

patriotism and loyalty of all medical men willing to accept temporary work during war time to be satisfied with as low a fee as possible consistent with the duties required of them? Constant employment can be guaranteed at the rate of 4 to 6 guineas a week.—I am, etc.,

4, Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C., PERCIVAL TURNER.
Aug. 11th.

*** We have received a letter on the same subject from Messrs. Blundell and Rigby (418, Strand), who express the opinion that excessive demands by locumtenents "mean cornering the income of the wives and families of professional colleagues, many of whom will be in the firing line."

SALARIES OF ASSISTANT MEDICAL AND TUBERCULOSIS OFFICERS.

THE attention of members of the Association, and especially those who may be thinking of applying for posts as assistant school medical officers or assistant tuberculosis officers, is drawn to the fact that at the recent Representative Meeting alterations were made in the minimum salaries which the Association is prepared to approve for these appointments. The minimum recognized salary for whole-time assistant tuberculosis officers is now £350 per annum, or £250 if resident, while the minimum for whole-time assistant school medical officers has been raised from £250 per annum to £300. The salaries in each case are net salaries, exclusive of travelling expenses, clerical assistance, postage, etc. In settling these increases the Representative Meeting was guided not only by the responsible nature of the work expected of the officers in question, but by the fact that many local authorities have recently found it necessary to offer such increased salaries on account of the difficulty of securing suitable officers at the salaries formally recognized as a suitable minimum. It should be specially noted in connexion with these appointments that the Representative Body has declared that the salaries paid to medical women shall not be less than those paid to medical men in respect of the same work. In future the JOURNAL will not be able to accept advertisements of appointments offered at salaries lower than those above mentioned, and it is hoped that medical officers of health and tuberculosis officers who are called upon to advise local authorities in regard to these appointments will note the new conditions.

THE General Medical Council announces that the publication of the new *British Pharmacopoeia* has been indefinitely postponed owing to the outbreak of war, and that the review copies, which it had intended to supply last Monday, will not now be issued.

Medical Notes in Parliament.

The Milk and Dairies Bills passed through the Report and Third Reading stages with small amendment.

The Housing Bill in Committee was cut down to the clauses dealing only with the housing required at Rosyth, and was passed in that form.

Territorial Forces' Kit Allowance.—The Under-Secretary of State for War stated that officers formerly members of the Territorial Force whose period of service had expired and who had now volunteered would draw the camp kit allowance of £5 15s. on being gazetted and a special outfit allowance of £20. Kits were supplied by the Government to men. The embodiment gratuity of £5 was not issuable to men who enlisted now, but was confined to Territorials called out.

MESSRS. THACKER AND CO. have postponed the publication of the *History of the Indian Medical Service*, by Lieutenant Colonel D. G. Crawford, I.M.S., retired.

Medical News.

IT is again necessary materially to curtail the size of the JOURNAL, and it is impossible to say when it may be possible to resume publication of the usual number of pages. This must interfere with the customary rapidity of publication of the proceedings of the Sections of the Annual Meeting. The main reason for this curtailment is the shortage of paper, which has become a very serious difficulty for the periodical press. The consumption is greater owing to the enormous demand for the many editions of the newspapers, and the supply has greatly diminished owing to the stoppage of exports of paper and material from the Continent and the other side of the Atlantic. The supplies from the latter source will, it is hoped, shortly increase, but with regard to the former it is not safe to hazard any conjecture. No German or Austrian medical periodicals have been received for the last two weeks, and very few from France. In these circumstances the regular publication of the *Epitome of Current Medical Literature* has been suspended.

DURING the absence of Dr. Bertram Rogers as a major in the 3rd South Midland Field Ambulance (T.F.) Dr. Alexander Smith will act as medical adviser to the Bristol Insurance Committee as locumtenent for Dr. Rogers.

AT the annual meeting of the board of directors and members of the Apothecaries' Hall, Dublin, on August 1st, Dr. Edward Magennis, J.P., was elected its representative on the General Medical Council.

