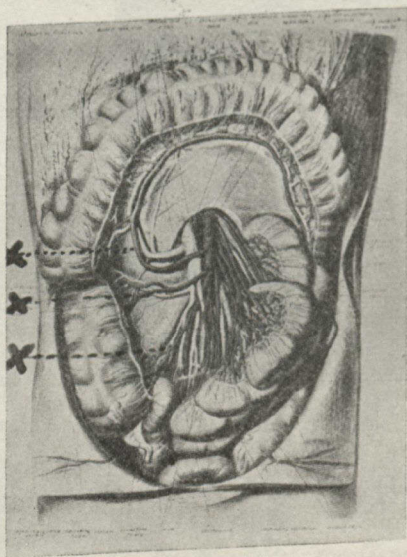


finding an obstruction, but none was found. The constipation becoming more obstinate the patient consulted me, and was placed under the most modern treatment at the hands of my brother, Dr. T. P. Hall, of Vancouver. Dieting, massage, electricity, lavage, etc., were given a thorough



trial for four months, without any beneficial result. Melancholia began to develop with suicidal tendencies, so I considered something radical should be done, but until having seen the results of Mr. Lane's work at



Guy's Hospital, I refused to operate. Upon my return from Europe the patient was placed in the Jubilee Hospital and the colon removed.

The after history presented little of interest except the apparent ease with which the intestines adapt themselves to the new conditions.