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A 17th-century physician wearing a traditional plague-preventive costume.

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Syphilis, painted in 1910 by the artist Richard Cooper.

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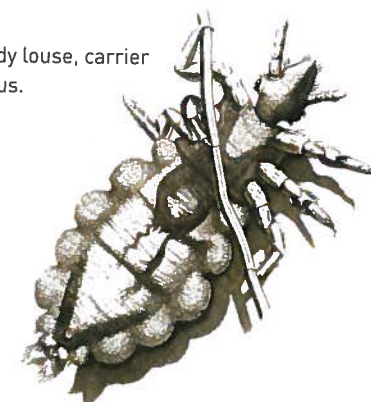
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The body louse, carrier of typhus.



A depiction of the 1832 cholera epidemic in Paris.

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