

Professor AUGUSTE BROCA died on October 2nd, a few hours before the publication of his last work, *La Tuberculose chirurgicale*. He was born in 1859, the son of the late Professor Paul Broca, founder of the modern surgery of the brain. After a distinguished medical career, during which he specialized in the surgery of children, Auguste Broca entered the French Faculty of Medicine in 1913, first as professor of operative surgery, and, later, as professor of topographical anatomy. After the war he was appointed to the chair of surgery of children and orthopaedics. Professor Broca's more important works include *La chirurgie infantile*, issued in 1914, *La chirurgie de guerre et d'après guerre*, in 1921, and his posthumous publication on surgical tuberculosis.

Dr. EUGÈNE ROCHARD, a well known Paris surgeon and member of the Académie de Médecine, has recently died, at the age of 71.

CORRECTION.—In the notice of Mr. Robinson's death published last week at page 837, the Christian name should be Edmund, not Thomas.

Universities and Colleges.

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

At a congregation held on October 31st the following medical degrees were conferred:

M.B., B.Ch.—D. E. Cuffey, A. G. Story.
M.B.—G. K. Thorne.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.

SIR CUTHBERT WALLACE, K.C.M.G., C.B., has been elected Dean of the Faculty of Medicine.

Three lectures on the history of medicine will be delivered by Dr. Charles Singer at University College Hospital Medical School on Thursdays, November 20th, 27th, and December 4th, at 4.15 p.m. The first lecture will deal with recent light on the origin of syphilis, the second with the beginning of anatomical study, and the third with the scientific work of Robert Koch. The lectures are open to all medical students.

UNIVERSITY OF DURHAM.

At a convocation held on October 29th the following medical degrees were conferred:

M.D. (Practitioners)—Ralph E. Drake-Brockman.
M.B., B.S.—F. W. Marshall.

UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN.

THE Board of Trinity College has appointed Mr. James Edmond Hogan to be Lecturer in Dental Surgery and Pathology in the School of Physic, Dublin University, in the place of the late Dr. Arthur W. W. Baker.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON.

An ordinary quarterly comitia of the Royal College of Physicians of London was held on October 30th, the chair being taken by the President, Sir Humphry Rolleston.

Membership.

The following were admitted to the Membership, having passed the required examination:

Stanley Batchelor, M.C., M.D.Lond., L.R.C.P., Davis Evan Bedford, M.B.Lond., L.R.C.P., Jyotish Chandra De, M.B.Ca'cutta, L.R.C.P., William Devereux Forrest, M.B.Durb., L.R.C.P., Malcolm Kennedy Gray, M.B.New Zealand, Anis Salama, L.R.C.P., Kenneth James Langlands Scott, M.D.New Zealand, Terence Watson Turner, L.R.C.P.

Licences.

Licences to practise Physic were granted to the following 245 candidates, who had passed the necessary examinations and had conformed to the by-laws and regulations:

C. H. Ackroyd, F. N. Adams, *Iris I. G. Adams, C. Adamson, B. Adlington, G. L. Alexander, A. J. Amor, S. M. Anderson, T. E. Anderson, L. V. Angel, H. Auckland, *Georgette Bachrach, J. M. Bailey, H. C. J. Ball, G. W. Amber, L. J. Barford, *Alison E. M. Barnaby, C. E. J. Baron, R. McG. Barron, S. A. Beards, L. F. Beccle, A. E. Beith, P. C. Bennison, S. Bernan, E. H. J. Berry, A. G. Bewes, H. E. Blake, R. H. Boggon, A. J. S. L. Boyd, W. H. Bradford, J. H. Broadhead, G. C. W. Brown, E. Buchler, G. H. Buncombe, N. F. C. Burgess, M. Byala, A. Canard, T. E. Cawthorne, P. F. Chaudler, W. T. B. Chapman, F. W. Charman, K. R. Chaudhri, W. J. B. Chidlow, *Florence C. Churcher, S. Cieman, T. A. Clarke, E. E. Claxton, I. Cohen, W. R. F. Collis, W. S. C. Copeman, J. W. E. Cory, A. B. Cowley, B. W. Cross, R. Crosthwaite, W. I. Daggett, A. A. Dalby, A. F. C. Davey, D. Davies, D. J. Davies, E. W. P. Davies, Kathleen Davies, L. F. Davies, E. M. Deighton, G. W. S. de Jersey, P. H. Diemer, J. M. Dobie, W. A. Drake, C. S. Drawmer, J. Dreadon, W. A. D. Drummond, G. D. Durr, H. A. Dunlop, J. D. Durance, S. F. Durrans, D. F. Durward, H. C. Edmunds, J. T. R. Edwards, *Josephine O. Ellen, J. B. Elison, *Marguerite Elman, H. G. English, A. J. Enzer, J. A. Evans, J. P. Evans, *Sarah Evans, W. Evans, W. G. Evans, N. J. Everard, S. Abd-El-Malek Fam, W. J. C. Fenton, F. E. Fox, D. Frost, G. A. Fulton, J. H. Gaddum, H. C. Gage,

