

to all the medical men of the neighbourhood, asking for information concerning cases of this disease occurring in their practice; a request which, we trust, will speedily be complied with. The need for some system of notification of infectious disease is well exemplified by this and similar outbreaks. It is a fact almost without exception, that the medical officer of health never hears of any outbreak of disease produced by infection of a milk-supply until the cause of the outbreak ceases to exist. Even after his attention is drawn to the occurrence, an amount of time is necessarily lost while a circular is issued, and before replies are received; the tedious process of gaining evidence of the existence of cases of infectious disease in a large district by a house-to-house inquiry, renders such inquiry almost useless for any other purpose than that of affording explanation of the cause of the occurrence.

SCOTLAND.

BAZAAR FOR SICK CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, ABERDEEN.

It has been officially intimated that the bazaar in aid of the funds of the Sick Children's Hospital, Aberdeen, will be opened by H.R.H. the Princess Beatrice, in Aberdeen, on September 27th.

ROYAL EDINBURGH SICK CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL.

DURING the month of August, 29 new cases were admitted to the Sick Children's Hospital, Edinburgh, which, with the 56 in the wards on August 1st, gave a total of 85 patients treated in the hospital during the month. The number of outdoor dispensary cases was 1,088, while 31 children were vaccinated. An analysis of the localities from which patients came shows that 461 were from Edinburgh, 84 from Leith, and 23 from the provinces.

THE BRITISH ASSOCIATION INVITED TO ABERDEEN.

At a representative meeting of the citizens of Aberdeen held last week, it was resolved to give a cordial invitation to the British Association to hold their annual meeting in Aberdeen in 1885. At the same time, it was resolved not to send a deputation to Southport in support of the claims of Aberdeen, as this had already been done at previous meetings of the Association.

HEALTH OF EDINBURGH.

THE state of public health in Edinburgh during the holiday months is of interest, considering the numbers of tourists who flock to that city during these months. During August, the death-rate was 16.52 per thousand *per annum*, the average for the five previous years being very slightly higher, viz., 16.74. In the subdivision of the municipality, the rates were: New Town, 12.30 per thousand; Old Town, 20.03; and southern suburbs, 15.90 per thousand. During the month, 344 cases of infectious diseases were intimated to the medical officer of health. Of these, 193 were of measles, 106 of scarlet fever, 30 of typhoid fever, 12 of diphtheria, and 3 of typhus fever. Last week, the mortality of the city was 16 per thousand; there were only four deaths from infectious diseases, two of these being from scarlet fever, one from measles, and one from whooping-cough, while three of the four occurred in the Old Town.

IRELAND.

DR. O'NEILL, of Athy, has, on the motion of the chairman of the Athy town council, been returned unopposed as coroner for South Kildare. Dr. O'Neill issued his address to the electors as a Nationalist.

THE ACADEMY OF MEDICINE IN IRELAND.

THE first volume of the *Transactions* of the body, which was contributed last year by an amalgamation of the medical societies of

Dublin, has just been issued. It would be out of place to express, in this column, any critical opinion on the contents of the volume, or otherwise interfere with the province of the reviewer. But it may be stated that it presents a most creditable appearance, and that the typography and general get-up of the work is excellent. Although none of the presidential addresses or discussions on the papers read are printed, the volume runs to 382 pages. It contains several illustrations, the best of which we are sorry to see, were not done in Dublin, and a very complete index. Mr. Thomson, the General Secretary of the Academy, deserves praise for the way in which he has edited this first volume, and superintended its issue.

CHANGES IN ANATOMICAL CHAIRS IN DUBLIN.

IT is believed that Dr. D. J. Cunningham, one of the two professors of anatomy in the school of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, will be elected to the professorship of anatomy and surgery, in the School of Physic, of the University of Dublin, vacated by the appointment of Professor Alexander Macalister to the chair of anatomy in the University of Cambridge. Should this be so, there would be a vacancy for a professor of anatomy in the College School, the election to which, by the Council of the College, would probably take place on November 1st. The emoluments of the professorship average, we believe, £600 yearly; and the professor is required to devote his entire time to the teaching of anatomy and practical histology. The Directors of the Carmichael College of Medicine have appointed Dr. Francis T. Heuston, who has been for some time senior demonstrator in their school, lecturer on anatomy, in the room of the late Dr. J. H. Loftie Stoney.

