

Making a New Arm for a Man.

A surgical operation of exceeding interest is being performed at the Hahnemann Hospital, says the N. Y. Tribune. It is one of those cases that cannot be finished at a single sitting, but which must be carried through various stages in a progressive way from the beginning to the end. It was begun about three weeks ago, and from the present indications there is little doubt that the result desired will be attained.

The patient is Christopher Doll, a German, 31 years old. He received his injury accidentally. He was extremely fond of smoking a pipe. One evening about nine months ago he was enjoying a quiet smoke in his room, and while reading fell asleep. In some way the pipe, which he still held in his mouth, was overturned, and the hot ashes fell from the bowl upon his shirt sleeve and set it on fire. It smothered a time and burned several small holes in the sleeve, and then it burst into a flame and the sleeper was aroused. The fire first reached his flesh, and he rolled over on the floor, and finally the flame was extinguished. His right arm from the wrist to the shoulder was terribly burned, and it looked as if the flesh could be scraped from the bone without trouble. The patient went to several hospitals, but could get no relief. There was such a large surface of exposed flesh in the wound that the pus formation was unusually large, and the antiseptic precautions which were taken did not prevent the absorption of the poisonous matters into the patient's system.

As soon as he was admitted measures were taken to stamp out the blood contamination, which were eventually successful, and patient began to recover strength. When he got strong enough and his body was sufficiently free from the incident disease, it was determined by the attending surgeon to make a new upper arm from the flesh of the patient's body, and to heal up the wound by covering it over with healthy tissue. At first small pieces of flesh were taken from various parts of his body and placed in different spots upon the raw shoulder as a matter of experiment, to determine whether the flesh could be successfully grafted. The experiment was successful. The little pieces of flesh and skin united and made little cases on the diseased shoulder. These minor operations were performed several days apart and without the use of any other than a local anesthetic. Everything had gone on so well that about ten days ago it was determined to begin the more important part of the operation, which consisted in covering up a large portion of the raw surface of the arm with the patient's own flesh. The patient was first put under the influence of an anesthetic. Then all the electrical tissue upon the upper arm was scraped with a knife until it bled profusely and was entirely raw. While the arm was held away from the body two incisions were made about three inches apart, running upward from the ribs for about seven inches. At the lower end of these incisions a cross was made, and then the strip of flesh was dissected up from the ribs, the full length of the incision, making a large flap. This was left until the patient was sufficiently strong to bear the arm was brought close to his side and the flesh flap was laid over on the raw flesh on the arm and carefully pressed and fitted into position. When this had been done there was still a large section of the upper back arm remaining uncovered. Two incisions were again made similar to the first two, running up and down the upper portion of the side of the back. The flesh was thick at this point, and permitted a free dissection. While the upper flap was yet palpitating with the heart influence, it was put over the bleeding surface of the arm and fitted into place. Then the two flaps were secured by fastening them together with adhesive plaster, while large bands were run over the lower portion of the arm and around the abdomen and back, and interlaced so that all motion of the arm and back was prevented. After the whole wound had been covered with an antiseptic dressing, the ether case was taken off the patient's face, and he soon recovered consciousness. He suffered little from shock, and the hemorrhage was comparatively slight.

The side arm was kept securely fastened to his side for a week, and the wound was carefully dressed every day. At first it was not thought that the flesh from the side would adhere to the flesh on the arm, but after two days it took a firm hold and grew as if it belonged there, and little shoots of flesh branched out in every direction. A few days ago the ends uniting the two flaps to the body were severed, the loose portions were drawn around the under side of the arm, the edges trimmed so as to make a perfect fit, and were then united with sutures in continuing the operation it was necessary to alter the shape of the flaps in some places. Only a little sloughing has taken place, and this has had no injurious effect. The arm now presents a comparatively natural appearance. The scars of the incision are somewhat restricted in extent, and will move as freely as ever. The patient is physically strong, and since the pain has subsided in his arm, has improved perceptibly, and the prospects are that he will be able to leave the hospital in about a week with a new arm.

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