

No.	NAME	Age	Admitted	Died	Under the care of	Examination, at what time after death
370	George Smitto	54	Nov 25	Nov 28	Mr Howard	53 hours

No. in Reg' 1882	NATURE OF DISEASE.
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MORBID APPEARANCES

General Appearance Height 6ft-1 in. Hair Dark grey. Body well nourished -

Echymosis Echymosis on the front upper part of each side of the chest - over clavicles & on inner side of left arm & outer side of right arm. Have neck of a dark purple color - Blood extravasated under the conjunctiva in each eye.

Pleura Adhesions a few old fibrous bands adhesions on right side. No laceration of pleura by broken ribs.

Pleuritis Recent lymph on lower lobe of each lung.

Lungs Congestion No laceration of lungs. Posterior border of each lung of a dark red color, crepitant, frothy fluid exudes on pressure, floats in water.

Heart Hypertrophied 180g. Each ventricle contained some blood clot, that in right partly decolorised. Muscle thickened. All valves & orifices normal.

Abdomen Fat Liver Spleen Muscle loaded with fat. as also the great omentum 5 lb. 10g Surface smooth, edges rounded, on section pale & slightly greasy 60g Healthy.

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Kidneys 100g Capsule granular adherent. Surface granular Cortex diminished, red color Malpighian bodies somewhat prominent. Pyramids congested.

Skull Brain 3lb 60g ~~fluid~~ - A large quantity of clear fluid at base & on surface under the arachnoid - No laceration - No fracture of skull. No injury to orbital plates.

Bones - Right side - The first ten ~~fracture of~~ ribs fractured - 10 Ribs on Left side - Ribs from second eight side to tenth inclusive fractured 9 Ribs on Second rib on left side comminuted Left side - ~~fracture~~ Left Clavicle fractured about inner third.

fracture Sternum - The cartilage uniting the first & second pieces of the Sternum ruptured.

Extravasated blood The soft parts in the neighbourhood of these fractures, more or less extravasated with blood. No injury to spine.

Dr - fracture of ends of sternum & heart -

Costal fluid face in the middle of chest.

not echymosed from mouth. Glands were separated & comminuted.

occasional one. In posteriorly. by this time black with light. Lt arm still very purple from his arm.

bones to. Drawn, more or less increased, & Lt scapula

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NATURE OF DISEASE.

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Fracture of 10 ribs on right side & 11 ribs on left side - fracture of left clavicle, fracture of 1st & 2nd pieces of sternum - granular kidneys & hypertrophied heart -

CASE

Patient was a very fat, bulky, old man with a bloated, florid face. His car came in collision with another and in the middle the wheels of one of them passed over his chest. When admitted he was quite unconscious. Breathing stertorous. Pupils inactive, not echemosed. Blood was escaping from both ears, from mouth & nose. Left clavicle fractured, & blood effused over it. The first & 2nd pieces of the sternum were separated. Most of the left ribs were fractured & comminuted, also many of those of the right side. No emphysema existed. The right arm was paralyzed. He was admitted at 6 p.m. 25th. Calomel was given at once. During the night feces & urine were passed involuntarily. At 3 a.m. he became quite conscious, & by this time both ocular conjunctivae were tinged & black with blood. No low posterior limit was out of sight. All external bleeding had ceased. Right arm still paralyzed. at 12 a.m. Pulse 116. Face very purple. At 1-30 p.m. 10 oz of blood were taken from his arm & a good deal of relief ensued. Towards night he became delirious & respirations 50. at 10-15 p.m. 8 more oz of blood were withdrawn, morphia & during the 3rd day (27) delirium & dyspnoea increased, & some emphysema was found near the right scapula. He died at 8-15 of the Nov 28.

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