

UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES.

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

NEW VICE-CHANCELLOR.—The Rev. A. Austen Leigh, Provost of King's, was admitted to the Vice-Chancellorship on September 30th. Dr. Felle, on resigning office, referred to the changes of the past academical year, and deplored the straitened circumstances of the scientific departments. The department of pathology in particular suffered much from want of funds, and, unless help should be forthcoming from external sources, much valuable original work, creditable to the University and of gain to science, must be left undone.

BALFOUR STUDENTSHIP.—The Balfour Studentship in Animal Morphology, with £200 a year for three or more years, will be vacant on October 18th. Candidates are to apply, sending evidence of their attainments, to Mr. J. W. Clark, Scroope House, Cambridge, before that date.

EXERCISES FOR M.D.—J. H. C. Dalton, M.A., B.C., Trinity, and F. P. Haviland, B.A., M.B., B.C., Pembroke, have kept the Act required for the degree of M.D.

UNIVERSITY OF DURHAM.
FACULTY OF MEDICINE.

The following gentlemen have received the Degree of Doctor in Medicine for Practitioners of Fifteen Years' Standing, namely:

G. Andrew, F.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.; M. S. McDonnell, M.R.C.S., L.S.A.; H. P. Potter, F.R.C.S.; and V. Saravanamuttu, L.M. and S. Ceylon.

The following gentlemen have received the Degree of M.D., namely:

T. M. Allison, M.B., B.S. Durh.; A. E. Cope, M.B., B.S. Durh.; R. F. Craggs, M.B., B.S. Durh.; R. B. Duncan, M.B., B.S. Durh.; A. A. Fennings, M.B., B.S. Durh.; F. W. Gunn, M.B., B.S., L.S. Sc. Durh., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.S.A.; F. Hunton, M.B., B.S. Durh.; S. J. Palmer, M.B. Durh., M.R.C.S. Eng.; S. W. Plummer, M.B., B.S. Durh.; W. A. Rudd, M.B. Durh., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.; A. M. Wilson, M.B., B.S. Durh., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.; and J. Wood, M.B., B.S. Durh.

The following gentlemen have received the Degree of Master in Surgery (M.S.), namely:

Honours—First Class.—F. W. Ramsay, M.D., B.S. Durh., F.R.C.S. Edin.

Pass List.—S. A. Bontor, M.D., B.S. Durh., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

The following gentlemen have received the Degree of Bachelor in Medicine (M.B.), namely:

Honours—Second Class.—H. T. M. Whitting, St. Bartholomew's Hospital; P. Evans, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., University College, London.

Pass List.—J. H. Blight, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Guy's Hospital; R. A. Bolam, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; B. W. Bond, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.S.A., St. Thomas's Hospital; F. D. Browne, Yorkshire College, Leeds; E. D. Dingle, B.A., College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; J. W. H. Eyre, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Guy's Hospital; A. G. Hinks, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., St. Mary's Hospital; T. G. S. Hodson, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., London Hospital; J. M. Hope, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; G. Jimenez, Guy's Hospital; W. D. Johns, B.A., L.S.A., College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; T. F. Keenan, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; C. G. B. Kempe, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; S. McCoull, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; R. L. Meade-King, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., St. Bartholomew's Hospital; A. Y. Richardson, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; H. B. Rygate, B.A., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Guy's Hospital; F. C. Smith, F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.S.A., University College, London; J. P. Sparks, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; H. Spicer, St. Bartholomew's Hospital; F. E. Syrett, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., St. Bartholomew's Hospital; L. C. T. Thorne, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., St. Bartholomew's Hospital; E. P. Wrinch, St. Thomas's Hospital.

