

medical care and well-being of all the poor throughout the kingdom, they are well deserving the attention of Parliament."

4. Proposed by Mr. MARTINDALE C. WARD (St. George's Hospital), and seconded by Mr. WALTON (King's College)—

"That this meeting urgently calls upon the House of Commons to take the case of the Poor-law medical officers into their serious consideration, and pass such measures as are calculated to meet the evils complained of, and thereby obtain more efficient relief to the sick poor."

5. Proposed by Mr. W. FARRINGTON (St. Bartholomew's Hospital), seconded by Mr. S. FELCE (St. Mary's), and supported by Mr. NUNN, of the Middlesex Hospital—

"That the following petition be presented to the House of Commons, in favour of Poor-law medical reform."

6. Proposed by Dr. JOSEPH ROGERS, of the Strand Union; and seconded by Mr. J. H. HOOPER (St. Thomas's Hospital)—

"That the cordial thanks of this meeting are due and are hereby given to G. Potts, Esq., M.P., for his kindness in presiding on this occasion."

#### HEALTH OF LONDON—MAY 4TH, 1860.

[From the Registrar-General's Report.]

	Births.	Deaths.
During week .....	{ Boys .. 903 } 1803 .. 1205	{ Girls .. 900 }
Average of corresponding weeks 1840-58 .....	1683 .. 1179	
Among the causes of death were—	bronchitis, 139; pneumonia, 59; phthisis, 167; small-pox, 18; scarlatina, 35; measles, 38; diphtheria, 7; hooping-cough, 53. The deaths from pulmonary diseases (exclusive of phthisis) were 224, being 36 above the corrected average.	
Barometer:		
Highest (Mon.) 30.273; lowest (Wed.) 29.951; mean 30.090.		
Thermometer:		
In sun—highest (Wed.) 117.0 degrees; lowest (Sat.) 87.0 degrees.		
In shade—highest (Fri.) 68.5 degrees; lowest (Sun.) 31.0 degrees.		
Mean—50.7 degrees; difference from mean of 43 yrs. + 0.3 degree.		
Range—during week, 37.5 degrees; mean daily, 26.1 degrees.		
Mean humidity of air (saturation=100), 67.		
Mean direction of wind, N.E.—Rain in inches, 0.00.		

#### TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Communications have been received from:—DR. LIONEL BEALE; MR. ATHOL JOHNSON; MR. TAMPLIN; DR. SKINNER; MR. ERICHSEN; MR. H. DUNCALFE; DR. W. F. WADE; DR. FRANCIS HAWKINS; MR. E. CROSSMAN; DR. P. H. WILLIAMS; MR. JAS. ROUSE; DR. J. G. SWAYNE; DR. D. MACKINDER; MR. R. B. SULLOCK; MR. R. GRIFFIN; A LATE EMIGRATION SURGEON; MR. J. V. SOLOMON; MR. J. Z. LAURENCE; M.P.; MR. WEBBER; DR. W. TILBURY FOX; and MR. C. F. SUTTON.

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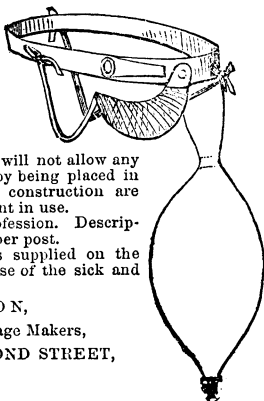
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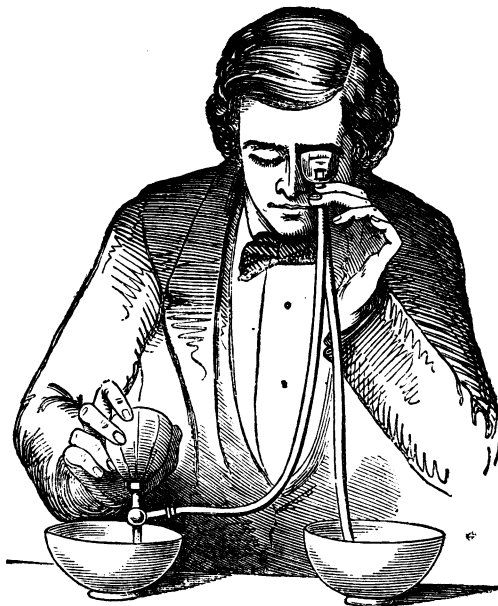
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