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TO THE EDITOR OF THE PROVINCIAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL JOURNAL.

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I remain, Sir, your most obedient servant,
CHARLES WILSON STEEL,
Lewisham, June 27, 1848.

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APPOINTMENTS.

On Thursday last, Frederick Carpenter Skey, Esq., Richard Anthony Stafford, Esq., and Bransby Blake Cooper, Esq., were elected Members of the Council of the Royal College of Surgeons, in the room of Messrs. Briggs, Liston, and Morgan, deceased.

Professor Syme has been allowed by the Crown to withdraw his resignation of the Chair of Clinical Surgery in the University of Edinburgh.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS.

The following gentlemen were admitted Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians, on Monday, June 26th:—Dr. Francis Boott, Gower Street; Dr. T. Bell Fletcher, Birmingham; Dr. Samuel J. Jeafferson, Warwick; Dr. Alfred Loché, Canterbury; Dr. F. Weber, Norfolk Street; Dr. E. Lloyd Birkett, Cloak

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UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

The following gentlemen received the degree of M.D., on Monday, July the 3rd:—Thomas Blackhall, Gonville and Caius College; Herbert Davies, Queen's College.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS.

Gentlemen admitted Members, Friday, July 7th:—H. Parfitt; J. Rhodes; T. Taaffe; F. M. D. Davidson; P. Wright; L. Parnell; A. Butler; J. Lawrence.

SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES.

Gentlemen admitted Licentiates, Thursday, June 22nd:—Joseph Alfred Tapson, St. Germans, Cornwall; John Hendley; Frederic Hodson, Gooles; Samuel Elevin Brand; Joseph Nash, Edenbridge, Kent; John Thomas Arlidge; Joseph Adolphus, Jamaica.

OBITUARY.

Died, June 23rd, at Warrington, aged 32, J. Stanton, Esq., Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians, London.

June 23rd, at Launceston, aged 44, J. F. Smith, Esq., Surgeon.

June 26th, at Partry House, Mayo, of fever, aged 34, George Lynch, M.D., late Physician to the Fever Hospital, Ballinrobe,

BOOKS RECEIVED.

Insanity tested by Science, and shown to be a Disease rarely connected with Permanent Organic Lesion of the Brain. By C. M. Burnett, M.D. London: Highley. 1848. 8vo. pp. 107.

On Functional Diseases of the Liver, associated with Uterine Derangement, &c. By Butler Lane, M.D., M.R.C.S.E., &c. London: Renshaw. 1848. 8vo. pp. 32.

A Treatise on Diet and Regimen. By William Henry Robertson, M.D., Physician to the Buxton Bath Charity. Fourth edition. In two Volumes. Vol. II. London: Churchill. 1848. Post 8vo. pp. 362.

The Scotch Epidemic Fever of 1843-44, &c. By John Richard Wardell, M.D., Edin. (From the *London Medical Gazette*.) London: Churchill. 1848. pp. 114.

Lectures on Diseases of the Eye. By John Morgan, F.L.S., late Surgeon of Guy's Hospital, and Lecturer on Surgery at that Institution. Second edition. By John F. France, Surgeon of the Eye Infirmary, and Lecturer on Ophthalmic Surgery at Guy's Hospital. London: Highley. 1848. 8vo. pp. 222. Plates.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Communications have been received from Mr. T. L. Walford; Mr. R. O. Johnston; Dr. Tunstall; Dr. E. D. Walker; Mr. Crompton; Mr. Bartrum; Mr. C. Vines; Dr. Thurnam; Dr. Oke; Dr. Coley; Dr. T. O. Ward; Dr. T. Thompson; Mr. Halton;