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LARGE FIBROID POLYPUS COMPLETELY FILLING THE VAGINA, CAUSING EXHAUSTING HEMORRHAGES —REMOVAL AND RECOVERY.*

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Mrs. J. H. S., forty-one years of age, was kindly sent to me, by Doctor Stewart, of Arundel, complaining of severe hemorrhages every month since October, 1902, and of a very exhausting discharge, which she had had since May, 1903.

She gave me the following history: She was born in Canada; began to menstruate at fifteen; normal, until her marriage at thirty-eight. She has never been pregnant. From the age of fifteen to thirty-eight she was engaged at housework. Her periods had always been profuse, but the past few years they began to be painful. Her bowels had always been constipated until a few years ago, when she cured herself by drinking hot water in the morning. For the last few years she had been compelled to get up several

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