The following gentlemen have received the Degree of Bachelor in Surgery (B.S.), namely:

J. H. Blight, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Guy's Hospital; R. A. Bolam, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; B. W. Bond, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.S.A., St. Thomas's Hospital; E. D. Dingle, B.A., College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; P. Evans, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., University College, London; J. W. H. Eyre, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Guy's Hospital; J. M. Hope, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; H. Huskinson, M.B. Durh., St. Thomas's Hospital; G. Jimenez, Guy's Hospital; T. F. Keenan, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; C. G. B. Kempe, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; S. McCoull, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; R. L. Meade-King, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., St. Bartholomew's Hospital; E. Race, M.B. Durh., College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; A. Y. Richardson, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; H. B. Rygate, B.A., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Guy's Hospital; F. C. Smith, F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.S.A., University College, London; J. P. Sparks, College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; F. E. Syrett, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., St. Bartholomew's Hospital; A. E. Thompson, M.B. Durh., College of Medicine, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; L. C. T. Thorne, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., St. Bartholomew's Hospital; H. T. M. Whitting, St. Bartholomew's Hospital; E. P. Wrinch, St. Thomas's Hospital.

SULPHATE OF MAGNESIA IN DYSENTERY.—In the Annual Report to the Medical Department, Hong Kong, for the year 1892, Dr. Atkinson relates four cases of dysentery treated by small doses of saturated solution of sulphate of magnesia—1 drachm to the ounce—given hourly till the stools become bilious. He speaks very favourably of the practice; it succeeded in two cases in which ipecacuanha had failed. This treatment is very generally employed by French army surgeons of experience, and appears to be yearly gaining in favour with our own countrymen in India.

PUBLIC HEALTH
AND
POOR-LAW MEDICAL SERVICES.

HEALTH OF ENGLISH TOWNS.

In thirty-three of the largest English towns, including London, 6,232 births and 4,001 deaths were registered during the week ending Saturday, September 30th. The annual rate of mortality in these towns, which had declined from 22.8 to 19.7 per 1,000 in the preceding seven weeks, rose again to 20.2 during the week under notice. The rates in the several towns ranged from 12.3 in Huddersfield, 13.7 in Nottingham, 14.4 in Croydon, and 14.7 in Halifax to 24.6 in Derby, 25.5 in Hull, 25.9 in Liverpool, 26.0 in Preston, and 31.0 in Sunderland. In the thirty-two provincial towns the mean death-rate was 20.3 per 1,000, and slightly exceeded the rate recorded in London, which was 20.1 per 1,000. The 4,001 deaths registered during the week under notice in the thirty-three towns included 759 which were referred to the principal zymotic diseases, against 851 and 774 in the preceding two weeks; of these, 339 resulted from diarrhoea, 124 from diphtheria, 93 from "fever" (principally enteric), 90 from whooping-cough, 76 from scarlet fever, 28 from measles, and 9 from small-pox. These 759 deaths were equal to an annual rate of 3.8 per 1,000; in London the zymotic death-rate was equal to 3.6 per 1,000, while it averaged 4.0 per 1,000 in the thirty-two provincial towns. No fatal case of any of these diseases was recorded in Huddersfield; in the other towns they caused the lowest rates in Halifax, Portsmouth, Plymouth, and Cardiff, and the highest rates in Salford, Bradford, Burnley, Hull, and Sunderland. Measles caused the highest proportional fatality in Norwich; scarlet fever in West Ham, Norwich, and Burnley; whooping-cough in West Ham, Leicester, Derby, Oldham, and Gateshead; "fever" in Leicester, Hull, and Sunderland; and diarrhoea in Bradford, Salford, Hull, Burnley, and Preston. The 124 deaths from diphtheria recorded during the week under notice in the thirty-three towns included 96 in London, 6 in Manchester, 4 in Brighton, and 4 in Croydon. Five fatal cases of small-pox were registered in Bradford, 2 in London, 1 in Birmingham, and 1 in Oldham, but not one in any other of the thirty-three large towns. There were 77 small-pox patients under treatment in the Metropolitan Asylums Hospitals and in the Highgate Small-pox Hospital on Saturday last, against 121, 112 and 91 at the end of the preceding three weeks; 15 new cases were admitted during the week, against 24, 20, and 14 in the preceding three weeks. The number of scarlet fever patients in the Metropolitan Asylums Hospitals and in the London Fever Hospital was 2,815 at the end of the week, against 2,883, 2,889, and 2,849 on the preceding three Saturdays; 311 new cases were admitted during the week, against 315 and 318 in the preceding two weeks. The 231 deaths referred to diseases of the respiratory organs in London were 30 above the average, and were equal to an annual rate of 2.8 per 1,000.