A FRENCH anti-opium league has been formed, of which the presidents are M. le Myre de Vilers, formerly Governor of Cochin-China, and Professor C. Richet. The object of the league will be to use every endeavour, by enlightening public opinion and by securing the infliction of heavy penalties on offenders, to stop the opium traffic. It will include within the sphere of its operations an active campaign against the sale of cocaine, haschich, and other narcotics.

UNTIL further notice, the head office of the Automobile Association, Fanum House, Whitcomb Street, London, W., will be open day and night, including Sunday, for any urgent messages, telegrams (Fanum, London), or telephone calls (300 Regent). The same will apply to the principal provincial branch offices at Manchester (5489 City), Leeds (2027 Central), Birmingham (973 Central), Exeter (1000 Exeter), and Glasgow (7199 Central).

A THREE months' course of lectures and demonstrations in hospital administration for the diploma in public health will be given on Mondays and Thursdays at 5 p.m., beginning Monday, October 5th, at the North-Western Hospital, Hampstead, N.W., by Dr. J. MacCombie, medical superintendent, and at the Grove Hospital, Tooting, S.W., by Dr. J. E. Beggs, medical superintendent. The fee for the course is £3 3s. Further particulars can be obtained on application to the clerk to the Metropolitan Asylums Board, Embankment, E.C.

A LEAFLET entitled "The Best Foods to Buy During the War: The Highest Nutritive Value at the Lowest Cost," intended to be issued by Public Health authorities, has been compiled mainly from material supplied by the Croydon borough health department, and is printed by the *Medical Officer*, 36-38, Whitefriars Street, London, E.C. It points out how money may best be expended, that the real value of foods does not correspond with their cost, and that by sensible buying and cooking it is easy to prepare a meal which is pleasing and palatable and of high food value at a much smaller cost than if no care and intelligence be exercised in choosing. A few simple recipes are added. Copies will be supplied, with the name of the borough inserted, at 7s. 6d. per 100, or 30s. per 1,000.

IN view of the fact that fire brigade and fire patrol work may shortly be required on a more extensive scale than heretofore for our fortified and defended places, for our arsenals and national stores, and for certain Government establishments requiring special protection, the British Fire Prevention Committee is preparing a roll of retired fire brigade officers and firemen (both professional, volunteer, and private) who are ready to join an emergency fire service force or forces. It desires also to form a supplementary roll of young engineers (used to steam engines or motor cars) and young surveyors or architects (used to building, survey, or dangerous structure work) who, although not having actual fire experience, would be valuable in an emergency fire service force. Applications to be entered on the roll should be addressed to the British Fire Prevention Committee, 8, Waterloo Place, London, S.W.

The Services.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

The following is a list of the successful candidates at the July competition for commissions. There were 22 candidates:

Name.	Degrees, etc.	Medical School.	Marks.
*D. C. G. Ballingall	B.A., M.B. Cantab., M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.	Cambridge University, St Bartholomew's Hospital London Hospital	560
H. G. Winter	M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.		552
*J. M. Evatt	B.A. Cantab., M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.	Cambridge University, University College Hospital	546
*F. G. Thatcher	M.B., Ch.B. Univ. of Edinburgh	Edinburgh University	538
*W. P. Mulligan	M.B., Ch.B. Univ. of Aberdeen	Aberdeen University	534
*G. P. Selby	B.A., M.B., B.Ch. Oxon., M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.	Oxford University, St. Bartholomew's Hospital	525
*J. G. Butt	B.A., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O. Univ. of Dublin	Trinity College, Dublin	507
*N. Cantlie	M.B., Ch.B. Univ. of Aberdeen	Aberdeen University, Charing Cross Hospital	497
*E. A. P. Brook	M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.	St. Bartholomew's Hospital	489
*P. T. Priestley	M.B., Ch.B. Univ. of Birmingham, M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.	Birmingham University	479
E. Phillips	M.B., Ch.B. Univ. of Durham; M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.	Durham University, London Hospital	476
S. D. Reid	M.B., Ch.B. Univ. of Edinburgh	Edinburgh University	453
P. J. Ryan	B.A., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O. National University of Ireland	National University, Ireland	441
B. J. L. Fayle	B.A. Cantab., M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.	Cambridge University, Bristol University	437
E. A. Sutton	M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.	Charing Cross Hospital	402

