

materia medica. Each number will conclude with a list of medical men in the Presidency, employed by Government in any capacity.

## HEALTH OF LONDON—MAY 19TH, 1860.

[From the Registrar-General's Report.]

	Births.	Deaths.
During week .....	{ Boys.. 867 } 1702 .. 1090	{ Girls.. 835 }
Average of corresponding weeks 1849-58 .....	1601 .. 1148	
Among the causes of death were—bronchitis, 97; pneumonia, 75; phthisis, 174; small-pox, 14; scarlatina, 30; measles, 41; diphtheria, 11; whooping-cough, 34. The deaths from pulmonary diseases (exclusive of phthisis) were 190, being 26 above the corrected average.		
<b>Barometer:</b>		
Highest (Wed.) 29.745; lowest (Fri.) 29.269; mean 29.600.		
<b>Thermometer:</b>		
In sun—highest (Sat.) 113.0 degrees; lowest (Th.) 68.0 degrees.		
In shade—highest (Sat.) 69.8 degrees; lowest (Wed.) 43.6 degrees.		
Mean—54.4 degrees; difference from mean of 43 yrs. + 1.9 degree.		
Range—during week, 26.2 degrees; mean daily, 17.7 degrees.		
Mean humidity of air (saturation=100), 89.		
Mean direction of wind, S.W.—Rain in inches, 2.22.		

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