

## MEDICAL NOTES IN PARLIAMENT.

*Thames Valley Drainage.*

ON Monday, in the House of Commons, in reply to a question by Mr. Giles, Mr. C. Russell stated that the Local Government Board have been in communication with the several local authorities with a view of determining whether the pending inquiry into the Thames Valley drainage shall be limited to the dissolution of the Lower Thames Valley main sewerage, or the question of the separation from the district of certain constituent authorities. The constituent authorities who have expressed themselves as desirous of being separated from the joint district are the urban sanitary authorities of Kingston, Richmond, Heston and Isleworth, New Malden, and East Moulsey, and the rural sanitary authority of the Kingston Union.

*Chlorine Poisoning at Runcorn.*

On Tuesday, in reply to Mr. Warburton, Mr. G. Russell stated that no information as to the alleged deaths of two children from suffocation by chlorine gas from alkali works at Runcorn had as yet been received, but that inquiry would be made on the subject.

*Indian Medical Service.*

On Thursday, Mr. J. K. Cross, in answer to Mr. Gibson, who inquired whether any, and if so what, steps had been taken by the Indian Government to lessen or remove the grievances of the Indian Medical Service, said the measures taken for reducing the number of unemployed medical officers in India had been efficacious. The Government of India had telegraphed that there are now only two unemployed officers in Bengal, and they have promised to communicate the number still unemployed in Madras and Bombay. It has been decided to place all surgeons of the Indian Service not holding executive charge on precisely the same footing in respect to pay as surgeons of the Army or British Medical Department similarly situated. The lower rate of pay hitherto called "unemployed pay" will for the future be called grade pay, and will only be given when the officer is in receipt of staff salary in addition to his pay.

*Over-pressure in Board Schools.*

Mr. Stanley Leighton inquired of the Vice-President of the Committee of Council whether, in view of the statements contained in a report made at his request, by Dr. Crichton Browne, he would take steps to procure the appointment of a commission of medical men unconnected officially with the Education Department to inquire whether the present method of applying the Elementary Education Act injuriously affected the health of the children and teachers.—Mr. Mundella replied that, as an efficient and impartial inquiry had already been undertaken, he did not see the necessity for a second inquiry. The most careful precautions had been taken to guard against over-pressure, and the operation of the revised regulations under the new code were being carefully watched. The public discussion of this question had resulted in the establishment in the metropolis of voluntary associations with the object of supplying food and clothing to necessitous children attending schools, and that with the co-operation of three or four members of the House he had been able to offer considerable help to those committees.

*Examination of Surgeons-Major.*

Sir Henry Fletcher inquired of the Secretary of State for War, with reference to the regulations in regard to the examination of surgeons-major for promotion to the rank of brigade surgeon, as laid down in the Army Circular, dated Nov. 1st, 1884, whether there was any precedent for examining officers ranking as lieutenant-colonel of six years' standing, and was it proposed to extend these examinations to the other scientific branches of the army; was it a fact that several of the senior surgeons-major are over fifty years of age; and was it the case that H.R.H. the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, when giving evidence before Lord Morley's Committee, expressed an opinion against subjecting such old officers to examination; and by whose recommendation were these examinations instituted.—The Marquis of Hartington, in reply, stated there were several surgeons-major over fifty years of age who before being promoted to the rank of brigade surgeon would be required to undergo examination. It was the case that H.R.H. the Field-Marshal Commanding-

in-Chief, in his evidence before Lord Morley's Committee, expressed an opinion adverse to the examination of officers so advanced in life; but after full consideration of the difficulty of selecting officers for the rank of brigade surgeon, the examination was determined upon at the suggestion of the Director-General. There was probably no precedent for the examination of similar rank and service; but there was probably no case in which the grounds of selection for promotion were so difficult to arrive at. There was no intention to propose an extension of the system of examination to the corresponding combatant ranks.

