

Saturday, November 20

324 DAYS PAST

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Relief of Fainting.

A. A. Hawkins, Pittsburgh, mentions a procedure which he first observed in St. Peter's Hospital, London, in 1899. It was the custom of the surgeons then to pass bougies and sounds with the patient standing, and occasionally one would faint. In that case he was seated in a vacant chair beside the surgeon and his head was pressed down between his knees, thus retarding the return circulation and relieving the brain anemia. A minute in this position was sufficient. It renders the horizontal position unnecessary.—J. A. M. A.

Weather

Temp

Rainy or rather sleet
not very much but a miserable
four noon. This afternoon
was better & John finished
his slaughtering. Maudie &
Hattie went to Ogden. I made
Mella's serge skirts & Hattie
was making Maudie's. This
four noon Mella & I fixed
the barn, under it for the
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