ASSOCIATION INTELLIGENCE.

COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF QUARTERLY MEETINGS FOR 1883: ELECTION OF MEMBERS.

A MEETING of the Council (Committee of Council) will be held on Wednesday, October 17th. Gentlemen desirous of becoming members must send in their forms of application for election to the General Secretary not later than twenty-one days before the meeting, viz., September 26th, 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*.

November 9th, 1882.

COLLECTIVE INVESTIGATION OF DISEASE.

CARDS and explanatory memoranda for the inquiries concerning Acute Pneumonia, Chorea, and Acute Rheumatism, can be had by application to the Honorary Secretaries of the Local Committees appointed by the Branches, or to the Secretary of the Collective Investigation Committee. Of these diseases, each member of the Association is earnestly requested to record at least one ordinary case coming under observation during the year.

Inquiries concerning Diphtheria and Syphilis have been prepared, and can be had on application by those willing to contribute information on these subjects. There are two cards on Diphtheria, one containing clinical, the other etiological inquiries, together with an explanatory memorandum. One of these cards is intended to serve as a guide to the systematic examination of a house or district for sanitary purposes. There are also two sets of inquiries concerning Syphilis, one for acquired, the other for inherited, disease. These are accompanied by an explanatory memorandum giving information concerning the most recently observed symptoms of the inherited disease.

A card and memorandum on Acute Gout is now ready, and may be had by application as above.

All these inquiries will be continued during the present year.

Applications, etc., to be addressed

The Secretary of the Collective Investigation Committee,
161A, Strand, W.C.

BRANCH MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

MIDLAND BRANCH.—A meeting will be held at the New Bath Hotel, Matlock, on Thursday, September 27th, 1883. Members having papers to read or matter to discuss will please communicate with Mr. SHARP, Honorary Local Secretary, 61, Osmaston Street, Derby.

SOUTH-EASTERN BRANCH: EAST SUSSEX DISTRICT.—The next meeting of the above District will be held at Hayward's Heath, on Wednesday, September 19th. Dr. Newth will preside. The chairman proposes to invite a discussion on "The Relation between Consulting Physicians and General Practitioners, with special reference to seeing Patients, Payment of Fees, and Abuse of Prescriptions." Mr. G. Abbott will read a short paper on the Treatment of Acute Nasal Catarrh. Dr. Ewart: A Case of Hypertrophy of the Nose, with Remarks on the Treatment. Dr. Lee will read a paper. Dr. Moore: Notes of a Case of Spinal Apoplexy.—T. JENNER VERRALL, 95, Western Road, Brighton.—September 4th, 1883.

CORRESPONDENCE.

PROPOSED MEDICAL PARLIAMENTARY ASSOCIATION.

SIR,—Surgeon-Major Alcock's suggestion to create a medical parliamentary association seems to me very valuable. He proposes, however, to go no farther than to defray the expenses of contested elections, and to refund actual outlay incurred in the performance of parliamentary duties. I am one of those who advocate payment of members. Were members of Parliament paid a moderate but sufficient stipend, one of the results would be to supplant many of those rich men whose leading notion seems to be that the House of Commons is the "best club in London," by useful hard-working members of scientific and literary distinction. Amongst these, it cannot be doubted, would be found a fair proportion of medical practitioners. But the chances of the adoption by the country of the practice of payment of all members of Parliament is, I dare say, remote. Meanwhile, I quite concur with Dr. Alcock in thinking that the profession cannot, under existing circumstances, "achieve political power without paying for it." I hope an association will be formed, and a fund obtained. But the payment, to be effectual for its purpose, must be carried a step further. Medical members of the House of Commons must not only have actual outlay re-im-bursed; they must be adequately remunerated for their time expended, and for their parliamentary work and services. Precedents could be found for such a course in the present Parliament. While, however, I agree with Dr. Alcock in his views as to the formation of a society, I cannot fall in with his proposal to tax all the members of the British Medical Association for the purpose. Personally, I have no objection to it. I would gladly pay the required additional subscription, but I feel sure that the proposal would defeat its own ends. It would be viewed with so great disfavour by at least a large minority of our members, that, even if carried by the Council or by a general meeting, it could not be put into operation without causing great disunion, and seriously damaging the interests of the Association at large. I wish I could think otherwise. I wish the Association might be practically unanimous in determining to tax itself for so desirable an object. But I cannot imagine this as likely to be the case; therefore, I think those of us who may wish to see such a step taken, must be content, for the present, with an opportunist programme, and must advocate merely that which is, for the occasion, practicable.

