

nexion with the present medical school, a local college, in which the students might be lodged and fed, and kept under that salutary discipline which was necessary for their moral culture, that they might not be thrown adrift in the temptations of this large and populous place. He trusted this suggestion would meet with the encouragement which it deserved; he appealed to the feelings of the parents and friends of these young men, not to let much time pass without forming some kind of establishment in which they might not only follow their present professional pursuits, but might follow them without any risk of being led into those errors which might hereafter put a stop to the exercise of their talent, and prevent the public from deriving those advantages which the school now afforded.

This recommendation of the collegiate system was warmly received by the meeting. After the Chairman had concluded his observations, Mr. Turner made a report of the progress of the students, and offered some observations on the system of encouragement afforded by the award of prizes, and in reply to objections which have been urged against such methods of encouragement.

The names of the successful candidates were then announced, and the prizes severally bestowed by the Chairman.

Anatomy and Physiology—(Mr. Turner.)—Mr. R. W. Ledward, Ashton; Mr. T. S. Fletcher, Manchester; Mr. Jackson, Manchester Royal Infirmary.

Materia Medica and Medical Botany—(Dr. Ainsworth.)—Mr. James Lancashire, Manchester.

Principles of Physic—(Dr. Howard.)—Mr. Richard Henry, Mr. T. S. Fletcher, Manchester.

Principles and Practice of Surgery—(Mr. Ransome.)—Mr. R. W. Ledward, Mr. T. S. Fletcher.

Midwifery—Mr. Heath.)—Mr. R. W. Ledward, Mr. T. S. Fletcher.

Chemistry—(Mr. J. Davies.)—Mr. Edmund Whittaker.

Anatomy and Physiology of the Eye—(Mr. Hunt.)—Mr. James Lancashire.

A gold medal was also presented to Mr. Fletcher for general good conduct; and certificates of honour, were awarded to the following gentlemen:—Mr. M. Henry, Mr. Ledward, Mr. James Lancashire, Mr. R. Abercrombie, Mr. S. Gibbons, Mr. W. W. Scholefield, Mr. Joseph Drew, Mr. Henry Lord, Mr. Gustavus Burton, Mr. W. Jackson, Mr. Edmund Stanley, Mr. Edmund Whittaker, Mr. Joseph Clegg, Mr. J. Heaps, Mr. Wm. Bury, Mr. H. M. Williamson, Mr. James Askew, Mr. John Milnes, Mr. J. G. Steel, Mr. George Purcell, and Mr. Charles Walker.

ARTIFICIAL CHALYBEATE WATER.

A gaseous chalybeate water may be prepared in the following manner:—Take of crystallized sulphate of iron two drachms, white sugar three drachms; pulverize, and make into twelve powders. Take of bicarbonate of soda two drachms, white sugar three drachms; pulverize and divide into twelve powders. One part of each of these powders is dissolved in half a glass of water: then the two portions of water are mixed and swallowed during the effervescence.—*Colombat, —London Medical Gazette.*

SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES.

Gentlemen admitted Licentiates, Thursday, October 2nd:—A. Haviland, Bridgewater; J. H. Elliott, Devizes; W. T. Black, Manchester.

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

Dr. William Alleyn Nicholson has been elected Physician to the Bristol General Hospital, in the room of Dr. Symonds, resigned.

Dr. Symonds has been appointed Honorary and Consulting Physician to the Institution.

ARBITRATION ON DR. HENNIS GREEN'S CLAIMS:—RESOLUTION PASSED AT SHEFFIELD.

The Council of the Provincial Medical and Surgical Association beg to direct the attention of the members to the resolution passed at the General Meeting, held at Sheffield, July 30th and 31st, 1845, relative to the discharge of the sum awarded by arbitration to Dr. Hennis Green:—

“That, as the funds of this Association are not in a state to bear the charge of so large a sum, and as the honour of the Association is pledged to the payment of it, the amount be raised by the members, by a voluntary subscription of from five shillings and upwards.”

Members who have not already contributed to this object, are requested to forward their subscriptions to Dr. Robertson, of Northampton, who has been appointed to act as treasurer; or to the Treasurer or Secretary of the Association.

By order of the Council,
ROBERT J. N. STREETEN,
Secretary.

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Members of the Association who have not yet received the volume of “Transactions” for the current year, are requested to inform the Secretary of the omission, at the same time pointing out in what manner their copies can be forwarded to them free of expence.

OBITUARY.

William Wilding, Esq., Surgeon, Church Stretton, a Member of the Provincial Medical and Surgical Association.

ERRATUM.

In the last Number, Mr. Smith's paper, page 613, col. 2, line 12 from the bottom, for *paribus* read “*passibus*.”

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Communications have been received from Mr. G. King; W. A. G.; Dr. Blackmore; the Birmingham Pathological Society.