. S, Inflam-ma'tion, inflammation with serous exudate.
- Serpentaria, *ser-pen-ta'-re-ah*. Virginia snake-root, the root of *Aristolochia serpcntaria* and *A . reticulata*; it is stimulant, tonic, and diaphoretic.
- Serpiginous, *ser-pij'-in-us*. Resembling serpigo; creeping.
- Serplgo, *ser-pi'-go*. Ringworm.
- Serrate, Serrated, *ser*-dt, ser'~a~ted*. Notched like a saw.
- Serration, *ser-a'-shun*. An indentation, as in a saw.
- Serratus, *ser-a'-tus*. A muscle of the thorax. See *Muscles, Table of*.
- Serre-fine, *sar-Jen'*. 1. A small suture for uniting the edges of a wound. 2. A small spring-forceps for compressing a bleeding vessel.
- Serre-nceud. An instrument for ligating.
- Serres's Glatds. Pearl-like masses seen in infants near the gum and resulting from fragmentation of dental epithelium.
- Serrulate, *scr'-u-lat*. Marked with small serrations.
- Sertoli's Cells or Col'umns. The supporting cells of the seminiferous tubules, arranged radially on the membrana propria, and forming long columns between the spermatoblasts.
- Serum, *se'rum* The fluid constituent of the blood separated by coagulation. S.-albu'min, the albumin of blood-serum. S., An'thrax, used in cattle in the form of protective inoculations. S.-glob'ulin, globulin from lymph and blood-serum. S.-lu'tein, the yellow pigment of serum. S., Meningococ'cic, used in the treatment of diplococcic cerebrospinal meningitis. S., Pneumococ'cic, used in the treatment of pneumonia. S., Streptococ'cic, used in the treatment of streptococcic septice-mia and pyemia. S. Ther'apy. See *Serotherapy*. S-, Thy'-roid, used in the treatment of exophthalmic goiter.

SHEATH

- Serumal, *se-ru'-tnal*. Pertaining to or derived from serum.
- Serumuria, *se-rum-u?'-re-ah*. See *Albttminuria*.
- Sesame, *ses'-am-e*. See *Sesamum*.
- Sesamoid, *ses'-am-oid*. Resembling a grain. S. **Bones**, small bones developed in tendons. S. Cart'Uages, the small cartilages in the nasal alae.
- Ses'amum. A genus of African plants. The seeds of *S. indicum* yield oil of benne. See *Oil*.
- Ses'quit-. A prefix denoting one and a half.
- Sesquioxid, *ses-ku'e-oks'-id*. A compound containing one and a half parts of oxygen and one part of another element.
- Sesquisalt, *saf-ku'e-saivlt*. A salt containing one and a half times as much of a base as a protosalt.
- Sessile, *ses'-il*. Having no peduncle.
- Setaceous, *se-ta'-se-us*. Uristly; hairy.
- Setchenow's Inhibitory Cen'ter. A hypothetic reflex-inhibitory center in the brain; in the frog it is located in the optic lobes.
- Se'ton. A thread passed through the skin for counter-irritation.
- Seven-day Fe'ver. Relapsing fever, *g, v*.
- Seventh Pair, *sev'-enth*. The facial nerves.
- Sevum, *se'-vvn*. Suet.
- Sex-, *scks*. A prefix meaning six.
- Sex, *st'L-s*. The state or condition of being either male or female.
- Sexdigital, *scks-dij' it-al*. With six fingers or toes.
- Sextan, *scks'-Uin*. Recurring every sixth day.
- Sextipara, *scks-tiff-ar-ah*. A woman pregnant for the sixth time.
- Sextuplet, *scks-tit'-plet*. One of six children born at one birth.
- Sexual, *scks-u-al*. Pertaining to sex.
- Sexuality, *scks-u-al'-it-e*. The collective differences which in individuals make one male and another female.
- Sexvalent, *scks-va'-lent*. Having a displacing power of six.
- Shadowgram, *shud'-o-grain*. See *Skiagraph*.
- Shadowgraph, *shad'-o-graf*. See *Skiagraph*.
- Shank. A popular name for the tibia or shin.
- Sharpey's Intercrossing Fi'bers. The collagenous fibers forming the lamellas which constitute the walls of the Haversian canals in bone; same as osteogenic fibers. S.'s Perforating Fi'bers, calcined white or elastic fibers which connect the lamellas in the walls of the Haversian canals.
- Sheath, *shcth*. A covering; an investing substance. S., Arach'noid, a delicate partition lying between the pial sheath and the dural sheath of the optic nerve. S., Cap'illary, a lymph channel surrounding certain capillaries. S., Den'tinal, the structure lining the dental canals. S., Du'ral, the external investment of the optic nerve. S., Fem'oral. See *Femoral*. S., Lamel'Iar, See *Perintitrim*. S., Med'ullary. See *5., Neural*. S., My'e-Hn, the semifluid, homogeneous, refractive substance surrounding the axis-cylinder of a medullated nerve-fiber. S., Nerve. See *Perineurinum*, S., Neural, the myelin sheath sur-

