

ASSOCIATION INTELLIGENCE.

BRITISH MEDICAL ASSOCIATION: FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEETING.

THE Annual Meeting of the British Medical Association will be held in King's College, London, on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, August 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th, 1873.

President—ALFRED BAKER, Esq., F.R.C.S., Surgeon to the General Hospital, Birmingham.

President-elect—Sir WILLIAM FERGUSSON, Bart., F.R.S., F.R.C.S., Surgeon to King's College Hospital, London.

The business of the Meeting will be transacted in six Sections.

TUESDAY, August 5th.

10 A.M.—SERVICE AT ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL.

3 P.M.—GENERAL MEETING—President's Address, Report of Council, and other Business.

9 P.M.—RECEPTION BY THE LORD MAYOR at the Mansion House.

WEDNESDAY, August 6th.

10 A.M.—SECOND GENERAL MEETING.

11 A.M.—ADDRESS IN MEDICINE, by E. A. PARKES, M.D., F.R.S., Professor of Hygiene in the Army Medical School, Netley.

12.30 P.M.—MEETINGS OF SECTIONS. Adjourn at 3.30 P.M.

1 to 2.30 P.M.—PUBLIC LUNCHEON.*

9 P.M.—RECEPTION BY PRESIDENT AND COUNCIL OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.

THURSDAY, August 7th.

10 A.M.—THIRD GENERAL MEETING—Reports of Committees.

11 A.M.—ADDRESS IN SURGERY, by JOHN WOOD, Esq., F.R.S., Professor of Surgery in King's College, London.

12.30 P.M.—MEETINGS OF SECTIONS. Adjourn at 3.30 P.M.

1 to 2.30 P.M.—PUBLIC LUNCHEON.*

6.30 P.M.—PUBLIC DINNER OF THE ASSOCIATION.

FRIDAY, August 8th.

10 A.M.—MEETINGS OF SECTIONS.

11 A.M.—ADDRESS IN PHYSIOLOGY, by J. BURDON SANDERSON, M.D., F.R.S., Professor of Practical Physiology in University College.

1 to 2.30 P.M.—PUBLIC LUNCHEON.*

2 P.M.—CONCLUDING GENERAL MEETING.

9 P.M.—SOIRÉE AT UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.†

SATURDAY, August 9th.

EXCURSIONS.—By permission, the following among other Excursions will be arranged:—

Excursions to Cliefden, near Maidenhead, the seat of the Marquis of Westminster; and to Windsor Castle.

Excursion to Brighton, and visit to Brighton Aquarium.

Visit to Woolwich Arsenal and the Factories.

Arrangements will be made, of which further details will be published, for facilitating visits during the week to the Print and MSS. Rooms of the British Museum, the Mint, the General Post Office, the Private Collections at Grosvenor House, Stafford House, etc., and to some leading Factories.

* * Communications as to the Meeting may be addressed to Mr. FRANCIS FOWKE, General Secretary, 37, Great Queen Street, Lincoln's Inn, W.C.

The Honorary Local Secretaries are—

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ANNUAL MUSEUM.

The sixth annual exhibition of objects of interest, in connection with medicine, surgery, and their allied sciences, will take place in the rooms of King's College, during the first week of August 1873.

The Committee appointed to take charge of the arrangements for this museum will be glad to receive—1. Pathological specimens (wet or dry); 2. Drawings or diagrams illustrating disease; 3. Casts or models; 4. Surgical instruments and appliances; 5. Microscopic preparations; 6. Microscopes, thermometers, and other instruments of investigation; 7. Preparations, diagrams, etc., relating to investigations in anatomy and physiology; 8. New medical books.

* By invitation of the Metropolitan Members.

† Each member is invited to bring one lady with him to this *soirée*.

Communications, objects intended for exhibition, etc., may for the present be addressed to the private care of any of the members of the Museum Committee, or to Mr. FRANCIS FOWKE, at the office of the BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL. During the week preceding the meeting, all articles should be sent direct to the *Library, King's College*, and addressed to the care of the *Curator of the Museum of the British Medical Association*.

Papers.—The following papers and contributions have been promised in addition to those published at page 21 of last week's JOURNAL.

