APPOINTMENTS.

BIRKETT, John, Esq., appointed, on the 23rd May, Assistant Surgeon to Guy's Hospital.

- BROWN, Alexander R., M.D. (for eight years Physician to the Stamford Infirmary), elected, by a majority of votes, to be Physician to the Sussex County Hospital, in the room of DB HALL, resigned.
- LANG, Henry, M.B. Lond., elected, on the 31st May, Physician to the Westminster General Dispensary (Gerard street, Soho), vacant by the resignation of DR. CHILD.
- MACINTOSH, Dr., of Dundee, was elected Physician and Superintendent of the Royal Lunatic Asylum, Glasgow, on the 25th May, in the room of DR. HUTCHESON, retired. The votes stood thus—for Dr. Macintosh, 12: for Dr. David Skae, of the Royal Edinburgh Lunatic Asylum, 8.
- MANLEY, Dr., appointed Honorary Surgeon to the Northern Dispensary, Liverpool.
- PULESTON, J. H., Esq., elected House Surgeon to the Kent Ophthalmic Hospital.
- WALSHE, W. H., M.D., elected Professor of Medicine to University College, in the room of DB. C. J. B. WILLIAMS, resigned.

OBITUARY.

AITCHISON, Thomas, Esq., Surgeon, at Dunbar, on 25th May.

- BEILEY, William, M.D., F.R.C.P.E., at his residence, 57, Northumberland street, Edinburgh, on 30th May, of disease of the kidney. Dr. Beilby was held in very high estimation as a Christian gentleman and physician. He recently occupied the Chair of the Edinburgh College of Physicians.
- BELLOT, Joseph, Esq., Consulting Surgeon to the Stockport Infirmary, aged 82, on the 22nd February, at the Parsonage, Poynton, Cheshire. Mr. Bellot commenced his active professional life in 1787, when he was House-Surgeon to the Westminster Hospital. On the 5th February, 1789, he passed as Assistant-Surgeon R.N.; and on the 3rd June, 1790, as Surgeon R.N. On retiring from the service, in 1795, he settled at Stockport.
- BOUBGERY, M., at Paris, of cholera, on 8th June. He was well known for his researches in anatomy, and was the author of a large work, entitled *Anatomie de l'homme*.
- BRANDRETH, Thomas, Esq., Surgeon, at Liverpool, on 5th June, aged 34.
- CARMICHARL, Richard, Esq., about three weeks ago, by accidental drowning. This distinguished surgeon was proceeding on horseback to his country residence, at Sutton, near Howth, and on arriving at a part of the strand, where an inlet of the sea flowed over the sandy beach, he asked if it would be safe to cross there : being answered in the affirmative, he ventured to cross, but when more than half way, the horse got out of his depth, and after swimming for a little, leaned over, and fell on his side, when the rider lost his seat, and became submerged in the tide.
- CLIFT, William, Esq., F.R.S., Conservator of the Hunterian Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons of England for nearly half a century, aged 77, on the 20th June, at his residence, Stanhope Cottage, Hampstead-road. Mr. Clift was a man of very high scientific eminence, and much esteemed in private life for his straightforwardness and integrity of character. The deceased has left an only daughter (the wife of Professor Owen) and a large body of friends to deplore his loss.
- MACKINNON, Donald, M.D., at Norland square, Notting Hill, on 10th June.

MUNRO, James, Esq., Surgeon, at Bridge of Weir, N.B., of typhus fever, on 29th May.

NIGHTINGALL, B., Esq., formerly Resident Surgeon of the Liverpool Fever Hospital and Workhouse, aged 61, on the 22nd April, at Delph Cottage, Cheshire.

PICKANCE, John, Esq., Surgeon, aged 48, on 3d June, at Penshurst, Kent.

ROLLAND, John, Esq., Surgeon, fourth surviving son of the late Adam Rolland, Esq., of Gask, at 14, Shandwick Place, Edinburgh, on the 26th June.

BOOKS RECEIVED.

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