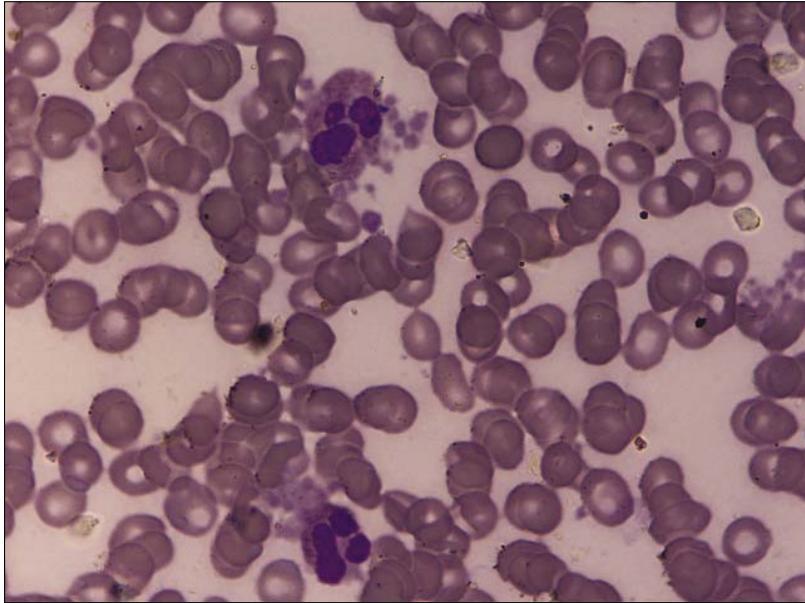


Platelet satellitism in a pregnant woman



26 years old female patient with 28 weeks of pregnancy has been consulted because of thrombocytopenia. Her blood count was; Hb: 11 g/dL, WBC: 8×10^9 /L, platelets: 36×10^9 /L. On peripheral blood smear, platelets were showing satellitism around the granulocytes. Delivery was performed by cesarean section. On postpartum 10th day, her blood counts were completely

within normal limits and her platelets were sufficient and showing aggregation.

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