

Regarding the station-hospitals here and all along the river, so far as they are yet established, they are working satisfactorily and well, and no complaints whatever are made. Officers and men are all satisfied; indeed, the former are loud in their expressions regarding the attention and care they receive. Now and again, one hears the amusing complaint of a man suffering from dysentery or typhoid, that he has had "nothing to eat for several days;" for the milk, eggs, soup, arrowroot, given in their cases in suitable quantities, are not considered food by the British soldier. However, the absurdity of such complaints appears to be now getting to be understood.

MAHOMED MEMORIAL FUND.

THE following additional subscriptions have been either received or promised.

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1 G. B. Allen, Esq.	5	0	0	Edward Lund, Esq.	10	10	0
Miss Beale	2	2	0	Dr. Leech	5	0	0
Dr. Biss	2	2	0	C. Lamb, Esq.	2	2	0
Dr. Brailey	3	3	0	J. M. Maidlow, Esq.	10	10	0
His Honour Judge Chalmers	5	5	0	James Matthew, Esq.	3	3	0
Dr. Carrington	5	5	0	John Mackern, M.B.	5	5	0
The Earl of Devon	1	0	0	Mrs. Nathaniel Montefiore	21	0	0
T. D. Galpin, Esq.	2	2	0	Edward Norman, Esq.	5	0	0
T. F. Gandar, Esq.	2	2	0	W. B. Owen, Esq.	1	1	0
E. Gayler, Esq.	1	1	0	Dr. Edward Penny	2	2	0
E. Gibbs, Esq.	1	1	0	Dr. Burdon Sanderson	10	0	0
Dr. Clement Godson	5	5	0	Dr. Simon (Birmingham)	1	1	0
1 G. Hilton Golding-Bird, Esq.	15	15	0	Dr. Eustace Smith	5	5	0
Charles Higgins, Esq.	5	0	0	Dr. Trend	1	1	0
E. S. Hunt, Esq.	1	1	0	Dr. Charlewood Turner	5	5	0
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T. J. Kent, Esq.	2	2	0	Dr. W. Wood	25	0	0
W. Keillar, Esq.	2	2	0	G. A. Wright, Esq.	2	2	0
John Lane, Esq.	2	2	0				
W. C. Low, Esq.	5	5	0				

¹ Omitted from previous list.

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ASSOCIATION INTELLIGENCE.

NOTICE OF QUARTERLY MEETINGS FOR 1885: ELECTION OF MEMBERS.

MEETINGS of the Council will be held on April 8th, July 8th, and October 14th, 1885. Gentlemen desirous of becoming members of the Association must send in their forms of application for election to the General Secretary, not later than twenty-one days before each meeting, namely, March 18th, June 17th, and September 24th, 1885, in accordance with the regulation for the election of members, passed at the meeting of the Committee of Council of October 12th, 1881.

FRANCIS FOWKE, General Secretary.

COLLECTIVE INVESTIGATION OF DISEASE.

CARDS for recording individual cases of the following diseases have been prepared by the Committee; they may be had on application to the Honorary Secretaries of the Local Committees in each Branch, or on application to the Secretary of the Collective Investigation Committee.

- I. Acute Pneumonia.
- II. Chorea.
- III. Acute Rheumatism.
- IV. Diphtheria, clinical.
- IVa. Diphtheria, sanitary.
- V. Syphilis, acquired.
- VA. " inherited.
- VI. Acute Gout.
- VII. Puerperal Pyrexia.
- VIII. Paroxysmal haemoglobinuria.
- X. Habits of Aged Persons.
- XI. Albuminuria in the Apparently Healthy.
- XII. Sleep-walking.

An inquiry is now issued concerning the general condition, habits, and circumstances, past and present, and the family history of persons who have attained or passed the age of 80 years.

The replies to this inquiry will be most valuable when given by a medical man; but the questions have been so arranged that, with the exception of some on the last page, they may be answered by another person. *Partial information will be gladly received.*

There is also now issued an inquiry as to the occurrence of albuminuria in apparently healthy persons.

The Acute Gout card, which had been found too elaborate, has been made a great deal simpler, and is now re-issued.

Copies of these forms and memoranda are in the hands of all the local secretaries, and will be forwarded to anyone who is willing to fill up one or more of the forms, on application by post-card or otherwise to the Secretary of the Collective Investigation Committee, 161A, Strand, London, W.C., to whom all applications and correspondence should be addressed.

July, 1884.

BRANCH MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

SOUTH INDIAN BRANCH.—Meetings are held in the Central Museum, Madras, on the first Saturday in the month, at 9 P.M. Gentlemen desirous of reading papers or exhibiting specimens are requested to communicate with the Honorary Secretary.—C. SIBTHORPE, Honorary Secretary, Madras.

