

posts of Surgeon to the Spalding Dispensary and Surgeon to the Spalding Union Infirmary for fifty years. He was Honorary Secretary (Local) Royal Medical Benevolent College, and a member of the Council of the British Medical Association. Dr. Morris was the author of a book on *Neuralgia: Its Various Forms, Pathology, and Treatment*; also of a book on *Shock Caused by Railway Accidents*, etc. (1867). His contributions to medical periodicals included *Morbus Coxarius*; *Excision of Head of Femur* (*Medical Times*, 1850); *Treatment of Strangulated Hernia after Operation* (*Assoc. Med. Journal*, 1854); and *The Advantages of Retaining the Staff until after Extraction of the Stone in Lithotomy* (*BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL*, 1864). He was Surgeon-Major 2nd Volunteer Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment (commission 28 years as a Volunteer officer) and held the V.D. He took an active part, some years ago, in standing up for the rights of the Fellows of the Royal College of Surgeons. Dr. Morris retired from practice in 1890.

MR. JOHN KILNER, of Bury St. Edmunds, who died on October 18th, was born at Letheringham in 1820, and received his early education in Ipswich, subsequently receiving his medical training at University College, where his career was a distinguished one. He became M.R.C.S. in 1843, L.S.A. in 1844, and F.R.C.S. in 1864. After a short term as House-Surgeon at the East Suffolk General Hospital, Ipswich, he commenced practice at Bury St. Edmunds in 1844, at the age of 24. For more than forty years he was on the staff of the Suffolk General Hospital at Bury St. Edmunds, and when he resigned two years ago he was elected Honorary Physician to the hospital. He was President of the combined East Anglian, Cambridgeshire, and Huntingdonshire Branches of the British Medical Association.

SURGEON-CAPTAIN HUGH ROBERT CAMPBELL BARBER, M.B., B.Ch.Cantab., I.M.S., died at Murree, Bengal, on August 30th, through attendance on a fever-stricken portion of the district under his care. Dr. Barber, who was only 32, was the eldest son of the Rev. Henry Barber, M.B., Master of Ravenstone Hospital, Ashby-de-la-Zouch. He was educated at Epsom College, where he gained the school scholarship and every other prize in succession. He matriculated at the London University, being awarded a special prize of £5. He next obtained the Gilchrist Scholarship and the Clothworkers' Exhibition, and also the St. Bartholomew's Exhibition which entitled him to a free hospital course. He also distinguished himself in the Oxford and Cambridge University Examination, and at Cambridge gained an open scholarship in mathematics at St. Catharine's. He took his degree of B.A. in honours, 2nd class Science Tripos, and M.B., B.Ch. after the course at St. Bartholomew's. Two years were then passed in active general practice, after which he entered the Indian Medical Service, and spent two and a-half years with native regiments. He then passed the examinations in Hindustani, Afghan, and Pashti, and before the usual time was appointed Civil Surgeon at Sialkote and afterwards at Murree. Dr. Barber leaves a young widow to mourn his loss.

WE regret to record the death, at the age of 88, of Mr. FREDERICK CHARLES BULLMORE, one of the oldest practitioners in Falmouth. He became a Licentiate of the Apothecaries' Society in 1830, and a Member of the Royal College of Surgeons in 1831. In the following year he took up his residence in Falmouth and established a large county connection. About a year ago age and decay compelled him to relinquish his professional pursuits. Among the offices held by Mr. Bullmore were those of Surgeon to the Falmouth Public Dispensary, the Falmouth portion of the Cornwall Railway, and Medical Officer of the Falmouth District and the workhouse of the Falmouth Union. The deceased was a Justice of the Peace for the Borough of Falmouth. He leaves two daughters and a son who is in practice in the town.

THE death is announced, on October 16th, of Dr. HENRY TRIMEN, F.R.S., the distinguished botanist, until recently Director of the Royal Botanic Gardens, Ceylon. He was educated at King's College, London, and graduated M.B. in

the University of London in 1865. He became Curator of the Anatomical Museum of King's College, and was for some time Lecturer on Botany at St. Mary's Hospital. In 1869 he was appointed Senior Assistant in the Botanical Department of the British Museum. From 1872 to 1879 he edited the *Journal of Botany*, and wrote the botanical part of *Medicinal Plants*, a work issued in four volumes between 1875 and 1880. In the year last named he was appointed Director of the Royal Botanic Gardens, Ceylon, and subsequently made numerous contributions to the study of the flora of the island. He gave special attention to economic botany, was the means of introducing into Ceylon many useful products of other countries, and made an important investigation for the Madras Government on the cinchona plantations in the Nilgiris.

DR. MANUEL MARIA DA COSTA LEITE, Viscount de Oliveira, Emeritus Professor of Obstetrics in the Eschola Medico-Cirurgica of Oporto, who recently died at an advanced age, was a man of note in the profession of Portugal. Born in 1813, he was only 15 when he was involved in some political disturbances, for his share in which he was condemned to death. He managed, however, to escape from prison, and after a period of "occultation" he entered the Medico-Chirurgical School of Oporto as a student of medicine in 1835. He took his degree in 1839, and after a time was appointed lecturer, and in due course professor. In 1870 he was appointed Director of the Eschola Medico-Cirurgica, and continued to hold the post till 1894. He had many orders and decorations, Portuguese and foreign, conferred upon him.

DR. MARIANO SALAZAR Y ALEGRET, one of the foremost clinicians of Spain, died recently. He had been physician to the Hospital de la Princesa, Madrid, for twenty-four years, and was a Member of the Spanish Royal Academy of Medicine, Vice-President of the Colegio de Medicos of Madrid, a former President of the Academia Medico-Quirurgica Española, and a Knight of the Royal and Distinguished Order of Charles the Third. Dr. Salazar was the editor of the *Anales de Ciencias Medicas*, and was the author of several contributions to medical literature. He was a man of rare integrity of character and goodness of heart, and was held in high esteem by his professional brethren throughout Spain.

THE death is reported of Mr. GEORGE H. MACKAY, of Elgin. The deceased, who was known to be the subject of diabetes, was going about as usual on October 3rd, and on the following day was found dead in his bed. He was about 39 years of age, and was the eldest son of Dr. Mackay, of The Tower, Elgin. He was educated at the Elgin Academy and the Aberdeen and Edinburgh Universities, qualifying as M.B., C.M. Edin. in 1881. After a short period of study in Vienna he went to Elgin about 1879, and entered into partnership with his father, this arrangement continuing till a recent period, when he commenced practice on his own account. He held the appointments of Physician to the Gray's Hospital, Parochial Medical Officer for Alves, and Joint Parochial Medical Officer for Elgin and Dallas.

THE death from disease of the lungs is reported of Mr. STEPHEN MANNINGTON CAFFYN, who was born at Salehurst, Sussex, in May, 1851. He qualified as M.R.C.S. Eng. in 1876, and L.R.C.P. Lond. in 1880. At the age of 28 he married Miss Kathleen Hunt of Tipperary, the lady who during recent years has acquired celebrity as a novelist, principally as the authoress of "A Yellow Aster." Shortly after his marriage he proceeded to Sydney, where he secured a Government appointment. The deceased published two novels, "Miss Milne and I" and "A Poppy's Tears."

CANON COPEMAN, who in early life practised as a surgeon, died at Norwich recently, aged 73 years. Canon Copeman was for thirty-three years a member of the Norwich Board of Guardians, of which he was for many years chairman, and he had also served on the School Board and Hospital Board. He was the brother of the late Dr. Copeman, and father of Dr. Sydney Monckton Copeman, medical inspector to the Local Government Board.