**Obituary.**

## GEORGE LUMGAIR, M.D., F.R.C.S.E.

ON the 1st inst. the death occurred of Dr. George Lumgair, one of the best known and most highly respected practitioners in Fife. Born at Arbroath, Dr. Lumgair received his medical education at the University and College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, and in 1837 commenced the active practice of his profession at Largo, Fifeshire, where he continued to work for forty-seven years. Although greatly troubled by bronchial asthma, he worked perseveringly, and is only known during this long period to have taken three holidays. Two years ago he was appointed Justice of the Peace, and he was unanimously elected first President of the Fifeshire Medical Association when that body was constituted two years ago. At the time of his death Dr. Lumgair was in the sixty-seventh year of his age.

## T. F. WATTS, M.B., C.M.

WE have to record the death, at the early age of thirty-two, of Thomas Fowle Watts, M.B., C.M., Medical Officer H.M. Convict Prison, Dartmoor, which occurred after a short illness on October 23rd. Mr. Watts was appointed assistant surgeon at the above prison, November 26th, 1880. On July 27th, 1881, he left Dartmoor for Liverpool, and on August 25th, 1882, returned as medical officer to Dartmoor. The funeral took place on October 28th, and the respect in which the deceased gentleman was held was shown by the presence, in addition to that of his own immediate relatives, of all the principal prison authorities and warders, and also of the greater part of the villagers and of many friends who had come from a distance.

**Medical News.**

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON.—The following gentlemen were admitted Members of the College on Oct. 30th:—

Cullimore, Daniel Henry, M.D. Brussels, Welbeck-street.  
Daly, Edward Owen, M.B. Oxford, Hull.  
Maudsley, Henry, M.D. Lond., University Hospital.  
Oliver, James, M.B. Edinburgh, Montague-street.  
Wilkinson, William Camac, M.B. Lond., Manchester-street.

On the same day the following gentlemen were admitted Licentiates of the College:—

Anderson, Daniel Elie, Endsleigh-gardens.  
Baillie, Robert Alexander, Radnor House, Blackheath-park.  
Bidwell, Herbert, St. Thomas's Hospital.  
Blight, William Lyne, Pendavey, Sladesbridge.  
Bond, Charles Knox, Lupus-street.  
Byrne, George, Withington, Manchester.  
Cann, Ralph Thomas, Lambeth-palace-road.  
Chapman, Harry Cecil, St. Mary's-terrace.  
Crocker, John Hedley, Lyneham Lodge, Lee-road.  
Davies, Jenkin, Larkhall-lane.  
Des Vœux, Harold Antoine, St. George's Hospital.  
D'Monte, Dominick Anacleto, Melville-terrace, Edinburgh.  
Ellis, Charles Cartwright, Clarendon-road.  
Fox, Herbert, Brambletye, Park-hill, Croydon.  
Gray, Thomas Underwood, Essex-road.  
Griffiths, Charles Thomas, Cathcart-road.  
Habgood, Henry, Chewton Mendip, Bath.  
Hall, Alfred Richard, Stranrear-place.  
Harlock, Harry, Buckfastleigh.  
Hughes, Edgar Alfred, Onslow-gardens.  
Humphreys, Charles Style, Chichester-street.  
Jones, Isaiah Henry, Maida-vale.  
Kerby, Robert John, Warltersville-road, Crouch-hill.  
Koettlitz, Maurice, Bootle, Liverpool.

Laslett, Thomas George, Grosvenor-terrace, Liverpool.  
 Livermore, William Leppingwell, Queen's-road, Finsbury-park.  
 Low, Charles William, Vicarage-park, Plumstead.  
 Marten, Robert Humphrey, Granby-street.  
 Miles, George Edward, Northumberland House, Finsbury-park.  
 Morgan, George, Market Drayton.  
 Santi, Philip Robert William, Doughty-street.  
 Stevens, Percy Richard, Oakley-square.  
 Thomas, Benjamin Wilfred, Heathcote-street.  
 Voisin, Alexander Bishop, St. Helier's, Jersey.  
 Weakley, Alfred James, Ramsay-road, Leytonstone.

