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Secrets of Health and Happiness "Keloids"—Unsightly Scars That at Last Yield to Science

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Keloids are unsightly scars, reddish, raised, and often very large. Some individuals are born with keloids. Keloids are especially common in the Negro race. A simple cut or sore, which ordinarily heals well in the average person, in the case of a keloid, does not heal, and the result is a scar which is swollen, raised, and otherwise conspicuous forever after.

The victims usually return to the surgeon and request that the ugly, elevated scar be cut away, and a smoother, less discernible area left in its place. I have happily done this, and accomplished the results desired, as the new scar in turn begins to enlarge, and in due time assumes a keloid character.

Dr. M. Lesieur, a French army surgeon, after a very long and arduous career in the French armies, proposes now to rid the human race of these unsightly scars. He has discovered a remedy. Experimental researches first suggested it as a practical thing.

A solution of creosote in creosote oil, is employed. A hypodermic syringe is used to inject the creosote into the flesh above the keloid and well beneath it. The keloid should never be touched by the needle.

Results Are Remarkable. From two to fifteen drops of the solution are injected into the keloid, and after a few days the keloid is completely gone. One hundred soldiers affected with extensive keloids were thus treated. At first the reddish-purple or violet, rose tint of the keloids was eliminated, and then the turgid, swollen, enlarged capillaries promptly disappeared.

The occasional injections of hair bulbs—sycosis—in keloids of hairy surfaces were disinfected with creosote oil. The itchy, painful conditions also cleared up and were relieved after the first few injections.

The tissue of keloids, which is tough and hard, begins to soften and to flatten out. Indeed, says the French savant, this result is obtained suddenly after a considerable interval of apparently little improvement. In those types of scars in which the keloid formation is rapidly progressive, the enlargement may be checked by injections at the periphery of these tumors. A friend of mine, who has been afflicted with keloids, writes: "I am writing to tell you of the benefit I have received from the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. About eighteen months ago I was very much run down after a severe attack of tonsillitis. This, and the strain of nursing several of my children, had had the effect of making me feel very nervous, and I was very drowsy, took dizzy spells and had palpitation of the heart. A friend of mine advised me to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, so I sent for six boxes. I took them regularly, and after the first box I found my nerves were steadier and that the dizziness and palpitation were disappearing. I kept on using the Nerve Food, and found great relief in many ways. I can get up early in the morning without feeling tired, and the bad taste in my mouth on arising has gone completely. My system is built up, and I feel so much better."

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HER PROBLEMS By Annette Bradshaw



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For my worst fears had been realized. The wine had been drugged, and what ever fate awaited me in the hands of the ill-favored crowd I had seen in the description-room of the inn. I recalled the face of the ferret-faced youth who had consulted his notebook, showed it to his neighbor and left the room, all within a few minutes of my first appearance in the dining room, and shuddered. The suspicion, which had seemed too ridiculous even to admit to myself, that his notebook contained a description of me, was apparently well founded. Otherwise they would hardly have dared or even thought it necessary to detain or harm an ordinarily inquisitive woman and a former patron of the inn, at that time.

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every one, and back to the cupboard all about feeling ill. The little old woman opened her eyes and jumped out of bed. "What a funny dream!" she laughed. "But I guess it's true—we must, indeed, be willing to help ourselves if we ever expect to be helped."

from the rack and dried the dishes. "I'm empty, and there's no one to fill me with water!" replied the bucket. "Then how can we expect to be washed if you're empty?" cried the dishes on the table. "Well, I'm growing stiff myself," said the broom. "If someone doesn't use me pretty soon I'll crack."

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THE HELP-YOURSELF DREAM.

Once upon a time there was an old woman who lived all alone. She was very untidy, and her house never looked neat and clean. One day this little old woman felt too ill to leave her bed, and she didn't know what to do.