

Moved by J. S. Birch, Esq., of Blackburn, and seconded by Robert Wilding, Esq., of Blackburn:—"That a petition, based upon the foregoing resolutions, be drawn up and sent for signature to each medical man in the Hundred of Blackburn—and that a copy be sent to the Representatives of the Northern Division of this County, accompanied by a request that J. Wilson Patten, Esq., will present it to the House of Commons, and that he and J. Talbot Clifton, Esq., will support its prayer."

Moved by Samuel Wraith, Esq., of Darwen, and seconded by—Wright, Esq., of Haslingdon:—"That a deputation, consisting of Dr. Martland, Messrs. Cort, Stocks, and Bailey, be appointed to wait upon the Members of the Borough of Blackburn and Clitheroe, to present to each a copy of the same petition, and earnestly to solicit their aid in support of its prayer."

J. CORT, Chairman.

The thanks of the meeting were voted to the Editors of the *Times*, *Lancet*, *Medical Gazette*, and *Provincial Medical and Surgical Journal*, for their able advocacy of the objects which the meeting had in view; and to Mr. Cort, for his able conduct in the chair.

JON. MORLEY, Hon. Secretary.

#### ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS, EDINBURGH.

At the annual election meeting of the Royal College of Physicians, held on the 5th instant, the following gentlemen were elected office-bearers for the ensuing year:

Dr. William Beilby, President; Dr. Robert Renton, Vice-President; Dr. T. H. Davidson and Dr. James Wood, Censors; Dr. Charles Ransford, Treasurer; Dr. David Craigie, Secretary; Dr. William Seller, Librarian; Dr. Robert Spittal, Fiscal; Dr. James Stark, Keeper of Museum; Mr. Kenneth Mackenzie, Clerk; Mr. John Small, Under Librarian; Dr. William Beilby, Dr. Robert Renton, Dr. T. H. Davidson, Dr. Robert Christison, Dr. David Craigie, Dr. Charles Ransford, and Dr. George Paterson, Examiners of Foreign Graduates.  
Edinburgh, December 5th, 1844.

#### ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.

The first examination for the Fellowship under the new Charter of this College, commenced on Tuesday last. Twenty-five candidates presented themselves. The result of the examination has not yet reached us, but among the gentlemen who passed on this occasion, were Mr. H. W. Rumsey, of Gloucester, Mr. John Soden, of Bath, and Mr. J. H. Walsh, of Worcester.

In reply to the question which has been put to us respecting the supposed omission of Mr. Crosse, of Norwich, senior surgeon to the Norfolk and Norwich Hospital, from the Fellowship of the College, we may state that there is no foundation whatever for the statements of a contemporary on this point. Mr. Crosse was included in the first appointment of Fellows, and stands number 114 on the list.—See *Provincial Medical Journal*, volume 7, page 260.

Gentlemen admitted Members on Friday, December 6, 1844:—G. F. D. Evans; E. Hutchinson; J. A. Walmsley; T. H. Watt; W. H. Meadows; R. Thornton; H. Douglas.

#### UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.

##### DOCTORS OF MEDICINE, 1844.

*First Division*: Edward Ballard, University College; Joseph Hullett Browne, Guy's Hospital; John Jones Davies, London Hospital; Thomas Inman, King's College; William Jenner, University College; George Johnson, King's College; Frederick Robert Manson, ditto; Edward Meryon, University College; William Augustus Raper, ditto; George Augustus Rees, St. Bartholomew's Hospital; John Snow, Westminster Hospital; Stephen Henry Ward, London Hospital; Edwin King, School of Physic in Ireland.

*Second Division*: Patrick Martin, School of Physic in Ireland.

##### BACHELORS OF MEDICINE.

(Examination for Honours.)

*Physiology and Comparative Anatomy*: R. D. Harling, (scholarship and gold medal,) University College; H. March Webb, (gold medal,) Guy's Hospital; Charles Henry Felix Routh, University College; William Thomas Edwards, ditto; Godwin William Timms, ditto; William Bird Herapath, Bristol Medical School, and London Hospital; Edwin Hearne, University College.

*Surgery*: H. March Webb, (scholarship and gold medal,) Guy's Hospital; Peter Redferne, Surgeon's Square, Edinburgh; William Henry Parsey, King's College; Edwin Hearne, University College; William Bird Herapath, Bristol Medical School, and London Hospital.

*Medicine*: R. D. Harling, (scholarship and gold medal,) University College; Peter Redfern, (gold medal,) Surgeon's Square, Edinburgh; John Evans, University College; William Henry Parsey, King's College; Frederick William Marshall, University College; William Bird Herapath, Bristol Medical School, and London Hospital; Henry March Webb, Guy's Hospital; Godwin William Timms, University College; Edwin Hearne, ditto.

*Midwifery*: William Thomas Edwards, (gold medal,) University College; William Bird Herapath, Bristol Medical School, and London Hospital; William Henry Parsey, King's College; Henry March Webb, Guy's Hospital.

*Vegetable Physiology and Structural Botany*: Henry March Webb, Guy's Hospital; William Bird Herapath, Bristol Medical School, and London Hospital.

#### THE LATE DR. DALTON.

This celebrated and deeply lamented philosopher has left the sum of £2000 to found a Professorship of Chemistry at Oxford.

#### TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Communications have been received from Dr. C. R. Hall; H.; M.R.C.S.; Mr. G. King; Dr. Borton; Sir John Fife; and Mr. Carter.

The Critical Analysis of the Principal Facts of Disease, will be continued in our next, as well as Mr. Carter's letter, the second part of which is in type.

It is requested that all letters and communications be sent to Dr. Streeten, Foregate Street, Worcester. Parcels, and books for review, may be addressed to the Editor of the *Provincial Medical and Surgical Journal*, care of Mr. Churchill, Princes Street, Soho.