METROPOLITAN COUNTIES BRANCH: EAST LONDON AND SOUTH ESSEX DISTRICT.—The next meeting will be held at the Hackney Town Hall, on Thursday, January 22nd, at 8 P.M.: Mr. Macnamara, President of the Branch, in the chair. Dr. Henty will propose a resolution advocating the charging of hospital and dispensary out-patients a small sum of money to cover the expense of medicine, etc.—JOSEPH W. HUNT, Honorary Secretary, 101, Queen's Road, Dalston.

SOUTH-EASTERN BRANCH: WEST KENT DISTRICT.—The next meeting of the above district will be held at Gravesend Hospital, on Tuesday, January 27th, at 3.30 P.M.; Charles Firth, M.D., F.R.C.S., in the chair. The dinner will take place at the New Falcon Hotel, Gravesend, at 6.30 P.M.; charge, 6s. 6d., exclusive of wine. Gentlemen who intend to dine are particularly requested to signify their intention to Dr. Firth, Parrock Street, Gravesend, not later than January 26th. All members of the South-Eastern Branch are entitled to attend this meeting, and to introduce friends. Papers to be read are—1. C. B. Keetley, F.R.C.S.: The Results of Treatment in Hip-disease. 2. A. Venn, M.D.: A Difficult Case in Midwifery. 3. H. L. Bernays, Esq.: Three Cases of Poisoning by Sewer-gas in Children. 4. C. J. W. Pinching, Esq.: A Case of Enucleation of the Head of Thigh-bone. 5. O. R. Richmond, Esq.: A Case of Excision of Shoulder-joint. 6. Charles Firth, M.D.: Fyæmia. 7. Mr. Robbs will exhibit some Pathological Specimens. At 3 P.M., Messrs. Krohne and Sesemann will exhibit some new surgical instruments.—H. LEWIS JONES, Honorary Secretary.

NORTH OF IRELAND BRANCH.—A general meeting of the Branch will be held in the Belfast Royal Hospital on Thursday, January 29th, at 12 o'clock.—ALEX. DEMPSEY, M.D., Honorary Secretary.

DUBLIN BRANCH.—The eighth annual general meeting of the Dublin Branch will, by kind permission of the President and Fellows, be held on Thursday, January 29th, at 4 P.M., in the Hall of the King and Queen's College of Physicians, Kildare Street. The officers and Council for the ensuing year will be elected by ballot, and any other necessary business transacted. Dr. Lombe Atthill, President-elect, will deliver the annual address. The annual dinner of the Branch will be in the College Hall, at 7 P.M. on the day of the meeting. Dinner-tickets for members who purchase their tickets on or before Wednesday, the 28th instant, 17s. 6d.; for members purchasing their tickets after that date, and for guests, £1.—RICHARD A. HAYES, M.D., Honorary Secretary and Treasurer, 56, Merrion Square South, Dublin.—January 5th, 1885.

SOUTHERN BRANCH.—A meeting of the South Wilts District will be held at the Angel Hotel, Salisbury, on Wednesday, 23rd instant, at 2 o'clock. Mr. W. Martin Coates will read a paper entitled "What is Hysteria?" and will exhibit a new Inhaler, and a new Clamp. Mr. Kelland will open a discussion on Hoy's Internal Derangement of the Knee-joint. Luncheon will be provided at one o'clock, at 3s. 6d. a head, wine not included. Members intending to be present to give notice to the Honorary Secretary, H. J. MANNING, Laverstock House, Salisbury.

CORRECTIONS IN THE LIST OF MEMBERS OF THE BRITISH MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, 1884-5.

BATH AND BRISTOL BRANCH.

MEMBERS UNATTACHED: OMISSION.

Dale, B. H., Esq., Craven House, Devizes, Wilts.

BORDER COUNTIES BRANCH.

CORRECTION.

For Honorary Secretaries, J. A. Macdougall, M.D., Carlisle; H. A. Lediard, M.D., Lowther Street, Carlisle; read Vice-President, J. A. Macdougall, M.D., Carlisle; Honorary Secretary, H. A. Lediard, M.D., Lowther Street, Carlisle.

EAST ANGLIAN BRANCH.

MEMBERS UNATTACHED: OMISSION.

Pickworth, Alfred J., Esq., Lakenheath, Suffolk.
Stephens, C., Esq., Haughtley, Suffolk.

EDINBURGH BRANCH.

MEMBERS UNATTACHED: CORRECTION.

For Macarthur, Alex., M.D., Anstruther, read Macarthur, Alex. J., M.R., Beachcroft, Trinity Road, Edinburgh.

GLASGOW AND WEST OF SCOTLAND BRANCH.

MEMBERS UNATTACHED: CORRECTION.

For Pollock, C. F., M.D., 8, Albion Crescent, Dowanhill, Glasgow, read Pollock, C. F., M.D., 15, Kerrsland Terrace, Hillhead, Glasgow.

LANCASHIRE AND CHESHIRE BRANCH.

MEMBERS UNATTACHED: OMISSION.

Vickerstaff, W. H., Esq., Brook Cottage, Bollington, Macclesfield.