The following gentlemen passed the Primary Examination for the licence of the College on the 4th inst. :—

G. W. Adams, O. W. Andrews, E. C. Arnold, J. Bamfylde, G. R. S. Banbury, J. B. H. Booth, R. F. Bowie, H. W. Branson, A. A. Brockat, F. A. Brooks, R. P. Brooks, C. H. Buckley, K. T. Buée, J. T. Calvert, D. M. L. Campbell, P. T. Carpenter, J. S. Caskey, C. W. M. Castle, F. E. Cave, R. H. Chapman, A. D. Chapple, G. L. Cheate, J. W. Cockerill, F. G. Connolly, F. Corner, J. H. Cox, W. C. Croxford, A. E. Deane, S. B. C. De Butts, A. L. Devenish-Meares, F. J. Dewes, W. F. Dewsnap, C. J. Deyns, H. M. Doyle, C. A. Duckett, E. H. Ellison, E. W. Emtage, F. G. Failles, J. H. Fardon, F. J. Fletcher, T. W. Francis, H. S. Fremlin, C. Fryer, F. E. Gibbens, J. W. Gill, H. E. Gough, C. Greene, R. P. Griffin, W. G. Gytton, C. D. Hamilton, F. A. Harger, G. J. Harris, R. Hedley, Habeeb Jabboor, Hanna Jabboor, C. L. S. James, W. C. Jarvis, J. G. Johnson, E. E. King, F. J. Knowles, R. Lake, A. P. Lange, G. S. Leggatt, R. Leigh, P. G. Lewis, C. W. Lockyer, W. W. L. McLean, W. Marris, F. G. C. Martin, J. P. Martin, R. Martyn, S. C. H. Moberly, F. P. Moles, J. C. Morgan, E. Nason, P. L. Nettleship, E. J. Nixon, F. J. Oxley, E. B. Parfitt, R. H. Penton, J. Pietersen, C. F. Pridham, H. Rhodes, N. B. Robinson, J. P. Roughton, A. B. Roxburgh, D. N. Ruck, W. J. Rugg, H. A. Sansom, T. F. Shackleton, J. S. Sharman, C. W. Smeeton, L. M. Snow, P. B. T. Stubbs, A. M. Sully, W. R. Thomas, G. Thorpe, H. B. Trist, J. F. Vincent, S. G. Vinter, L. Vintras, J. P. Wagstaff, C. G. Wallis, J. J. Weaver, J. Wigg, T. H. Williams, C. J. Wills, H. E. Winter, C. F. Wright.

**APOTHECARIES' HALL.**—The following gentlemen passed their examination in the Science and Practice of Medicine, and received certificates to practise, on Oct. 30th :—

Parker, W. Turnour, Lillie-road, Fulham.  
 Sansom, Charles Lane, Devonshire House, Anerley.  
 Sugden, Edgar Brewitt, Adamson-road.

ON the 4th inst., medallions were presented by Lady Brassey to certificated pupils of the Woolwich Centre of the St. John Ambulance Association.

**A MEDICAL CENTENARIAN.**—The "New York Medical Journal" says that Dr. C. C. Graham, of Louisville, completed the age of one hundred years on the 10th inst.

**ROYAL INSTITUTION OF GREAT BRITAIN.**—William Miller Ord, M.D., has been elected a manager, in the room of the late Right Hon. Lord Claud Hamilton.

THE Swansea Choral Society's bazaar has resulted in an addition to the funds of the Swansea Hospital of £500.

THE Ocean Steam Yachting Company propose to despatch their Steam Yacht *Ceylon* for a cruise of sixty-five days to the West Indies, in December next, provided that a limited number of passengers are secured.

**UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE.**—The third examination for the degree of Bachelor of Medicine, part 2, will begin on Wednesday, December 10th. Mr. Walter Heape has been appointed Demonstrator in Animal Morphology.

AN evening fête is to be held on Wednesday, the 26th inst., at the Bread Reform Exhibition, Humphrey's Hall, Knightsbridge, to establish a fund to provide penny breakfasts and dinners to poor London school children.

**SUPERANNUATION.**—Mr. Robert Jones, M.R.C.S., L.S.A.L., late Medical Officer of the Conway District and Workhouse of the Conway Union, has been awarded a superannuation allowance of £40 a year.

