

from measles, 11 from whooping-cough, and 6 from scarlet fever. Six fatal cases of small-pox, 4 of scarlet fever, and 2 of diphtheria were recorded in Edinburgh.

SUMMONSES UNDER THE INFECTIOUS DISEASES (NOTIFICATION) ACT.

At the Hove Petty Sessions on December 3rd, summonses were heard against the matron of a convalescent home and against a medical man for failing to notify a case of diphtheria. It appears that an inmate of the convalescent home in question was seen by the medical man on October 22nd, and on his advice was removed to the Sussex County Hospital. It was alleged that the matron of the house and the medical man knew that the case was one of diphtheria, and failed to notify the same. The magistrates imposed a penalty of £2 and costs upon the matron of the home but dismissed the summons against the medical man. A summons was also taken out against the matron for exposing an infected person without proper precautions, the patient having been removed to hospital in a cab. This summons was by the magistrate's permission withdrawn, but attention was directed to the importance of publicity being given to the provisions of the law on the matter, and the Bench held it was quite proper that the case should have been brought to their notice.

DISTRICT MEDICAL OFFICER'S APPOINTMENT.

B. J. E. W. writes to complain of not having been appointed a district medical officer when a vacancy occurred in consequence of the death of his senior partner, to whose practice he has succeeded by purchase, and for whom he had acted as deputy for fourteen months previous to his death. He states that, though he is himself a householder and ratepayer, a lodger in the district, and one junior to him, has been elected.

* * * We are afraid, as the majority of the guardians have, for reasons of their own, supported our correspondent's opponent, who is a resident in the district and fully qualified, that the Local Government Board will confirm his appointment, as it appears to have been made in strict accordance with their regulations.

CRITICISM OF DISTRICT MEDICAL OFFICER'S TREATMENT OF PATIENTS.

H. C., who is a district medical officer, writes, enclosing a letter he has received from a medical confrère who formerly held the same appointment, but lost it by vacating the district. H. C. asks for our opinion on the letter.

* * * We consider that the writer has without sufficient cause taken upon himself to criticise "H. C.'s" treatment of the patients under his care, and that the letter in question may, as "H. C." thinks, be described as an offensive one.

SPREAD OF DISEASE BY INFECTED MILK.

DR. G. H. WESTON (Shirley, Southampton) writes: My attention has been drawn to an extract from one of my reports to the Shirley and Freemantle Local Board, which appeared in the BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL of October 27th, relating to an epidemic of scarlatina having been traced to a source of milk supply. As I have been asked whether the disease was traced to the cows themselves, would you kindly allow me to extend the extract by the following: The outbreak started in four houses, in which nine cases appeared. Each of these families was supplied with milk from one source. In an adjoining cottage, under the same roof as the dairy, I discovered a boy still peeling, who had started to peel soon after his return from a visit to the adjoining borough town. He had evidently brought the infection, unrecognised, and I infected the milk in the dairy to which he had access, and in each house supplied from this source cases appeared. The cows were examined and found healthy.

LUNATICS IN WORKHOUSES.

A WORKHOUSE M.O. writes: In the case of an alleged lunatic being in a workhouse (having obtained admission thereto in one of the ways mentioned in the Lunacy Act, 1890), and in case a Justice of the Peace does not see the person within three days, is it not legal and right for the medical officer of the workhouse, even though the patient be one suitable for removal to an asylum and not for permanent detention in the workhouse, to make a certificate upon Form 10, in accordance with Section 24, subsection 1, of the Act above-named? And is it not lawful for such a person to be then detained by the master of the workhouse, under Section 24, subsection ii, for a period not exceeding fourteen days, unless some order is made by the justice within that time?

* * * "A Workhouse M.O." may properly do what he suggests in his letter, provided always that, in the particular case, the signing of a certificate, as in Form 10, by the medical officer of the workhouse, is consistent with his duty, and the intention of the Act as provided in Sections 14 and 16, and subsections iv and vi of Sections 24 of the Act. The general tenour of the Act is adverse to the detention of lunatics in workhouses, but special provisions are introduced whereby, under certain circumstances, lunatics may be so detained either for shorter or longer spaces of time.

