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Atomi per la salute



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1986 - Chernobyl (2011 - Fukushima)



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1945: Hiroshima and Nagasaki







Wilhelm Conrad Röntgen



1896

Antoine Henri Becquerel

"...rays, whose effects have a great similarity to the effects produced by the rays studied by M. Lenard and M. Röntgen."



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1914, Röntgenotherapy and "petites Curie"



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Curietherapy (brachytherapy)





the use of radium salts



the use of radium emanation, niton (now referred to as radon)



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Medical to non-medical application of radium







Non-medical application of X-ray







Non-medical application of X-ray



Scientific optical principle really works. Imagine - you put on the "X-Ray" Specs and hold your hand in front of you. You seem to be able to look right through the flesh and see the bones underneath Look at your friend. Is that really his bodt you "see" under his clothes? Loads of laughs and fun at parties. Send only \$1 plus 25c shipping charges. Money back guarantee! HONOR HOUSE PRODUCTS CORP., Lynbrook, N.Y. Dept. 97XR02 "I CAN SEE HIS TRUE INTENTIONS!" PAIN PREVENT ONLY A LIFE OF MISERY



Medical to non-medical application of radium







Vanitas vanitatum et omnia vanitas











"Atomic" heat



Nne saine et douce chaleur," **radio-active...**

Une laine, souple, élastique, résistante, épaisse et confortable, qu'un traitement physico-chimique a doué d'un remarquable pouvoir : la radio-activité. Chacun connaît les extraordinaires effets de stimulation organique, d'excitation cellulaire, transmis par le radium. Une laine ainsi traitée allie aux avantages propres du textile une indéniable valeur hygiénique. Pour tricoter la layette de Bébé, les lainages des enfants, vos sous-vêtements et vos pull-over,

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A driver helper



Pulchritudo et vigor



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VITA RADIUM SUPPOSITORIES, for rectal use by men, are tone restorers of sex and energizers for the entire nervous, glandular and circulatory systems. These Suppositories contain a result-producing amount of highly refined soluble RADIUM, carried in a cocoa butter base. The radium is absorbed thru the walls of the lower colon, enters the blood stream and is carried to all parts of the body —to the weakened organs that need its vitalizing aid. After leaving its durably HEALTHY RESULTS, the radium is gradually eliminated in about three days. Vita Radium Suppositories are guaranteed entirely harmless. Recommended for sexually weak men who, however, should use the NU-MAN Tablets in connection for best results. Also splendid for piles and rectal sores. Try them and see what more desults was are!







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THREE RUBBER PROPHYLACTICS Rolled Sold for protection against disease "GET NEXT TO NUTEX" Ask for them by name

RADIUM NUTEX are fine quality prophylactics They are carefully inspected and tested. SOLD IN DRUG-STORES Manufactured by THE NUTEX COMPANY Sales Office Phila., Pa. Made in U. S. A. 3 for 50c Doz. \$1.50



Hot chocolate







False (?) advertising



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RadioChef







All that glitters is not gold







The Radium Corporation claimed that the deaths were the results of sexually transmitted diseases.

To combat these accusations, the bones of some of the already dead lip pointers were exhumed for study. Their skeletons were glowing.



"A Cure for the Living Dead"



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I benefici sono efficaci nel trattamento di:

- infiammazioni dell'apparato respiratorio con l'inalazione di vapor acqueo;
- malattie di tipo reumatico e uricemico;
- interazione benefica con la pelle;
- affezioni della sfera genitale;
- infiammazioni e disturbi dell'apparato digerente;
- attività di riabilitazione posttraumatica da fratture.





An italian spa

Caratteristiche acqua termale

Aspetti e caratteri organolettici	limpida, inodore, incolore, calda
Temperatura aria al prelievo	12,0° C
Temperatura acqua al prelievo	27,7° C
Ph	7.2
Conducibilità elettrica specifica a 18° C	US 282
Residuo fisso a 180°C	190 mg/l
Ossigeno consumato sec. Kubel	0,32 mg/l
Ione Ammonio (NH3 +)	0,015 mg/l
lone Nitrico (NO3 -)	0,30 mg/l
lone fosforico (PO4 -)	0,03 mg/l
Gas disciolti in un litro di acqua: (riport. a 0° C e 760 mm	
Hg)	
Anidride Carbonica	3,85 ml
Ossigeno	3,08 ml