* Received an allowance of marks as holder of an Officers' Training Corps certificate.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

At the July examination there were 28 candidates, the first 15 being admitted as lieutenants on probation. The names of the successful candidates with the marks obtained by each out of a possible total of 5,100 are given below:

Name.	Degrees, etc.	Medical School.	Marks.
J. W. Pigeon	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., B.C. Cantab., B.A.	Cambridge University, St. Bartholomew's Hospital London Hospital	3,304
M. L. Treston	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.		3,173
P. Vieyra	M.B., Ch.B. Edin.	Edinburgh University, Rotunda, Dublin	3,141
B. M. Mitra	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.	Calcutta Medical College, Middlesex Hospital, Coombe Hospital, Dublin	3,101
P. Savage	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.	Guy's Hospital, Durham University	3,071
T. B. Paul	L.M.S.S.A.	Middlesex Hospital	3,049
A. Chand	M.B., B.S. Punjab	Lahore Medical College, University College Hospital	3,046
R. Lee	M.B., Ch.B. Liverp.	Liverpool University	3,040
N. S. Jatar	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.M. and S. Bombay	Grant Medical College, Bombay, University College Hospital	2,972
T. S. Sastry	M.B., C.M. Madras	Madras Medical College, St. Bartholomew's Hospital, Middlesex Hospital	2,891
Jamal-ud-din	M.B., Ch.B. Edin.	Edinburgh University	2,810
F. B. Chenoy	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.M. and S. Bombay	Grant Medical College, Bombay, London Hospital	2,709
S. B. Venugopal	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.M. and S. Madras	Madras Medical College, University College, Guy's Hospital	2,697
C. de C. Martin	M.B., Ch.B. Edin.	Edinburgh University	2,696
J. H. Smith	M.B., Ch.B. Edin.	Edinburgh University	2,687

THE Governor of Hong Kong has informed the Secretary of State for the Colonies that six cases of plague were reported during the week ending August 8th, and that six deaths occurred.

Universities and Colleges.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.

MEETING OF THE SENATE.

A MEETING of the Senate was held on July 15th under the chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor, Sir Wilmot Herringham.

Recognition of Teachers.

The following were recognized as teachers of the University in the subjects and in the institutions indicated:

King's College.—Dr. Reginald J. Gladstone (Embryology).
Guy's Hospital Medical School.—Mr. T. J. Evans (Biology and Zoology).

Middlesex Hospital Medical School.—Dr. E. A. Cockayne (Pharmacology), Mr. R. A. Greeves (Ophthalmology).

Charing Cross Hospital Medical School.—Dr. R. C. Jewsbury (Medicine), Dr. E. D. Macnamara (Mental Diseases).

London School of Medicine for Women.—Dr. M. L. Hepburn (Ophthalmology), Mr. Charles A. Pannett (Surgery).

St. Mary's Hospital Medical School.—Mr. R. W. Collum (Anaesthetics), Dr. Paul Haas (Chemistry), Dr. F. S. Langmead (Medicine).

Emeritus Professor of Chemistry.

The title of Emeritus Professor of Chemistry was conferred upon Professor J. M. Thomson, LL.D., F.R.S., who has occupied the Chair of Chemistry at King's College since 1887.

Lecturers in Physiology.

The following were added to the panel of lecturers in physiology: Dr. C. J. Douglas, Dr. F. L. Golla, Dr. H. J. Page.

Mental Disease Research.

It was resolved, in response to a request from the Board of Control, to suggest the following conditions in connexion with the grants placed at the disposal of the Board by the Treasury for the purpose of aiding and encouraging scientific research into the causes and treatment of mental diseases and mental defect:

1. Individual grants to be made to a few observers who have been thoroughly trained, and who are capable of carrying out scientific investigation.

2. No grant under the scheme to be made merely to maintain or assist pathological laboratories, or to be given to persons for the purpose of routine work.

3. Grants to be given only to advance the study of fundamental problems connected with insanity and mental deficiency.

It was also decided to inform the Board that the Senate would be pleased to advise as to the objects towards which investigations aided by the Board might with advantage be directed.

