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### A WEEK'S WORK IN GYNÆCOLOGY.

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The week ending July 14th, 1894, was a busy one at "The Doran," and a brief account of the cases may be of interest to your readers.

Case 1.—Mrs. S. K., aged twenty-four, has had three children and one miscarriage. Her last child was born on April 20th, and was followed on the third day by septicaemia. Two weeks after this she was admitted to hospital, where she remained for six weeks, her temperature varying from 100° to 103°, and suffering from all the symptoms of so-called parametritis, although I suspected the existence of a pus tube. The pain and swelling subsided as well as the fever, so she left, but returned in two weeks still suffering pain and having some fever. On July 9th, I opened the abdomen and found the left tube adherent and very much inflamed, as well as the ovary, which I removed. She had an uninterrupted recovery. She called to-day (September 8th), and says she feels quite well, has no pain, and has not been unwell since birth of her last child.

Case 2.—Miss F., aged thirty-seven, has suffered for years from dysmenorrhœa, and lately from menorrhagia; has great tenderness and pain over both ovaries, but especially the left one, which felt distinctly cystic. The pain was