HEALTH OF SCOTCH TOWNS.

DURING the week ending Saturday, September 30th, 867 births and 552 deaths were registered in eight of the principal Scotch towns. The annual rate of mortality, which had declined from 20.8 to 17.3 per 1,000 in the preceding three weeks, rose again to 19.6 during the week under notice, but was 0.6 per 1,000 below the mean rate during the same period in the large English towns. Among these Scotch towns the lowest rates were 11.7 in Leith and 17.3 in Aberdeen, and the highest rates 20.7 in Greenock and 21.0 in Edinburgh. The 552 deaths in these towns included 107 which were referred to the principal zymotic diseases, equal to an annual rate of 3.8 per 1,000, which corresponded with the mean zymotic death-rate during the same period in the large English towns. The highest zymotic death-rates were recorded in Dundee and Greenock. The 264 deaths in Glasgow included 16 from diarrhoea, 11 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 6 from scarlet fever. Four fatal cases of diphtheria were recorded in Edinburgh, and 4 of "fever" in Paisley. The death-rate from diseases of the respiratory organs in these towns was equal to 3.1 per 1,000, against 2.8 in London.

HEALTH OF IRISH TOWNS.

In sixteen of the principal town districts of Ireland the deaths registered during the week ending Saturday, September 23rd, were equal to an annual rate of 23.8 per 1,000. The lowest rates were recorded in Galway and Sligo, and the highest rates in Waterford and Dundalk. The death-rate from the principal zymotic diseases averaged 4.8 per 1,000. The 161 deaths registered in Dublin were equal to an annual rate of 24.0 per 1,000 (against 21.9 and 28.3 in the preceding two weeks), the rates during the same period being 18.9 in London and 17.8 in Edinburgh. The 161 deaths in Dublin included 31 which were referred to the principal zymotic diseases (equal to an annual rate of 4.6 per 1,000), of which 19 resulted from diarrhoea, 8 from enteric fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 1 from scarlet fever, and 1 from diphtheria.

SUNDAY CLOTHES AND SMALL-POX.

SOME time ago we heard of a country vicar who, on the occurrence of a case of small-pox in his village, thinking to stamp out the disease, bought up the bedding and the blankets, and ordered them to be destroyed. As an after-thought he determined to watch the process, and was much disgusted to find that his improvised sanitary executioner had thought the blankets far too good for their fate, and that, although paid for, they had been plucked from the burning. That was years ago, but the same feeling evidently operates even in advanced communities. From correspondence in the Birmingham papers we gather that, while it is there the custom, when small-pox occurs, to remove all clothing from the house and subject it to a process of disinfection, no compensation is given for the deterioration thereby produced, and that as a result, even in the city of Birmingham, a system very analogous to the country blanket stealing is in vogue. It appears that directly it is discovered that a patient is suffering from small-pox all the best clothes are packed

MEDICAL NEWS.

DR. RUSSELL REYNOLDS, F.R.S., Physician to the Queen's household, has been in attendance at Balmoral during the absence of Dr. James Reid, C.B.

PRACTITIONERS OF THE HEALING ART IN HUNGARY.—According to the most recent statistics there are in Hungary 3,759 medical practitioners, 9,492 midwives, and 697 veterinary surgeons.

THE annual meeting of the Society of German Naturalists and Medical Practitioners will be held next year at Vienna. Professor von Süss, of Vienna, has been chosen President, and Professor von Ziemssen, of Munich, Vice-President.

