

caused many deaths among the well-to-do classes, including the wife of Governor-General Polapow. Its greatest devastations have, however, taken place among the crowded Jewish population, and among those of the native inhabitants who are addicted to intemperance in drink.—The first case of cholera was reported to have occurred in Hamburg on August 28.

The *Wiener Medizinische Zeitung* of August 29th states that the report that several cases of Asiatic cholera had occurred in Vienna, was incorrect.

## ASSOCIATION INTELLIGENCE.

### SOUTH-EASTERN BRANCH: EAST KENT DISTRICT MEDICAL MEETING.

THE next meeting of the members of the above District will be held at the Church Institute, Cavendish Street, Ramsgate, on Thursday, Sept. 14th, 1871, at 2 o'clock: JOS. AUSTEN, Esq., R.N., in the Chair. Dinner will be provided at the Granville Hotel at a quarter to five o'clock precisely. Charge 5s., exclusive of wine.

All members of the South Eastern Branch are entitled to attend, and to introduce friends.

Notices have been received of the following communications to be read at the meeting:—1. Selection of Surgical Cases: with Remarks. By R. Hicks, Esq.—2. Case of Abdominal Aneurism, with Gangrene of Right Leg. By S. Woodman, Esq.—3. Case of Laceration of Vagina from Fracture of Glass Injection-Syringe. By C. Parsons, M.D. Gentlemen who intend to be present at the dinner, are particularly requested to inform me on or before Tuesday, the 12th instant.

CHARLES PARSONS, M.D., *Honorary Secretary*.

2, St. James's Street, Dover, Sept. 5th, 1871.

### SOUTH-EASTERN BRANCH: EAST SUSSEX DISTRICT MEDICAL MEETINGS.

A MEETING of the members of the above District will be held at Hastings, in the afternoon of Wednesday, the 27th instant.

All members of the South Eastern Branch are entitled to attend, and to introduce friends.

As the District Honorary Secretary, Mr. Mudd (being about to leave Uckfield), will resign, it will be necessary to appoint his successor at this meeting.

Gentlemen who wish to make communications to the meeting, are requested to inform me *at once*, in order that a notice thereof may be included in the circular convening the meeting.

G. F. HODGSON, *Hon. Sec. of the South Eastern Branch*.

52, Montpellier Road, Brighton, Sept. 6th, 1871.

### THE ANNUAL MEETING, 1872.

A SPECIAL general meeting of the Birmingham and Midland Counties Branch was held at the Midland Institute on August 31st; Oliver Pemberton, Esq., President, in the chair. A General Committee of members of the Branch was appointed to make the necessary arrangements for the reception of the British Medical Association at their annual meeting in 1872. Mr. S. A. Bindley and Mr. Thomas Taylor were elected Treasurers of the Special Donation Fund. Mr. T. H. Bartleet, Dr. B. W. Foster, and Mr. J. F. West, were elected Secretaries. Mr. Bartleet stated that the donations already promised amounted to more than £500.

### EXCURSION TO TORQUAY.

AMONG the most pleasant and enjoyable of the holiday events of the recent annual meeting was the excursion to Torquay, organised in favour of those who responded to the invitation from the practitioners of Torquay, inserted in the JOURNAL for a fortnight preceding the meeting. No formal notice of it has reached us from those concerned in organising it, or from any other source; but we hear from many quarters how cordial, thoughtful, and liberal, was the reception; how ample the arrangements for pleasure and comfort; and how much the numerous party who visited Torquay are indebted to their brethren there. We hear from the Rev. Dr. Haughton of Dublin, who, with Dr. Beatty and Mr. Macnamara, was an honoured and welcome guest, a follows. "As one of the sixty or seventy visitors who partook of the hospitality of the profession in Torquay, I wish to record my gratitude. It was one of the pleasantest meetings I have ever assisted at; and was admirably presided over by the venerable Dr. Evanson. The civilities

received by us were not conferred by the members of the profession only; and none of us will readily forget Mr. Pengelly's lecture among the celebrated bone beds of Kent's Cavern."