C. A. Hemingway, Esq. 1. On a New Method of Arresting *Post Partum* Hæmorrhage. 2. On a New Appliance for the Treatment of Fractured Ribs.

T. D. Griffiths, M.B. The Causes and Pathology of the various Acquired Malpositions of the Uterus.

Victor de Méric, Esq. On Peculiar Modes of Transmission of Syphilis in Married Life.

James Thompson, M.D. 1. The Use and Abuse of Nux Vomica and its Alkaloids. 2. Remarks on a Method of Administering Leamington Spa Water.

D. Maclean, M.D. Diseases of the Chest in Children: their Treatment by Blisters.

John Wallace, M.D. 1. Case of Stricture of the Female Urethra. 2. Case of Acute Metritis occurring in the Seventh Month of Pregnancy during Rheumatic Fever. 3. Exhibition of an improved Cephalotribe after the Edinburgh Model; and of Stethoscopes for Vaginal and Abdominal Uterine Stethoscopy.

A. E. McRae, M.D. The Electro-Magnetic Current in Labour. D. Lloyd Roberts, M.D. Short notes of a Case of Imperforate Hymen with Retained Menstrual Fluid.

John Murray, M.D. The Communicability of Cholera. Edward Waters, M.D. The Propagation of Typhus Abdominalis.

J. W. Tripe, M.D. The Sanitary Statistics of the different Metropolitan Districts for the years 1861-70; especially with regard to Density of Population and Relative Wealth of the Residents.

Hugh Miller, M.D. Tedious Labour from Debility, and its Treatment.

Edward J. Syson, L.R.C.P.Ed. The Duties of a Medical Officer of Health.

Dyce Duckworth, M.D. 1. The Causes and Treatment of Certain Forms of Sleeplessness. 2. A New Method of Determining the Presence of, and Recovery from, true Ring-worm.

J. F. Payne, M.B. The Histology of the Omentum. Charles Stewart, Esq., F.L.S. The Structure of the Hæmocotylus of a small Cephalopod.

Robert J. Lee, M.D. General and Microscopical Examination of the Decidua, Chorion, etc., in a recent Specimen of a Gravid Uterus which contained a Perfect Ovum between the fifth and sixth weeks of Development.

John St. S. Wilders, Esq. 1. The Treatment of Gleet by the Insufflation of Astringent Powders. 2. Remarks on two Cases of Syphilitic Aphasia.

C. R. Drysdale, M.D. 1. The Views of Niemeyer and others on Phthisis Pulmonalis. 2. On Syphilitic Iritis.

W. R. E. Smart, C.B., M.D., R.N. Notes towards a History of the Medical Department of the Navy.

WEST SOMERSET BRANCH.

THE annual meeting of this Branch will be held at the Railway Hotel, Taunton, on Thursday, July 24th, at 2 P.M., under the presidency of GEORGE GILLET, Esq. Dinner at 5 o'clock.

Gentlemen are requested to send to the Secretary the titles of communications they wish to make at the meeting.

W. M. KELLY, M.D., *Honorary Secretary*.

Taunton, June 24th, 1873.

ABERDEEN, BANFF, AND KINCARDINE BRANCH.

THE annual meeting of the above Branch will be held in the Imperial Hotel, Aberdeen, on Saturday, July 26th, 1873, at 1.30 P.M.

It is intended to have an exhibition of books, instruments, drugs, etc., which have appeared within the past year; and members desirous of exhibiting such, are requested to communicate with the Secretary, or with Dr. Findlay, 47, Schoolhill, Aberdeen.

Dinner in the Imperial Hotel at 3 o'clock P.M.

Further particulars will be intimated by circular.

ALEX. OGSTON, M.D., *Honorary Secretary*.

Aberdeen, July 9th, 1872.

NEW MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION!

I.

THE subjoined list contains the names of gentlemen who have been elected members of the British Medical Association from the commencement of the present year, together with the names of three or four members which were accidentally omitted in the list published in the JOURNAL of May 3rd. In addition to the list now published, upwards of two hundred applications for admission to the Association have been received by the General Secretary and the Secretaries of the Metropolitan Counties Branch.