WE regret to announce the death of Mr. C. W. Heaton, Professor of Chemistry at Charing Cross Hospital Medical School. Mr. Heaton was a distinguished chemist. He re-edited and almost rewrote Stöckhardt's textbook, and was concerned in many important investigations of a technico-chemical character.

THE PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN.—The School of Pharmacy was opened for the session on October 2nd by a distribution of prizes among the successful students, among whom was a young lady who had taken a silver medal, having done work which was stated to be equal to the best. After the prizes had been presented by Mr. Gowan Cross, Vice-President, Dr. Lauder Brunton, F.R.S., delivered the inaugural address.

SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF INEBRIETY.—A general meeting was held in the rooms of the Medical Society of London, on October 3rd, Dr. Norman Kerr, President, in the chair. On the motion of the President, who dwelt on the loss to the Society of their centenary vice-president, Dr. Wielobycki, who had died aged 100 years and 8 months, seconded by Brigade-Surgeon Pringle, a vote of condolence with Mrs. Wielobycki was agreed to. Dr. F. R. Lees read a philosophical and learned paper on Illogical Fallacies and Assumptions as to the Development of Inebriety, pointing out the physical laws which gave rise to inebriety under certain conditions. After a discussion, taken part in by Brigade-Surgeon Pringle, Surgeon-Major Poole, Drs. H. W. Williams, Douglas Anderson, and Joseph Smith, a vote of thanks was awarded to Dr. Lees.

MR. RICHARD COLDREY.—On Monday last, October 2nd, Mr. Richard Coldrey, Sub-Librarian to the Royal Medical and Chirurgical Society, died at the Great Northern Hospital. Mr. Coldrey had an attack of typhilitis nearly two years ago, with recurrence six months later, when he underwent an operation, performed by Mr. Pearce Gould. After an interval of fair health he again fell ill, and a second operation being decided upon, he was removed to a private room in the Great Northern Hospital. Mr. Macready operated on September 23rd, with good results as far as relief was concerned, but there was extensive suppuration, and on the morning of October 1st Mr. Coldrey's condition became hopeless. Mr. Coldrey, so familiar to several generations at Berners Street, was over 62 years of age, forty-five years having been spent in the service of the Royal Medical and Chirurgical Society. He was a most amiable and zealous official, who will be much missed.

DEATHS IN THE PROFESSION ABROAD.—Among the members of the medical profession in foreign countries who have recently passed away are Dr. Robert Wreden, one of the leading aurists of St. Petersburg, and a member of the editorial committee of the *St. Petersburg Military Medical Journal*; Dr. Ritter, the oldest medical practitioner in the Duchy of Würtemberg, aged 89; Dr. Joubert of Bagnoles-sur-Orne, formerly a member of the French Mekong exploring mission; Dr. Leopold Müller, Staff Surgeon-Major in the German army, who, in conjunction with Dr. Th. E. Hoffmann, founded the Medical Academy of Tokio, where he was sent in 1870, at the request of the Japanese Government, to organise medical education on a Western basis; and Dr. Passavant of Frankfurt-on-the-Main, who from 1850 to 1885 was Surgeon to the

Bürger Hospital in that city, and was favourably known for his contributions to surgical and sanitary literature, aged 78.

ST. THOMAS'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—The entrance scholarships have been awarded as follows: 1st (of the value of £150) to Mr. Robert Wynn Charles Pierce; 2nd (of the value of £60) to Mr. Harry Edward Hewitt.

CHARING CROSS HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—The Entrance Scholarship of the value of 120 guineas has been awarded to Mr. Harold A. T. Fairbank, and that of the value of 60 guineas to Mr. Stanley W. R. Colyer.