METROPOLITAN COUNTIES BRANCH.

MEMBERS UNATTACHED: OMISSIONS.

Cook, John, M.D., 1, Nottingham Terrace, York Gate, N.W.

MacKintosh, M., M.B., Mortlake, S.W.

Nicholls, F. L., Esq., St. Osyth, Essex.

Pook, W. J., Esq., 123, Copenhagen Street, N.

Wise, C. H., M.D., Church End, Walthamstow.

CORRECTION.

For Hollings, E., Esq., 4, Gordon Square, W.C., read Hollings, E., M.D., 4, Gordon Street, W.C.

SOUTH-EASTERN BRANCH.

MEMBERS UNATTACHED: OMISSIONS.

Nicholson, W., M.D., 2, Kent Villas, E. Greenwich, S.E.

Ryan, M., M.D., 5, St. George's Place, Brighton.

YORKSHIRE BRANCH.

MEMBERS: CORRECTION.

For Hobson, L. J., M.D., 10, Museum Street, York, read Hobson, L. J., M.D., Scarborough Lodge, Victoria Park, Harrogate.

MEMBERS UNATTACHED: OMISSION.

Colby, Geo., Esq., Malton.

ARMY AND NAVY.

OMISSIONS.

Beattie, J. H., Esq., Surg. R.N., H.M.S. "Bittern," Suez.

McMorris, R. J., Esq., Fleet-Surg. R.N., Burmidenet, Strabane.

Thomas, J. Lloyd, Esq., Surg. R.N., H.M.S. "Temeraire," Mediterranean.

CORRECTION.

For Kendal, H., Esq., Surg.-Gen., M.S., Bexley Heath, read Kendall, H., Esq., Surg.-Gen., M.S., Bexley Heath.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BERLIN.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

The Berlin University Institute.—Death of Dr. Grimm, Physician in Ordinary to H.I.M. the Emperor of Germany.—

University Intelligence.

PROFESSOR BUSCH, the head of the new Dental Institute attached to the University of Berlin (of which mention was made, in July and November last, in the BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL), has published a short article, in the *Deutsche Medicinische Wochenschrift*, on the Study of Dentistry at the University of Berlin. I take from it the following notes, referring to the conditions on which foreigners are admitted to lectures at the institute. As the institute forms a part of the university, those who are desirous of studying dentistry at the institute must be matriculated at the university. Foreigners are matriculated at the university, in any faculty they choose, on showing their passport, or certificate of having already matriculated at another German university. If they wish to pass the State examination in dentistry, they must send in a petition, to that effect, to the Minister of Education, who will fix the conditions to be complied with. Whether students should be advised to go direct from school to the dental institute, or first work for a year in a dentist's laboratory, cannot be answered off-hand. By going straight to the university, the student can attend the scientific lectures; and, as the Dental Institute affords plenty of opportunity for learning the technical part of the profession, the disadvantage of not having previously worked in a dentist's laboratory disappears. Vacation-courses of lectures held in the institute are open to students of the university, and practising medical men and dentists, without a special ticket from the university. The Dental Institute is much frequented by the public. It is in the Dorotheenstrasse.

The day before Christmas-day, Dr. Grimm, one of the physicians in ordinary to the Emperor, and retired staff-surgeon of the general staff of the army, succumbed, in his eighty-first year, to an attack of bronchitis. In 1858, he was made first general staff-surgeon of the army and chief of the military medical department. It was he who reformed the military medical department of the Prussian and German armies. He retired in 1879 from his military duties, when he was made physician in ordinary to the Emperor. His reforms were carried

out with considerable ability; the excellence of his arrangements was first practically witnessed in the campaigns of 1864 and 1866. Dr. Grimm was not a relative of the physiologist of the same name.

At the University of Berlin, 5,066 students are inscribed in the books for this term, of whom 1,133 are students of medicine; of these, 128 are non-European, 112 being American, 15 coming from Asia, and one from Africa. In Leipsic, out of 3,281 students, 695 are medical students; at Königsberg, there are 247 medical students, out of a total of 897; at Würzburg, 740, out of 1,280; at Breslau, 378, out of 1,389; at Halle, 298, out of 1,631; at Tübingen, 185, out of 1,237.

MANCHESTER.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

Dispute between the Corporation and the Royal Infirmary Board.—Conference on Health and Education.—Vacancy for Pathologist at the Infirmary.—Water-Supply.