## MEDICAL NEWS.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.—First M.B. Examination, 1871. Examination for Honours.—Anatomy.

#### First Class.

Schafer, Edward Albert (Exhibition and Gold Medal), University College  
Branfoot, Henry Seymour (Gold Medal), Guy's Hospital

#### Second Class.

Rayne, Charles Alfred, University College  
Skerritt, Edward Markham, B.A., University College  
Physiology, Histology, and Comparative Anatomy.

#### First Class.

Schafer, Edward Albert (Exhibition and Gold Medal), University College  
Skerritt, Edward Markham (Gold Medal), University College  
Organic Chemistry and Materia Medica and Pharmaceutical Chemistry.

#### First Class.

Branfoot, Henry Seymour (Exhibition and Gold Medal), Guy's Hospital  
Firth, Charles (Gold Medal), St. Bartholomew's Hospital  
Buchanan, Arthur, Guy's Hospital

#### Second Class.

Rayne, Charles Alfred, University College  
Dodson, Andrew, Queen's College, Birmingham  
Smith, George Francis Kirby, Guy's Hospital  
Schafer, Edward Albert, University College  
Skerritt, Edward Markham, University College

First B.Sc. and Preliminary M.B. conjointly. Examination for Honours.—Chemistry.

#### First Class.

Elwes, John Wm., Prel. Sci. (Exhibition), University College

#### Second Class.

Richmond, James, First B.Sc., Manchester Grammar School  
Atkinson, R. W., First B.Sc., University College, and Royal School of Mines.

#### Third Class.

Titmas, Samuel David, Prel. Sci., University College  
Verco, Joseph Cooke, Prel. Sci., St. Bartholomew's Hospital  
Carnelly, Thomas, First B.Sc. and Prel. Sci., Owens College  
Ferrand, Edward, Prel. Sci., St. Bartholomew's Hospital  
Jones, Cyril Lloyd, Prel. Sci., Guy's Hospital  
Langley, John Geoffrey, Prel. Sci., University College

Zoology.

#### First Class.

Saunders, John Chas., Prel. Sci. (Exhibition), Downing College, Cambridge

#### Second Class.

Harrison, Chas. Edward, Prel. Sci., St. Bartholomew's Hospital  
De Watteville, Baron A., M.A., First B.Sc. and Prel. Sci., University College

#### Third Class.

Jones, Cyril Lloyd, Prel. Sci., Guy's Hospital  
Edwardes, Edward Joshua, Prel. Sci., Private study

Experimental Physics.

#### Second Class.

Poynting, John Henry, First B.Sc., Owens College  
Atkinson, R. W., First B.Sc., University College, and Royal School of Mines.

#### Third Class.

Richmond, James, First B.Sc., Manchester Grammar School

Botany.

#### First Class.

Moore, Spencer Le Marchant, Prel. Sci. (Exhibition), University College

#### Third Class.

Pepper, Augustus Joseph, Prel. Sci., University College

APOTHECARIES' HALL.—The following gentlemen passed their examination in the science and practice of medicine, and received their certificates to practise, on Thursday, August 31st, 1871.

Blok, Moses, New Burlington Street, W.  
Day, Gordon Cleghorn, Bridport  
Jessopp, John, Felix Pelham, Herts  
Turner, Horace, Middlesex Hospital

The following gentlemen also on the same day passed their first professional examination.

Bradbury, John Batley, Leeds School of Medicine  
Eminson, Luther, University College  
Greaves, Frank, Middlesex Hospital  
Palmer, Montagu H. C., St. Thomas's Hospital  
Ward, Joseph, Queen's College, Birmingham

### MEDICAL VACANCIES.

THE following vacancies are announced:—

ATCHAM UNION, Salop—Medical Officers for the St. Chad's and St. Mary's Districts.