Grant from London County Council.

The thanks of the Senate were voted to the London County Council for a building and equipment grant of £30,000 for the promotion of higher education at University College.

Amendment of Regulations.

It was resolved that the regulations for the examination in anatomy at the second examination for medical degrees, Part II, be amended as follows: By the substitution for the word "dissection" of the words "A practical examination consisting of an examination of freshly dissected parts," in line 12, on page 173 of the Red Book for 1913-14, and in the fourth line from the bottom of page 225 of the Blue Book, September, 1913.

Boards of Studies.

Dr. R. J. Gladstone (King's College) has been appointed to the Board of Studies in Human Anatomy and Morphology.

Chairman of Committee.

Dr. S. Russell Wells has been elected Chairman of the Council for External Students for 1914-15.

Rogers Prize.

The Rogers Prize, not having been awarded this year, will be offered for award in 1915, the subject of the essay or dissertation again being "The nature of pyrexia and its relation to micro-organisms."

Examinations.

The following candidates have been approved at the examinations indicated:

First M.B.—Lena C. Adam, W. M. Anthony, N. D. Ball, L. S. Banes, Annie H. Banks, M. Baranov, L. H. Bartram, H. E. Beasley, E. A. Beulah, H. S. Bell, Enid M. M. Bevan, J. Brodetsky, J. D. M. Cardell, C. E. Cobb, H. N. F. Cook, R. V. Cookes, G. E. Cornaby, A. B. Cowley, Nora A. Crow, G. P. Crowden, D. S. Davies, Idris Davies, Mary Day, F. P. de Caux, W. S. Dickson, G. W. R. W. Dreiheller, A. Eidinow, Sylvia V. Elman, F. A. Evans, D. C. Fairbairn, Lillian M. Fisher, G. W. T. H. Fleming, A. Foner, W. F. Francis, F. A. Gaydon, E. J. G. Gibb, A. L. Goff, W. H. Grace, St. G. B. D. Gray, Gwenvron M. Griffiths, A. S. Hands, N. G. Hill, O. S. Hillman, J. W. Hirst, A. W. Holgate, H. N. Hornibrook, M. Jackson, S. W. Jeger, R. D. Jones, V. R. Khanolkar, Muriel E. Landau, Mary K. F. Lander, E. H. L. Leclézio, C. G. Lewis, S. S. Lieberman, C. A. Lindup, A. B. McBride, E. K. Macdonald, D. McDonald-Taylor, Janet M. McGill, N. O. C. Mackenzie, G. J. W. McMichael, Vida S. Maxwell, A. Mitchell, G. S. Morgan, Edith M. P. Morris, J. E. Nicole, Norah D. O'Flynn, K. E. Overton, Marguerite H. Pam, M. J. Panthaky, C. F. Parry, T. Parry, *R. J. Perkins, G. F. Peters, G. S. B. Philip, F. C. Player, L. D. Porteous, J. N. J. Powlesland, Dorothy P. Priestley, Mary M. Prior, W. E. K. A. Quitmann, E. F. Rabey, R. S. Ralph, E. D. T. Roberts, H. S. Robinson, G. R. Rolston,

E. S. Rose, B. Rosenstein, D. J. L. Routh, C. C. Rowland, A. E. Sawday, J. R. O'D. Scroggie, S. N. Senitzky, B. B. Sharp, S. A. Sharpe, J. H. Shaw, *J. H. Sheldon, A. H. Shelswell, R. D. Shirvalker, W. H. Simmons, W. Skelly, B. L. Slater, G. J. Sophianopoulos, Frances M. Spickett, G. P. Staunton, Mary S. Stocks, H. E. Suter, K. S. Tan, S. R. Tattersall, J. A. Tennyson-Smith, C. J. Thomas, H. M. Toop, R. L. Walker, A. D. Wall, Hygeia L. J. Wallace, A. E. Ward, R. W. Warrick, E. R. Webb.

