

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

THE following candidates have been approved at the examinations indicated:

DIPLOMA IN PSYCHOLOGICAL MEDICINE.—Part I: M. A. Archdale, D. N. Hardcastle, S. Kelly, R. A. Noble, W. D. Wilkins.
SANITARY SCIENCE (Both Parts).—†W. Buchan, †Dagmar F. Curjel, M. L. Dhir, *†J. H. Fairweather, *†R. French, W. S. Gross, B. C. Haller, W. J. G. Henderson, G. W. Mitchell, P. Parthasarathy, *†K. R. Rao, H. Roger, G. W. Shore, Isabel S. Thomson, A. Tirumalaia, E. L. Warner, R. Welch, *W. L. Yell.

*Distinguished in Principles of Hygiene, † in Bacteriology, ‡ in Practical Chemistry, § in the application of Sanitary Science.

UNIVERSITY OF ST. ANDREWS.

THE following candidates have been approved at the examination indicated:

THIRD M.B., Ch.B. (Pathology).—T. Christie, L. Farrell, L. R. Khan, Ena McA. Liddell, J. R. Murray, N. Nelson, J. Petrie, J. A. Robb, D. B. Smith.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.

ST. THOMAS'S HOSPITAL.

THE following entrance scholarships at St. Thomas's Hospital Medical School have been awarded for the sessions 1921-22:

Entrance Scholarship in Arts, £25: R. A. Hill. Entrance Scholarship in Natural Science, £150: J. M. Ashton. Entrance University Scholarship, £100: divided between R. J. V. Pulvertaft and C. A. Lupton.

UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD.

MR. E. H. EASTWOOD, M.B., Ch.B. Liverpool, has been appointed Demonstrator in Pathology and Bacteriology in succession to Dr. N. E. Challenger, resigned.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND.

AT the last meeting of the Council of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland the following appointments were made: Professor of Surgery, G. J. Johnston, M.B., R.U.I., F.R.C.S.I.; Professor of Pharmacology, R. J. Rowlette, M.D., F.R.C.P.I.; Professor of Materia Medica, J. W. Biggar, M.B., M.R.C.P.I.

CONJOINT BOARD IN SCOTLAND.

THE following candidates have been approved at the examination indicated:

FINAL EXAMINATION.—Medicine: E. J. Allan, A. R. Lambie, A. S. Wickremesinghe, P. Madan. **Surgery:** A. M. Samarasinghe, Jenima M. McK. Calder. **Midwifery:** A. M. Samarasinghe, E. J. Allan, A. R. Lambie, A. V. Berge, L. R. Bergson, P. Madan, S. Ghaleb, M. S. Hassen, Jenima M. McK. Calder, F. P. Lisboa-Pinto. **Medical Jurisprudence:** Lillian M. Williams, M. Burn, J. M. Crombie, A. A. Dewar, W. O. Rodrigo, J. A. McE. Evers, J. M. McInnes, J. J. Mann, I. Restowsky, O. Popper, T. J. Muir, Elizabeth Clark, Isobel Reid.

The following candidates having passed the Final Examination have been admitted L.R.C.P.E., L.R.C.S.E., L.R.F.P. and S.G.:

V. P. Menon, J. B. Dobson, H. P. Samuel, H. Penn, G. J. Lamprecht, Grace O. D. Evans, J. I. Hagard, Pauline Figdor, J. K. Sen, H. W. Amyes, P. E. Malloch, L. Ee Liat, S. C. Alecock, F. Walwyn, W. Campbell, L. H. Peries, J. B. O'Neill, A. R. Bellum.

The Services.

TERRITORIAL DECORATION.

THE Territorial Decoration has been conferred upon the following officers:

Territorial Army: Colonel John F. Haswell, C.I.E., M.D., V.D. (Hon. Lieutenant in Army). Army Medical Service: Colonel John Clay, C.B.E. (Hon. Lieutenant in Army). Royal Army Medical Corps: Lieut.-Colonel Charles O. Parsons, 2nd Welsh Field Ambulance; Major John H. Hobling, 2nd South Midland Field Ambulance; Major George B. Robinson, D.A.D.M.S., Home Counties Division.
Territorial Army Reserve, Royal Army Medical Corps: Lieut.-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Charles J. Jacomb-Hood, attached 2nd Eastern General Hospital (ret.).

