

- NOX 411. - Fr. West. 195

Name Henry Oxford Sex Fr. Age 8 1/2 yrs.
 Address 67 Regent Rd., Blandford Rd., Bow - (Lawyer) -

Admitted	DISEASE	Ill
2/5/71.	Ascites with some Anasarca. & greatly enlarged Liver: but not so important structural changes. & Pleuritis probably due to 3 Tapplings.	5 months.
Charged 19/8/71		Result Death.

History - Fatter subject to Rheumatism - Mostly healthy.

3 more children, delicate on the Chest - some Head - some still born - no more.

Has had In. - S. F. (2.)

With the exception of a slight breaking-out about the head and Chest during tattooing was very healthy until about 5 or 6 yrs. ago. - Had Inflam. of the Chest several times as a Child.

Health further
 on July 5
 another ago
 in some of
 kidney Throat-
 ache.

Two or six months ago began to be trou-
 bled w. pains in the head & looked very
 white - no sickness - still went to school.
 About a week after this. Came home with
 great sickness and pain in the head &
 about the head - The symptoms continued
 for about 6 wks. - The bowels were regular;

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Ascites, Chronic Peritonitis

in dark blood
from a small
abscess. but
2 months
improvement
tumour not big
dinner.

His water thick & high-coloured. Was taken
O.P. to Victoria Park, & got much better.
He lost the pain in the head & stomach.
About 2 months ago the belly began to swell.
Gradually getting worse - Water scanty -
B. regular - Appetite bad - No pain save in
the head - Short of breath.

In Admission - A poorly-nourished boy, lying on
his side propped up in bed - R. 57;
cites: no albumen
C. Cal: c. Gal: gr. v. v. v.
scanty urine.
Uter: bit. ex. v.
Hemipar: Co: ex. v.
off hepatic 13H.
4th horis.

In Admission - A poorly-nourished boy, lying on
his side propped up in bed - R. 57;
Prostate dilated - Face dusky - Lips blue -
Tongue moist, clean at the tip, furred at
the back - P. 136, very small, beats running
into one another - Legs red, cold, swollen,
& adematous - Scars on Chest & forehead
(said to be left by eruption during childhood)

Milk of
Spin 3j

Chest - Slight dulness on percussion be-
neath 2. Clavicle, where breathing is coarse -
Breathing compensatory in the upper lobe
on each side behind - Percussion good, becom-
ing duller below, where breathing becomes fine.

Heart - Sounds normal

Bandage

Abdomen - Very much distended - Viscs
full - Fluctuation - Tympanitic in front above
the navel - Dull at the sides - Below the
navel is a rounded circumscribed swelling

Great Enlargement of Liver

add. Sig. Præcord. Null on percussion. - Measurement (about 2½ in. above the Umbilicus) - 28½ in.

St. Mater: gr. 5
Cal: c: Sal: gr. VII
Station
Urine - 1020 - Acid - No Albumen - Quantity in 24 hours, about 4 oz.

5. Rather more lively this morning - B. fed twice since the powder - Instincts loose & watery - Quantity of Urine about 4 oz. - Measurement of Abdomen - 28¾ in.

Præcordia performed under chloroform, the bladder being first relieved of about 2oz. of dark-colored Urine (No Alb.) - A fine trocar was introduced about 2 in. below the navel and about 46 oz. of yellow serous fluid was drawn off - Wound closed w. strapping & bandage reapplied

Fluid removed - 1020 - Alkaline - Almost solid w. Albumen

6. Abdomen - 26¾ in. - General condition improved
Staterii: gr. 5
Galap: Co: gr. X
Station
Breathing more easy - 7. 98.2 - 8½ oz. of Urine in last 24 hours - Liver appears to be much enlarged.

7. 7. 97.6 - 98.2 - Quantity of Urine 7 oz. - B. acted once well since the powder.

8. 7. 98.2 - 100 - Abdomen - 27¾ in. - B. fed again last night - Urine - 1035 - No Albumen - 4 oz. quantity.