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METROPOLITAN COUNTIES BRANCH.

THE twenty-first annual meeting of this Branch will be held at the banqueting-hall, Alexandra Park, on Tuesday, July 15th, at 3 P.M. President for 1872-73, Sir WILLIAM FERGUSSON, Bart., F.R.S.; President-elect for 1873-4, RICHARD QUAIN, M.D., F.R.S.

At half-past 5 P.M. precisely, the members will dine together; RICHARD QUAIN, M.D., F.R.S., in the Chair. Tickets, fifteen shillings each (including ices, tea, coffee, and attendance, and exclusive of wine).

A. P. STEWART, M.D. } *Honorary Secretaries.*
 ALEXANDER HENRY, M.D. }

London, June 18th, 1873.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE CANCER HOSPITAL.

SIR,—I am quite ready to confess that the fact of my having very recently joined the staff of the Cancer Hospital, and having for the first time to sign a report, does not exonerate me from having done so without examining the statements contained therein too critically. It may excuse a certain degree of remissness, but it does not relieve me from the responsibility. And inasmuch as I desire, before all things, to make no statements of any experience of mine to the profession or to the public not amply warranted by the facts, I beg to say on my own part that I disclaim a knowledge of any cure for cancer other than by operation, so far as that may be called a cure.

I know no method, although we have tried many new agents purporting to be remedies, which has any specific influence on the disease, or which is not known equally by others; and I make no claim to any knowledge except that which the treatment of numerous examples of the disease, and the natural interest in it arising therefrom, confer.

I trust this statement will rectify any mistaken impression which my signature to the document in question may have produced; and I do not hesitate to express my regret that my name was attached to it, since I now see it affirms more than I am able to subscribe to.

I am, etc.,

J. FOSTER.

13, Upper Wimpole Street, W.

THE CANCER HOSPITAL REPORTS.

SIR,—From your observations, and comments made thereon, it appears that our report for the year 1872 is considered to convey an erroneous impression of the work done at the Cancer Hospital. We much regret that such is the case, and can assure you that nothing was further from our intention. In explanation, we will quote the passages referred to, in order to make ourselves more fully understood.

"Of the in-patients, it is most gratifying to find that fifty-four were discharged with disease arrested or relieved; eighty-nine were successfully operated on, and discharged well; thirty-eight were discharged cured without operation. On the other hand, of seventy-two who when admitted were in a hopeless state, forty-two died, and there remained in the hospital, at the end of the year, fifty-three."

In regard to these statements, we can only repeat that they are strictly

correct, taken in conjunction with the rest of the report and statistical statement; but, in reference to those patients discharged cured without operation, we desire to offer an explanation. These cases include all those treated by caustic, or any method other than the knife, écraseur, or cautery; in each of these groups there are most cancerous cases. We considered the statistical statement fully explained this, but short extracts taken from a document intended to be read as a whole, and even these quoted incorrectly, are calculated to mislead. In one instance you have substituted the word "cured," when that used by us is "relieved," and we cannot think that anyone reading the statistical statement, and our report thereon, would be likely to interpret it in the light you have done; however, we are prepared to admit, now that our attention has been drawn to it, that it would be better for the non-cancerous cases to be more distinctly separated, and in future reports this will be done.

We claim no special knowledge regarding the treatment of cancer beyond that which is gained by a large field of observation, and constant familiarity with the disease, and have distinctly stated that we have no faith in any specific for its cure.

We are, etc.,

ALEX. MARSDEN.

JAMES HAYWARD.

Cancer Hospital, Brompton, July 4th, 1873.

MEDICAL NEWS.

MEDICAL VACANCIES.

THE following vacancies are announced:—

AMERSHAM RURAL SANITARY DISTRICT—Medical Officer of Health: £100 for one year. Applications to Henry Bedford, Esq.

AXBRIDGE RURAL SANITARY DISTRICT—Four Medical Officers of Health: £50 per annum, each, for two years.

BIRMINGHAM BOROUGH PRISON—Surgeon: £100 per annum. Applications to Messrs. Gem and Hebbert.

BOURNMOUTH GENERAL DISPENSARY—Resident Surgeon: £100 per annum, furnished apartments, etc.

