



In alcoholic cases, where there is marked mental aberration characterised by illusions and hallucinations of such a nature as to cause great fright and worry to the patient, and considerable uncontrollable motor restlessness, and when sleep must be secured, hydrotherapy is undoubtedly beneficial. Here, formerly, large doses of opium or chloral were given, notwithstanding the fact that such were dangerous, especially when there were complications of such a nature as to contra-indicate their use.

