

Friday, May 5

126 DAYS PAST

SUNDAY

240 TO COME

Hip Joint Fractures.

At the hip-joint dislocations very rarely require open operation, but fractures not unfrequently do so: where any unusual difficulty is found in reduction it would be safer to cut down and free the neck of the bone from an obstructing structure than to use too great a degree of force. If paralysis shows that the great sciatic nerve is implicated a posterior incision would be called for, and an anterior incision in forward displacements of the head of the femur.—Clarke; *The Universal Medical Record.*

Weather

Temp.

Looked like rain
some of the time. Was
very hot Melba & I went down
to the cemetery in the
morning. Dr. Pickering &
Jack & Margaret was here
& operated on old Boncer.
& Clarence Cox had a
sick cow to Melba & I went
to church in the evening
Mark was over this morning
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