VARIOLA acted quite properly under the circumstances he describes, and neither exceeded nor fell short of his duty. We see no objection to the proposed issue of printed instructions. Probably the factory inspector was misunderstood. The list of outworkers may be valuable to the medical officer of health in many ways, but he is not required to visit all the addresses except at his discretion.

UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES.

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

WALSINGHAM MEDAL.—The Lord High Steward's gold medal for research in biology (including physiology) has been awarded to H. Burkitt, B.A., Assistant Curator of the Herbarium.

MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS.—Dr. H. H. Tooth, of St. John's College, has been appointed an additional examiner in medicine for the present term. There are over 50 candidates for the Final M.B. Examination in Medicine.

MEDICAL ACTS.—The following have duly performed the exercises for the Degree of Doctor of Medicine: E. J. P. Olive, B.A., M.B., B.C.; J. Attlee, M.A., M.B., B.C.; L. G. Glover, M.A., M.B., B.C., all of St. John's College, and the first has been admitted to the M.D. Degree. G. B. Woodroffe, B.C., of Caius College, has kept the Act for M.B.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.

M.B. EXAMINATION: EXAMINATION FOR HONOURS.

Medicine.—First Class: A. H. Leete, B.Sc. (Scholarship and Gold Medal), Guy's Hospital; A. E. Russell (Gold Medal), St. Thomas's Hospital; G. E. Manning, Guy's Hospital; F. J. Poynton, St. Mary's Hospital; J. S. Collier, B.Sc., St. Mary's Hospital; G. B. Hunt, University College; J. Stephenson, B.Sc., Owens College and Manchester Royal Infirmary; F. J. Steward, Guy's Hospital; J. H. Fisher, St. Thomas's Hospital; R. A. Young, B.Sc., Middlesex Hospital. Second Class: E. C. Taylor, Guy's Hospital; J. S. Bolton, B.Sc., University College; E. M. Hainworth, B.Sc., St. Thomas's Hospital; F. G. Hopkins, B.Sc., Guy's Hospital; A. Stanley, St. Mary's Hospital; G. H. Cowen, London Hospital; H. Davies, Guy's Hospital; Alice Mary Corthorn, London School of Medicine for Women; W. E. Lee, St. Bartholomew's Hospital; M. H. Raper, Middlesex Hospital; J. S. Sloane, B.Sc., St. Bartholomew's Hospital; E. Smith, St. Thomas's Hospital. Third Class: C. S. Wallace, St. Thomas's Hospital; Lizzie Bennett, London School of Medicine for Women; Susan Anne Hughes, London School of Medicine for Women and Royal Free Hospital; R. H. Steen, Queen's College, Belfast, and St. Mary's Hospital; A. C. Hovenden, Guy's Hospital; E. W. Spink, Yorkshire College; J. W. Haines, St. Bartholomew's Hospital; W. Shears, St. Bartholomew's Hospital; Maud Mary Chadburn, London School of Medicine for Women and Royal Free Hospital.

Obstetric Medicine.—First Class: W. E. Lee (Scholarship and Gold Medal), St. Bartholomew's Hospital; *C. S. Wallace (Gold Medal), St. Thomas's Hospital; F. J. Steward, Guy's Hospital; E. C. Taylor, Guy's Hospital. Second Class: F. J. Poynton, St. Mary's Hospital; A. E. Russell, St. Thomas's Hospital; J. H. Fisher, St. Thomas's Hospital; A. N. Weir, B.Sc., St. Bartholomew's Hospital. Third Class: G. H. Cowen, London Hospital; Elizabeth Jane Moffett, B.Sc., London School of Medicine for Women and Royal Free Hospital; E. H. Houghton, Yorkshire College.

