

OPERATION DAYS AT THE HOSPITALS.

MONDAY.....Metropolitan Free, 2 P.M.—for Fistula and other Diseases of the Rectum, 1 P.M. and 1.30 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.—St. Bartholomew's, 1.30 P.M.—St. Thomas's, 1.30 P.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 Orthopaedic, 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, 9.30 A.M.—St. Bartholomew's, 9.30 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. Medical Society of London, 8 P.M. General Clinical Discussion. Cases by the President, Dr. Leared, Dr. Tilbury Fox, and Mr. Walter J. Coulson.
TUESDAY. Royal College of Physicians, 4 P.M. Professor du Bois Reymond of Berlin, "A Demonstration of the Differences in the Action of Acids, Alkalies, Salines, and other Substances, on the Contractility of the Muscles and the Excitability of the Nerves."—Pathological Society of London, 8 P.M.—Anatomical Society, 8 P.M.
WEDNESDAY. Obstetrical Society of London, 7.30 P.M., Special Council Meeting, 8 P.M., Dr. Thomas Radford, "Cases of Laceration of Uterus, with Remarks"; Mr. Robert Mills, "On Anæsthesia by Mixed Vapours."
THURSDAY. Harveian Society of London, 8 P.M. Mr. Berkeley Hill, "On a Case of Emphysema with Fistulous Openings cured by repeated Evacuations of the Pus"; Mr. Haynes Walton, "On Detachments of the Retina, their Causes and Treatment, with Specimens."

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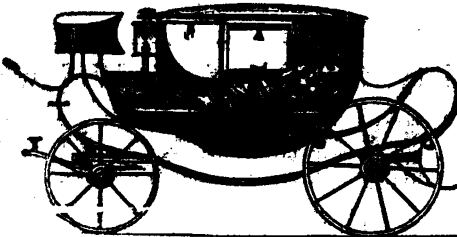
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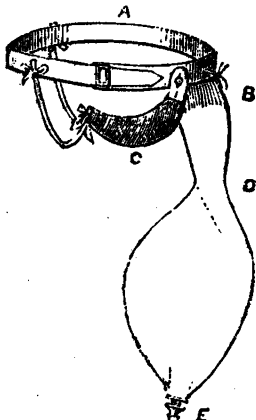
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