Sostanze disciolte in un litro d'acqua espresse in ioni:		
Sodio (Na+)	2,0 mg	
Potassio (K+)	0,5mg	
Magnesio (Mg++)	12,16 mg	
Calcio (Ca++)	48,90 mg	
lone bicarbonico (HC03)	196,56 mg	
lone cloridrico (Cl-)	0,80 mg	
lone solforico (SO4)	6,90 mg	
lone p.m. silicico (Sl02)	4,90 mg	
Ione fluoridrico (F-)	0,43 mg	
Litio	0,0006 mg	
Alluminio	0,032 mg	
Manganese	0,0016 mg	
Ferro totale	0,010 mg	
Rame	0,005 mg	
Zinco	0,043 mg	
Stronzio	0,23 mg	
Radioattività (gas Radon)	picoCurie/l 229 Unità Mache/l	
	0,75	
Analisi del Laboratorio Chimico Provinciale di Trento		



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Radioactive water





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The "Law of Bergonie and Tribondeau"

"X-rays are more effective on cells which have a greater reproductive activity; the effectiveness is greater on those cells which have a longer dividing future ahead, on those cells the morphology and the function of which are least fixed. From this law it is easy to understand that roentgen radiation destroys tumors without destroying healthy tissues." Interpretation of Some Results of Radiotherapy and an Attempt at Determining a Logical Technique of Treatment¹

De Quelques Resultats de la Radiotherapie et Essai de Fixation d'une Technique Rationnelle

J. BERGONIÉ AND L. TRIBONDEAU

1923 Hevesy György He used the radium-D (²¹⁰Pb) as tracer

LIII. THE ABSORPTION AND TRANSLOCATION OF LEAD BY PLANTS.

A CONTRIBUTION TO THE APPLICATION OF THE METHOD OF RADIOACTIVE INDICATORS IN THE INVESTIGATION OF THE CHANGE OF SUBSTANCE IN PLANTS.

By GEORGE HEVESY.

From the Institute of Plant Physiology of the Agricultural High School, and Institute of Theoretical Physics of the University, Copenhagen.

(Received May 4th, 1923.)





1934 Enrico Fermi Irène Joliot-Curie and Frédéric Joliot "synthesis of <u>new radioactive</u> <u>elements</u>" *Nature, volume 133*

1935 Hevesy György Ole Chiewitz With ³²P: "Radioactive Indicators in the Study of Phosphorus Metabolism in Rats"







1934

Ernest Orlando Lawrence Patent: "Method and apparatus for the acceleration of ions"

1937 John Hundale Lawrence used phosphorus-32 isotopes to treat polycythemia vera





1938



Chemotherapy is first discovered in the 1940s

Today - Cyclotron: charged particles

Extracted Particles	Energy range (MeV)	Highest possible current (µAe)
H⁺	35 - 70	375 x 2
⁴ He ²⁺	70	70
HH⁺	35	50
D^{\star}	15 - 35	50 x 2





Today: Nuclear reactor: neutrons



Today - Therapy



Nuclear Medicine





Over 10'000 hospitals worldwide use radioisotopes in medicine, and about 90% of the procedures are for diagnosis.

In the USA there are over 20 million nuclear medicine procedures per year among 311 million people, and <u>in</u> <u>Europe about 10 million (with 2 million of these being</u> <u>therapeutic) among 500 million people</u>.

The use of radiopharmaceuticals in diagnosis is growing at ~10% per year.

The global market for Nuclear Medicine Radioisotope estimated at US\$7 Billion in the year 2020, is projected to reach a revised size of US\$11.6 Billion by 2027. North America is the dominant market for diagnostic radioisotopes with close to half of the market share, while <u>Europe accounts for about 20%</u>.



Patient with bone marrow mets from a pancreatic G2 NET treated with PRRT with ^{177g}Lu-DOTATATE (25 GBq)

Final ⁶⁸Ga-DOTATOC PET/CT





Basal ⁶⁸Ga-DOTATOC PET/CT

Per saperne di più



F***ING GENIUS LA RIVOLUZIONE DELLA SPECIE

https://storielibere.fm/fottuti-geni/

Ep. 08 | Marie Curie

Ep. 05 | I ragazzi di via Panisperna

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https://youtu.be/K3VsaD4L4TI





Thank you for your attention