GUY'S HOSPITAL ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS, 1893.—The entrance scholarships have been awarded as follows: Science.—First Scholarship, value £150, Philip Turner, University College, London; Second Scholarship, value £60, George Ernest Richmond, Owens College, Manchester; Certificate, Frederick Edward Walker, Guy's Hospital. Arts.—(1) Medical School: First Scholarship, value £100, Charles Piggott, Bancroft School; Second Scholarship, value £50, Albert Evans Davies, Oswestry Grammar School; Certificates, John Frederick Walker, City of London School; Samuel Dainow, City of London School; Ernest Lewis Lilley, Wyggeston School, Leicester. (2) Dental School: Scholarship, value £30, Graham Scales Simpson, Grammar School, Bishop Stortford.

MEDICAL VACANCIES.

The following vacancies are announced:

CENTRAL LONDON THROAT, NOSE, AND EAR HOSPITAL, Gray's Inn Road, W.C.—Clinical Assistants. Applications to Richard Ker-shaw, Secretary.

EAST RIDING ASYLUM, Beverley.—Assistant Medical Officer, unmarried. Salary, £100 per annum, with board, lodging, and washing. Age between 23 and 30. Applications to C. W. Hobson, Clerk to the Visiting Committee, by October 17th.

EDMONTON UNION.—Resident Medical Officer for the Chase Farm School, Enfield. Appointment for six months. Salary at the rate of £100 per annum, with board, washing, sitting-room, and bedroom. Applications to Francis Shelton, Clerk, 808, High Road, Lower Tottenham, by October 25th.

FULHAM UNION.—Assistant Medical Superintendent, unmarried, doubly qualified. Salary, £100 per annum, increasing £10 yearly to £130, with board, furnished apartments, attendance, and washing. Applications, on forms to be obtained of the Clerk, to T. Apin Marsh, Clerk to the Guardians, Union Offices, Fulham Palace Road, Hammersmith, W., by October 14th.

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, Great Ormond Street, W.C.—Surgical Registrar and Anaesthetist. Appointment for one year, an honorarium of £40 being voted at the expiration of that term. Applications to the Secretary by October 24th.

HUNTINGDON COUNTY ASYLUM.—House-Surgeon. Salary, £80 per annum, with board, etc. Applications to Mr. A. Dilley, Market Hill, Huntingdon.

NORTH-WEST LONDON HOSPITAL, Kentish Town Road, N.W.—Resident Medical Officer and Assistant Resident Medical Officer. Appointments for six months. Salary of £50 attaches to the senior post. Applications to Alfred Craske, Secretary, by October 20th.

PARISH OF GLENELG.—Medical Officer for the Southern Division. Salary, £120 per annum, with free house. Applications to D. McLure, Inspector of the Poor, Glenelg.

RICHMOND DISTRICT ASYLUM.—Resident Clinical Assistant, doubly qualified. Appointment for one year. Applications to the Resident Medical Superintendent, Richmond Asylum, Grangeorom, by October 17th.

ROTHERHAM HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY.—Assistant House-Surgeon. Rooms, commons, and washing provided. Appointment for six months. Applications to the House-Surgeon by October 19th.

ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST, City Road, E.C.—Resident Medical Officer. Appointment for six months, when reelection is required. Salary at the rate of £100 per annum, with furnished apartments and board. Applications to the Secretary by October 16th.

SALISBURY INFIRMARY.—Dispenser. Salary, £105 per annum, out of doors. Applications to the Secretary, by October 13th.

SHEFFIELD UNION.—Resident Assistant Medical Officer for the Workhouse at Fir Vale, Pitsmoor. Salary, £100 per annum, with apartments, rations, and other usual allowances. Applications to Joseph Spencer, Clerk to the Guardians, Union Offices, Sheffield, by October 12th.

SOUTH DEVON AND EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL, Plymouth.—Physician, House-Surgeon, and Assistant House-Surgeon. Salary for the House-Surgeon, £100 per annum, with board and residence; for the Assistant House-Surgeon (whose appointment is for six months), £10, with board and residence. Applications to J. W. Wilson, Honorary Secretary, 6, Princess Square, Plymouth, by October 18th.

STRATTON UNION, Cornwall.—Medical Officer for the South District. Salary, £52 per annum, with certain fees. Applications to William Rowe, Clerk to the Guardians, Stratton, Cornwall, by October 9th.

