

SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION.

It has not unfrequently happened that spontaneous combustion has given rise to unfounded suspicion of homicide. The following is an instance in point:—

On the 6th of January the corpse of a man was found burning on his bed, by an attendant who entered his room in the morning. A thick smoke filled the chamber, and a small white flame was seen to play about the body. The bed-clothes were almost destroyed, and the bedstead had become charred. It was ascertained that the deceased had carried lucifer matches in his pocket, and had as was his custom placed a hot brick, wrapped in flannel, to his feet. He retired to bed about 7 o'clock in the evening and at 9 o'clock, his daughter, who passed by the door, perceived nothing unusual. The man, who was 71 years of age, was neither fat nor intemperate.

The son and daughter were suspected of having destroyed their parent, and of attempting to burn the corpse in order to conceal their crime. A physician was summoned to the inquest, and the corpse which had been buried was exhumed. The body was enveloped in a white shroud, and was moist in certain spots. Around the neck was a cravat which was much injured by fire, as was also a piece of his shirt. The hands were completely burned, with the exception of a few remains of the tendons. The thighs were also completely separated from the body. It was determined that these results could not have been produced by the, application of fire, but were due to spontaneous combustion.—*Gazette Médicale.*

BURNS.

From what I have seen in the practice of others, and from my own experience of many years, I do not hesitate to say that frequent dressings are decidedly mischievous, and that bandaging which approaches only to moderate firmness is hurtful. I consider it bad practice hastily to repress the growth of luxuriant granulations, and I know that neither seams, cicatrices, nor contractions, are bettered by the one or the other. Moreover, I verily believe, that debility, leanness, and death, are often the consequences of too frequent and of course unnecessary interference.

A MEMBER.

Medical Intelligence.

APPOINTMENTS.

Philip Henry Williams, Esq., M.D., has been elected one of the Physicians to the Worcester Dispensary, in the room of Dr. Hastings, resigned.

Dr. Arthur Farre, and Mr. Toynbee, have been appointed by the Government to inspect the Workhouses and Infirmarys in the parishes of the metropolis, to determine the amount of accommodation for pauper patients in the event of the cholera breaking out in London.

ACADEMIE DE MEDICINE, PARIS.

M. Royer Collard has been elected President of this Institution; M. Velpeau, Vice-president; M. Melier, Secretary; and M. M. Begin, Bricheteau, and Cornac, Members of the Council of Administration for the ensuing year.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, LONDON.

The munificent legacy of £25,000 has been left to the medical department of University College, London, by the late Dr. Holme, of Manchester.

MANCHESTER MEDICO-ETHICAL ASSOCIATION.

The Association now consists of seventy-three members, and a considerable increase is anticipated on the first ballot in February next. The following gentlemen were appointed Officers on Thursday, December 9th, 1847:—

President:—Dr. Bardsley.

Vice Presidents:—Dr. J. L. Bardsley; W. J. Willson, Esq.

Treasurer:—John Windsor, Esq.

Hon. Secretaries:—Richard Allen, Esq.; Dr. Aikenhead.

Committee:—Mr. Dorrington, Mr. Noble, Dr. Howard, Mr. Crompton, Dr. Radford, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Mellor, Dr. H. Browne, Mr. Southam, Mr. Ker, Mr. Nursaw, Mr. P. Barrow, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Greaves, Dr. Harland, Mr. E. Stephens, Manchester; Mr. Fawcett, Oldham; Mr. Flint, Stockport; Mr. Lallemand, Macclesfield; Mr. Wood, Ashton-under-Lyne.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS.

The following Members of the College were admitted to the Fellowship on Thursday, December 16th:—E. S. Warry, Lyndhurst, Hampshire; J. Cockle, Guildford Street; C. Radford, Uckfield, Sussex; J. S. Bartrum, Gay Street, Bath; T. S. Beck, Upper Mary-le-bone Street; W. Clapp, Greenwich; D. De B. Hovell, Clapton; J. W. Fletcher, Bengal Army; T. Callaway, jun., Wellington Street, Southwark.

Gentlemen admitted Members on Friday, December 17th, 1847:—W. Coosby; J. Bennett; W. Fuller; W. S. Falls; F. Glenton; R. Calthurst; C. W. Price; A. Barton; T. S. Hodges.

