

MAN BELIEVED INVENTOR OF NEW MOTOR SHOCKED

Lester Hendershot Is Partly
Paralyzed by Electricity
in Experiment

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WASHINGTON, March 9.—A man listed as Lester Hendershot, 30, of Pittsburgh, was reported in a serious condition at Emergency hospital here Friday from what he described as an electric shock received while experimenting with a motor. It is believed he is the Lester Hendershot of Pittsburgh who invented the "fuel-less motor" which has been receiving wide publicity.

The patient was admitted to the hospital Tuesday, unable to move his arms or legs or use his palate. Doctors said the members were paralyzed. After five hours' treatment, the man recovered sufficiently to say he had been experimenting with a motor and believed 2000 volts of electricity passed thru his body.

Friday the patient could eat, but nerves in his arms and legs still were paralyzed. No one was permitted in his room except the doctor, who said Hendershot merely indicated he was an electrician and made no reference to a "fuel-less motor."

Hendershot did, however, give his local address as the Lee House, where he and his backer, J. Barr Peat of Pennsylvania, registered last Sunday.