THE BOOMERANG

It is not so long ago, since orthodox medicine and the press went into raptures when Penicillin was discovered.

The public were told, that at long last Penicillin was the panacea that would annihilate all the diseases in the medical catalogue, and that the word "Hypochondria" could now be eliminated from the dictionary.

The boomerang has recoiled on those who made these fatuous claims, and the bubble of phantasy has disintegrated.

This is what we call Modern Scientific Medicine.

On 7th January, 1960, Mr. Chapman Pincher who writes in the "Daily Express" has written an article entitled "Penicillin—should it be shelved?"

We are told that hospitals are death-traps. Says he—"The average patient stands a greater chance of contracting serious illness as a result of going into hospital than at any time since Lord Lister introduced antiseptic surgery nearly one hundred years ago" again—"As a result of the indiscriminate use of penicillin, germs which were relatively harmless have become so virulent and resistant to drugs that they are taking an increasing toll of health and life."

He goes on to say—"The number of cases of infected wounds after surgery is increasing in spite of all normal precautions." It appears that the Medical Research Council has become so alarmed, that they have set up special Cross-Infection Committee.

Pray what are they going to investigate—and will they find anything? No, of course not.

Mr. Pincher goes on to say—"The cause of the emergence of these virulent strains is not understood but some doctors believe that we should be better off if *Penicillin had never been discovered*." (italics mine).

He states finally: —"No doubt medical ingenuity will find an answer to this problem, but as we move into a new decade the most significant medical development is not another bold advance but a menacing retreat." (Italics mine).

Orthodox ingeniousness has reached breaking point, and it will not be able to find an answer to this problem and the "menacing retreat" will continue for so-called scientific medicine has built its house on the shifting sands of opinion, laboratory research, and materialism.

It crumbles. The final devastation is not far distant.

Not until the dust and rubble of its false doctrines have been swept away, will the immutable truth of Homoeopathy be recognised, accepted, and practised.

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