IN view of the difficulty of enforcing the Vaccination Acts in Leicester, the board of guardians have decided to lay the whole circumstances before the Local Government Board and to solicit their advice.

**BEQUESTS.**—By the will of the late Dr. Alex. Gibb, late Inspector General of Hospitals, who died at Edinburgh on the 21st ult., the following bequests are left :—£100 to the Edinburgh Infirmary; and the balance, after the payment of certain other legacies, to be equally divided among the Royal Infirmary (for the Building Fund), the Convalescent Hospital, the General Dispensary, the Hospital for Incurables, and Sheriff Watson's Industrial School, all in Aberdeen. The share of each institution participating in the residue, after payment of all the legacy duties, &c., will amount to upwards of £200.

**ALCOHOL IN RELATION TO HEALTH.**—Under the auspices of the Women's Union, C.E.I.S., four lectures to ladies upon the Medical Aspect of Alcohol in Relation to Health will be given on Nov. 8th, 15th, 22nd, and 29th, at 3.30 P.M. The first two by Dr. E. Symes Thompson, at 83, Lancaster Gate, W. The last two by Dr. Oliver Leeson, at the Vestry Hall, Kensington High-street.

**THE DENTISTS ACT.**—The Sheriff of Edinburgh has imposed a fine of £5 on a person charged with having, though not a registered dentist, during January last issued a circular in which he used words implying that he was registered under the Dentists Act, and having, during part of last year, a brass plate on his front door bearing the word "dentist"; and also by an advertisement implying that he was registered.

**DUBLIN HOSPITAL SUNDAY.**—The eleventh annual collection in aid of the Dublin Hospitals will take place on next Sunday, the 9th inst. The movement commenced in 1874 when a sum of £3306 was obtained, and during the ten years that it has been in operation the money contributed has amounted to £40,060, or an average of about £4000 a year. Of this sum £37,559 has been distributed among the various participating hospitals, showing that the cost of utilising the sums obtained causes an expenditure of about £200 a year, or five per cent. on the total.

**THE PARKES MUSEUM.**—The new session of the Parkes Museum will commence on November 13th, when Mr. G. J. Symons, F.R.S., will give a discourse on "The Relations between Meteorology and Hygiene," which will be illustrated by the instruments in use in a meteorological observatory. On November 27th Dr. Alfred Carpenter will read a paper "On the Advantages of Co-operation in the Progress of Hygiene," and on December 11th Mr. W. Eassie, C.E., will give a lecture "On Systems of Domestic Hot-water Supply." The meeting will commence on each evening at 8 P.M.

**THE MEDICO-PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION.**—At the quarterly meeting of this Association, held at Bethlem Hospital on Wednesday, Nov. 5th, under the presidency of Dr. Rayner, Dr. Julius Mickle exhibited cases of aneurysm and Dr. Savage a case of localised brain disease. A paper by Mr. Bonville Fox, on "Exaltation in Chronic Alcoholism," adjourned from a previous meeting, was then taken and discussed in connexion with the kindred questions of insanity arising from the use of opium and Indian hemp. Dr. Savage read a paper on "Delirium Tremens Passing to Mania."

**RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY, OXFORD.**—At the quarterly court of the governors of this institution, held on the 29th ult., a report was presented from the Building Committee recommending extensive alterations and additions to the infirmary, the present wards being found deficient in size, light, and air. The architect's estimate of the cost was £5000, but it was advised that £7000 should be raised before the work was begun. The sum of £2500 will be received from the trustees of the fund raised for perpetuating the memory of the late Duke of Marlborough, and a munificent donor, whose name was not then divulged, has promised to pay half of the remaining cost. It was eventually agreed to refer the matter back to the Building Committee, to reconsider at what part of the infirmary buildings it would be most desirable to add a new block to contain forty beds, and the cost of such a block on two floors, and to report to a Special Court in November.