Forensic Medicine.—First Class: J. S. Collier (Scholarship and Gold Medal), St. Mary's Hospital; J. S. Bolton (Gold Medal), University College; M. H. Raper, Middlesex Hospital; G. E. Manning, Guy's Hospital; F. J. Steward, Guy's Hospital; A. Stanley, St. Mary's Hospital; Y. H. Mills, London Hospital. Second Class: E. E. Murray, University College; T. Warner, King's College; H. B. Meakin, St. Bartholomew's Hospital. Third Class: F. D. Harris, St. Mary's Hospital; F. G. Hopkins, Guy's Hospital; Elizabeth Jane Moffett, London School of Medicine for Women and Royal Free Hospital.

* Obtained the number of marks qualifying for the University Scholarship.

UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed office-bearers of the Edinburgh University Union for the ensuing session: President: S. J. Aarons. Honorary Secretary: James G. C. Scott. Treasurer: W. A. Wood, C.A. Auditor: H. Hay Brown, C.A. Committee of Management: Professor T. Annandale, Professor Butcher, Dr. Musgrove, Dr. J. G. Catnach, Mr. C. W. Cathcart, F.R.C.S., Mr. James A. Clyde, LL.B., Messrs. W. J. Garbutt, A. McCarthy Morrough, J. W. Tullo, B.Sc., D. Waterston, R. D. Melville, R. D. Story.

FACULTY OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF GLASGOW.

At the December meeting of the Faculty held on Monday, December 3rd, George Balfour Marshall, M.D., Woodside Crescent, Glasgow, and Charles J. Renshaw, M.D., Ashton-upon-Mersey, having passed the necessary examination, were admitted Fellows of the Faculty.

DR. G. R. CUNDELL, of Kew, has been elected Chairman of the Health Committee of Richmond, Surrey.

SMALL-POX IN EDINBURGH.—Seventeen fresh cases of small-pox were reported in Edinburgh and six deaths.

SUCCESSFUL VACCINATION.—Mr. John J. Powell, public vaccinator for the Weybridge District of the Chertsey Union, has received, for the second time since 1890, the Government grant for successful vaccination.

At the last meeting of the Royal Microscopical Society Dr. A. W. Turner gave a demonstration on methods of staining sections of the central nervous system. A new microtome, made by Messrs. Swift, as well as several other microscopical appliances, was exhibited.

HOURS OF ATTENDANCE AND OPERATION DAYS
AT THE LONDON HOSPITALS.

