SURGERY, GYNECOLOGY AND OBSTETRICS

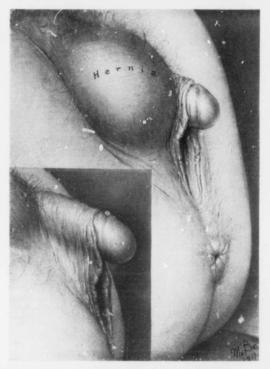


Fig. 1. Right strangulated inguinal hernia in a pseudohermaphrodite. The hernial sac is of moderate size and is encroaching on the right labium. The labia are continued upward forming the rudimentary prepuee. In the sketch in the left lower corner the hernial sac has been pushed up exposing the penis which is over 2 inches long. The glans is well formed in its upper portion and the prepuec could be drawn down so that it covered one-third of its surface

For the under surface of the penis see Fig. 2; for the contents of the hernial sac see Fig. 3.

which was rather difficult to check. Here we introduced a delicate drain of iodoform gauze. The abdominal walls were closed with silver wire, catgut, and subcutaneous silkworm gut. The patient stood the operation well. Before the abdomen was closed the pelvis was carefully examined and no trace of uterus, tubes, or ovaries could be found. On the left side a testicle could

be clearly made out in the upper part of the inguinal canal, pressure upon which occasioned considerable pain. The patient made a speedy recovery

On histological examination the testicle showed some minor changes. The gland epithelium was swollen, the cells closely suggesting the large squamous epithelial type; there was no evidence