BATTLE UNION, Sussex—Medical Officers for the Mountfield and Brightling Districts.

BETHLEM HOSPITAL—Two Medical Students.

BRISTOL LUNATIC ASYLUM, Stapleton—Assistant Resident Medical Superintendent.

**BRISTOL POLICE**—Surgeon.  
**CLOGHER UNION**, co. Tyrone—Medical Officer for the Augnacloy Dispensary District.  
**CORK**—Medical Officer of Health.  
**COURT STAR OF ROSELAND**, 4066, St. Mawes, Cornwall—Medical Officer.  
**DOVER HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY**—House-Surgeon.  
**GORT UNION**, co. Galway—Apothecary for the Workhouse and the Gort Dispensary.  
**GAINSBOROUGH DISPENSARY**—House-Surgeon.  
**GOWER UNION**—Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for the Western District.  
**ISLINGTON**—Medical Officer of Health and Analyst.  
**KENT AND CANTERBURY HOSPITAL**—Assistant House Surgeon and Dispenser.  
**LIVERPOOL**, Parish of—District Medical Officer.  
**MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL**—Resident Physician's Assistant.  
**NARBETH UNION**, Pembrokeshire—Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for District No. 3.  
**NORTHERN HOSPITAL**, Liverpool—Physician.  
**NORTH RIDING INFIRMARY**, Middlesbrough-on-Tees—Honorary Medical Officer.  
**REETH UNION**, Yorkshire—Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for the Muker District.  
**ST. SAVIOUR'S UNION**, Surrey—Medical Officer for District No. 3.  
**SOUTHAMPTON UNION**—Medical Officer for District No. 2.  
**TENTERDEN UNION**, Kent—Medical Officer for the Biddenden District.  
**WEST LONDON HOSPITAL**—House-Surgeon.  
**WESTMEATH COUNTY INFIRMARY**, Mullingar—Surgeon.  
**WORKSOP DISPENSARY**—Resident Surgeon.  
**YORK UNION**—Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for District No. 4.

### MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

*Names marked with an asterisk are those of Members of the Association.*

**HARSTON**, A. D., Esq., appointed Medical Officer of the Northern District Post Office, Islington, *vice* W. G. Tiley, Esq., resigned.  
**MACK**, John Steele, L.R.C.S. Edin., appointed Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for Lochgoilhead and Kilmorich, Argyleshire.  
**MADIGAN**, John Francis, L.R.C.P. Edin., appointed Medical Officer, etc., for the Feenagh Dispensary District of the Newcastle Union, co. Limerick.  
**MAY**, Dr. James, appointed Parochial Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for Aberfoyle, Perthshire.  
**ORWIN**, Arthur W., Esq., appointed Resident Obstetrical Officer to the Charing Cross Hospital, *vice* S. S. Noakes, Esq., resigned.  
**POPHAM**, Thomas, L.K.Q.C.P.I., appointed Medical Officer, Public Vaccinator and Registrar of Births, to the Cliffove Dispensary, co. Sligo.  
**RUTHERFORD**, David J., M.D. Edin., elected Medical Officer for the Eastern Division of the Omagh Dispensary District of the Omagh Union, co. Tyrone.  
**WOODWARD**, Edwin, Esq., appointed Admiralty Surgeon and Agent for King's Lynn, *vice* T. M. Kendall, F.R.C.S., deceased.

### 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 communication.*

#### BIRTHS.

**EDYE**.—On August 24th, at Exeter, the wife of \*Stonard Edey, Esq., Surgeon, of a son.  
**MORIARTY**.—On August 22nd, at the Central Barracks, Woolwich, the wife of \*T. B. Moriarty, M.D., of a daughter.  
**THOMPSON**.—On September 3rd, the wife of \*John Thompson, L.R.C.P. Ed., Oakley Square, Camden Town, of a daughter.  
**TOMKINS**.—At Binswood Crescent, Leamington, on September 3rd, the wife of \*A. Wellesley Tomkins, M.D., of a son.