TAUNTON AND SOMERSET HOSPITAL.—Honorary Physician. Applications to J. H. Biddulph Pinchard, Secretary, 13, Hammet Street, Taunton, by October 23rd.

WESTON-SUPER-MARE HOSPITAL.—Medical Officer, doubly qualified. Salary, £80 per annum, with board, lodging, and washing. Applications to the Honorary Secretary by October 18th.

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

BURNS, Mr. H. F., appointed Medical Officer for the Dent District of the Sedburgh Union.

CLARK, Francis W., M.B., D.P.H.Camb., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.Lond., Assistant Medical Officer of Health to the River Tyne Port Sanitary Authority, appointed Medical Officer of Health to the Port and Borough of Lowestoft, and Medical Superintendent of the Sanatorium.

CROSS, Edward John, M.B., C.M.Edin., appointed Medical Officer for the Southwick District of the Fareham Union.

CULLINAN, Henry M., L. and L.M.R.C.S.I. and R.C.P.I., L.M., Rotunda Hospital, Dublin, appointed Second Assistant Medical Officer, Richmond Lunatic Asylum, *vice* J. O'Connor Donelan, L. and L.M.R.C.S.I. and R.C.P.I., promoted.

DAY, Francis Wm. Hy. Langston, L.R.C.P.Lond., M.R.C.S.Eng., appointed Medical Officer of Health for Hitchin, *vice* William Jenner, M.D. St.And., resigned.

DODD, Percy Vernon, B.A.Dub., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.Lond., appointed temporary Assistant Medical Officer of Health to the Folkestone Town Council.

DONELAN, John O'Connor, L. and L.M.R.C.S.I. and R.C.P.I., M.P.C., appointed First Assistant Medical Officer in the Richmond District Lunatic Asylum, Dublin, *vice* Dr. M. J. Nolan, promoted to the Superintendency of Downpatrick Asylum.

FLOOD, Dr., appointed Surgeon to the York Amalgamated Friendly Societies' Medical Association, *vice* E. H. O'Leary, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S.I., resigned.

FRASER, Donald Alex., M.D.Brux., M.R.C.S.Eng., reappointed Medical Officer of Health for Totnes Borough.

FRASER, Dr., appointed Medical Officer of Health for the Carnarvonshire Combined Sanitary District, *vice* Hugh Rees, M.R.C.S.Eng.

HILL, Charles Alex., B.A.Cantab., M.R.C.S.Eng., L.R.C.P.Lond., appointed Assistant House-Physician at St. George's Hospital.

HOOPER, G. H., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., appointed Resident Obstetrical Officer at Charing Cross Hospital.

JONES, C. G., L.R.C.P.Edin., M.R.C.S.Eng., appointed Medical Officer of Health to the Cardigan Rural Sanitary Authority.

LEACH, John Comyns, M.D.Durh., M.R.C.S.Eng., D.P.H.Camb., appointed Coroner for the Northern District of Dorset.

MACASKIE, Jas. Griffiths, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S.Eng., D.P.H., reappointed Medical Officer of Health to the Belford Rural Sanitary Authority.

MCFEELY, Joseph Daniel, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S.I., appointed *pro tem.* Medical Officer for the Kilmough Dispensary District of the Ballyshannon Union, *vice* John Keany, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S.I.

MOORE, Adam James, M.R.C.S.Eng., L.S.A., reappointed Medical Officer of Health for the St. Lawrence District of the Reading Union.

NANCE, Henry Chester, F.R.C.S.Eng., L.R.C.P.Lond., appointed Assistant Surgeon to the Jenny Lind Infirmary for Sick Children, Norwich.

NEALE, Dr., appointed Medical Officer to the Barry Port Sanitary Authority.

NEWBY, Thomas, M.D.St.And., M.R.C.S.Eng., L.S.A., reappointed temporarily Medical Officer of Health to the Great Grimsby Town Council.

