Table 2. Patients Receiving Rapid Intravenous Blood Transfusions

Pa- tient	Wound	Blood Pressure on Ad- mission	Time in Minutes	Amount of Blood (cc.)	Rate per Minute (cc.)	Results
1	Penetration of abdomen and legs; laceration of com- mon iliac artery; retroperitoneal hematoma	0/0	45	3, 000	70	Died on operating table
2	Penetration of thigh; laceration of superficial artery	140/70	60	5, 000	83	Recovered
. 3	Multiple penetrations of right buttocks; open frac- tures of sacrum; penetration of rectum; trau- matic amputation of right leg	50/30	108	5, 000	46	Died
4	Penetration of abdomen and right leg	140/80	15	1, 500	100	Recovered
5	Penetration of thorax and abdomen; laceration of spleen	80/40	45	3, 000	70	Recovered
6	Traumatic amputation of left thigh; multiple, right leg, right thigh, and left arm	30/?	75	4, 000	53	Recovered
	Traumatic amputation of both legs and left hand	90/70	65	5, 000	77	Died on first postopera- tive day
	Average rate				70	