#### MARRIAGE.

**RHODES**, T. Wemyss, Esq., of Manchester, to Emma, second daughter of James Russen, Esq., of Rusholme, Manchester, on August 29th.

#### DEATH.

**BIRT**, Joseph, M.B., at Leamington, aged 29, on August 27th.

### BOOKS, ETC., RECEIVED.

The Annual Report on the Health of the Parish of St. Marylebone, 1870. By John Whitmore, M.D. London: 1871.  
 Lisdoonvarna Spas and Sea-side Places of Clare. By E. D. Mapother, M.D. London and Dublin: 1871.  
 The Second Annual Report of the South Western Dispensary and Lying-in Charity. London: 1871.  
 The Irish Poor-Law Medical System by Dispensaries. Dublin: 1870.  
 On Syphilitic Epilepsy. By Reuben A. Vance, M.D. New York: 1871.  
 A Manual of the Laws affecting Medical Men. By Robert George Glenn, LL.B. London: 1871.  
 Report of the Hygienic Condition of the Mercantile Marine in the Port of London. By Harry Leach, Esq. London: 1871.  
 A Digest of Facts relating to the Treatment and Utilisation of Sewage. By W. H. Corfield, M.A., M.B. Oxon. Second Edition, corrected and enlarged. London and New York: 1871.  
 Preliminary Medical Education in Provincial Hospitals. By W. P. Swain, F.R.C.S. London and Plymouth: 1871.  
 Restorative Medicine: an Harveian Annual Oration delivered at the Royal College of Physicians of London, on June 21st, 1871. By T. K. Chambers, M.D. Philadelphia: 1871.  
 Report of the Operations of the British National Society for Aid to the Sick and Wounded in War during the Franco-German War (1870-1871), together with a Statement of Receipts and Expenditure, and Maps, Reports, and Correspondence. London: 1871.

### OPERATION DAYS AT THE HOSPITALS.

**MONDAY** ..... Metropolitan Free, 2 P.M.—St. Mark's, 1.30 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 P.M.  
**TUESDAY** ..... Guy's, 1.30 P.M.—Westminster, 2 P.M.—National Orthopaedic, 2 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.—Royal Free, 2 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.—St. Thomas's, 1 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.—Cancer Hospital, Brompton, 3 P.M.—King's College, 2 P.M.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 P.M.  
**THURSDAY** ..... St. George's, 1 P.M.—Central London Ophthalmic, 1 P.M.—Royal Orthopaedic, 2 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.—Hospital for Diseases of the Throat, 2 P.M.  
**FRIDAY** ..... Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.—Central London Ophthalmic, 2 P.M.—Royal South London Ophthalmic Hospital, 2 P.M.  
**SATURDAY** ..... St. Thomas's, 9.30 A.M.—St. Bartholomew's, 1.30 P.M.—King's College, 1.30 P.M.—Charing Cross, 2 P.M.—Lock (Clinical Demonstrations and Operations), 1 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.—Royal Free, 2 P.M.—East London Hospital for Children, 2 P.M.—Hospital for Women, 9.30 A.M.

### NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

*ALL Letters and Communications for the JOURNAL, to be addressed to the EDITOR, 37, Great Queen Street, Lincoln's Inn Fields, W.C.*

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

**TO PURCHASERS**.—To insure attention, it is requested that all orders sent to the Office for extra copies of the JOURNAL, be accompanied with *halfpenny* stamps for the amount.

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**CORRESPONDENTS**, who wish notice to be taken of their communications, should authenticate them with their names—of course, not necessarily for publication.