For such reasons as these, I would urge upon Surgeon-Major Alcock the advisability of proposing not a compulsory tax, but the formation of a voluntary association for the laudable purpose he has set forth.—I am, sir, etc.,

G. F. BODINGTON.

MEDICAL NEWS.

APOTHECARIES' HALL.—The following gentlemen passed their Examination in the Science and Practice of Medicine, and received certificates to practise, on Thursday, August 30th, 1883.

Davies, Henry Havelock, Snainton, Yorkshire.
Dodd, Arthur Herbert, Canonbury, N.
Gent, George Sidney, Chalcat Crescent, Regent's Park.
Turnbull, William, Gosforth, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

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

Greenwood, Cecil Danforth, King's College.

MEDICAL VACANCIES.

The following vacancies are announced:

- AYLESBURY UNION.**—Medical Officer. Salary, £85 per annum. Applications to F. B. Parrott, 1, New Road, Aylesbury, by September 11th.
- CASTLEBAR UNION.**—Medical Officer, Castlebar Dispensary, North Division, No. 2. Salary, £125 per annum, and fees. Election on September 8th.
- CAYAN COUNTY INFIRMARY.**—Surgeon. Salary, £94 per annum. Applications by September 18th.
- CENTRAL LONDON OPHTHALMIC HOSPITAL,** Gray's Inn Road, W.C.—Assistant Surgeon. Applications by September 8th.
- DENTAL HOSPITAL OF LONDON,** Leicester Square.—Lecturer on Dental Anatomy and Physiology. Applications by October 1st.
- DURSLEY UNION.**—Medical Officer. Salary, £80 per annum. Applications by September 12th.
- EAST LONDON HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN,** Shadwell, E.—Resident Clinical Assistant. Applications by September 19th.
- GENERAL INFIRMARY, Leeds.**—House-Physician. Salary, £100 per annum. Applications to Dr. T. Clifford Allbutt, the Infirmary, Leeds, by September 12th.
- HARTLEPOOL'S FRIENDLY SOCIETIES' MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.**—Assistant Medical Officer. Applications to T. Twiddell, Commercial Terrace, West Hartlepool.
- HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN,** Soho Square, W.—House-Physician. Applications by September 20th.
- KENT COUNTY OPHTHALMIC HOSPITAL.**—House-Surgeon. Salary, £100 per annum. Applications by October 1st.
- KIDDERMINSTER FRIENDLY SOCIETIES' MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.**—Assistant Medical Officer. Applications to Dr. T. W. Measures, 4, Lion Street, Kidderminster.
- PARISH OF CANISBAY,** Caithness.—Medical Officer. Applications to Peter Keith, Esq., Barrogill Castle by Wick, Chairman of the Parochial Board, by September 19th.
- PAROCHIAL BOARD OF KILLEAN AND KILCHENZIE.**—Medical Officer. Salary, £150 per annum. Applications to the Chairman of Board, Glencreggan, Kintyre, Argyllshire, or to Inspector Gallowhill, Campbeltown.
- ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL, Bath.**—House-Surgeon. Salary, £80 per annum. Applications by September 14th.
- SHEFFIELD GENERAL INFIRMARY.**—House-Surgeon. Salary, £120 per annum. Applications by September 20th.
- SHEFFIELD PUBLIC HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY.**—Junior Assistant House-Surgeon. Salary, £50 per annum. Applications by September 21st.
- ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S HOSPITAL.**—Assistant Physician. Applications to the Clerk by September 11th.
- ST. GEORGE'S, HANOVER SQUARE, PROVIDENT DISPENSARY,** 59, Mount Street, W.—Resident Medical Officer. Applications by September 29th.
- ST. GEORGE'S UNION, Middlesex.**—Assistant Medical Officer. Salary, £120 per annum. Applications by September 10th.
- ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL FOR STONE AND URINARY DISEASES,** Henrietta Street, Covent Garden.—House-Surgeon. Appointment for six months. Honorarium, 25 guineas. Applications by September 25th.
- WESTERN GENERAL DISPENSARY, Marylebone.**—Honorary Physician. Applications by September 10th.
- WALLASEY DISPENSARY.**—House-Surgeon. Salary, £140 per annum. Applications by September 8th.