O'BRIEN, Mr. P. M., appointed Medical Officer for the Twelfth District of the North Bierley Union.

ORFORD, Robert James, L.R.C.P.Lond., M.R.C.S.Eng., appointed Medical Officer for Market Bosworth.

PARKINSON, Chas. Hy. Watts, M.R.C.S.Eng., D.P.H.R.C.S.Eng., appointed Coroner for the Eastern District of Dorset.

PEARCE, Frederick William, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., appointed House-Surgeon to the Northern Branch of the Brighton, Hove, and Preston Dispensary.

RAMBAUT, Daniel F., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O., M.D.Univ.Dubl., appointed Third Assistant Medical Officer and Pathologist, Richmond Lunatic Asylum, Dublin, *vice* H. M. Cullinan, L. and L.M.R.C.S.I. and R.C.P.I., promoted.

SMITH, Telford, B.A., M.D., B.Ch., appointed Medical Superintendent of the Royal Albert Asylum for Idiots and Imbeciles of the Northern Counties, Lancaster, *vice* George E. Shuttleworth, B.A., M.D., M.R.C.S., resigned.

STUCK, Sidney J., M.R.C.S.Eng., L.R.C.P.Lond., L.S.A., appointed House-Surgeon and Secretary to the Royal Isle of Wight Infirmary and County Hospital, Ryde, *vice* R. A. Bayliss, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.Lond., resigned.

THOMPSON, Abram, M.D.St.And., M.R.C.S.Eng., reappointed Medical Officer of Health to the Ulverstone Rural Sanitary Authority.

THOMPSON, Robert, M.D., B.S.Durh., M.R.C.S.Eng., L.R.C.P.Lond., appointed Chief Medical Referee for Queensland to the Mutual Life Association of Victoria.

WELSFORD, George Fred., B.A.Camb, M.B., M.R.C.S.Eng., appointed Medical Officer for the Washfield District of the Tiverton Union, *vice* Wm. Rudall Haydon, M.D.Glasg., resigned.

WIGHTMAN, Cecil Frank, M.R.C.S.Eng., L.R.C.P.Lond., appointed Resident House-Surgeon, Scarborough Hospital, *vice* C. B. Maisey, M.R.C.S.Eng., L.R.C.P.Lond., resigned.

DIARY FOR NEXT WEEK.

MONDAY.

LONDON POST-GRADUATE COURSE, Royal London Ophthalmic Hospital, 1 P.M.—Mr. W. Lang: Lachrymal Affections.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE SKIN, Leicester Square, 5.30 P.M.—Dr. Morgan Dockrell: On Seborrhoeic Dermatitis and Psoriasis.

TUESDAY.

LONDON POST-GRADUATE COURSE, Bethlem Hospital, 2 P.M.—Dr. Percy Smith: Acute Mania. Hospital for Diseases of the Skin, Blackfriars, 4 P.M.—Mr. Jonathan Hutchinson: Ulcers in the Legs in Young Persons.

WEDNESDAY.

LONDON POST-GRADUATE COURSE, Hospital for Consumption, Brompton, 4 P.M.—Dr. Percy Kidd: Types of Phthisis. Royal London Ophthalmic Hospital, 8 P.M.—Mr. A. Quarry Silcock: Choroidal Affections, with Illustrative Cases.

HUNTERIAN SOCIETY, 8.30 P.M.—Second Hunterian Society Lecture of 1893, by Dr. Armand Ruffer: Recent Researches on Protozoa, with especial reference to Cancer and Vaccinia.

LARYNGOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON, 20, Hanover Square, 5 P.M.—Discussion on Malignant Disease of the Larynx with especial reference to the present position of the question of Radical Operation. Pathological specimens will be shown by Mr. H. T. Butlin, Drs. de Havilland Hall, Greville Macdonald, David Newman, Felix Semon, and Scanes Spicer.

THURSDAY.