SECOND M.B. (Part I).—C. H. Atkinson, *G. A. E. Barnes, K. C. Beatty, E. J. Bilcliffe, A. O. Bolton, J. W. Brash, I. Braun, C. H. Brew, Margaret H. Bridge, D. Cameron, H. Carpenter, J. E. Carpenter, B. R. Chaudhri, H. J. C. Churchill, D. C. Clark, *C. S. Cloake, H. Das, O. G. Davies, A. H. Douthwaite, *R. W. L. Edginton, W. Eidinow, V. F. Farr, W. A. Flynn, Beatrice Ford, J. C. Gie, L. C. Goument, Dorothy W. Gowers, A. S. Green, R. B. Green, W. A. Hawes, C. G. Haynes, N. R. Jenkins, T. Johnston, Constance A. Jones, D. M. Jones, M. E. Jones, N. Kamchorn, D. M. Lala, D. A. C. Layman, W. A. Low, J. G. McCann, Lily O. G. McGregor, Kathleen M. McKeown, T. H. McLeod, B. G. Marshall, C. L. Mason, G. G. Michell, Annie S. Mules, H. W. L. Nichols, D. R. Owen, A. E. B. Paul, S. L. S. Pearson, M. C. Polhill, Jean S. Pope, W. R. Ranson, A. Rathouse, Frances E. Rendel, G. H. Roberts, J. S. L. Roberts, Gwendolen M. Rolfe, H. Rowan, W. H. Royal, J. F. Ryan, S. Sacks, E. J. Samuel, G. S. Sansom, C. K. Scales, H. Schaal, Charlotte A. Shields, R. D. Shirvalker, K. L. Singer, Muriel Starling, V. R. Stewart, M. B. R. Swann, R. Theron, A. J. Usborne, J. A. Van Heerden, Kathleen S. Vine, Elsie M. Visick, A. C. S. Whiteway-Wilkinson, I. G. Williams, E. B. Woolf.

* Passed with distinction in one or more subjects.

CONJOINT BOARD IN ENGLAND.

SPECIAL FINAL EXAMINATION.

A SPECIAL final examination in medicine, surgery, and midwifery for the diplomas of L.R.C.P. and M.R.C.S. will be held by the Conjoint Examining Board of the Royal College of Physicians of London and the Royal College of Surgeons of England, commencing on Tuesday, September 8th. Applications from intending candidates should be sent to the Secretary, Examination Hall, 8-11, Queen Square, Bloomsbury, W.C., by August 27th.

Diplomas and Examinations.

The following candidates have received the diplomas indicated from the Royal College of Physicians and the Royal College of Surgeons respectively:

M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.—W. H. Alderton, C. P. S. Allingham, C. F. Anthonisz, A. L. Anthony, A. B. Appleton, W. D. Arthur, J. E. Ashby, L. B. Baird, F. A. Beattie, M. W. K. Bird, N. Briggs, I. M. Brown, N. H. M. Burke, A. J. Chillingworth, E. R. T. Clarkson, M. T. G. Clegg, *J. R. M. Collie, B. K. T. Collins, S. H. Cooke, D. L. Davies, D. C. de Fonseka, J. B. G. Dotto, G. E. Elkington, H. L. G. Foxell, W. D. Galloway, G. A. Gassmann, E. Gray, E. W. Griffith, B. G. Gutteridge, A. R. Hacker, O. Hairsine, C. S. P. Hamilton, A. H. Harkness, A. H. Harty, H. W. Hay, H. S. C. Hooper, G. B. Horrocks, A. M. Hughes, J. B. Hunter, R. N. Hunter, B. L. Hutcheon, R. T. Jones, T. C. Kidner, S. D. Kilner, G. C. King, C. Lambirudi, J. Lloyd, C. E. Lowe, D. M. MacManus, F. Mahabir, R. Mallet, J. B. Matthews, J. L. Meynell, J. D. Milne, B. M. Mitra, F. J. Nattrass, D. W. Pailthorpe, C. E. Peuley, K. B. Pinson, D. J. Platts, D. A. Power, A. B. Preston, W. B. Purchase, J. B. Rawlings, G. F. Rowcroft, H. C. Samuel, F. H. A. Sayed, F. G. L. Scott, P. D. Scott, E. J. Selby, A. el K. Selim, J. Sen, G. D. Shann, W. H. Shephard, A. G. Simmins, I. R. Smith, K. V. Smith, G. J. G. Smyth, L. C. Somervell, F. L. Spalding, C. W. Sparks, C. J. Stewart, G. Stiell, E. A. Sutton, C. H. Thomas, T. A. Townsend, D. C. L. Vey, E. H. Walker, J. F. West, C. L. Williams, F. A. Williamson, J. St. G. Wilson, F. B. Winfield, W. P. Wippell, T. M. Wood-Robinson, M. S. Woolf, E. J. Wright.

