

11 p.m., 28th.—Was sleeping when I went in. Has had no chloral since 2 p.m. Had one fit about 4 p.m., and now seems more rational than she has been for some time. Pulse 98; temperature 99.

July 29th, 11 a.m. Had two fits since visit last night—one for three quarters of an hour. Has had several pains. Fits preceded by bearing-down pains. Had a fit of 15 minutes duration just before my arrival this morning.

July 30th, 11 a.m.—Had four fits since last night's visit. Bowels not moved. Is again taking the Bromide of Potass. at the rate 3ij per diem. Pulse 106; temperature 98.4.

30th, 5 p.m.—Had seven fits during the day; ordered a pill of *Zinci Valerian* gr. j, *extract valerian* gr. iij every four hours.

At two or three of my visits I attempted to dilate the os uteri by the introduction of two or more fingers, but on the advice of Dr. Howard, who saw the case with me, desisted, to await the natural advent of labour, which would evidently be not long delayed.

July 31st, morning visit.—Slept soundly and had only one fit during the night.

Evening visit.—During the day had only two, what the nurse called "inward" fits, was not generally convulsed.

Pulse 112; temperature 98.4.

August 4th.—Had 4 fits last night.

August 5th.—Had only one of the slight "inward" convulsions.

August 6th.—Has not had any fit to-day. Head clear; tongue clean, and better generally. Temperature 98.4.

Genuine labour pains began about 2 p.m., and I was sent for at 11.30 p.m.

There was no convulsion during labour, which was completed at 1 a.m. of the 7th. (The presentation was a vertex in the first position if I remember rightly.)