

UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES.

THE ROYAL UNIVERSITY OF IRELAND.

THE following candidates have been approved at the examination indicated:

FIRST EXAMINATION.—C. Barragry, *D. J. Barrett, J. L. Brown, P. A. Charkin, M. J. Cogan, *E. J. Colgan, P. J. Corcoran, J. F. Craig, *T. P. Davy, *J. C. Denvir, *B. Doyle, B.A., *G. Fitzgerald, T. F. S. Fulton, M. J. Gallagher, J. M. A. Gorman, T. D. Graham, *G. S. Harvey, J. Hill, *J. O. Hodnett, *N. L. Joynt, *F. J. Keane, *J. J. Keirans, J. L. Kilbride, J. Laverty, H. T. S. McClintock, *R. J. McConnell, L. J. J. McGrath, *M. McGuire, *A. D. MacMahon, R. C. McMillan, *D. McSparron, C. Martin, *W. Megaw, *W. M. Millar, A. G. Mitchell, *J. J. H. Mitchell, H. H. Mulholland, *H. J. V. Mullane, D. O'Brien, J. P. O'Brien, J. O'Connor, T. F. O'Donoghue, W. M. O'Farrell, J. A. O'Flynn, P. J. O'Grady, O. J. O'Hanlon, *H. O'Neill, *J. Patrick, J. J. Porter, J. H. Porter, *J. M. Rishworth, W. N. Rishworth, M. J. Roche, J. M. Rowe, *H. A. Skillen, *F. Smyth, F. J. D. Twigg, *W. Wilson.

*Candidates against whose name a star is affixed may present themselves for further examination for honours in one or more subjects.

UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN.

THE recent competitions in the Faculty of Medicine have resulted in the following awards: The Medical Travelling Prize has been adjudged to Mr. R. E. Wright, and the two scholarships in anatomy and institutes of medicine to Messrs. A. A. McConnell and T. A. Hughes, and the corresponding scholarships for Physics, Botany, Chemistry, and Zoology, to Messrs. H. J. Smyly and H. de L. Crawford. The winner of the Purser Medal in the institutes of medicine is Mr. C. M. Finny.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.

LONDON HOSPITAL PRIZE DISTRIBUTION.

MR. HUDSON KEARLEY, M.P., distributed the prizes to the successful students at the London Hospital on July 17th. Mr. D. Hoare, the chairman of the College Board, in the course of his speech introducing Mr. Kearley referred to the pecuniary assistance given by him to the research work at the hospital, and declared that money thus spent on the discovery of the causes of disease was wisely expended, and would yield results of far-reaching importance. He was proud to observe that in regard to the number of students entering the medical schools of the metropolis, the London Hospital again headed the list. Mr. Kearley, in the course of his address, said that the research work done at the London Hospital deserved well of the community; side by side with the alleviation of pain and sickness there was carried on at the London Hospital an investigation into the causes of disease with a view to its prevention in the future. He affirmed unhesitatingly that in no other hospital were there better-equipped laboratories for research into the causes of disease. Unfortunately, however, research work did not appeal to the charitable public. After Mr. Kearley had distributed the prizes to the medical students, Mr. Sydney Holland introduced three nurses, who duly received prizes. At the termination of the ceremony Dr. Leonard Hill exhibited the experimental chamber in which he and Mr. Greenwood had submitted themselves to air compressed to very high pressures, and showed a diver at work in a tank on the lawn. Dr. Hill also demonstrated an apparatus for saving life in mines after explosions, the wearer entering an experimental hut and enduring a stifling atmosphere of smoke in safety.

UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS.

DEGREES.

ON Thursday, July 11th, the degrees of Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery were conferred by the Vice-Chancellor on Messrs. J. P. Bibby and W. L. Dibb.

EXAMINATIONS.

The following candidates have been approved at the examinations indicated:

SECOND M.B., CH.B. (*Anatomy and Physiology*).—C. S. Brown, C. G. K. Sharpe, (*Materia Medica and Pharmacy*): J. P. Brown, T. Elliott, J. B. Fisher, W. S. Hart, H. V. Lamb, N. V. Milton, B. A. Slocombe, G. V. Stockdale, N. S. Twist.

FINAL M.B., CH.B. (*Part I*).—W. H. Butler, H. Vallow.

The diploma in Public Health has been granted to Messrs. W. Scatterty and F. A. Sharpe.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF NORTH WALES.