CARNARVON UNION—Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for the Llanrug District: £60 per annum, and fees. Applications to John Thomas, Esq.

CHARING CROSS HOSPITAL—Assistant Physician.

CHESTER Urban and Rural and other Sanitary Districts—Medical Officer of Health: £600 per annum. Applications to John Walker, Esq., Town Clerk.

CORNWALL—Public Analyst.

DERBY COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM—Assistant Medical Officer: £100 per annum, lodgings, etc.

DUNMOW Rural, and other Sanitary Districts—Medical Officer of Health: £700 per annum. Applications to Wm. Thurgood, Esq., Saffron Walden.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Birmingham—Resident Medical Officer: £100 per annum, board, and residence. Applications to W. T. Grant, Esq.

HALIFAX INFIRMARY AND DISPENSARY—Assistant House-Surgeon: £40 per annum, board, and lodging.

H.M.'s INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE—Eleven Surgeons.

HINCKLEY UNION—Medical Officer for the Burbage District: £60 per ann.

INFIRMARY FOR CONSUMPTION AND DISEASES OF THE CHEST, Margaret Street, Cavendish Square—Visiting Physician.

LEEDS URBAN SANITARY DISTRICT—Medical Officer of Health: £400 per annum. Applications to Capel A. Curwood, Esq.

LEICESTERSHIRE INFIRMARY AND FEVER HOUSE—House-Surgeon and Apothecary: £120 first year, rising £10 per annum to fourth year, board, apartments, and washing.

LONDON PORT SANITARY DISTRICT—Medical Officer of Health: £400 per annum till 25th March next.

MANORHAMILTON UNION—Medical Officer, Public Vaccinator, and Registrar of Births, etc., for the Manorhamilton Dispensary District: £100 per annum, and fees. Applications to John Tate, Esq., Deer Park, Manorhamilton.

NAVAL MEDICAL SERVICE—Assistant Surgeons.

NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE INFIRMARY, Hartshill—House-Surgeon: £80 per annum, increasing to £10 per annum, board, etc.

NORTHUMBERLAND LUNATIC ASYLUM, Morpeth—Assistant Medical Officer: £100 per annum, furnished apartments, board, and washing. Applications to Richard Wilson, Esq.

PENRITH RURAL AND URBAN SANITARY DISTRICTS—Medical Officer of Health: £300 per annum.

ROYAL BERKS HOSPITAL, Reading—Assistant Physician.

ROYAL ISLE OF WIGHT INFIRMARY, Ryde—House-Surgeon and Secretary: £40 per annum, board, etc.

SAFFRON WALDEN, DUNMOW, etc., SANITARY DISTRICTS—Medical Officer of Health: £700 per annum.

ST. GEORGE'S URBAN SANITARY DISTRICT: £50 per annum for two years. Applications to J. W. Young, Esq., Royal Insurance Buildings, Bristol.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN, Manchester—Medical Officer: £60 per annum, board and residence.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL FOR STONE, etc.—House-Surgeon.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL, Greenwich—Visiting Surgeon.

SHEFFIELD UNION—Medical Officer for the South East District: £40 p. ann.

STAMFORD, RUTLAND, and GENERAL INFIRMARY—House-Surgeon, Apothecary, and Secretary: £100 per annum, board, lodging, and washing.

STRATFORD-ON-AVON Rural, combined with several other Rural and Urban Sanitary Districts—Medical Officer of Health: £600 per annum. Applications to J. C. Warden, Esq.

THIRSK RURAL SANITARY DISTRICT—Medical Officer of Health: £50 for one year.

WEST HERTFORDSHIRE INFIRMARY, Hemel Hempstead—House-Surgeon and Assistant-Secretary: £100 per annum, furnished rooms, etc.

WESTMINSTER GENERAL DISPENSARY, Gerrard Street—Surgeon.
 WEST RIDING ASYLUM, Wakefield—Clinical Assistant.
 WHITTLESEY UNITED PARISHES—Medical Officer for the Workhouse
 (£20 per annum), and the Southern District (£60 per annum).
 WOLVERHAMPTON AND STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL HOSPITAL—
 Physician's Assistant: £100 per annum, board, washing, and furnished apart-
 ments.
 WORCESTER RURAL AND URBAN SANITARY DISTRICTS, combined—
 Medical Officer of Health: £50 per annum.
 WREXHAM INFIRMARY AND DISPENSARY—House-Surgeon: £80 per
 annum, residence and maintenance.