- CANCER, Brompton (Free).** *Hours of Attendance.*—Daily, 2. *Operation Days.*—Tu. F. S., 2.
- CENTRAL LONDON OPHTHALMIC.** *Operation Days.*—Daily, 2.
- CHARING CROSS.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1.30; Obstetric, Tu. F., 1.30; Skin, M., 1.30; Dental, M. W. F., 9; Throat and Ear, F., 9.30. *Operation Days.*—W. Th. F., 3.
- CHELSEA HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Daily, 1.30. *Operation Days.*—M. F., 2.
- EAST LONDON HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN.** *Operation Day.*—F., 2.
- GREAT NORTHERN CENTRAL.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, M. Tu. W. Th. F., 2.30; Obstetric, W., 2.30; Eye, M. Th., 2.30; Ear, Tu. F., 2.30; Diseases of the Skin, W., 2.30; Diseases of the Throat, Th., 2.30; Dental Cases, W., 2. *Operation Day.*—W., 2.
- GUY'S.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1.30; Obstetric, M. Tu. F., 1.30; Eye, M. Tu. Th. F., 1.30; Ear, Tu., 1; Skin, Tu., 1; Dental, daily, 9; Throat, F., 1. *Operation Days.*—(Ophthalmic), M. Th., 1.30; Tu. F., 1.30.
- HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, SOHO.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Daily, 10. *Operation Days.*—M. Th., 2.
- KING'S COLLEGE.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical, daily, 2; Surgical, daily, 1.30; Obstetric, daily, 1.30; o.p., Tu. W. F. S., 1.30; Eye, M. Th., 1.30; Ophthalmic Department, W., 2; Ear, Th., 2; Skin, F., 1.30; Throat, F., 1.30; Dental, Tu. Th., 9.30. *Operation Days.*—M. F. S., 2.
- LONDON.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical, daily, exc. S., 2; Surgical, daily, 1.30 and 2; Obstetric, M. Th., 1.30; o.p., W. S., 1.30; Eye, Tu. S., 9; Ear, S., 9.30; Skin, Th., 9; Dental, Tu., 9. *Operation Days.*—M. Tu. W. Th. S., 2.
- LONDON TEMPERANCE HOSPITAL.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical, M. Tu. F., 2; Surgical, M. Th., 2. *Operation Days.*—M. Th., 4.30.
- METROPOLITAN.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1; Obstetric, W., 2. *Operation Day.*—F., 9.
- MIDDLESEX.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1.30; Obstetric, M. Th., 1.30; o.p., M. F., 9, W., 1.30; Eye, Tu. F., 9; Ear and Throat, Tu., 9; Skin, Tu., 4, Th., 9.30; Dental, M. W. F., 9.30. *Operation Days.*—W., 1.30, S., 2; (Obstetrical), Th., 2.
- NATIONAL ORTHOPÆDIC.** *Hours of Attendance.*—M. Tu. Th. F., 2. *Operation Day.*—W., 10.
- NORTH-WEST LONDON.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 2; Obstetric, W., 2; Eye, W., 9; Skin, F., 2; Dental, F., 9. *Operation Day.*—Th., 2.30.
- ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, Southwark.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Daily, 2. *Operation Days.*—Daily.
- ROYAL FREE.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 2; Diseases of Women, Tu. S., 9; Eye, M. F., 9; Dental, Th., 9. *Operation Days.*—W. S., 2; (Ophthalmic), M. F., 10.30; (Diseases of Women), S., 9.
- ROYAL LONDON OPHTHALMIC.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Daily, 9. *Operation Days.*—Daily, 10.
- ROYAL ORTHOPÆDIC.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Daily, 1. *Operation Day.*—M., 2.
- ROYAL WESTMINSTER OPHTHALMIC.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Daily, 1. *Operation Days.*—Daily.
- ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1.30; Obstetric, Tu. Th. S., 2; o.p., W. S., 9; Eye, W. Th. S., 2.30; Ear, Tu. F., 2; Skin, F., 1.30; Larynx, F., 2.30; Orthopædic, M., 2.30; Dental, Tu. F., 9. *Operation Days.*—M. Tu. W. S., 1.30; (Ophthalmic), Tu. Th., 2.
- ST. GEORGE'S.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, M. Tu. F. S., 12; Obstetric, Th., 2; o.p., Eye, W. S., 2; Ear, Tu., 2; Skin, W., 2; Throat, Th., 2; Orthopædic, W., 2; Dental, Tu. S., 9. *Operation Days.*—Th., 1; (Ophthalmic), F., 1.15.
- ST. MARK'S.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Fistula and Diseases of the Rectum, males, S., 3; females, W., 9.45. *Operation Days.*—M., 2, Tu. 2.30.
- ST. MARY'S.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1.45; o.p., 1.30; Obstetric, Tu. F., 1.45; Eye, Tu. F. S., 9; Ear, M. Th., 3; Orthopædic, W., 10; Throat, Tu. F., 1.30; Skin, M. Th., 9.30; Electro-therapeutics, Tu. F., 2; Dental, W. S., 9.30; Consultations, M., 2.30. *Operation Days.*—Tu., 1.30; (Orthopædic), W., 11; (Ophthalmic), F., 9.
- ST. PETER'S.** *Hours of Attendance.*—M., 2 and 5, Tu., 2, W., 5, Th., 2, F. (Women and Children), 2, S., 4. *Operation Days.*—W. and F., 2.
- ST. THOMAS'S.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, exc. W. and S., 2; Obstetric, Tu. F., 2; o.p., W. S., 1.30; Eye, Tu., 2; o.p., daily, exc. S., 1.30; Ear, M., 1.30; Skin, F., 1.30; Throat, Tu. F., 1.30; Children, S., 1.30; Dental, Tu. F., 10. *Operation Days.*—W. S., 1.30; (Ophthalmic), M., 2.30, F., 2; (Gynæcological), Th., 2.
- SAMARITAN FREE FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Daily, 1.30. *Operation Day.*—W., 2.30.
- THROAT, Golden Square.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Daily, 1.30; Tu. and F., 6.30; *Operation Day.*—Th., 2.
- UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1.30; Obstetrics, M. W. F., 1.30; Eye, M. Th., 2; Ear, M. Th., 9; Skin, W., 1.45, S., 9.15; Throat, M. Th., 9; Dental, W., 9.30; *Operation Days.*—W. Th. 1.30; S., 2.
- WEST LONDON.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 2; Dental, Tu. F., 9.30; Eye, Tu. Th. S., 2; Ear, Tu., 10; Orthopædic, W., 2; Diseases of Women, W. S., 2; Electric, Tu., 10, F., 4; Skin, F., 2; Throat and Nose, S., 10. *Operation Days.*—Tu. F., 2.30.
- WESTMINSTER.** *Hours of Attendance.*—Medical and Surgical, daily, 1; Obstetric, Tu. F., 1; Eye, Tu. F., 9.30; Ear, M., 9; Skin, W., 1; Dental, W. S., 9.15. *Operation Days.*—Tu. W., 2.

