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26 DAYS PAST

SATURDAY

340 TO COME

Gastric Aphorisms—No. 2.

As an aid in distinguishing between appendicitis and cecum impaction it is interesting to note that in the former complete extension of the leg is painful, while in the latter complete flexion of the leg on the abdomen causes pain.

Clinical observations in many quarters tend to show the stomach does not entirely empty itself as promptly as heretofore supposed. So that mere retention of five or six hours may indicate nothing more than a degree of atonicity.—*Bell; Med. Herald.*

Weather

Temp.

very cold snowed  
last night & a little  
today. Mauchie & I went  
to Cyliner. Took the  
Arnolds some beef that  
Aunt Bell sent down  
for them. Put the horse  
in at Mrs McLeays, she  
was going to Mrs Tankers  
for tea.

Alley & Mike & Parviz &