

OPERATION DAYS AT THE HOSPITALS.

MONDAY......Metropolitan Free, 2 P.M.—St. Mark's for Fistula and other Diseases of the Rectum, 1.15 P.M.—Samaritan, 2.30 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.

TUESDAY.....Guy's, 1½ P.M.—Westminster, 2 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.

WEDNESDAY....St. Mary's, 1 P.M.—Middlesex, 1 P.M.—University College, 2 P.M.—London, 2 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.

THURSDAY.....St. George's, 1 P.M.—Central London Ophthalmic 1 P.M.—Great Northern, 2 P.M.—London Surgical Home, 2 P.M.—Royal Orthopædic, 2 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.

FRIDAY......Westminster Ophthalmic, 1.30 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.

SATURDAY.....St. Thomas's, 1 P.M.—St. Bartholomew's, 1.30 P.M.—King's College, 1.30 P.M.—Charing Cross, 2 P.M.—Lock, Clinical Demonstration and Operations, 1 P.M.—Royal Free, 1.30 P.M.—Royal London Ophthalmic, 11 A.M.

MEETINGS OF SOCIETIES DURING THE NEXT WEEK.

MONDAY. Epidemiological Society, 8 P.M.—Entomological.—Royal Institution (Anniversary).—Odontological.

TUESDAY. Pathological.

WEDNESDAY. Obstetrical Society of London, 8 P.M. Dr. Meadows, "On the Treatment of Vesico-Vaginal Fistula"; Mr. Nunn, "Destructive Inflammation of the Hip-Joint following Delivery."

THURSDAY. Harveian Society of London, 8 P.M. Dr. Sisson, "On the Origin and Nature of Syphilis."—Royal.—Linnæan.—Chemical.

FRIDAY. Western Medical and Surgical Society, 8 P.M. "Practical Evening for Cases and Specimens."—Royal Institution.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

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CORRESPONDENTS, who wish notice to be taken of their communications, should authenticate them with their names—of course not necessarily for publication.

RE-VACCINATION AND THE POOR-LAW.—Mr. Jackson, District Vaccinator at Ferriby, is refused payment of his just fees, because "it is past the time."

"A letter was read from Mr. Jackson, the medical officer for Welton, stating that it was not his intention to waive his claim against the Board for re-vaccination.—Mr. Ellison: I will move that it be paid.—The Chairman: And I will second it.—The Clerk: You can't; it is past the time; six months have elapsed.—Mr. Ellison: That's a very shabby way of making your payments."

When Mr. Jackson made his claim in a correspondence, the refusal was grounded on the non-liability of the guardians. Thus every "shabby" method is resorted to for the avoidance of the payment of the surgeon's just debts.

A CORRESPONDENT makes the following useful suggestion:—"It would be of much use if we could obtain the actual result of change of climate in the patients sent abroad for the winter. If their English medical attendants would give the effects they find on their return, the needed information would be gained. Would it be possible to obtain this information by some such plan as is now adopted, of naming a reporter, and requesting such information to be sent to him? My firm conviction is, that, as a rule, patients are much worse off abroad than in England; but to ascertain the fact, or some approach to it, would be satisfactory. Indeed, to furnish evidence to give medical men in doubtful cases sufficient reasons for opposing a change, would be very serviceable, for the expense and wretchedness caused by sending doubtful or hopeless cases abroad is untold."

COMMUNICATIONS have been received from:—Dr. W. TILBURY FOX; Dr. ROUTH; THE SECRETARY OF THE ODONTOLOGICAL SOCIETY; THE HON. SECRETARIES OF THE WESTERN MEDICAL AND SURGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON; THE HON. SECRETARIES OF THE HARVEIAN SOCIETY OF LONDON; Dr. J. S. FLETCHER; Mr. BRODHURST; Mr. T. M. STONE; Dr. SKINNER; Dr. LIONEL BEALE; Dr. THUDICHUM; Mr. THOMAS MATHER; Mr. THOMAS JACKSON; Dr. HOLMAN; Dr. R. B. HOLLAND; Dr. W. BIRD HERAPATH; Dr. M. L. SIRCAR; Dr. F. GOODVEY; THE REGISTRAR OF THE MEDICAL COUNCIL; Dr. N. CHEVREY; Dr. SANKEY; Dr. RICHARDSON; Dr. STEVENS; and Dr. DRYSDALE.

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