MEDICAL NEWS.

It is proposed to found a lodge of Freemasons upon the lines of the Bar, the Apollo and the Sir Isaac Newton Lodges for those brethren who have received a part or the whole of their education at St. Bartholomew's Hospital. Gentlemen who are interested in the project are invited to attend a preliminary meeting to be held at 26, Bloomsbury Square, on Monday, December 17th, at 4.30 p.m.

We regret to learn that the collection of relics of Dr. Edward Jenner, the discoverer of vaccination, which were described and illustrated in the *BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL* at the time of their exhibition at Bristol last year, are to be dispersed. We are informed that the collection will be sold by Messrs. Puttick and Simpson on December 21st. The collection includes portraits of Jenner, MSS., correspondence, various diplomas, addresses, and presentations, and a small library of controversial literature.

WOMEN AND THE UNIVERSITY OF DURHAM.—At a meeting of Convocation of the University of Durham, held on Tuesday, December 11th, it was resolved, with only one dissentient vote, to affix the seal of the University to the petition for a supplementary charter to enable the University to confer degrees upon women. Some formal proceedings remain before the power is granted, but it is not anticipated that there will be any difficulty or opposition. The faculties of medicine and science will then probably throw open their degrees to women.

LIVERPOOL ROYAL SOUTHERN HOSPITAL DINNER.—The annual dinner of past and present students of the Liverpool Royal Southern Hospital took place at the Adelphi Hotel, Liverpool, on December 8th, and was one of the most successful that has ever been held. Mr. Rawdon, the senior Surgeon to the hospital, was in the chair, and about ninety sat down. Some of the speeches bore witness to the undoubted fact that the work done in the hospital is most excellent and that it is steadily gaining ground as a clinical school. This success is largely to be attributed to the admirable way in which the Committee of Management support the staff in their efforts to keep the institution abreast with the times and to place every possible facility at the disposal of the students.

