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Mary Putman Jacobi remains excellent. W.C. says Win in his magazine

For years I have been awaiting the advent of the modern Trotula, a woman in the profession with an intellect so commanding that she will take rank with the Harveys, the Hunters, and Pasteurs, the Virchows, and the Listers. That she has not yet arisen is no reflection on the small band of women who have joined our ranks in the past fifty years. Stars of the first magnitude are rare, but that such a one will arise among women physicians I have not the slightest doubt. And let us be thankful that when she comes she will not have to waste her precious energies in the worry of a struggle for recognition. She will be of the type of mind and training of Mary Putman Jacobi; her victory will be not on the practical but on the scientific side in which many new avenues are open to women, much more attractive and suitable than in general or special practice to which heretofore they have been restricted.

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Women med. Students.

Women Medical Students - his father about in Lancet 1907 II 131

Pros of the women at J.H.W. - great success

1/3 trained surgeons

1/3 dropped out

1/3 continue in medicine.

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