The Governors of the Gateshead Dispensary met on Tuesday, in the town-hall (George Sowerby, Esq., mayor, in the chair), to elect a house-surgeon and apothecary in the place of Dr. Tinniswood, resigned. The Mayor proposed Mr. Thomas Common, and Mr. Kell, considering him in every respect qualified for the office, seconded the nomination. No other candidate being nominated, Mr. Common was unanimously elected. Mr. Swinburne proposed a vote of thanks to Dr. Tinniswood, for his able, assiduous, and humane performance of the duties of his office. Alderman Pollock seconded the motion, and it was carried unanimously. Dr. Tinniswood having returned thanks, the meeting separated. [One of the candidates for the vacancy, a resident in the West of England, describing himself "a member of the Royal College of Surgeons in London, and a licentiate of the Apothecaries' Company," had the liberality, in his letter to the honorary secretary, to make the following offer :- " If (said he) you can render me any assistance, so as to secure my election to the office, I shall very cheerfully give you twenty or thirty pounds for the trouble I may give you!' We ought perhaps to state, for the information of readers at a distance, and in justice to the successful candidate, that he was not the person who made the impertinent offer.]-Gateshead Observer, May 28.

#### OBITUARIES.

At Worthing, Jeremiah Gladwin Cloves, M.D., aged forty-nine.

On the 16th instant, at Jersey, Mr. H. F. Dove,

On the 26th, W. M. T. Dyer, Esq., Coroner for the Tower of London.

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Members admitted on Friday, May 20, 1842. Edward Neve Sison, John Southern, James Douglas, W. Grant Eaststaff, Nathaniel Montefiore, Michael Hare, Charles Gibson, Arthur Browne Steele, Henry Thomas Berry, Edward Pye, Peter Brotherston, Arthur Taylor, Charles Robison, James Rowlands.

# Monday, May 23, 1842.

Octavian Royle, Charles Price Symonds, Alfred George Field, William Malichi Burke, Major Ainger, John Jeffes Sparham, James Green, Alfred Anderson, Henry Uwins, Francis Bryant Pearce, James Thomson Waller, George Augustus Shelton, John Ward, Edward Allen.

# APOTHECARIES' HALL.

Licentiates admitted Thursday, April 28, 1842.

P. P. Lattey; W. Davies, Gloucester; J. W. pet; line 60, for Davies, Gloucester; W. Miller, Poole; J. Thomas, Llanfaid, Cardiganshire; G. A. Eddman, Addethorpe, Lincoln; W. Williams, Mold, South Wales; W. P. read Deutschem.

Stiff, Uley; J. Graham, Brampton; P. M. Pope, Town Malling, Kent; F. Ingoldby, Louth, Lincolnshire.

## Thursday, May 5, 1842.

G. W. Whateley, Great Berkhamstead, Herts; E. Metcalfe, Foulmine, Cambridgeshire; C. W. Mann, Killington, Yorkshire; W. Druitt; M. M. Bull, Cambridge; W. C. T. Wagstaffe, 117, Long-lane, Bermondsey; John Kilshaw Slater, Knutsford, Cheshire; B. Kingdon, Ryde, Isle of Wight; H. P. Haydon, Melbury Abbas, Dorset; B. T. Hodge, Sidmouth, Devon; R. Boley, Bristol; F. M. Russell, Marlborough, Wilts.

# Thursday, May 12, 1842.

T. R. Wheeler, 61, Gracechurch-street; W. R. M. Griffin, Falmouth; W. A. Leslie, Falmouth; T. Godfrey, Oxford; J. G. Treacher, Borneo; J. Nicholson, Hexham; J. Walmsley, Liverpool; R. S. Donnall, Falmouth; W. H. Sims, Birmingham; A. Back, Norwich; S. K. Scott, Wappenham, Northampton; G. M. Humphry, Sudbury, Suffolk; W. B. Tomkin, Witham, Essex; E. F. Mecey, Newbury; H. W. P. Davis, London.

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The communications of Mr. Rose and Mr. Windsor have been received.

### ERRATA.

Page 134, col. 2, line 23, for "summary," read harmony. Page 135, col. 1, line 48, for "set," read pet; line 60, for "aimed," read arrived. Page 136, col. 2, line 9, for "Erzcugung," read Erzeugung; for "gelung," read gleang; line 10, for "Deutschen," read Deutschem.

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