DIARIES.—We have received from Messrs. John Walker and Co., Limited, Warwick Lane, London, E.C., some examples of the pocket diaries manufactured by them; the special feature of these diaries is what the manufacturers term the "back loop." By a special manner of binding, a case for carrying the pencil is formed at the back. The diaries are well printed on good paper, and contain the ordinary information as to postal regulations, etc. A particularly convenient type for the male pocket is No. 17, called the "Graphic Diary," apparently because the dates are very clearly shown in large figures. Some of the more elaborate diaries have removable covers, and in future years new editions can be obtained to fit into these covers, which serve also as pocket cases. The prices vary from 6d. for a small pocket diary bound in cloth, to 10s. for a larger and more elaborate edition in a Russia case.

PORT SANITATION.—At a recent meeting of the Northern District of the Association of Municipal and County Engineers, Mr. T. W. Stainthorpe described the floating hospital on the river Tees. It lies in a dredged-out dock, and is protected from north and north-east gales by a large, crescent-shaped breakwater. The building rests upon ten large cylinders, and consists of two ward blocks, and administrative block, laundry, mortuary, and destructor. The walls consist of corrugated iron lined with felt and wood. The hospital has cost £10,000, and contains accommodation for twenty beds. At the same meeting Mr. W. G. Laws, M. Inst. C.E., described an apparatus for sterilising all dejecta and liquid sewage from wards in which cholera was being nursed. He recommended that a sterilising pan, to contain thirty gallons, should be placed in each ward, and steam conveyed to it from a central boiler. The total cost of such a pan, set ready for action, was £30; but it was found that when the cost of the steam boiler and the requisite connections was included, the total cost for six sterilisers was about £300.

THE *conversazione* given by the President and Council of the British Medical Temperance Association at the London Temperance Hospital to medical students, on December 7th, was well attended. Sir B. W. Richardson related some reminiscences of the practice of bleeding as it was conducted fifty years ago, and expressed his conviction that the practice of stimulation would also be abandoned.

MEDICAL VACANCIES.

The following vacancies are announced:

