

Wednesday, September 18

262 DAYS PAST

Thursday

104 TO COME

Surgical Hints.

To prevent rusting of instruments it has been lately suggested that they be boiled in a solution of chemically pure sodium hydrate (one-quarter of one per cent) instead of the sodium carbonate solution commonly employed.

In cases of burns occurring near a joint there is always so much risk of the occurrence of adhesions that passive movements should be resorted to at an early period for prevention of ankylosis.—*Int. Journ. of Surg.*

Weather

Temp.

Rain & day, had  
a sharp white frost! Last  
night it affected the corn  
mine. but didn't do much  
damage, & any thing else  
Melba & I went & Apler  
with the girls this morning  
John went & Auger  
& help fill silo. Cecil was  
over & night. Mark's  
thrashed & day.

Billy & Mariah 10