A CURIOUS dispute has arisen between the Corporation of this city and the Board of Management of the Royal Infirmary, with reference to the time which fever-patients (more especially scarlet fever) are retained at the Monsal Fever Hospital, which belongs to the latter, and to which infectious cases are sent from the city. The Corporation pays the Infirmary Board a fixed sum *per annum* to maintain the hospital, and, in addition, 14s. to 21s. per week per patient, according to the number in the wards, to cover the cost of the maintenance of the patients. During the last two quarters of 1884, the Corporation have refused to pay their accounts in full, deducting £540, on the ground that the time during which the convalescents were detained in hospital was excessive and unnecessary. They allege that some cases have been in hospital fourteen weeks, and all have been kept much longer than formerly. The Infirmary Board have, by a resolution, called on the Corporation to pay their account in full, and have declined to receive fever-patients except on the distinct understanding that the medical staff of the Infirmary are to be the sole judges as to the period during which it is necessary to detain infectious cases in hospital. For the present, at least, the Infirmary Board are masters of the situation, as no adequate accommodation for fever-patients exists in this district, except at Monsal, though twenty-eight or thirty beds are set apart for scarlet fever at the Children's Hospital. The whole question turns on the answer to the query, How long do scarlet fever patients remain infectious? The Health Committee of the Corporation—who have been rather roughly used in the press on account of their alleged extravagance—protest, by the advice of the medical officer of health, against a longer detention of their patients in hospital than the end of the sixth week for cases of average severity. The medical officers at Monsal prefer to adopt a somewhat longer detention, in order to secure absolute safety. Surely it is the truest economy, in the long run, to be well on the safe side. Perhaps the best thing, by way of a compromise, would be the establishment of a convalescent fever hospital.

A conference on how best to secure "education under healthy conditions" is to be held in this city in the spring, under the presidency of Lord Aberdare. Among the subjects to be discussed are the following: "Overpressure in Schools, both Higher and Elementary;" "Physical Training and Gymnastics;" "Kindergarten Exercises;" "Science and Art in Schools;" "Penny Dinners for Poor Children." The conference promises to be well supported, and it is to be hoped that a maximum of light and a minimum of heat will be evolved from the discussion of subjects hitherto distinguished for a somewhat opposite result. The honorary secretary is Mr. T. C. Horsfall, of Alderley Edge.

The office of Pathologist to the Royal Infirmary, and Assistant Professor of Pathology at Owens College, is now vacant by the resignation of Dr. Maguire, who has recently been appointed Assistant Physician to St. Mary's Hospital, London. The post is an exceedingly valuable one, not only for the prospect of further advancement which it offers, but also for the rich opportunities for research presented in the *post mortem* room of the Infirmary and the newly equipped laboratories at Owens College. Several candidates are already in the field. The appointment practically rests with the Medical Board, who recommend a candidate to the General Board.

By a recent resolution of the Corporation, the works in connection with the projected water-supply of this district from Thirlmere are to be commenced forthwith.

VACCINATION.—Mr. R. L. Shone, Public Vaccinator for the Mortlake District of the Richmond Union, has recently received the Government grant for successful vaccination.

sample for analysis; but the owner of the bakehouse refuses to allow it to be taken; and, so far as I can see, the sanitary authority has no power to compel him to do so. Even if proceedings were taken (which could hardly be done without proof of the impurity of the water), the magistrates could order the water to be analysed, but the baker might still refuse to supply the means for this to be done, without, so far as appears, incurring any penalty.

2. The Bakehouse Act is in other respects very inefficient. For instance, any bakehouse which was in use before 1883, may be in communication with an ash-pit or privy, may be supplied by a cistern which also supplies a closet, and may contain the opening of a drain in direct communication with the sewers.

3. Moreover, the functions of the inspector of bakehouses, being practically almost limited to seeing that the place is kept clean, cannot be delegated to the inspector of nuisances, but must be performed by the medical officer of health himself.—I am, etc., E. C.

* * * 1. See Section 79 of the Public Health Act, 1875. If the representation therein contemplated were made by a responsible official, the court would, no doubt, be willing, upon sufficient cause shown, to make an order for the water to be analysed. Disobedience to an order of the court would be punishable under the general statute law.

2. See Section 16 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1883, which provides that, where the court is satisfied that any bakehouse is in such a state as to be, on sanitary grounds, unfit for use or occupation as a bakehouse, the occupier shall be liable to a penalty of forty shillings.

3. An inspector of nuisances cannot exercise the powers given to a factory inspector by the Factory and Workshops Act, 1878. Such powers are conferred by Section 17 of the Act of 1883 upon medical officers of health only.

MEDICAL NEWS.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—The following gentlemen passed their primary examinations in Anatomy and Physiology at a meeting of the Board of Examiners on the 8th instant, and, when eligible, will be admitted to the pass examination.

Messrs. J. F. Blurton, C. H. Harris, and F. Hughes, Birmingham; E. A. Field, W. E. Porter, and W. W. Chamberlain, Edinburgh; F. W. Burnett, L. Demetriadi, H. N. Pullan, and B. Wainman, Leeds; J. Garth, Liverpool; J. Blacklock, J. A. Jenkins, and R. Bilsborrow, Manchester; H. L. Harrison, and M. H. Spencer, Cambridge; W. G. Rockwood, Madras; W. D. Arnison, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; D. A. D'Monte, Bombay; B. H. Scott, Toronto; and D. Roxburgh, Glasgow.

The following passed in Anatomy only.