SINAPIS

Sikimin, *sik'-ini-iii*. A toxic alkaloi'l from *Illii.itmi religiositm*.
 Silex's Sign. Radial furrows about the mouth, and coincidently
 in other parts of the face; a pathognomonic sign of congenital
 syphilis. S.'s Test for Glu'cose in U'rine. Add ammonia in ex-
 cess to a strong solution of silver nitrate; add the urine, and
 boil. In the presence of glucose a metallic silver mirror is de-
 posited at the bottom of the tube. Aldehyd and tartaric acid
 give the same reaction.

Silica, *sil'-ik-uh*. **SiO-**. Silicon **dioxide**, found in quartz..

Silicate, *sil'-ik-at*. A salt of silicic acid.

Silicon, *sil'-ik-on*. See *Klem'tt!**, *l'ible oj*.

Silicosis, *sil-ik-o'-sis*. A pathological condition of flu- lun:: due t.i
 the inhalation of stone dust. Pneumoconiosis.

Silver, **>il'-rcr*. See *Klctmets, Table of*. S.-fork Deform'ity ur
 Frac'ture, a displacement of the wrist in fracture of the lower I
 t:nd of the radius. S. protein mild. Such us *Arxyrol*.

Simarou'ba, Simaru'ba. A genus of tropical American trees, the
 |barks of which have tonic properties.

Simon's Pos'ture. The dorsal posture with the legs and thighs
 flexed, the hips elevated, rind the thighs abducted. S.'s Symp'-
 tom, immobility or retraction of the umbilicus during inspi-
 ration, sometimes seen in tuberculous meningitis. S.'s Tri'-
 angles, two roughly triangular areas covering (I) tht: lower
 portion of the abdomen, the inner surface of the thigh to a
 pi tint ten to twelve centimeters below the pubes, and the in-
 ginal region as far outward as the trochanter (abdomiftacni
 ral or femoral triangle); and (i^) the axillary and pectoral
 regions and the inner surface of the arm (brachial triangle).
 They arc frequently the seat of petechial or pelechioerythe
 matous rashes during the first three days of small-pox.

Simonart's Bands or Threads. Amniotic bands formed by
 drawn-out adhesions between fetus and amnion where the
 cavity has become distended through accumulation of fluid.

Sim'ple. Not compound; consisting of one substance.

Sim'pler, Sim'plist. An herb doctor.

Simples, *sim'-plz*. Medicinal herbs.

Sims's Depres'sor. An instrument for depressing the anterior
 vaginal wall. S.'s Pos'ture, the scmiprone position for vaginal
 operations. S.'s Spec'ulum, the duck-bill vaginal speculum for
 the perineum.

Simulation, *sim-n-la'-shun*. The counterfeiting of disease.

Simulium rep'tans, *sim-u'-lc-itm*. An insect believed to convey
 the infective agent of pellagra.

Sinalbin, *sin-al'-bin*. CsoH^N-S-jOifi. A white, crystalline suit-
 stance from, mustard.

Sinapin, *sit'-ap-in*. Ci.iHj.iXOr,. An alkaloid from white mus-
 tard.

Sinapis, *sin-a'-pis*. Mustard, tho see«is of *Brassica alba* and *It*.
nigra. See *Brassica*,



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