

The expulsion of the decidual membrane however a few days later, clinched the diagnosis and subsequently one could detect, high up on the right side, the enlargement due to the fœtal sac.

Another point of interest here, is the amount of blood found in Douglas' pouch. The hæmatocèle detected just before the operation was certainly not to be felt two days before. At no time did the patient show signs of acute hæmorrhage, such as shock, collapse, rapid and feeble pulse, clammy sweats, etc.; her pulse never went above 100, being always full and regular.