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Ascites - of 9 months duration

9. 7-98-

Wm 6² y. - B. acted

twice after the powder each time he has taken
the Euterium has been very sick after it.)

Dr. Galap. Co.
xx every other day.

Abdomen 28 $\frac{3}{4}$ in.

The Diagram represents

the outline of the

chest-enlarged - skin marked on

vent of liver the 6th (the morning

after paracentesis)

12. Wm - 1035 - No

Abdomen - Alkaline.

11. Abdomen - 28 in.

Urine distended, but
not greatly so -

Wm - 7 y. - Bowels
open twice.

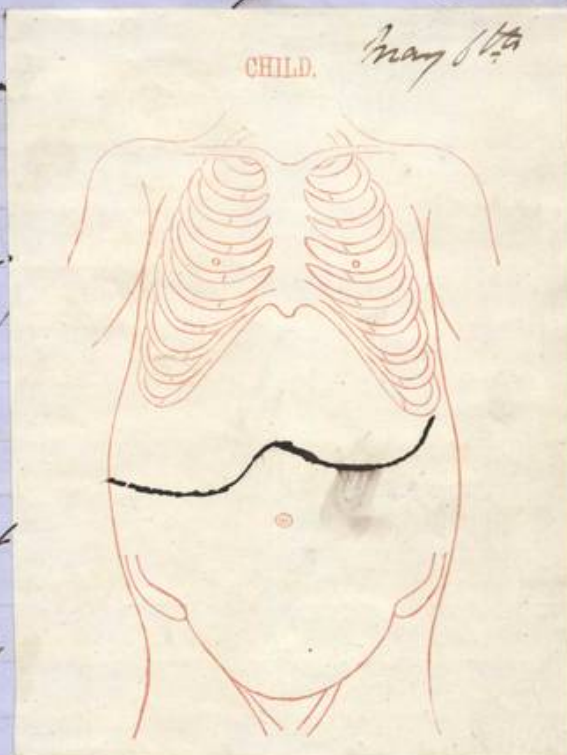
13. Abdomen - 28 in.

Wm 11 y. - B. open 3 times in last 24 hours -
Intestines very watery.

15. Abdomen - 29 in. - 7-97 - Wm - 7 y.
Breathing rather more laboured.

17. Abdomen - 29 in. - B. generally act twice
after the powder - once on the alternate days.
Wm - 8 y. - 1032 - Alkaline - No Alb.

6. Allen: Diet: ny. T.
7. Juniper: Co: ny. T.
8. Taraxac: ny. T.
9. Cass: Radix: ny. T.
10. Cass: Act: ny. T.
11. Cass: Ammon: ny. T.
12. Aqua ad 3j.
13. Wm.



Henry Oxford.

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Nature of enlargement of Liver doubtful.

20 Abdomen - 29 in. - Urine 14 oz.

Chest - Dulness on percussion at the lower part of both backs, and crackling rales, and accompanied w. slight crackle or moist rale at the end of Inspiration. Coarse compensatory breathing at the upper part of each back - Heart - Impulse cannot be seen - Valves extended - sounds muffled

23 Abdomen - 29½ in. - Urine - 7 oz. -

1st Inc. Digitalis 1/4 gr. P-132, very feeble and humming - Face becoming much more dusky.

2nd Inc. Digitalis 25 - He seemed much more depressed than usual whilst taking the Digitalis, and therefore it was stopped.

27 Abdomen - 29½ in. - Urine - 12 oz. (1040 - Alkaline - No Albumen)

30 T-97 - 101. - Abdomen - 30½ in.

1st Inc. Dec. - 1/4 gr. V. Urine - 5 oz. - Chest - Physical signs much the same as note of the 20th, but the Valves gradually extend.

June 1. - Urine - ~~5~~ 4 oz. - Acid - Deep yellow and depositing a purpure sediment of pink Strates.

3. Abdomen - 30½ in. - Urine - 4½ oz. - Has not taken his medicine since 6 a.m. yesterday

Ascites of some months duration

morning, but the Urine passed in the last 24 hours seems to contain much the same quantity of pink sediment.

