

or rather I should say demanding, conservative methods. I am inclined to think it is the first successful conservative Cæsarean section in this city, if not in the Dominion. If I am correct, the fact speaks volumes for the rarity of those conditions of impaired nutrition which bring about contracted pelvis. This woman had lost all her previous children and was naturally anxious for offspring. The fact that she is left in a condition for subsequent pregnancies is naturally a matter for satisfaction to the operator if not to the patient. In watching the case one could not help seeing that the sum total of suffering was much less than in normal labour in a normal condition of the birth-canal.

[The discussion on this case is reported at page 949.]