

No.	NAME	Age	Admitted	Died	Under the care of	Examination, at what time after death
286	Elizabeth Keale	70	Sept. 6	Sept. 22	Mr. Drut.	12 hours

MORBID APPEARANCES

Gen appear Height 5ft. 2 in Hair Black. Well nourished - Abdominal muscles loaded with fat.

Pleura. Adhesions Right lung adherent to chest wall by a few old thin fibrous bands. Each lung much pigmented on surface. Posterior border, on section is of a dark red color crepitate though less than normal, frothy blood stained serum running, floats in water easily laevable. Anterior portions of each lung healthy.

Heart. 13 oz. Pericardium coated on outer surface with a thick layer of fat - adherent to heart muscle by old annular adhesions over entire surface adhesions easily broken down. Muscle thickened in left ventricle. Tricuspid orifice admits tips of three fingers. Valve healthy. Mitral orifice admits tips of two fingers, Mitral valve slightly thickened. Aortic valves thickened at free edges small calcareous concretions in anterior flaps. Aorta atheromatous in first portion of arch -

Abdomen Peritonitis. Great omentum much injected with blood vessels. Coils of intestine glued together by recent lymph. Flakes of lymph on surface of gut in the abdominal wall of left iliac region the tissues are infiltrated with pus, & the

Continued on fly.

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Abdomen. Glands in this region are much enlarged & suppurating

(Cont) Two small collections of pus had almost burst into the abdominal cavity. Peritonitis most active in this region -

Lymph Don glass' pouch was tied with layer of recent lymph as well as posterior surface of bladder

Liver 3 lbs 2.0 oz. Surface even. On section portal zone pale, surface granular looking, greasy & rather friable

Healthy Change 40 oz. Soft & pulpy

Spleen 9 oz. Capsule thickened & slightly adherent. Cortex diminished & pale. Feels flabby.

Kidneys Granular (slight) Surface of left vulva covered with layer of greyish yellow lymph -

Uterus. All tissues around Rectum healthy -

D. W. Ross.

Wound

hard lump vulva.

slowly

red in the

left Labium

enlarged,

two skin

dissected

fatty

6.5 of normal

wards described

surgeon found

acute peritonitis

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2 or 3 times.

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NATURE OF DISEASE.

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Peritonitis, Suppurating glands in left Groin. Wound
on Vulva unhealthy.

E. phlegmon vulvae

CASE

A hearty but worn-out looking woman.

Is the mother of 16 children.

9 months previous to admission a hard lump
appeared on the left side of the vulva.

It was the source of much pain & slowly
increased in size.

3 months ago hard lumps appeared in the
left groin.

Has been losing flesh rapidly.

A hard & flattened red ulcer on left Labium
Major. Vagina healthy.

In left groin are some hardened & enlarged,
tender glands covered by red oedematous skin.

On Sep 14th & ther. The ulcer was dissected
off & a few ligatures were necessary.

Next day was fairly comfortable, & of normal
temperature.

On the 18th Temp 102 but afterwards descended
to normal.

On the night of Sep 22nd House surgeon found
her moribund with symptoms of acute peritonitis;
Abdomen swollen & tender.

Extremities cold. Pulse feeble.

Stercoraceous. Had vomited several times.

Bready & opium were administered in vain.
The vomiting contin'd & patient died early on Sep 19.