ON July 9th, the King, accompanied by the Queen and Princess Victoria, visited the city of Bangor, and were received with a welcome which for cordiality and enthusiasm could not have been exceeded. His Majesty laid the foundation stone of new buildings for the University College of North Wales, and then, to the delight of thousands of spectators, who apparently were quite unprepared for the incident, conferred the honour of knighthood upon Dr. Henry Rudolf Reichel, M.A., the Principal of that institution from its foundation twenty-three years ago. In his address the King paid a high tribute to the love of the people of Wales for education. Sir Henry Reichel is a brilliant scholar and a man of progressive ideas. He was selected to be one of the three representatives from Wales on the Moseley Education Commission to America

in 1902, and the report he drew up was considered of great educational value. The University College of North Wales, Bangor, was opened in 1884, and, like its sister college at Cardiff, is a direct result of the report of the Departmental Committee (presided over by the late Lord Aberdare), appointed by Mr. Gladstone in 1880 to inquire into the condition of intermediate and higher education in Wales and Monmouthshire. Thirteen towns in North Wales competed for the seat of the College, and the decision was referred to Lord Carlingford, Lord Bramwell, and Mr. Mundella, who unanimously selected Bangor. From the very outset the College was enthusiastically supported by the people. Parliament voted it an annual Treasury grant of £4,000, and to supplement this an endowment fund of £30,000 was raised, towards which there were nearly 8,000 subscribers. In October, 1884, the College was opened in premises previously known as the Penrhyn Arms Hotel, Bangor, following the example of Cardiff, presented the College with the magnificent site on which the new buildings will ere long be reared. The site is 13½ acres in extent, and cost the city £19,000; the townspeople have in addition subscribed upwards of £4,700 to the College Building Fund. It was in 1902 that this gift was made, since which time £42,725 has been collected or promised out of the total expenditure, which is roughly estimated at from £150,000 to £175,000. Early in 1906 the Chancellor of the Exchequer promised a grant in aid of £20,000.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.

THE quarterly council was held on July 11th, Mr. Henry Morris, President, in the chair.

Arnott Legacy and Gift.

By the death of Miss Moncrieff Arnott on June 10th the legacy of £1,000 bequeathed to the College by Mr. James Moncrieff Arnott will become payable to the College free of legacy duty on November 11th next. Miss Arnott's executors, in accordance with her desire, offered to the College the portrait in oil of her father, which is in the Mauston House of Chapel, Fifeshire. The President stated that he had accepted the portrait on behalf of the Council, and had conveyed to Miss Arnott's executors the assurance that the presentation of this portrait of a past president of the College would be warmly appreciated.

Election of President and Vice-Presidents.

Mr. Henry Morris was re-elected President for the ensuing year. Mr. R. J. Godlee was re-elected the Vice-President, and Mr. William Watson Cheyne was elected as the second Vice-President for the ensuing year.

Vacancy on the Court of Examiners.

The vacancy occasioned by the retirement of Dr. C. H. Golding-Bird will be filled up at the Council on July 25th, as will the vacancy on the Board of Examiners in Dental Surgery occasioned by the resignation of Mr. A. Pearce Gould. The expiration of the period of office of Mr. W. B. Paterson will occasion a further vacancy. Mr. Paterson proposes to seek re-election.

Donation.

The best thanks of the Council were given to Sir John Tweedy for his donation to the College of *Rymer's Foedera*, twenty volumes folio, 1711.

Election of Lecturers.

The following gentlemen were elected Lecturers for the ensuing year: *Hunterian Professors*—William Sampson Handley (one lecture), William Francis Victor Bonney (three lectures), Donald John Armour (three lectures), Arthur Ralph Thompson (two lectures), Frank Charles Shrubsole (three lectures). *Arts and Gale Lecturers*—Francis Arthur Bainbridge (one lecture), Major Greenwood, Jun. (two lectures). *Erasmus Wilson Lecturers*—Samuel George Shattock, John William Henry Eyre, Leonard Stanley Dudgeon (one lecture each).

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF IRELAND.

At a meeting on July 5th, Messrs. W. Boxwell, W. J. Dargan, and W. G. Harvey were admitted to the Membership of the College. At the same meeting the licences in Medicine and Midwifery were conferred on Mr. B. Hogan.

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FELLOWSHIP EXAMINATION.

NOTICE is given that on and after January 1st, 1910, all examinations for the Fellowship of this College will be conducted under the scheme of examination now known as Grade I. No candidate after above date will, under any circumstances, be admitted to examination for the Fellowship of this College under the scheme now known as Grade II, which will then cease to be used.

ERRATUM.—In the Birmingham University pass lists published in our issue of July 13th, the names of the successful candidates at the D.P.H. examinations should have read Part I, T. W. Beazeley and A. E. Remmett Weaver, and Parts I and II, E. F. Wharton Bywater.