AT the twenty-eighth meeting of the Italian Society of Surgery, which will be held in Naples from October 25th to 27th, at the same time as the meeting of the Italian Society of Internal Medicine, the treatment of empyema will be discussed at a conjoint meeting of the two societies, the surgical aspects of the subject being dealt with by Professor Schiassi. The other subjects for discussion will be the treatment of visceral ptosis, introduced by Professors Donati and Parlaviccchio, and the treatment of renal tuberculosis, introduced by Professor Marogna. At the twelfth meeting of the Italian Society of Orthopaedics, which will be held concurrently at Naples next week, under the presidency of Professor Bastianelli, the following subjects will be discussed: Osteochondritis coxae juvenilis, introduced by Professor R. Galeazzi; treatment of spondylitis, introduced by Professor R. Dalla Vedova.

Medical News.

THE new session of the Hunterian Society will open on Wednesday, October 26th, at 9 p.m., when Professor E. H. Starling will deliver the first Hunterian Society lecture, entitled "Some heart problems." The lecture will be given at the Sion College, Embankment, E.C.1 (close to Blackfriars Bridge). All members of the medical profession are cordially invited to be present.

FORMER residents and students of the Prince of Wales's Hospital who have not received a notice of the inaugural dinner to be held at the Trocadero Restaurant on Thursday next, can obtain particulars from Mr. H. W. Carson, 111, Harley Street, W.1.

A COURSE of six lecture-demonstrations for a limited number of practitioners will be held in the X-Ray Department, Manchester Royal Infirmary, on Mondays, commencing Nov. 14th. The fee for the course will be £3 3s. Applications should be made to the Hon. Medical Officer, X-Ray Department.

MCGILL UNIVERSITY, Montreal, on the occasion of the recent celebration, conferred the honorary degree of LL.D. on Mr. J. B. Lawford, consulting ophthalmic surgeon to St. Thomas's Hospital and to the Moorfields Hospital. Mr. Lawford, who received part of his medical education at McGill University, graduated M.D., C.M. in that University in 1879.

THE Committee of the Yarrow Home for Convalescent Children, Broadstairs, is anxious that it should be generally known that the fees payable for admission of children are dependent in a measure on the means of the parents. The basis payment at present is 2ls. a week, but this is subject to addition or deduction according to the means of the parents. It is hoped thus to get the maximum good and to permit those who can afford to pay more than 2ls. to have the opportunity of so doing, and thus enable the institution to admit children whose parents are unable to pay the full amount. The institution is intended for children of refined and cultured parents. The secretary in London is Miss Chambers, 115, Victoria Street, S.W.

DR. SAMUEL GAWN, on the occasion of his retirement after thirty years' practice in Antrim, has been presented by his friends with an address and a cheque as a token of their esteem and in appreciation of his valued services. Mrs. Gawn was included in the presentation.

THE Alvarenga Prize of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia for 1921 has been awarded to Dr. John W. Churchman, of New York, for his essay on "Selective bacteriostasis of gentian violet." The next award will be made in July, and essays in competition, in English or with an English translation, must be received by the secretary of the college on or before May 1st, 1922. The prize is of the amount of 300 dollars and is given for an essay deemed to be of sufficient merit on any subject in medicine.

AT the fifth examination of the Central Midwives Board for Ireland on October 4th, of the 70 candidates who entered 2 did not present themselves; of the remainder, 60 passed.

THE Municipal Council of Paris has decided to establish a municipal institute of electrotherapy at a cost of 1,185,000 francs.

ON the occasion of the recent retirement of Dr. N. H. Choksy, the *Times of India* reviewed at considerable length the work he did in Bombay during a momentous period in the medical history of that city. Dr. Choksy, who was educated at the Grant Medical College and qualified in 1884, was appointed to the small-pox hospital in 1888, and has since been in charge of it, first in Grant Road and afterwards in Arthur Road, Bombay. During the five epidemics of plague from 1896 to 1901, this hospital was, at first, the only public hospital in Bombay, so that the brunt of the work connected with these serious epidemics fell upon Dr. Choksy. The number of deaths from plague led to riots among the superstitious population in the neighbourhood of the hospital, and Dr. Choksy's work had to be carried on for a considerable period under the protection of troops. In subsequent years he had to fight successive epidemics of plague, relapsing fever, cholera, and small-pox, and was recognized, both in official circles and abroad, to have performed most valuable work. Dr. Choksy took a leading part in all public health questions; he was at one time president of the Bombay Medical Union, and since 1912 has been an elected member of the Bombay Medical Council. He is also an old member of the British Medical Association.