OPERATION DAYS AT THE HOSPITALS.

MONDAYMetropolitan Free, 2 P.M.—St. Mark's, 1.30 P.M.—Royal London
 Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 P.M.
 TUESDAYGuy's, 1.30 P.M.—Westminster, 2 P.M.—Royal London Oph-
 thalmic, 11 A.M.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 P.M.—
 West London, 3 P.M.—National Orthopaedic, 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, 1.30 P.M.—Lon-
 don, 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.—Roya
 Orthopaedic, 2 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.—Hos-
 pital for Diseases of the Throat, 2 P.M.—Royal Westminster
 Ophthalmic, 1.30 P.M.
 FRIDAYRoyal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 P.M.—Royal London
 Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.—Central London Ophthalmic, 2 P.M.—Royal
 South London Ophthalmic, 2 P.M.
 SATURDAY....St. Bartholomew's, 1.30 P.M.—King's College, 1.30 P.M.—Charing
 Cross, 2 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.—Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 P.M.—
 St. Thomas's, 9.30 A.M.—Royal Free, 9 A.M. and 2 P.M.

MEETINGS OF SOCIETIES DURING THE NEXT WEEK.

FRIDAY.—Medical Microscopical Society, 8 P.M. Conversational Meeting for the
 Exhibition of Specimens, etc.

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

CORRESPONDENTS not answered, are requested to look to the Notices to Corre-
 spondents of the following week.

WE CANNOT UNDERTAKE TO RETURN MANUSCRIPTS NOT USED.

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

COMMUNICATIONS respecting editorial matters should be addressed to the Editor;
 those concerning business matters, non-delivery of the JOURNAL, etc., should be
 addressed to the General Manager, at the Office, 37, Great Queen Street, W.C.

We are much obliged by Dr. Ogston's (Aberdeen) kindness in forwarding the de-
 sired information.

THE REDRUTH TIMES AND CAMBORNE ADVERTISER.—The paragraph to which
 our attention is called in the *Redruth Times* of July 4th, headed "Dr. Harris
 among Princes," is a very silly one, and we cannot for a moment suppose that Dr.
 Harris was cognisant that it would appear. It reads like the chat of a private letter
 indiscreetly converted into copy.

STUDENT.—Attfield's *Chemistry* will, we think, suit our correspondent best.

MR. DAVIES (Swansea).—Safely received.

A COUNTRY SURGEON should consult a solicitor. Looking to the facts which he
 states, we believe he would have no difficulty in recovering the fee to which he is
 entitled.

DR. HARRIS (Redruth).—Communications as to changes of address and all matters
 of business, should be addressed to F. Fowke, Esq., General Secretary and Man-
 ager, office of the JOURNAL, 37, Great Queen Street, London, W.C.

DR. CAMPBELL BLACK.—The matter shall have attention.

M. J. R. PERKINS (Downton).—We have no information on the subject.

S. PRALL (West Malling).—The mode of procedure is always indicated in the adver-
 tisement, and the best certificates are obviously those bearing on acquirements
 and performances relating to public hygiene.

A RATIONAL MEMBER is not called upon to take part in any proceedings in which
 he does not concur. The attendance at St. Paul's is wholly voluntary. He will
 allow others who differ from him "in an unsectarian age" to join in prayer, just
 as they freely accord to him the undoubted privilege of abstaining from it.

MR. J. JAMES (Birmingham).—Ladies are not invited to the *soirée* at the College of
 Surgeons, nor could they be properly, since it is chiefly held in the museum. No
 intimation on the subject has yet been received from the Lord Mayor. They are
 specially invited at the University College.

IRON ALUM.

SIR,—Will any of your subscribers tell me the internal dose of iron alum, the quan-
 tity for an injection, and in what cases it is most efficacious?