J. A. Galletly, J. Gaughan, M. Geaney, N. T. Glynn, S. Goldstein, *Minnie Gosden, B. Green, F. G. Greenwood, *Elsie C. Griffin, H. F. Griffiths, J. I. Griffiths, J. F. Hamber, A. C. Hampson, C. L. Harding, H. E. Hargreaves, *Iris M. Harmer, W. E. H. ath, *Margaret R. Herford, W. A. Hervey, A. H. Heyworth, F. Hoff-tein, J. G. Humm, W. E. Hunter, D. S. Huskisson, H. V. Ingram, *Acèle H. Jacob, H. N. James, *Beatrice Jervis-White-Jervis, H. A. Johnson, R. S. Johnson, I. L. Johnstone, *Elna M. Jones, F. M. L. Jones, J. D. Jones, R. D. Jones, R. M. Jones, *Doris E. Joseelyne, W. E. Joseph, H. J. Jones, C. J. Jowett, R. F. S. Korman, C. E. Kluiste, A. J. King, G. King, J. F. L. King, F. H. K. Knight, *Marjorie E. Knowles, *Nancy T. Lancaster, R. L. Lancaster, S. W. Lane, *Mary K. Lawlor, C. H. Lee, *Nora Leesmith, J. Leitch, T. C. J. Lewis, E. I. Liberman, K. S. Lim, D. T. Lloyd, E. O. Lloyd, W. E. Lock, G. K. Loveday, M. F. B. Lynch, L. H. Macdonald, H. B. MacEvoy, D. M. Mackay, R. R. Mackenzie, H. Macachian, R. B. McVicker, J. L. B. Marais, G. R. Marcano, D. P. Marks, F. Marsh, F. Mary, *Gertrude M. Mayball, J. D. Mills, F. G. Moss, *Frances C. Nicklin, C. T. Norris, T. J. O'Donnell, G. C. B. Oliver, L. E. Owen, W. B. Owen, M. Y. Paget, T. B. Pahlajani, A. E. G. Parry, *Sybil de Haut Rey Patison, Milroy A. Paul, C. E. Pearsons, *Annie Pichaimuthu, P. J. J. Pienaar, J. E. Pacey, B. Pollard, F. D. S. Poole, *Beatrice M. Powell, C. V. Powell, L. N. Pyrah, *Violet A. Quilley, S. R. Rich-mantzik, F. C. Read, S. F. Reynolds, W. Richards, D. Riley, W. G. Robert, C. H. H. Robertson, A. B. Robinson, W. F. Royle, *Annie E. G. Rowlands, C. Sabhapati, J. H. Saint, F. R. Sandford, H. B. Savage, F. W. Schofield, C. M. Scott, W. G. Sears, J. Sévi, L. R. Shone, J. H. Simpkins, D. A. Skan, H. Smith, R. F. Smith, L. Spira, *Betty Stainer, R. Stanford, L. Stainigrosch, H. H. Steadman, J. Stein, J. A. F. Storrs, *Grace M. L. Summerhayes, A. Swain, *Victoria W. Symonds, R. C. Tatham, E. W. P. Thomas, G. W. R. Thomson, C. H. C. Touissant, H. Treissman, *Bertha Turner, J. H. M. Walker, J. Wallman, S. E. Walmley, E. J. Warburton, C. A. Wells, B. G. Wheatley, H. D. E. Whitman, C. H. Wight, G. Wignaraja, E. R. P. Williams, H. K. Williams, F. A. Wilson, *Ellen E. Wirtz.

* Under the Medical Act, 1876.

An alteration in By-law 194 was proposed permitting the election of women as Fellows of the College. This was passed for the first time. It will require to pass a second time at a subsequent comitia before becoming operative.

Dr. W. S. A. Griffith drew attention to a paragraph in the SUPPLEMENT to the BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL of October 4th, 1924, relating to an instruction by the American immigration authorities that persons who desire to emigrate from this country to the United States must be examined by medical practitioners who are members of the British Medical Association. After some discussion, in which Dr. R. A. Bolam, who was present, joined, a resolution was passed drawing the attention of the President of the General Medical Council to the injury the proposed arrangement would inflict on medical practitioners in this country who are not members of the Association, and who would be precluded from giving medical certificates even to intending immigrants who were their own patients.

A report was received from Dr. Drewitt concerning the Chelsea Physic Garden. It was directed that this should be entered on the minutes.

The President announced the award by the Royal College of Surgeons of the Jenks Scholarship for 1924 to Mr. Antony R. C. Higham.

A report was received from the Committee of Management in regard to the institutions recognized for the courses of instruction for the several special diplomas.

Sir William Ha'e-White was reappointed a member of the Committee of Management. Books and other gifts presented to the library during the past quarter were received and the thanks of the College were returned to the donors. After some formal College business had been transacted, the President dissolved the comitia.

CORRECTION.—The announcement published last week (p. 838) of Mr. Michael G. O'Malley's appointment as Professor of Surgery should read University College, Galway, and not Cork, as printed; Professor C. Yelverton Pearson still holds the Professorship of Surgery at University College, Cork.

The Services.

TERRITORIAL DECORATION.

THE Territorial Decoration has been conferred upon the following officers of the R.A.M.C.(T.A.): Majors F. W. B. Young, A. Walker, D.S.O., and G. B. Gill, and Captain E. B. Keen.

14TH STATIONARY HOSPITAL DINNER.

THE fifth annual dinner of the medical officers of No. 14 Stationary Hospital will be held on Friday, December 12th, at the Trocadero Restaurant, Piccadilly, at 7.15 for 7.45 p.m. Lieut.-Colonel J. R. Harper, C.B.E., will be in the chair. The price of the dinner is 15s., exclusive of wines. Evening dress or dinner jacket will be worn; miniature medals optional. The honorary secretaries are Lieut.-Colonel H. M. Perry and Dr. H. L. Tidy, 33, Devonshire Place, W.1.

V.A.D. TRAINING IN MILITARY HOSPITALS.

THE War Office announces that arrangements have been made for a short course of annual training in military hospitals for a limited number of Voluntary Aid Detachment nursing members. Instructions as to joining will be issued in each case from the War Office. No pay will be issuable for the period of training, but those attending the course will have board and washing allowance at the rate applicable to members of Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service.