Messrs. N. Davis, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; H. H. Sales, Leeds; H. F. Cartmel, Manchester; and J. G. Modlin, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

The following passed in Physiology only.

Messrs. T. W. Scott, Cambridge; J. E. Brown, Toronto; and J. J. Garnang, New York.

The following passed the second examination, under the combined Examining Board for England.

Mr. G. B. Flux, King's College.

The following gentlemen passed in Anatomy and Physiology on the 9th instant.

Messrs. H. E. Gough, P. de C. Potter, E. de M. Jong, and G. W. Dowling, of the Manchester School of Medicine; C. J. Acton, G. L. Travis, and T. M. Draper, of the Liverpool School of Medicine; A. S. Alexander, and L. Williams, of Glasgow; O. Morris, F. P. R. James, and W. H. Helm, of Leeds; E. B. Hill, P. King, A. H. Williams, and E. M. Light, of Cambridge; G. R. S. Banbury, and F. F. Jones, of Bristol; and A. O. Davis, of Edinburgh.

The following candidates passed their examination in Anatomy only.

Messrs. A. S. Taylor, of Newcastle; J. E. Finnie, of Liverpool; S. H. H. Dowse, of Dublin; P. A. Linnell, of Manchester; and H. Clapham, of Sheffield.

The following candidate passed in Physiology only.

Mr. W. M. Branson, of Sheffield.

The following passed his second examination, under the combined Examining Board for England.

Mr. H. Shipton, of King's College.

The following gentlemen passed on the 12th instant.

Messrs. F. M. Davis, Madras; F. A. Le Mesurier, and J. B. Close, of St. Bartholomew's Hospital; U. K. Dutt, of St. Mary's Hospital; J. K. Reeves, of Guy's Hospital; C. E. Dawson, and W. B. Pettett, Leeds; C. T. Samman, J. K. Warry, and M. J. Rees, of London Hospital; A. K. Ludlam, Manchester; A. H. Benson, and S. B. Day, Bristol; E. P. Habibagam, E. H. Lingwood, and W. H. Compton, of Charing Cross Hospital; J. L. Henstock, and J. C. Williams, Liverpool; H. W. Maclure, Cambridge; W. C. Brown, Newcastle-on-Tyne; F. W. Hildyard, of St. George's Hospital.

The following passed in Anatomy only.

Messrs. C. H. Smales, Manchester; A. Norman, of Guy's Hospital; G. Dunn, Bristol; P. J. Le Riche, of University College; and W. H. Hillyer, of St. George's Hospital.

The following passed in Physiology only.

Messrs. J. H. Lister, Leeds; and E. Cantley, Cambridge.

The following gentlemen passed in Anatomy and Physiology on the 13th instant.

Messrs. W. H. Blake, of University College; W. H. Savory, H. P. Daniell; F. A. Watkins, and B. S. G. Nightingall, of St. Bartholomew's Hospital; E. H. Blake, J. J. Lewington, G. H. Francis, and A. H. Moxon, of London Hospital; H. Saunders; J. Hewan, and W. L. Mathias, of St. Thomas's Hos-

pital; A. Z. C. Cressy, and W. A. Slater, of Guy's Hospital; W. G. Reily, of Middlesex Hospital; T. A. Grieves, of St. Mary's Hospital; E. Cooper, of Charing Cross Hospital; W. A. Griffiths, of Westminster Hospital.

The following gentlemen passed in Anatomy only.

Messrs. F. J. Wadham, of St. George's Hospital; S. E. Rossiter, P. V. Dodd, G. R. Saunders, and E. Loveday, of St. Bartholomew's Hospital; H. T. Knyvet, W. E. Kelbe, C. J. Fuller, and A. R. F. Evershed, of Guy's Hospital; L. N. Hoysted, of Charing Cross Hospital.

The following gentlemen passed in Physiology only.

Messrs. H. W. Rogers, of the London Hospital; A. Bowles, of University College.

The following gentlemen passed in Anatomy and Physiology on the 14th instant.

Messrs. H. A. Edmonds, G. J. Padbury, F. H. A. Bryden, of Guy's Hospital; J. Hill, W. F. Read, J. A. Feeney, C. H. Lewis, S. Low, J. E. A. G. Becker, A. J. Cronwell, of St. Bartholomew's Hospital; E. Cooke, R. T. H. Bodilly, A. George, E. J. Neville, of King's College; E. H. Crisp, of St. Thomas's Hospital; A. C. Domford, of the London Hospital; G. H. Biden, E. J. Day, of the Charing Cross Hospital; E. L. Williams, of University College; W. Challenor, of Middlesex Hospital.

The following gentlemen passed in Anatomy only.

Messrs. G. C. Peachy, M. E. H. Wale, G. W. B. Daniel, of St. George's Hospital; F. Gilpin, A. F. Tyrrell, of Middlesex Hospital; J. Bampfylde, of Guy's Hospital.

The following gentlemen passed in Physiology only.

