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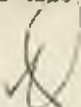
Summary

This PCPO was admitted by a General Practitioner on 5 12 76 under Surgeon Cdr. Drinkwater. He gave a history of long standing dyspepsia, culminating in an apparent severe bleed 3 days prior to his admission with haematemesis and melaena. ~~His examination was~~

~~After resuscitation~~ endoscopy was performed and 2 small duodenal ulcers were found but there was no bleeding at the time of examination. He continued to bleed and was submitted for laparotomy on 6 12 76.

At operation the small bowel was ^(b)observed to be filled with blood and there was ~~peduncle~~ of the first part of the duodenum. Pylorotomy was performed and a small bleeding point was found on the anterior duodenal wall which was undersewn. A large bleeding ulcer was found in the distal first part anteriorly. This was also undersewn and a vagotomy and pyloroplasty performed.

His post operative recovery was uneventful and, following periods of sick leave he was discharged on 1 2 77 Med Cat P7R for 6 months, with arrangements made to review him in 6 weeks time in the Surgical Outpatient Department.


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