



The Digestion and Assimilation of Fat in the Human Body: An Epitome of Laboratory Notes on Physiological and Chemical Experiments Bearing on This Subject (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from The Digestion and Assimilation of Fat in the Human Body: An Epitome of Laboratory Notes on Physiological and Chemical Experiments Bearing on This Subject Towards the autumn of 1872, a somewhat warm controversy sprung up between the late Dr. Edward Smith and myself, among others, respecting the proportional nutriment and digestibility of certain articles of preserved food, particularly in regard to Australian meat and condensed milk. The numerous letters which appeared in The Times and Standard, together with the more elaborate arguments brought forward in the columns of several scientific journals, attracted the attention of my esteemed friend and teacher, Baron von Liebig. A very interesting correspondence ensued, discussing minutely the various questions at issue. Among other valuable results, I may incidentally mention the final repudiation by Liebig of the untenable assumption that his own extractum carnis was of a food value bearing any close relation to the nutriment contained in the whole bulk of meat from which it had been extracted. About the Publisher Forgotten Books publishes hundreds of thousands of rare and classic...

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