5. Urine - $3\frac{1}{2}$ oz. - Lithate sediment does not appear at all diminished (Has not been taking any medicine)
8. Abdomen - 31 in. - Urine - 5 oz. - Face gradually becoming livid.
10. Urine - $3\frac{1}{2}$ oz. - Acid - Perfectly clean - No Abdomen - No sediment of Lithates.
13. Abdomen - 32 in. - Urine - 5 oz. - The veins over the Abdomen are larger and fuller than they were.
15. Only 2 oz. of Urine to-day.
19. Abdomen $32\frac{1}{4}$ in. - Urine - $3\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
23. 14 oz. of Urine yesterday.
24. Urine - 9 oz.
27. Urine - 5 oz. - Abdomen - $32\frac{3}{4}$ in. - Chest. The fulness at the lower part of each lung extends nearly up to the angle of the scapula.
- July 4. Abdomen - $33\frac{1}{4}$ in. - Urine - 5 oz.
7. Urine - 16 oz.
14. Again tapped and $12\frac{1}{2}$ pints of fluid removed. As it was being drawn off the

Urine July 14

was 70 days

Great-enlargement-of Liver

boy's colour gradually improved, the liver
line slowly leaving him.

16 7 oz. of Urine

17 5 oz. of Urine - The boy seems very much
relieved by his last tapping.

18. Urine - 6 oz. - 1022. Very dark colour.
prescribed sediment of Lithates.

31 The Abdomen is again very full, & the
boy again very dusky, but not nearly
so dusky as he was before the last tap-
ping.

August 7 - Again tapped and 122 oz. of fluid
was tapped - Urine off.

days 14. Very much worse during the last few
days - Countenance not so livid as it
was, but he appears to have lost strength
all in round of. Had a convulsion about 6.20 p.m. and
died.

Ascites - Chronic Peritonitis
Autopsy - 17 hours after death.

Body - 46 lbs. - R. la. well-marked in legs, scarcely at all in arms - Profuse black colored discharge from nostrils - P.h. ecchymoses on Abdomen, Arms, Thighs, ribs, Face - Wounds of punctures quite healed.

Abdomen - On opening the Abdomen a large quantity of literally clear serous fluid escaped, floating in it large flakes of fibrine and masses of lacerated lymph. The intestines were matted together and to the liver, spleen, &c. with lymph of some long standing (two or three months). The liver and spleen were covered with firm, well-organized membrane, dotted with small depressions on the convex surfaces. - Remarkable absence of Pus throughout.

Liver - 27 oz. - Reached down some three or four inches below the ribs and extended well into the left Abdomen (much as represented in Diagram, May 6) In section texture very coarse, colour varying very much, in some parts pale very light yellow, in other parts deeply pigmented - Liver far apart - Very much enlarged -

Henry Duford.

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Given much enlargement - Nature?

tough but not very hard.

The RBCs examined at once microscopically, appeared to be utterly healthy. They contained a good deal of oil and their nuclei were not very distinct.

Spleen - 2oz. - Deeply coloured - Very hard & tough - There appeared here also to be an increase of fibrous tissue.

Kidneys - 2½oz. each - Capsules stripping easily. Pyramids deeply coloured, especially at their bases, from which dark lines ran up through the Cortex to the surface of the kidney - External surfaces mottled.

Intestines - Apparently healthy - The Descending, especially that portion attached to the sigmoid flexure was enormously thickened, and apparently the thickening was due to infiltration of fluid, to increase of fat and connective tissue, and the vessels were enlarged.

Heart and Pericardium & - 11oz. - Pericardium very much thickened and firmly attached throughout to the Heart - No valvular disease.

Ascites - Enlarged Liver

Lungs

- R. 7y. - H. 5 1/2 y. - Both Adherent, but especially the left, which was firmly so throughout (so that there was no fluid in either pleura) - Both congested - Left lower lobe cannified (sank in water)

I was absent in August when boy died
Nov 4. 1871. (W)