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EXAMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP.

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DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATION.

1. What are the circumstances which influence the prognosis in cases where Irregularity of the Heart is the predominant symptom?

2. Differentiate ordinary Palpitation from Tachycardia, and from the rapid pulsation of the *Maladie de Graves* in these cases in which there is neither *goitre* nor *exophthalmos* present.

3. Describe fully the structural changes which may occur in the Heart as a part of *Senile Degeneration*. And, more briefly, indicate the functional derangements which these may produce, and the means of diagnosis of their presence.

4. Enumerate the forms of *Sub-acute* and *Chronic Pericarditis*. Describe the physical signs, and the symptoms, local and general, of each; and discuss their differential diagnosis and treatment.