D.P.H.—Estelle I. E. Atkinson, W. J. Bannister, L. M. Biswas, A. Bloom, S. Bradbury, (Surgeon R.N.), H. Chand, A. D. Child, R. E. Collins, N. E. Dunkerton, W. Egan (Captain R.A.M.C.), H. H. A. Emerson (Captain R.A.M.C.), J. Erlank, K. Ghosh, S. M. Ghosh, D. H. C. Given (Surgeon R.N.), J. Griffiths, S. H. Griffiths, D. G. Howell (Captain R.A.M.C.), W. W. Jameson, T. S. McIntosh, W. H. McKinstry, H. B. W. Morgan, B. P. Mozoomdar, V. P. Norman (Captain I.M.S.), G. S. Parkinson (Captain R.A.M.C.), A. Z. Phillips, R. B. Price (Lieutenant R.A.M.C.), K. A. Rahman, R. C. Roy, K. S. Sethna, J. V. Shirkackar, F. Standish, W. S. D. Henderson (Captain I.M.S.), S. N. Sur, A. L. Urquhart (Lieutenant R.A.M.C.), F. W. Waterworth, J. S. Webster, J. I. P. Wilson, and W. B. Winstop.

The following candidates have been approved at the examination indicated:

FIRST COLLEGE, Part I (Chemistry), Part II (Physics).—*G. W. Almeyda, R. W. C. Ball, *Margarita S. Barfield, *F. J. Biddle, E. J. S. Bonnett, M. V. Boucaud, O. H. Brown, *J. F. E. Burns, *A. A. Casalis, *A. J. Chiappa, *A. E. Collie, A. J. M. Davies, *T. H. R. Davies, *F. E. Edwards, T. G. Evans, *Ahmed Faig, D. C. MacDonnell, C. Moffatt, R. B. Munday, *A. R. Neckle, Farquharson, *A. J. Penn, Blanche S. Gardner, *Malik Girgis, W. R. G. Harris, R. Hilliard, *R. V. Hudson, A. B. Isaacs, Mahmoud F. Ismail, F. W. Lemarchand, A. V. Lopes, J. J. M. *C. Nicory, *A. A. Osman, E. J. Papenfus, J. C. Pauw, E. A. Pearson, M. L. Quinlivan-Bulger, *Hussein Ramzy, D. H. Richards, J. S. Rogers, *Khurshedjee J. Rustumjee, *M. C. Sarkies, *O. L. C. Sibley, W. R. B. Smyth, *E. A. Sparks, *E. A. L. Sturridge, *Ina V. Vincent, *P. H. Williams, *S. Wolff, *H. W. Woollett, Fuad W. Zaglama. Part III (Elementary Biology).—F. J. Biddle, L. Birtles, A. J. M. Davies, B. O. Dewes, L. Dinerstein, G. H. Duffield, A. P. H. Egerton, Malik Girgis, E. S. Goodwin, V. A. F. Greenish, G. R. Hubbard, E. L. Hunter, Mahmoud F. Ismail, H. S. Jackson, E. Kopelewitz, W. Lambert, B. L. Laver, J. C. W. MacBryan, G. Meadows, N. F. Meldrum, R. B. Munday, J. C. Pauw, A. Peine, J. Peter, D. H. Richards, O. L. C. Sibley, Mohamed Sidky, R. E. Williams, I. H. Zortman.

* Passed in Part I only. † Passed in Part II only.

CONJOINT BOARD IN SCOTLAND.

The following candidates have been approved at the examinations indicated:

FIRST COLLEGE.—W. H. Duff, T. L. Edwards, R. L. Goodall, J. Hughes, A. P. Robb.