LONDON POST-GRADUATE COURSE, National Hospital for the Paralysed and Epileptic, Queen Square, 2 P.M.—Dr. Charlton Bastian: Demonstration of Selected Cases. Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, 3.30 P.M.—Dr. Sturges: Heart Disease. Central London Sick Asylum, Cleveland Street, 5.30 P.M.—Mr. Jonathan Hutchinson: Cases in the Wards. London Throat Hospital, Great Portland Street, W., 8 P.M. Mr. W. R. H. Stewart: Examination of the Ear.

NORTH LONDON MEDICAL AND CHIRURGICAL SOCIETY, Great Northern Central Hospital, 8.30 P.M.—Mr. Jonathan Hutchinson: Theories of Catarrh and Catarrhal Diseases.

FRIDAY.

LONDON POST-GRADUATE COURSE, Hospital for Consumption, Brompton, 4 P.M.—Dr. Percy Kidd: On Types of Phthisis.

CLINICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON, 8.30 P.M.—President's Address. Mr. Mayo Robson: Dilatation of the Stomach and Severe Pain Dependent on Pyloric Adhesions, Treated by Abdominal Section and Separation of Abnormal Attachments. Mr. W. Edmunds: Two Cases of Excision of Malignant Tumour from Large Intestine. Mr. L. A. Bidwell: A Case of Gastrojejunostomy.

SATURDAY.

LONDON POST-GRADUATE COURSE, Bethlem Hospital, 11 A.M.—Dr. Hyslop: Hysterical Mania and Delirious Mania.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

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BIRTH.

BICKERTON.—On September 26th, at 88, Rodney Street, Liverpool, the wife of T. H. Bickerton, ophthalmic surgeon, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

ANDREW—PEOVER.—On September 28th, at St. Mary's, Hendon, N.W., by the Rev. F. W. Langton, M.A., Vicar of Wolvercote, cousin of the bride, assisted by the Rev. L. Tyrwhitt, M.A., Curate of Hendon, Francis William Andrew, M.R.C.S.Eng., L.R.C.P., only surviving son of William W. Wayte Andrew, M.B., of Arkleigh, Hendon, to Mary, only daughter of the late William Peover, of Knighton Mount, Newport, Shropshire.

BERTRAM—NICHOLL.—At Melbourne, on September 18th, by the Rev. Thomas Nisbet, M.A., Thomas Dun Bertram, M.B., C.M.Glasgow University, Coonamble, N.S.W., Australia, to Allie Smith, daughter of the late Peter Nicholl, C.E., Calcutta.

MESSER—CHEESMAN.—On September 23rd, at the Parish Church, Newburn, Northumberland, by the Rev. C. E. Blackett-Ord, M.A., Andrew W. Messer, M.B., C.M., B.Sc.Edin., of Walbottle, to Lizzie, third daughter of J. T. Cheesman, Esq., of Throckley, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

MORRIS—SELDON.—On October 3rd, at St. Luke's Church, West Norwood, by the Rev. J. W. Dunn, M.A., Vicar of Pirbright, brother-in-law of the bride, and the Rev. Henry Cooper, Vicar, Charles Arthur Morris, M.A.Cantab., F.R.C.S., son of the late F. W. Morris, Madras Civil Service, to Ethel, seventh daughter of the late Samuel Seldon, C.B., H.M. Customs, and of Mrs. Seldon, West Norwood.

SOULBY—KUHNER.—On September 23rd, at St. Nicholas Church, Hamburg, by the Rev. Th. Bachert, Chaplain to the English Church at Hamburg, and afterwards by the Rev. W. Buck, D.D., Pastor of St. Nicholas Church, Charles Ernest Soulbey, M.D., M.R.C.S., of Grimsby, to Margarethe Gertrude, only daughter of Adolph Kuhnert of Hamburg.

DEATH.

COLLINS.—On September 24th, at Broseley, Shropshire, Selina, the wife of George Duppa Collins, M.R.C.S., L.S.A., and youngest daughter of the late George Potts of Broseley.