MEDICAL APPOINTMENT.

WILSON, G. B., L.R.C.P. and S.Ed., appointed Second Assistant to Resident Medical Superintendent to the Cork District Lunatic Asylum.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

The charge for inserting announcements of Births, Marriages, and Deaths is 3s. 6d., which should be forwarded in stamps with the announcements.

BIRTH.

PICKUP.—On the 1st ult., at Bishop Street, Coventry, the wife of William J. Pickup, M.B.Lond., of a son.

MARRIAGES.

GREEN—GARMAN.—On the 4th inst., at St. Stephen's, North Bow, by the Rev. J. P. A. Fletcher, Vicar, assisted by the Rev. H. D. Nihill, William Alford, eldest son of William Green, Esq., of Leyton, Essex, to Mary Ann Bennison, eldest daughter of H. V. Garman, Esq., M.R.C.S.E., L.S.A.L., of Kent House, Bow Road, London, E.

HUGHES—REES.—On the 28th August, at St. Gwendoline's Church, Talgarth, Breconshire, by the Rev. Rees Price, cousin of the bride, assisted by the Rev. John Brown, Vicar, Wm. Lewis Hughes, M.R.C.S.Eng., L.S.A.Lond., of Carmarthen, to Letty, third daughter of the late Valentine Rees.

No fewer than thirty-eight people were summoned before the Eastbourne magistrates, last week, for non-compliance with the Vaccination Act. Some of them had three children unvaccinated, and several had been previously convicted. After a long hearing, a fine of 21s. was imposed, including costs, in one case, and 11s. 6d. in another. Orders for vaccination were made in the remainder, with which they all declared they should not comply.

OPERATION DAYS AT THE HOSPITALS.

MONDAY......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......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.—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, 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.

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.

HOURS OF ATTENDANCE AT THE LONDON HOSPITALS.

CHARGING 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. W., 1.30; Tu, F., 12.30; 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, 3; Throat, 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.

ST. 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., Tu, F., 2; Eye, Tu, F. 9.15; Ear, M. Th., 2; Skin, Tu, Th., 1.30; Throat, M. Th., 1.45; Dental, W. S., 9.30.

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

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PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.—We shall be much obliged to Medical Officers of Health if they will, on forwarding their Annual and other Reports, favour us with Duplicate Copies.

CORRESPONDENTS not answered, are requested to look to the Notices to Correspondents of the following week.

WE CANNOT UNDERTAKE TO RETURN MANUSCRIPTS NOT USED.

MEDICAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

SIR,—I should esteem it a very great favour if "Caution" and some other correspondents whose cognomen I do not now remember would tell us the name of the company to which they subscribe towards weekly allowance in case of sickness. One correspondent (I noticed) said he actually did at the present time belong to such a society.

In writing about "provident clubs," I think we lose sight of one very important thing, viz., that the society about to be formed should be for weekly allowance in case of sickness only (and not connected with accidents or death), and for no other object. In this case, the annual premium would be small. There are a host of accidental insurance companies in which to insure in case of accident. There are a number of societies in which to insure in case of death. We do not want these objects amalgamated with our society. But a society in which we can insure for weekly allowance in case of illness only, and for no other object, we do want. I am sure a great many more would join this "Medical Provident Society" if it were started on this basis.

—Yours truly,

Vernham, New Malden

EDWIN CHILD.

MR. T. J. EKIN.—1. The Matriculation Examination of the Royal University of Ireland is recognised by the General Medical Council as a Preliminary Examination. 2. Some of the most important and indispensable courses of instruction are given in many schools between 11 and 1; but our correspondent might, by examining the tables given in the present number, perhaps find a school which would suit his circumstances. We consider, however, that a student of medicine should not be engaged in other occupations. 3. The cost of the licences referred to can be worked out from the statements given in the present number of the JOURNAL.

DETERMINATION OF SEX.

SIR,—In answer to "M.D." on page 456 of last week's JOURNAL, I have read that fecundation taking place midway between the menstrual periods produces female offspring. My last two children are girls; and I have reason to believe that impregnation took place in the one case two weeks, and in the other three weeks, after the end of menstruation.—Yours, etc.,

M.B. LOND.

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