- BOOTLE BOROUGH HOSPITAL.**—Assistant House-Surgeon and Dispenser. Salary, £50 per annum, with board, lodging, and washing. Applications to the Clerk, Wm. B. Brooker, by December 18th.
- CHURCH OF SCOTLAND MISSION, Punjab.**—Lady Missionary, fully qualified as a doctor. Applications to Secretary, Women's Association for Foreign Missions, 22, Queen Street, Edinburgh.
- GLAMORGANSHIRE AND MONMOUTHSHIRE INFIRMARY, Cardiff.**—Assistant Resident Medical Officer: must be qualified. Appointment for six months. Board, lodging, and washing provided. Application, with testimonials, to George T. Coleman, Secretary and General Superintendent, before December 17th.
- KENT AND CANTERBURY HOSPITAL.**—Assistant House-Surgeon; unmarried. Salary, £50 per annum, with board and lodging. Applications to the Secretary by December 29th.
- LEWES DISPENSARY AND INFIRMARY AND VICTORIA HOSPITAL.**—Resident Medical Officer, doubly qualified. Salary, £110 per annum, with furnished apartments, coal, gas, and attendance. Applications to the Honorary Secretary, Mr. Reginald Blaker, Lewes, Sussex, by December 21st.
- LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL.**—Pathologist to the London County Asylum. Salary, £700 per annum, with travelling expenses. Applications, on forms to be obtained at the office of the Committee, endorsed "Application for Pathologist," to R. W. Partridge, Clerk to the Asylums Committee, London Asylums Committee Office, 21, Whitehall Place, S.W., by 10 o'clock on January 5th, 1895.
- MANCHESTER HOSPITAL FOR CONSUMPTION AND DISEASES OF THE CHEST.**—Assistant Medical Officer, doubly qualified. Honorarium, £25 per annum. Applications to C. W. Hunt, Secretary, by December 15th.
- MANCHESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY DISPENSARY AND LUNATIC HOSPITAL OR ASYLUM.**—Honorary Obstetric Physician; must be F. or M.R.C.P.Lond. Applications to the Chairman of the Board by December 31st.
- NEW HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, 144, Euston Road.**—Two Physicians, an Assistant Physician, and two Clinical Assistants; must be fully qualified medical women. Applications to the Secretary by December 28th.
- NORFOLK AND NORWICH HOSPITAL.**—Assistant to the House-Surgeon, doubly qualified. Appointment for six months. Board, lodging, and washing provided. Applications to the House-Surgeon by January 5th.
- NORTH-EASTERN HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN, Hackney Road, Shore-ditch, N.E.**—House-Physician. Appointment for six months; at expiration of this term he will be required, if eligible, to serve as House-Surgeon for further period of six months. Salary as House-Physician at the rate of £80 per annum, and as House Surgeon at the rate of £80 per annum. Doubly qualified. Applications to the Secretary, at the City Offices, 27, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C., by December 18th.
- NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE INFIRMARY AND EYE HOSPITAL, Hartshill, Stoke-upon-Trent.** Assistant House-Surgeon. Board, apartments, and washing provided. Applications to the Secretary by December 31st.
- ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL, Gray's Inn Road, W.C.**—Anæsthetist. Applications and testimonials to Conrad W. Thies, Secretary, by December 31st.
- SCARBOROUGH HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY.**—Assistant House-Surgeon. Salary, £50 per annum, with board and lodging. Appointment for six months. Applications to the Honorary Secretary by December 19th.
- WEST BROMWICH DISTRICT HOSPITAL.**—House-Surgeon, surgically qualified and unmarried. Salary, £80 per annum, with board, residence, and washing. Applications to the Honorary Secretary, Mr. William Bache, Churchill House, West Bromwich, by December 29th.
- WEST HERTS INFIRMARY, Hemel Hempstead.**—House Surgeon and Dispenser, doubly qualified and unmarried. Appointment for two years. Salary, £100 per annum, with board, furnished rooms, fire lights, attendance, and washing. Applications to the Secretary by January 17th, 1895.
- WESTMINSTER GENERAL DISPENSARY, 9, Gerrard Street, Soho, W.**—Honorary Surgeon and Resident Medical Officer. Applications to the Secretary by December 20th, at 10 o'clock.
- WESTMINSTER HOSPITAL.**—Fourth Assistant Surgeon. Must be F.R.C.S.Eng. Candidates must transmit certificate of age, and attend the House Committee on January 1st.
- WOLVERHAMPTON AND STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Wolverhampton.**—Resident Assistant. Appointment for six months. Board, lodging, and washing provided. Applications, inscribed "Application for Resident Assistant," to the Chairman of the Medical Committee by December 31st.
- WOLVERHAMPTON EYE INFIRMARY.**—House-Surgeon. Salary, £60 per annum, with rooms, board, and washing. Applications to the Secretary by December 17th.

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

- BATES, W. R., L.R.C.P.I.,** reappointed Medical Officer for the Addingham District of the Skipton Union.
- BRIDGES, Ernest C., M.B., B.S.Durh., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.,** appointed Junior House-Surgeon to the Great Northern Hospital.
- COOKE, Wm. Conway, L.R.C.P.Edin., M.R.C.S.Eng.,** reappointed Medical Officer of Health to the Bognor Local Board.
- DICKINSON, H. B., M.B.Lond., M.B., Ch.B.Vict., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.,** appointed Senior House-Surgeon to the Bootle Borough Hospital.
- EDMONDS, Dr. P. J.,** appointed Medical Officer for the Western District of the Westminster Union, *vice* Dr. Jackson.
- FERNIE, Edward, M.D.St.And., M.R.C.S.Eng.,** reappointed Medical Officer of Health for the Parish of Swynnerton of the Stone Union.
- HARDWICK, Arthur, M.D.Durh.,** reappointed Medical Officer of Health to the Newquay Local Board.
- HUTLEY, Charles, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.,** appointed Junior House-Surgeon to the Wakefield Clayton Hospital.
- JONES, W. D., M.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.,** appointed Senior House-Surgeon to the Wakefield Clayton Hospital.
- LESIE, R. Murray, M.B.Edin., M.R.C.P.Lond.,** appointed Assistant Physician to the Royal Hospital for Diseases of the Chest, London.
- MAHOOD, Allan E., M.B., M.Ch., M.A.O.R.U.I., F.R.C.S.Eng.,** appointed Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for the Northam District, Bideford Union.
- RODERICK, Sidney J., M.B., C.M.Edin.,** reappointed Medical Officer of Health to the Llanelly Local Board.
- STEWART, Mr. C. P.,** appointed Medical Officer and Dispenser at the Infirmary of the Croydon Union, *vice* E. H. Lemon, M.R.C.S., resigned.
- TURNER, J. A., M.B., C.M.Edin., D.P.H.Camb.,** appointed Public Analyst to the Lutterworth Rural Sanitary Authority, *vice* W. L. Emmerson, M.D.