**MR. GREENWAY** (Plymouth).—The plan, etc., can accompany the full text of the paper.

**DR. JAMES DANIEL'S** (Haslar Hospital) wish shall be attended to.

#### HOSPITAL APPLIANCES.

We have before us a correspondence addressed by Messrs. Masters and Sons of New Kent Road to the secretary of a metropolitan hospital, suggesting that, for the supply of instruments and appliances, it would be desirable that hospitals should go more directly to the makers—trusses from truss-makers, limbs from limb-makers—instead of issuing orders through intermediate persons, who add to the prices, and interfere with the ultimate fitness of the articles. This is a matter for individual consideration, with which we do not feel called upon to interfere, further than by directing attention to the suggestion.

**NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS**.—Advertisements should be forwarded direct to the Printing-Office, 37, Great Queen Street, W.C., addressed to Mr. F. H. HEATHCOTE, not later than *Thursday*, twelve o'clock.

We are indebted to correspondents for the following periodicals, containing news, reports, and other matters of medical interest:—The New York Medical Gazette, Sept. 2nd; The New York Medical Record, August 25th; The Boston Medical and Surgical Journal, August 25th; The Madras Mail, June 24th; The Shield, September 2nd; The Philadelphia Medical Times, July 17th; The Philadelphia Medical Independent, August 19th; The Birmingham Morning News, Sept. 1st; The Irish Times and Daily Advertiser, August 30th; The Western Times, Sept. 1st; The Western Morning News, Sept. 1st; The Freeman's Journal, Sept. 6th; The Norwich Argus, Sept. 2nd; etc.

**COMMUNICATIONS, LETTERS, ETC.**, have been received from:—

Dr. Wallace, Liverpool; Mr. O. Penfold, Sandhurst, Victoria; Dr. G. Johnston, Dublin; Dr. Robert Perry, Glasgow; Dr. Gairdner, Glasgow; Our Dublin Correspondent; Dr. J. I. Mackenzie, Sidmouth; Mr. G. Birt, Leamington; Mr. H. Kerbey, London; Dr. Nicol, Bradford; Dr. G. Johnson, London; Mr. Benson Baker, London; Dr. E. J. Cooke, Worksop; Mr. T. H. Bartleet, Birmingham; Mr. Townshend, Weston-super-Mare; Mr. Wickham Barnes, London; Mr. S. Barnett, Leominster; Mr. A. G. Chattaway, Leominster; Dr. Steele, Liverpool; Dr. Robert Barnes, London; Mr. H. Palmer, King's Lynn; Mr. Stonard Edey, Exeter; Mr. E. Lloyd, London; Mr. James Haworth, Filey; Our Manchester Correspondent; Mr. Blair, Worcester; Mr. Aspin, Preston; Mr. C. S. Webber, London; Dr. Greenhow, London; Dr. J. G. Macbeth, Lucknow; Mr. Bruce, London; Dr. Woodman, London; Dr. R. Simpson, Plymouth; Dr. Hughes Bennett, Edinburgh; Mr. Andrew Davies, Swansea; Dr. J. Burdon Sanderson, London; Mr. Arthur Norton, London; Mr. Sewill, London; Mr. Owen, London; The Registrar-General of England; The Secretary of Apothecaries' Hall; The Registrar-General of Ireland; Mr. T. M. Stone, London; The Registrar of the Medical Society of London; Mr. A. H. Martin, Evesham; Mr. W. J. Pank, London; Dr. Nankivell, Torquay; Mr. W. H. Griffiths, Oldcastle; Messrs. Oliver and Boyd, Edinburgh; Mr. Greenway, Plymouth; Mr. Popham, Sligo; Dr. Philipson, Newcastle-on-Tyne; Mr. Hodgson, Brighton; Dr. Tilt, London; Dr. Parsons, Dover; Dr. A. W. Tomkins, Leamington; Dr. Heaton, Leeds; Dr. Russell Reynolds, London; Dr. Maunsell, Dublin; Mr. G. S. Elliston, Ipswich; Mr. P. H. Holland, London; Dr. J. Thompson, London; Dr. Jagielski, London; Dr. T. W. Rhodes, Manchester; etc.