

the corpus callosum, where it formed the genual part of the callosal convolution, to reach the basal part of the mesial longitudinal fissure. The *suprasplenic fissure* (*ssp*) of Krueg was as a rule elementary, but in the right hemisphere of brain *c* it was a distinct fissure situated on the mesial surface of the hemisphere parallel to the splenic fissure, and separated from it by a distinct gyrus, which may be called the *suprasplenic gyrus*. It was continuous behind the splenium with the splenic fissure, whilst it terminated anteriorly in a sulcus, which indented the sagittal gyrus above the crucial fissure. Between the suprasplenic fissure and the free edge of the mesial longitudinal fissure was that aspect of the sagittal gyrus which was directed to the mesial marginal surface of the hemisphere. The *postsplenic fissure* (*psp*) of Krueg was situated behind the ascending part of the splenic fissure, and ran backwards and upwards nearly to the posterior border of the hemisphere below the postero-horizontal fissure; it was separated from the splenic fissure by the *splenic convolution* (*spc*), which is consequently bounded in front by the splenic and behind by the postsplenic fissure.

I could not speak with any precision of the Island of Reil, unless the concealed part of the anterior limb of the Sylvian convolution be regarded as representing it; for the lower end of this limb of the Sylvian convolution passed deeply into the fissure, and was concealed by the anterior limb of the suprasylvian convolution, which for some distance therefore formed the anterior lip of the fissure of Sylvius.

*Interior of the Cerebrum.*—A vertical transverse section through the right hemisphere, immediately in front of the anterior pillar of the fornix, showed the fibres of the corpus callosum extending outwards to become continuous with the white core of the hemisphere. Immediately below the anterior mesial part of the corpus callosum the right half of the septum lucidum formed a vertical lamina which was relatively thick. Laterally to the septum lucidum was the lateral ventricle, the inner part of which was vertical, but the outer part extended horizontally outwards below the corpus callosum, though it curved a little downwards at its lateral limit. When the ventricle was opened into by slicing away the corpus callosum the nucleus caudatus of the corpus striatum was seen to form a large and well-defined pear-shaped body at the anterior part of the floor; but the ventricular chamber was not prolonged in front of the caudate nucleus. The greatest transverse diameter of this nucleus was 27 mm., and its antero-posterior diameter was 30 mm.

The optic thalamus was behind and to the inner side of the nucleus caudatus, a shallow groove in which the *tænia semi-circularis* could be seen, being placed between them. Its upper surface was covered by the fornix and choroid plexus, on removing which structures this surface was seen to be 25 mm. in transverse and 35 mm. in antero-posterior diameter.

The fornix was prolonged in a curve backwards, outwards, downwards, and forwards into the descending horn of the ventricle as the *tænia hippocampi*, and followed the