DIARY FOR NEXT WEEK.

MONDAY.

SOCIETY OF MEDICAL OFFICERS OF HEALTH, 20, Hanover Square, W., 7.30 P.M.—Dr. T. M. Legge: Some Points of Difference between English and Continental Methods of Municipal Sanitary Administration. Dr. Ransome: On the Limitation of Infectiousness of Phthisis.

TUESDAY.

THE CLINICAL MUSEUM, 211, Great Portland Street.—Open at 2, Lecture at 4.

PATHOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON, 8.30 P.M.—Mr. S. G. Shattock: Tumour of Palate. Dr. W. Collier: Enlarged Spleen. Mr. C. H. Golding-Hird: Perirectal Dermoid, forming a Rectal Polypus. Mr. Cecil F. Beadles: Malignant Tumours at the Base of the Skull. Mr. J. H. Targett: Tumour of the Hypophysis Cerebri. Dr. W. W. Ord: Subdural Hæmorrhage in Infantile Scurvy. Mr. J. Jackson Clarke: Some Observations on the Repair of Tendons. Dr. H. D. Kollerton: (1) Pharyngeal Pouch. (2) Diffuse Secondary Growth on the Dura Mater.

WEDNESDAY.

NATIONAL HOSPITAL FOR THE PARALYSED AND EPILEPTIC, Queen Square, 3 P.M.—Lecture by Dr. James Taylor.

ROYAL METEOROLOGICAL SOCIETY, 25, Great George Street, Westminster, 7.30 P.M.

THURSDAY.

SOCIETY OF ANÆSTHETISTS, 20, Hanover Square, 8.30 P.M.—Dr. Bowles: On Dangers connected with Respiration in Anæsthesia.

HARVEIAN SOCIETY OF LONDON, 8.30 P.M.—Mr. Herbert W. Page: Third Harveian Lecture on Some Disorders of Nervous Function due to Injury and Shock.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

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BIRTHS.

BERRIDGE.—On December 2nd, at Enderby, Leicestershire, the wife of W. R. Morpott Berridge, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., of a son.

CLOWES.—On December 10th, at Reading, the wife of Norton B. Clowes, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., of a daughter.

TUCKETT.—On December 10th, at Woodhouse Eaves, Leicestershire, the wife of W. Reginald Tuckett, M.R.C.S., etc., of a son.

MARRIAGE.

BEVERLEY—KEMP.—On December 1st, at St. Martin's Church, Scarborough, by the Rev. C. C. Mackarness, M.A., W. H. Beverley, M.R.C.S.Eng., L.R.C.P.Lond., F.R.C.S.Eng., son of Robert Beverley of Leeds, to Emma, only daughter of the late Eustace Kemp of Grantham. No cards.

DEATH.

WESTON.—On November 29th, at The Green Hall, Stafford, Adelaide Maria, wife of Edward Francis Weston, surgeon, and youngest daughter of the late Dr. Knight, magistrate and deputy-lieutenant of the county of Stafford.