**THE ORDER OF ST. JOHN OF JERUSALEM (ENGLISH LANGUAGE).**—The annual report of this order, just published, gives a record of the general proceedings of the chapter during the past twelve months, and of the various special departments of the work, such as the St. John Ambulance Association; the award of medals for deeds of gallantry in saving life on land; the issue of diets to poor convalescents of hospitals in London and elsewhere, and the British Ophthalmic Hospital at Jerusalem, where the number of attendances for the year ending December last amounted to 11,343. There are also papers on the transport of the sick and injured, and on the ambulance arrangements of the metropolis on the outbreak of epidemics, read at the International Health Exhibition by Mr. John Furley and Mr. Barington Kennett respectively, and a lecture by Baron Dr. Mundy, on the Necessity for Making Surgical Provision for Railway Accidents. The report of the St. John Ambulance

Association states that twenty-five new centres and numerous detached classes have been opened during the past year at home and abroad. During the year, 10,053 certificates of proficiency have been awarded—viz, 5621 to men and 4432 to women, making a grand total of about 82,000 certificates granted to date. Three courses of lectures have been held at six of the metropolitan police stations, and numerous meetings to aid the movement have been held. Instances are quoted in which medical men have testified to life having been saved and "first aid" otherwise efficiently rendered by certificated pupils, and the report concludes with details of the progress of the recently developed ambulance corps for the transport of the sick and injured, and an interesting narrative by Lady Brassey of Ambulance Work in the West Indies.

**ACADEMY OF MEDICINE IN IRELAND.**—The following office-bearers have been elected for the ensuing year:—President: J. T. Banks. General Treasurer: R. McDonnell. General Secretary: W. Thomson. Medical Section—President: F. R. Cruise. Council: J. H. Benson, G. F. Duffey, J. Magee Finny, T. W. Grimshaw, R. A. Hayes, Henry Kennedy, J. W. Moore, W. G. Smith, H. C. Tweedy. Secretary: Alexander Nixon Montgomery. Surgical Section—President: E. H. Bennett. Council: Wm. Colles, C. Coppinger, E. Hamilton, E. Dillon Mapother, E. Stamer O'Grady, W. T. Stoker, P. J. Hayes, H. R. Swanzy, Kendal Frauks. Secretary: William Stokes. Obstetrical Section—President: Lombe Atthill. Council: J. A. Byrne, Professor Dill, A. J. Horne, J. R. Kirkpatrick, George H. Kidd, Arthur Macan, T. M. Madden, R. D. Purefoy, William J. Smyly. Secretary: William Cox Neville. Pathological Section—President: A. Foot. Council: P. S. Abraham, J. W. Beatty, A. H. Corley, Samuel Gordon, J. V. Lentaigne, T. E. Little, J. M. Purser, F. B. Quinlan, W. Stoker, J. B. Storey.

**FACULTY OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF GLASGOW.**—At the October meeting of the Faculty, the following list of office-bearers for the year was declared:—President: Dr. Andrew Fergus. Visitor: Dr. Henry Muirhead. Councillors: The President, *ex officio*; the Visitor, *ex officio*; the Treasurer, *ex officio*; Dr. R. Scott Orr, Dr. T. Lapraik, Dr. Jas. Christie, Dr. R. Perry, and Dr. J. Morton. Treasurer: Dr. J. D. Maclaren. Honorary Librarian: Dr. James Finlayson. Vaccinator: Dr. Hugh Thomson. Board of Examiners: Dr. A. Lindsay, Chemistry; Dr. Hugh Miller, Midwifery; Mr. H. E. Clark, Anatomy; Dr. James Stirton, Midwifery; Dr. J. Wallace Anderson, Medicine and Materia Medica; Dr. P. A. Simpson, Medical Jurisprudence; Dr. James Dunlop, Surgery and Surgical Anatomy; Mr. David C. M'Vail, Physiology; Dr. Alex. M. Buchanan, Anatomy; Dr. H. C. Cameron, Surgery and Surgical Anatomy; Dr. William J. Fleming, Physiology; Dr. William Macewen, Surgery and Surgical Anatomy; Dr. Robert Perry, Chemistry; Dr. Samson Gemmell, Medicine and Materia Medica; Dr. Eben Duncan, Medical Jurisprudence and Hygiene.