SECOND COLLEGE.—W. C. Borrie, N. S. Bruce, J. T. Dier, J. V. Griffith, L. W. Hughes, J. G. M'K. Macaulay, *J. W. Morris, D. R. Nicol, R. J. Patchett, R. Pollok.

THIRD COLLEGE.—G. Beveridge, J. T. Brady, A. Gaston, A. T. Gibbon, G. M. Harley, J. P. Mathie, *C. Read, P. M. Saptarshi, G. Thomson.

FINAL.—L. Fraser, R. B. Lilly, G. L. Neil, Rona Lockhart, Sengarapillai Ponniah, A. Crawford, J. W. Cowie, J. Gilchrist, G. F. Walker, J. R. C. Gordon, A. W. Cochran, A. I. Clarke, Babu S. Thakur, C. A. Bernard, C. Gray, D. W. Woodruff.

* With distinction.

APOTHECARIES' HALL OF IRELAND.

THE Apothecaries' Hall of Ireland has decided to hold a special qualifying examination on August 19th. Intending candidates should communicate at once with the Registrar, Apothecaries' Hall, 40, Mary Street, Dublin.

SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES OF LONDON.

THE following candidates have been approved in the subjects indicated:

SURGERY.—*J. C. P. Bayley, †C. D. Day, *†G. B. Holroyde.

MEDICINE.—†L. B. Clarke, †G. W. Maw.

FORENSIC MEDICINE.—C. D. Day, A. Glen.

MIDWIFERY.—A. Glen, S. B. King, N. W. Rawlings, E. M. Townsend.

* Section I. † Section II.

The diploma of the Society has been granted to Mr. G. B. Holroyde.

Obituary.

SURGEON-GENERAL SIR ANTHONY HOME, V.C., K.C.B.

SURGEON-GENERAL SIR ANTHONY DICKSON HOME, V.C., K.C.B., the most distinguished officer on the retired list of the Medical Department of the British Army, died in London, aged 87, on August 9th. He was born at Dunbar in 1826, took the diploma of M.R.C.S. and the degree of M.D. of St. Andrews in 1847, and entered the army as assistant surgeon on March 17th, 1848. During the first six years he served in the West Indies, Nova Scotia, Guernsey, Ireland, and Gibraltar successively. In August, 1854, he went to the Crimea with the 8th Hussars, and served there till the end of the war. On the outbreak of the Indian Mutiny he went to India as surgeon of the 90th Foot, having been promoted to that rank from February 9th, 1855. At Lucknow he won the Victoria Cross by his heroic defence of the wounded left behind by the relieving column when Havelock forced his way to the Residency during the first relief. He was thus one of the first medical officers to gain this most coveted honour (three A.M.D. officers gained the V.C. in the Crimea, and three in the Mutiny). At the time of his death he was the senior medical officer, both in date and in rank, who held it. It was conferred upon him from June 18th, 1858. On March 31st, 1858, he was appointed a staff-surgeon. From India he went to China, and served through the China war of 1860, on the staff of the Commander, Lieutenant-General Sir James Hope Grant. On his return to England he was sent to Canada, war being threatened between Britain and the United States—a war which was happily averted. Soon after he returned to India, and thence was sent to New Zealand, where he served in the Maori war of 1864-5, being decorated with the C.B. from July 5th, 1865, and specially promoted to surgeon-major. In 1873-74 he served as principal medical officer of the force under Sir Garnet Wolseley in Ashantee, being promoted to K.C.B. from March 31st, 1874. On April 4th, 1880, he reached the rank of Surgeon-General, and was appointed P.M.O. of Her Majesty's Forces in India. Many retired officers and a few still serving will remember him when holding this post. He retired, with thirty-eight years' service, on November 30th, 1886.

The list of Sir Anthony's war services is long. It comprises the Crimean campaign of 1854-5, when he was present at the battles of Balaklava and Tchernaya, the siege of Sebastopol, and the operations near Eupatoria, receiving the medal with two clasps and the Turkish medal; the Indian Mutiny of 1857-8, when he took part in the first relief of Lucknow, was in the Residency during