Gentlemen admitted Members on Monday, Dec. 20th, 1847:—F. P. Francis; T. Crowther; S. B. Birch; G. E. Gains; F. J. Barton; J. Barrow; M. H. Ashwell; J. S. Gundry; T. P. Rust; C. F. A. Courtney; G. Welford; J. Graham; W. Parry; W. C. Orford; J. F. Ollard.

SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES.

Gentlemen admitted Licentiate, Thursday, December 16, 1847:—Alexander George Cockburn Thiselton, Heworth, Yorkshire; Gustavus Irwin Knight, Tilbury Fort; Horace Harrison Smith, Ramsgate; William Henry White, Stevenage; Hugh Green, Boxford, Suffolk.

OBITUARY.

Died, November 29th, aged 80, of fever, Edward Kingsley, Esq., Medical Attendant to the Fever Hospital, at Templemore.

December 5th, aged 75, William Dalrymple, Esq., for many years one of the most distinguished surgeons of the Norfolk and Norwich Hospital, and at the time of his decease Honorary Consulting Surgeon to the same. Mr. Dalrymple was one of the originators of the Museum of the Norfolk and Norwich Hospital, and presented to that Institution the whole of his valuable anatomical and pathological collections.

BOOKS RECEIVED.

Answer to the Religious Objections advanced against the Employment of Anæsthetic Agents in Midwifery and Surgery. By J. Y. Simpson, M.D., F.R.S.E., Professor of Midwifery in the University of Edinburgh, and Physician-Accoucheur to Her Majesty in Scotland. Edinburgh: Sutherland and Knox. 1847. 8vo. pp. 22.

The Sanitary Condition of Great Yarmouth, &c. By C. Lockhart Robertson, M.D., &c. Yarmouth: Barber. 1847.

METEOROLOGICAL JOURNALS FOR SEPTEMBER, 1847.

Kept at Sidmouth, by W. H. CULLEN, M.D.; at Honiton, by Mr. ROGERS; at Romsey, Hants, by F. BUCKELL, Esq.; at Uckfield, Sussex, by C. L. PRINCE, Esq.

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External Thermometer.	Mean at 9 a.m. - -	54.32	52.15	52.33	.
	„ at 9 p.m. - -	52.93	8p.m. 48.39	48.39	.
	„ of the Maxima - -	63.35	60.33	64.13	66.02
	„ of the Minima - -	48.65	45.14	44.43	42.40
	Absolute Mean - -	54.75	52.73	54.28	54.21
	Mean of 6 preceding years	57.04	.	.	.
	Extreme highest - -	1st 67.50	22nd 66.00	9th 70.00	8th 75.00
	„ lowest - -	5-7th 41.25	19th 36.00	28th 34.00	6th 31.00
	„ range - -	26.25	30.00	36.00	44.00
	Mean daily range - -	15.75	14.19	20.90	23.62
	Greatest ditto - -	23.50	.	25th 30.00	.
	Least ditto - -	7.50	.	13th 4.00	.
	Maximum in the Sun -	.	.	.	8th 88.00
	Minimum on the Grass -	.	.	.	7th 25.00
Barometer.	Mean at 9 a.m. - -	30.193	29.51	29.434	29.92
	„ 9 p.m. - -	30.160	8p.m. 29.18	29.390	.
	Extreme highest - -	27th 30.453	28th 29.81	28th 29.750	29th 30.32
	„ lowest - -	16th 29.640	17th 28.94	17th 28.790	16th 29.49
	„ range - -	.813	.87	.960	.83
Dew Point.	Mean at 9 a.m. - -	50.60	.	50.43	48.39
	„ 9 p.m. - -	49.00	.	47.61	.
	Days fine - - -	16	14	17	.
	„ dull and variable	6	.	.	.
	„ on which any rain fell	8	16	13	.
	Quantity of rain in inches	0.396	.	1.133	1.80
	Evaporation - - -	.	.	2.110	2.85
	Thunder and lightning
	Prevailing Winds - -	SW. NW.	NW. SW.	NW. SW.	W.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Communications have been received from Mr. R. Allen; Dr. Ogier Ward; Dr. Radford; Mr. F. Buckell; Mr. Martin; the Birmingham Pathological Society; Dr. J. F. Hensley; Mr. S. J. Salter; Mr. T. Hunt; Mr. S. Crompton; Dr. Oke; Professor Simpson.

We have to solicit the indulgence of several of our contributors whose communications, in consequence of the room occupied by the index, are unavoidably postponed until the next number.

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