## Medical Appointments.

*Intimations for this column must be sent DIRECT to the Office of THE LANCET before 9 o'clock on Thursday Morning at the latest.*

**ALLRIGHT, FRED. WILLIAM, L.K.Q.C.P.I., L.R.C.S.I.** has been appointed Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for the Wooburn District of the High Wycombe Union, vice Warren.

**BLACKER, ERNEST, L.R.C.P.Ed., M.R.C.S.** has been appointed Medical Officer to the Workhouse, Clutton Union, vice Perrin, resigned.

**COLLIER, M. P. MAYO, M.B.Lond., F.R.C.S.Eng.** has been appointed Assistant-Surgeon to the North-West London Hospital.

**COLTART, WILLIAM WILSON, L.R.C.P.Lond., M.R.C.S.** has been re-appointed Medical Officer and Public Vaccinator for the Headley District of the Epsom Union.

**COX, WILLIAM ALFRED, M.R.C.S., L.S.A.Lond.** has been re-appointed Medical Officer for the Banstead District of the Epsom Union.

**DURHAM, FREDERIC, M.B.Lond., F.R.C.S.Eng.** has been appointed Senior Surgeon to the North-West London Hospital.

**DWYER, F. CONWAY, M.D., B.Ch.Dub.** has been appointed House-Surgeon to the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, Dublin, vice Cruise, resigned.

**GORDON, JAMES, M.D., L.R.C.S.Ed.** has been appointed Parochial Medical Officer for Aberdeen, vice McCrombie, deceased.

**HALL, W. WINSLOW, M.B., C.M.Ed.** has been appointed Resident Medical Officer to the Kilburn, St. John's-wood, and Maida-vale General Dispensary.

**HAYDEN, W. G., L.R.C.P.Lond., M.R.C.S., L.S.A.Lond.** has been appointed Medical Officer to the Bishopstone District of the Wilton Union, vice Jones, resigned.

**HEWITT, FREDERIC W., M.B.Cantab., M.R.C.S.** has been appointed Administrator of Anæsthetics to Charing-cross Hospital.

**HOOD, DONALD WILLIAM CHARLES, M.D.Cantab., M.R.C.P.Lond.** has been appointed Senior Physician to the North-West London Hospital.

**JENNINGS, CHARLES EGERTON, F.R.C.S.Eng.** has been appointed Assistant-Surgeon to the North-West London Hospital.

**KOCH, W. V. M., M.B., C.M.Ed.** has been appointed Assistant Medical Officer to the Hull Borough Asylum.

**MACKINTOSH, GEORGE DOUGLAS, L.K.Q.C.P.I.** has been appointed Medical Officer for the Sixth District of the Market Harborough Union, vice Macaulay.

**MARTIN, THEODORE, M.R.C.S., L.S.A.Lond.** has been appointed Medical Officer for the Camley District of the Clutton Union, vice Perrin, resigned.

**MENZIES, J. HERBERT, M.R.C.S., L.S.A.Lond.** has been appointed House-Surgeon to the West London Hospital.

**PEDLEY, FREDK. NEWLAND, M.R.C.S., L.D.S.** has been appointed Dental Surgeon to the North-West London Hospital.

**SHAW, JOHN, M.D.Lond., M.R.C.P.Lond.** has been appointed Senior Assistant-Physician to the North-West London Hospital.

**STEELE, RICHARD, L.R.C.P.Ed., M.R.C.S.** has been appointed Visiting Medical Officer for the Cottage Homes for Children, Leicester Union.

**TAYLOR, ALFRED EVERLEY, L.R.C.P.Ed., L.R.C.S.Ed., L.S.A.Lond.** has been appointed Second Assistant Medical Officer to the County Asylum, Stafford, vice W. E. Ranson, M.R.C.S., L.S.A.Lond., resigned.

**TREVES, EDWARD, M.R.C.S.** has been appointed additional Honorary Surgeon to the Throat and Ear Dispensary, Brighton.

## Births, Marriages, and Deaths.

### BIRTHS.

**EXHAM.**—On the 13th ult., at Lucknow, the wife of Surgeon-Major R. Exham, Medical Staff, of a son.

**HALEY.**—On the 27th ult., at Claremont House, Market-street, Wakefield, the wife of W. H. Haley, L.R.C.P. &c., of a daughter.

