

Thursday, August 31

244 DAYS PAST

122 TO COME

Retained Placenta.

The following method has been found useful for delivering the retained placenta. By means of a canula, sterile physiologic salt solution is injected into the placental portion of the cut umbilical vein. The placenta gradually fills up, going as it were into a state of erection. Some of the fluid oozes through the chorionic villi and adds to the bulk of the retroplacental hematoma. The result is both a loosening of the placental attachments and a stimulation of the uterine musculature. The advantage of this method over manual procedures, especially as regards sterility, is obvious.—*Gabaston; Münch. Med Woch.*

Weather

Temp.

Nice day. We took the bowler
out town because it still leaked.
We took our music lessons. We
put the clothes to soak. We
got the window from Mr.
Mills.

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