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Within recent years a variety of agents have been employed for the symptomatic and prophylactic treatment of the migraine syndrome. The responses to two such agents, ergot derivatives and methysergide, have often been so striking as to have achieved the stature of diagnostic criteria. Despite this fact, a number of migraine sufferers remain without effective therapy because either they are not benefited by these drugs or they cannot risk or tolerate the side effects produced by them.

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