**HICKLING.**—On the 24th ult., at Malta, the wife of T. Hickling, Surgeon, Q.G.S., of a son.

**KINCH.**—On the 28th ult., at Ash, Sandwich, the wife of G. H. Kinch, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.Ed., of a daughter, stillborn.

**LACY.**—At The Cottage, Sunninghill, Ascot, the wife of A. Gairdner Lacy, L.R.C.P.Lond., M.R.C.S., of a son.

**MEYERS.**—On the 27th ult., at Richmond Villa, Lordship-lane, Woodgreen, the wife of Herbert H. Meyers, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., of a daughter.

**PAYNE.**—On the 31st ult., at Wimpole-street, Cavendish-square, the wife of Joseph Frank Payne, M.D., of a daughter.

**TEW.**—On the 27th ult., at Bulwell, Nottingham, the wife of James Scott Tew, Surgeon, of a son.

**WILLIAMSON.**—On the 1st inst., at Settle, Yorks, the wife of Richard Ernest Williamson, M.B., of a daughter.

### MARRIAGES.

**BLOUNT—PLEYDELL.**—On the 4th inst., at All Saints', Margaret-street, by the Rev. John D. Baily, Arthur Blount Blount, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.S.A.Lond., elder son of James William Blount, of the Priory, Penge, to Isabel Constance, only daughter of John Cleve Pleydell, of Holford-square, London.

**LANE—BRISCOE.**—On the 25th ult., at Christ Church, Wanstead, William Arbuthnot Lane, M.S., F.R.C.S., of St. Thomas's-street, S.E., eldest son of Brigade-Surgeon B. Lane, to Charlotte Jane (Lottie), youngest daughter of the late John Briscoe, Esq.

**MAXWELL—SUCKLING.**—On the 29th ult., at the Parish Church, Edgbaston, Warwickshire, by the Rev. G. F. B. Cross, assisted by the Rev. J. Canning, Patrick William Maxwell, M.B., M.R.C.S., of 10, Lower Mount-street, Dublin, to Elizabeth Catherine, daughter of Cornelius Benson Suckling, M.D.

**OSBORN—BOYD.**—On the 30th ult., at St. George's, Hanover-square, Sam Osborn, F.R.C.S., of Datchet, and Maddox-street, W., to Elizabeth, youngest daughter of the late Robt. Boyd, F.R.C.P., of Southall-park, Middlesex, and Bolton-row, Mayfair.

**TAYLOR—MANBY.**—On the 31st ult., at the Parish Church, East Rudham, Norfolk, Fredk. Taylor, M.D., F.R.C.P., of St. Thomas's-street, Southwark, eldest surviving son of David Taylor, M.R.C.S., to Helen Mary, younger daughter of Frederic Manby, M.R.C.S., of East Rudham.

### DEATHS.

**BROWN.**—On the 23rd ult., at Rochester, John Dan Brown, M.D.Ed., aged 66.

**BURTONSHAW.**—On the 21st ult., at De Beauvoir-road, N., Thomas Burtonshaw, M.R.C.S., aged 32.

**KAY.**—On the 21st ult., drowned while bathing at Mablethorpe, Alfred Kay, L.R.C.P.Ed., L.R.C.S.Ed., of South Lincolnshire, aged 34.

**LUMGAIR.**—On the 1st inst., at Largo Cottage, George Lumgair, M.D., L.R.C.S.E., J.P. for Fifeshire.

**RANSOM.**—On the 4th inst., Peter Parlett Ransom, for thirty-eight years Surgeon at North Elmham, Norfolk, after a few days' illness, aged 64.

**RIMELL.**—On the 3rd inst., at Eardley-crescent, South Kensington, Thomas William Rimell, L.R.C.P.Ed., M.R.C.S., late R.N., aged 64.

**ROGERS.**—On the 27th ult., at The Strand, Exmouth, Nathaniel Rogers, M.D., in his 77th year.

**N.B.**—A fee of 5s. is charged for the Insertion of Notices of Births, Marriages, and Deaths.