Messrs. A. C. Roberts, of Guy's Hospital; J. Tate, of the London Hospital.

APOTHECARIES' HALL.—The following gentlemen passed their Examination in the Science and Practice of Medicine, and received certificates to practise, on Thursday, January 8th, 1885.

Ashley, Sydney Dukes, London Hospital.

Copeman, Sydney Arthur Monckton, St. Thomas's Hospital.

Fox, Jno. Alfred, Guy's Hospital.

Fryer, Charles, Guy's Hospital.

Mansley, Henry Sydney, St. Mary's Hospital.

Melson, George Hyde, Queen's College, Birmingham.

Pitchall, Jno. Maynard, Westminster Hospital.

Thirkill, Henry, Leeds School of Medicine.

Watts, Alfred Thomas Guy, Cambridge University.

The following gentleman also on the same day passed the Primary Professional Examination.

Cree, Gerald, Middlesex Hospital.

MEDICAL VACANCIES.

The following vacancies are announced.

BOROUGH OF CHELTENHAM.—Medical Officer of Health. Salary, £300 per annum. Applications by January 26th.

CITY OF DUBLIN HOSPITAL.—House-Surgeon. Salary, £100 per annum. Applications by January 22nd.

DONCASTER GENERAL INFIRMARY AND DISPENSARY.—House-Surgeon. Salary, £100 per annum. Applications by January 31st.

GATESHEAD DISPENSARY.—Assistant-Surgeon. Salary, £120 per annum. Applications to Mr. Joseph Jordan, Honorary Secretary, 2, Side, Newcastle, by January 24th.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM.—Honorary Physician. Applications by January 24th.

GENERAL INFIRMARY AT GLOUCESTER, AND THE GLOUCESTERSHIRE EYE INSTITUTION.—Physician. Applications by February 18th.

GENERAL INFIRMARY, HERTFORD.—House-Surgeon and Secretary. Salary, £100 per annum. Applications by January 22nd.

INGHAM INFIRMARY AND SOUTH SHIELDS AND WESTOE DISPENSARY.—Senior House-Surgeon. Salary, £70 per annum. Applications by January 26th.

JESSOP HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, SHEFFIELD.—House-Surgeon. Salary, £200 per annum. Applications by January 31st.

KENT AND CANTERBURY HOSPITAL.—House-Surgeon. Salary, £80 per annum. Applications by January 23rd.

MANCHESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY.—Pathological Registrar. Salary, £80 per annum. Applications by January 22nd.

MOTHERS LYING-IN HOME, JUNIPER STREET, SHADWELL, E.—Medical Officer. Applications to Mrs. Ashton Warner, by February 2nd.

NAAS UNION.—Medical Officer, Newbridge Dispensary. Salary, £140 per annum and fees. Applications to Michel Flood, Honorary Secretary, Newbridge, by February 5th.

NORTHERN INFIRMARY, INVERNESS.—House-Surgeon and Apothecary. Salary, £50 per annum. Applications to Kenneth MacDonald, Esq., Town Clerk, by January 17th.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM.—Casualty Surgeon. Applications by January 24th.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM.—Resident Physician. Salary, £50 per annum. Applications by January 24th.

ROTHERHAM HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY.—Resident House-Surgeon. Salary, £100 per annum. Applications by February 1st.

ROYAL INFIRMARY AND GENERAL DISPENSARY, ABERDEEN.—Dispenser. Salary, £100 per annum. Applications to Mr. W. Carnie, 27, Exchange Street, by February 1st.

SOLWAY LODGE OF ODDFELLOWS, WHITEHAVEN.—Medical Practitioner. Applications by January 17th.

SUSSEX COUNTY HOSPITAL, Brighton.—Physician and Assistant-Physician. Applications by February 11th.

SUSSEX COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM, Hayward's Heath.—Junior Assistant Medical Officer. Salary, £100 per annum. Applications to Dr. Williams.

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD.—Lecturer in Human Anatomy. Salary, £300. Applications to the Secretary of the Common University Fund, New College, Oxford, not later than February 1st.

WESTERN OPHTHALMIC HOSPITAL, Marylebone Road.—Assistant Surgeon. Applications by January 17th.

WEST LONDON HOSPITAL, Hammersmith, W.—Physician for Diseases of Women. Applications by January 20th.

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

BRIGGS, Henry, M.B., F.R.C.S.Eng., appointed Honorary Medical Officer to the Ladies Charity and Lying-in Hospital, Liverpool.

BROATCHE, George T., M.B., C.M., appointed Assistant Medical Officer in the East Riding Asylum, *vice* A. C. Sutern, M.D., resigned.

CLARKE, Ernest, B.S. Lond., appointed Surgeon to the Miller Memorial Hospital, Greenwich.

CLERK, John, M.B., C.M. Glas., appointed Resident Physician and Superintendent of Knightswood Hospital, Maryhill, Glasgow.