I am, etc.,

A SUBSCRIBER,

CORRESPONDENTS are particularly requested by the Editor to observe
 that communications relating to Advertisements, changes of address,
 and other business matters, should be addressed to Mr. Francis
 Fowke, General Secretary and Manager, at the Journal Office, 37,
 Great Queen Street, W.C., and not to the Editor.

INCOME TAX: ITS INJUSTICE TO THE MEDICAL PROFESSION.

SIR,—As a member of a hardworking and ill-paid profession, I desire to call the at-
 tention of my medical brethren, through the medium of your JOURNAL, to the
 great hardship we all, more or less, suffer in being obliged to pay the income tax.
 A medical man has a large sum of money to spend before he can be fully qualified
 to practise his profession; he has then to work hard for several years before he
 can save a penny. He must live well, or he is in danger of falling a victim to
 disease. He must dress well, keep a servant, and live in a decent house, or people
 will not consider him a gentleman. Then he must give long credit, and trust
 everyone, or he will soon lose his patients. All this he is expected to do; and yet
 during the first few years of his practice he may make less than a skilled mechanic.
 However, if his clear income is over one hundred pounds per annum, he must pay
 a tax of varying amount, which I consider is a sum of money wrongly extorted
 from him. It may be only a guinea or two, or even less than he has to pay; but if
 he has house-duty, poor-rate, etc., to pay, he can ill-afford to part with the money,
 which goes he knows not where. Surely things are dear enough already! what
 with the price of coal, provisions, etc., one finds it hard to live as an educated
 gentleman, and keep up a respectable position, without having to pay a certain sum
 out of that which has been hard worked for.

I consider this subject is one worthy of the consideration of the members of the
 British Medical Association. If they (along with all the members of the pro-
 fession) would combine and petition against the tax being imposed upon medical
 men, it would be a great boon to many if carried. I should be happy to hear of
 the subject being brought under discussion at the meeting of the Association in
 London next month. I, on my part, as a member, would certainly support any
 movement for the repeal of the tax.

I am, etc.,

ANTI-INJUSTICE.

July 3rd, 1873.

WE cut the following rhymes from the *Ohio Clinic*, May 3rd, 1873. We have seen
 better—and worse.

THE ANATOMIST TO HIS LOVE.

I list as thy heart and ascending aorta
 Their volumes of valvular harmony pour,
 And my soul from that muscular music has caught a
 New life 'mid its anatomical lore.
 O, rare is the sound when thy ventricles throb
 In a systolic symphony measured and slow,
 While the auricles answer with rhythmical sob,
 As they murmur a melody wondrously low.
 O, thy cornea, love, has the radiant light
 Of the sparkle that laughs in the icicle's sheen;
 And the crystalline lens, like a diamond bright,
 Through the quivering frame of thine iris is seen.
 And thy retina, spreading its lustre of pearl,
 Like the far-away nebula, distantly gleams
 From a vault of black cellular mirrors that hurl
 From their hexagon angles the silvery beams.
 Ah, the flash of those orbs is enslaving me still,
 As they roll 'neath the palpebre, dimly translucent,
 Obeying in silence the magical will
 Of the oculo-motor—pathetic—abducent.
 O, sweet is thy voice, as it sighingly swells
 From thy daintily quivering chordæ vocales,
 Or rings in clear tones through the echoing cells
 Of the antrum, the ethmoid, and sinus frontalis.

WE are indebted to correspondents for the following periodicals, containing news,
 reports, and other matters of medical interest:—The Liverpool Weekly Albion,
 July 5th; The Manchester Guardian, July 9th; The Aberdeen Daily Free
 Press, July 5th; The Bath Express, July 5th; The Birmingham Daily Post,
 July 9th; The Herts and Essex Observer; The Roscommon Journal; The Hull
 Packet; The Yorkshire Post and Leeds Intelligencer; The Melbourne Argus; The
 Sussex Daily News; The City Press; The Birmingham Daily Mail; The Kendal
 Mercury; The Daily Review; The Western Mail; The Wrexham Guardian; The
 Lincolnshire Chronicle; The Inquirer; The Lincoln Gazette; The Redruth
 Times, July 4th; The Liverpool Albion; etc.

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

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