person wherever removed to, examine the nature and extent of injury, and within the next twenty-four hours send a report thereof to the factory inspector, for all which services he is to be paid by the Government, "in conformity with the opinion of the Secretary of State," the liberal fee of three shillings. A few weeks ago I drove two miles to a mill, two and a half further, to see the injured person, paid one shilling and fourpence tolls, and drove four and a half miles back, in all nine miles, for which, " in conformity with the opinion of the Secretary of State," I am to be paid three shillings.

The above is so insulting, so absurd, that I forbear all comment at present.

Yours, &c.,

F.R.C.S.

METEOROLOGICAL JOURNAL FOR JANUARY, 1845.

Kept at Sidmouth,

BY W. H. CULLEN, M.D., SURGEON.

Mean of External Thermometer at 9 A.M.	42.31								
	40.95								
the Maxima,	46.13								
Minima,	36.97								
Mean daily range. 9.16									
Extreme highest on the 26th	51.								
lowest, on the 31st	27.								
Extreme range. 24.									
Mean Dewpoint at 9 A.M	39.90								
P.M	37.77								
Mean of Barometer at 9 A.M	29.950								
P.M	29.314								
Extreme highest on the 7th and 21st	30.250								
lowest on the 28th	29.050								
Extreme range. 1.200									
Number of days fine	15								
on which any rain fell .	8								
Quantity of rain in inches	0.900								
Snow on the 27th and 30th.									
Hail 27th and 28th. Dull 4th.									
PREVAILING WINDS.									

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SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES.

Gentlemen admitted licentiates, Feb. 20, 1845 :-George Cleveland, Lowestoff: Lawson Fleck Crummey, Stokesley; Peter Thornton, Glossop.

February 27th: - John Mills Goodinge, Redruth; Thomas Reginald Cotterell, Charlbury; Alexander Stansbury, Kingsdown, Bristol; John Northey Tompson, Totness; Thomas Symonds Howell; John Alfred Haynes; Henry Woodward, Bicester.

OBITUARY.

At Remenham Hill, near Henley-on-Thames, February 3rd, Nathaniel Rumsey, M.D., aged 63, son of the late, and brother of the present, Dr. Rumsey,

of Amersham. Dr. Nathaniel Rumsey practised about 35 years, prior to taking his degree, as a surgeon at Beaconsfield, where he acquired an extensive reputation. He was a member of the Provincial Medical and Surgical Association, almost from its institution; and on more than one occasion took an active part in its proceedings. His reflective habit of mind, his sound judgment, and his diligence in recording the many important facts which came under his professional observation, enabled him to make some valuable contributions to practical medicine, of which the principal are, as follows:-1. An Essay on the Coincidence of worms with hamoptysis, 1818, read before the Royal Medical and Chirurgical Society. 2. A paper in the Edinburgh Medical and Surgical Journal, 1819, on Fever, caused by depletion, seven years before this important principle was established by Mr. Travers, and Dr. Marshall Hall. 3. A tract, on Scarlatina, 1832, printed by authority of the Provincial Medical and Surgical Association. 4. His inaugural dissertation, in 1837, "De Placentâ disruptâ,"-a truly original and practical thesis; and, lastly, within a few months of his death, a small pamphlet on "The influence of locality on health," which originally appeared as a letter in this Journal.

On the 28th of February, at Dublin, Montgomery Ferguson, Esq., M.D.

It is our painful duty also to record the sudden death of Professor Daniell, of Kings' College. He was attending a council meeting of the Royal Society, in Somerset House, when he was observed by Mr. Wm, Bowman, opposite whom he was sitting, to grow black in the face; his eyes became fixed and his breathing stertorous. Every one got up to render assistance; he was brought to the window; his neckcloth untied; and Mr. Bowman, with the concurrence of the other medical men present, opened the jugular vein. The blood flowed freely. The opening was subsequently closed, as he appeared to be rapidly sinking. He died immediately, in less than five minutes from the first attack. He never uttered a word, nor was there any convulsion. He closed his lecture five minutes before his usual time, because, as he told the students, he had to attend a meeting of the Council of the Royal Society. He was a most temperate man, and for the last two years had not tasted wine or alcohol. An inquest was sheld on the body of the deceased on Thursday night, when the jury, without a moment's deliberation, returned a verdict of "Died of apoplexy." The Marquis of Northampton, Sir W. Burnett, and other distinguished members of the Royal Society and King's College, were present during the inquiry, at the close of which the body was removed to deceased's residence. Dr. Daniell was in the 55th year of his age. He was Professor of Chemistry in King's College, and Examiner on the same subject at the London University. By his death science has been robbed of one of its brightest ornaments.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Communications have been received from Dr. Durrant, Dr. Radford; Messrs. Bullen and Wooldridge; Mr. A. Empson; Dr. Blackmore; Mr. H. Smith; Mr. W. Allison; Dr. Inglis; Mr. Dorrington; H.; and Mr. Newnham.