CULMAN, W. P., appointed Civil Acting Surgeon to the 4th Dragoon Guards, Preston Barracks, *vice* Surgeon-Major Elliott.

CROCKER, J. H. Hedley, L.R.C.P. Lond., M.R.C.S.Eng., L.S.A. Lond., appointed Medical Officer to the Eccles and District Medical Association, Hampden Grove, Patricroft, near Manchester.

DODDS, W. J., M.D., D.Sc., appointed Assistant Medical Superintendent to the Montrose Royal Lunatic Asylum.

DUNN, H. Percy, F.R.C.S., appointed Assistant Ophthalmic Surgeon to the West London Hospital.

KIDDLE, W., appointed House-Surgeon to Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital, Dublin, *vice* G. D. Cowen, M.B., B.Ch.T.C.D., L.M. K.Q.C.P.I., resigned.

KING, Francis J. T., B.A., M.B., B.Ch.T.C.D., appointed Resident Medical Officer to the Monkstown Hospital, County Dublin.

LEIGH, W. W., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., appointed Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for the Gellingar "Lower" District of the Merthyr Tydfil Union, *vice* John Leigh, F.R.C.S.Eng., deceased.

LEVINE, E. G. A. B., M.B. (Univ. Dub.), L.M., L.R.C.S.I., appointed Medical Superintendent of the Mount View Asylum, Wellington, New Zealand.

MAGUIRE, Robert, M.D. Lond., M.R.C.P., appointed Physician to Out-Patients, St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington.

MOXON, Henry James, L.D.S., appointed Dental Surgeon to the North Surrey District Schools, Anerley.

THORNBURIAN, William, M.B., B.S., B.Sc. Lond., appointed House-Surgeon to the Clinical Hospital, Manchester.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

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DEATHS.

ADAMS.—On January 11th, at 109, Chesterton Road, Kensington, W., Priscilla, the wife of George Norris Adams, M.D., aged 33 years.

BAXTER.—At 28, Weymouth Street, Portland Place, W., on the 14th instant, Evan Buchanan Baxter, M.D., lately Professor of Materia Medica in King's College, London.

LANCHESTER.—On the 8th instant, at his residence, Park House, Croydon, of congestion of the lungs, Henry Thomas Lanchester, M.D., F.R.C.S., aged 46 years.

MEETINGS OF SOCIETIES DURING THE NEXT WEEK.

MONDAY.—Medical Society of London, 8.30 p.m. The Letisomian Lectures will be delivered by Dr. T. Lauder Brunton. Subject—Digestive Disorders: their Consequences, and Treatment. Lecture II.—Consequences of Indigestion: Flatulence, Acidity, Weight, Pain; Affections of the Liver: Glycosuria; Affections of the Respiratory Passages: Cough, Shortness of Breath, Asthma; Affections of the Heart: Intermittent Pulse, Faintness; Affections of the Kidneys: Transitory Albuminuria, Renal Degeneration, Oxaluria.

TUESDAY.—Pathological Society of London, 8.30 p.m. President's Address. Mr. Pepper: Malignant Disease of the Spermatic Cord. Dr. Norman Moore: Congenital Disease of the Heart; Disease of Sacro-iliac Joint (card); Drawing of a Renal Tumour consisting of Cholesterine (card); Rupture of the Heart (card); Perforated Aortic Valve (card); Dr. Charlewood Turner: Horseshoe Kidney: Sarcoma of both Adrenals (card); Mr. Davies-Colley: Synostosis of Dorsal Spines. Dr. Samuel West: Cases of Mediastinal Tumours. Mr. John Poland: Suppurating Bronchial Gland opening into Oesophagus and Left Bronchus (card). Mr. Shield: Rectal Polypus (card).

WEDNESDAY.—Royal Medical and Chirurgical Society, 8.30 p.m. Special meeting: adjourned discussion on Dr. Percy Kidd's paper on the Distribution of the Tuberclæ-Bacilli in the Lesions of Phthisis.—The Hospitals Association, 8 p.m. Mr. C. J. Radley: On the Relation of the Provident Dispensary to the Hospital.

FRIDAY.—Clinical Society of London, 8.30 p.m. Dr. Althaus: A Case of Hemianesthesia from Congenital Brain-Disease. Mr. Treves: A Case of Scrofulous Gland-Disease with Phthisis. Mr. C. J. Symonds: A Case of Stricture of the Oesophagus illustrating a New Method of employing the Oesophageal Catheter. Dr. Hale White: A Case of Myxœdema, with a Post Mortem Examination.—Quckett Microscopical Club, 8 p.m. Ordinary meeting. Papers by Dr. W. B. Carpenter and Mr. F. Parsons.

HOURS OF ATTENDANCE AT THE LONDON HOSPITALS.

CHARING CROSS.—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1; Obstetric, Tu. F., 1.30 Skin, M. Th.; Dental, M. W. F., 9.30.

