her forehead, occiput, and epigastrium. She then suddenly ejaculated, "Light hair of a child,—the child very ill,—last stage of phthisis,—no hope of recovery,—remedies to be used, &c.," running on with a long list of medicines, which the attendant physician wrote down in a proper and becoming manner.

The gentleman who had handed the hair for examination, appeared much alarmed at the prognosis, put the prescription into his pocket, and then took an opportunity of announcing to the audience, that this lock of light hair from a phthisical child had been that morning cut from a young and healthy camel in the menagerie! He then made his escape as soon as possible.—London Medical Gazette.

MEDICAL INTELLIGENCE.

Dr. Henry Parker has been elected one of the Physicians to the Salop Infirmary, in the room of Dr. Marsh, resigned.

Dr. Marsh has been appointed Physician Extraordinary to the same Institution.

An Academy of Medicine is about to be founded immediately adjoining the New Turkish University, at Constantinople, the first stone of which was laid by Redschild Pacha, on the 21st of September last.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS.

Gentlemen admitted Members, Friday, October 9th:—J. Ryan; J. N. Harvey; J. S. Lavies; H. Day; G. Oldham; H. Harrisson; G. Nott.

METEOROLOGICAL JOURNAL FOR SEPTEMBER, 1846.

Kept at Sidmouth,

By W. H. Cullen, M.D., Sur	GEON	r .
Mean of External Thermometer at 9	١.м.	62.01
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the Maxima,		69.84
Minima,		53.90
Absolute Mean		61.87
of nine preceding years		57.36
Extreme highest on the 13th		76.75
lowest, 30th		49.
range		27.75
Mean daily range		16.29
Dewpoint at 9 A.M		57.32
9 р.м		53.98
Mean of Barometer at 9 A.M		30.137
9 р.м		30.117
Extreme highest on the 11th and 12th		30.554
lowest on the 20th		
range		1.004
Number of days fine		22
· · · · on which any rain fell		

Mean of nine preceding years at 9 A.M. 57.48 PREVAILING WINDS.

Quantity of rain in inches 1.356

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OBITUARY.

Died, September, 26th, aged 67, William Mason, M.D., of Carnarvon.

October 2nd, at Clarence Square, Cheltenham, aged 47, Congreve Selwyn, Esq., M.D.

October 7th, at Edinburgh, Patrick Charles, Esq., M.D., of Putney.

October 7th, at Gray's Thurroch, aged 30, Henry Ashton Meeson, Esq., M.D.

October 11th, at Morland Cottage, Edinburgh, Dr. John Thomson, late Professor of General Pathology in the University.

BOOKS RECEIVED.

Chemistry of the Four Seasons, Spring, Summer, Autumn, Winter, &c. By Thomas Griffiths, Professor of Chemistry in the Medical College of St. Bartholomew's Hospital, &c. &c. London: Churchill. 1846. pp. 495.

Practical Observations and Suggestions in Medicine. Second Series. By Marshall Hall, M.D., F.R.S., L. & E., &c. &c. London: Churchill. 1846. pp. 360.

Urinary Deposits, their Diagnosis, Pathology, and Therapeutical Indications. By Golding Bird, A.M., M.D., F.R.S., Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, Assistant Physician to, and Lecturer on Materia Medica at Guy's Hospital, &c. &c. Second edition. London: Churchill. 1846. pp. 356.

Dr. Underwood's Treatise on the Diseases of Children, with Directions for the Management of Infants. Tenth edition, with additions. By Henry Davies, M.D., Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, Senior Physician to the British Lying-in Hospital, &c. &c. London: Churchill. 1846. 8vo. pp. 595.

A Guide for the proper Treatment of the Teeth, &c. By W. Kencely Bridgman, Dentist. London: Churchill. 1846. pp. 88.

The Moral Aspects of Medical Life, consisting of the 'AKESIOS' of Professor K. F. H. Marx. Translated from the German. By James Mackness, M.D., Member of the College of Physicians, Consulting Physician to the Hastings Dispensary. London: Churchill, 1846. pp. 348.

Homocopathy, viewed in connection with Medical Reform. By Henry R. Madden, M.D., Edinburgh, London: Leath. 1846. pp. 163.

Records of Harvey: in Extracts from the Journals of the Royal Hospital of St. Bartholomew. By James Pages. Warden of the Collegiate Establishment, and Lecturer on Physiology in the Hospital. London; Churchill. 1846. 8vo. pp. 45.

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ROBERT J. N. STREETEN, Secretary.