

the broad ligament is the likely result, and, should operation be required, the case would present a very different aspect to one of intra-peritoneal rupture.

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**Tumors of the Female Urethra.** DR. HIRST, *American Journal of Surgery*, December, 1909.

Dr. Hirst reports some rare cases of tumor of the female urethra, amongst which three were malignant, two carcinomata and one sarcoma.

His observations affirm the necessity for careful microscopical examination of all such tumors.

The ordinary urethral caruncle is, as a rule, easily recognized, but the occasional recurrence of one after removal may be misleading. This is also true of the infective granulomata that are prone to form at the urethral meatus.

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