

agent to employ, except in some cases on the extremities, where amputation would be advisable.

7. All cases of carcinoma of the breast, except those seen in a very early stage, should be treated by the rays before resorting to the knife. The rays should also be used in all inoperable cases and in all cases after amputation has taken place.

8. According to our present knowledge, the X-ray treatment is not curative in internal cancer of any part of the body—mouth, larynx, stomach, uterus, etc.

9. To obtain the best results there must be no fault in the technique of the operation, in order to avoid a serious burn and to get the desired action on the cancer tissue.

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