GUY'S.—Medical and Surgical, daily, exc. Tu., 1.30; Obstetric, M. W. F., 1.30; Eye, M. Tu. Th. F., 1.30; Ear, Tu. F., 12.30; Skin, Tu., 12.30; Dental, Tu. Th. F., 12.

KING'S COLLEGE.—Medical, daily, 2; Surgical, daily, 1.30; Obstetric, Tu. Th. S., 2; o.p., M. W. F., 12.30; Eye, M. Th., 1; Ophthalmic Department, W., 1; Ear, Th., 2; Skin, Th.; Throat, Th., 3; Dental, Tu. F., 10.

LONDON.—Medical, daily, exc. S., 2; Surgical, daily, 1.30 and 2; Obstetric, M. Th., 1.30; o.p. W. S., 1.30; Eye, W. S., 9; Ear, S., 9.30; Skin, Th., 9; Dental, Tu., 9.

MIDDLESEX.—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1; Obstetric, Tu. F., 1.30; o.p., W. S., 1.30; Eye, W. S., 8.30; Ear and Throat, Tu., 9; Skin, F., 4; Dental, daily, 9.

S. BARTHOLOMEW'S.—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1.30; Obstetric, Tu. Th. S., 2; o.p. W. S., 9; Eye, Tu. W. Th. S., 2; Ear, M., 2.30; Skin, F., 1.30; Larynx, W., 11.30; Orthopaedic, F., 12.30; Dental, Tu. F., 9.

ST. GEORGE'S.—Medical and Surgical, M. Tu. F. S., 1; Obstetric, Tu. S., 1; o.p., Th., 2; Eye, W. S., 2; Ear, Tu., 2; Skin, Th., 1; Throat, M., 2; Orthopaedic, W., 2; Dental, Tu. S., 9; Th., 1.

ST. MARY'S.—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1.45; Obstetric, Tu. F., 9.30; o.p., M. Th., 9.30; Eye, Tu. F., 9.30; Ear, W. S., 9.30; Throat, M. Th., 9.30; Skin, Tu. F., 9.30; Electrician, Tu. F., 9.30; Dental, W. S., 9.30.

ST. THOMAS'S.—Medical and Surgical, daily, except Sat., 2; Obstetric, M. Th., 2; o.p., W., 1.30; Eye, M. Th., 2; o.p., daily, except Sat., 1.30; Ear, M., 12.30; Skin, W., 12.30; Throat, Tu. F., 1.30; Children, S., 12.30; Dental, Tu. F., 10.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1 to 2; Obstetric, M. Tu. Th. F., 1.30; Eye, M. Tu. Th. F., 2; Ear, S., 1.30; Skin, W., 1.45; S., 9.15; Throat, Th., 2.30; Dental, W., 10.30.

WESTMINSTER.—Medical and Surgical, daily 1.30; Obstetric, Tu. F., 3; Eye, M. Th., 2.30; Ear, Tu. F., 9; Skin, Th., 1; Dental, W. S., 9.15.

OPERATION DAYS AT THE HOSPITALS.

MONDAY.....St. Bartholomew's, 1.30 p.m.—Metropolitan Free, 2 p.m.—St. Mark's, 2 p.m.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 a.m.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 p.m.—Royal Orthopaedic, 2 p.m.—Hospital for Women, 2 p.m.

TUESDAY.....St. Bartholomew's, 1.30 p.m.—Guy's, 1.30 p.m.—Westminster 2 p.m.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 a.m.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 p.m.—West London, 3 p.m.—St. Mark's, 9 a.m.—St. Thomas's (Ophthalmic Department), 4 p.m.—Cancer Hospital, Brompton, 3 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.....St. Bartholomew's, 1.30 p.m.—St. Mary's, 1.30 p.m.—Middlesex, 1 p.m.—University College, 2 p.m.—London, 2 p.m.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 a.m.—Great Northern Central, 2 p.m.—Samaritan Free Hospital for Women and Children, 2.30 p.m.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 p.m.—St. Thomas's, 1.30 p.m.—St. Peter's, 2 p.m.—National Orthopaedic, 10 a.m.

THURSDAY....St. George's, 1 p.m.—Central London Ophthalmic, 1 p.m.—Charing Cross, 2 p.m.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 a.m.—Hospital for Diseases of the Throat, 2 p.m.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 p.m.—Hospital for Women, 2 p.m.—London, 2 p.m.—North-west London, 2.30 p.m.—Chelsea Hospital for Women, 2 p.m.

FRIDAY.....King's College, 2 p.m.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 p.m.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 a.m.—Central London Ophthalmic, 2 p.m.—Royal South London Ophthalmic, 2 p.m.—Guy's, 1.30 p.m.—St. Thomas's (Ophthalmic Department), 2 p.m.—East London Hospital for Children, 2 p.m.

SATURDAY....St. Bartholomew's, 1.30 p.m.—King's College, 1 p.m.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 a.m.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 p.m.—St. Thomas's, 1.30 p.m.—Royal Free, 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.—London, 2 p.m.

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