

"Hospital" Treatment of the Insane in Asylums. II. The best methods of providing for the Chronic Incurable among the Pauper Insane. III. The Treatment of Insanity by means of Thyroid and other Animal Extracts. IV. The Transmission of accidentally-acquired forms of Insanity.

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CONGRESS AT NANCY.

As previously announced the seventh Annual Congress of Alienists and Neurologists will be held at Nancy on 1st August, 1896.

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CONGRESS AT MUNICH.

As previously announced, the third International Congress of Psychology will be held at Munich, 4th August, 1896.

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CONGRESS AT GENEVA.

The fourth International Congress of Criminal Anthropology will be held at Geneva from the 24th to the 29th August next. The British members of the International Committee are Dr. Buchanan (Bengal Central Gaol), Dr. Clouston, Havelock Ellis, Francis Galton, Dr. Garson, Bevan Lewis, Dr. Maudsley, Douglas Morrison, and Dr. Nicolson. The organisers, for the first time in these Congresses, have been at some pains to secure British co-operation, and it is to be hoped that their efforts will be successful. Dr. Ladame (the President of the Committee), at Geneva, will be pleased to receive the names of those who propose to be present. The subscription, entitling to the preliminary reports and to the subsequent volume of Proceedings, is fixed at 20 francs. The papers and discussions at present on the programme include "The Positive Facts Demonstrating the Born Criminal" (introduced by Morselli), "Sexual Perversion from the Point of View of Criminality" (Garnier), "Sexual Inversion" (Magitot), "Professional Criminality" (Tarde), "Relation of Criminal Statistics to Professional Statistics" (Kurella), "The Results of Ancestral Alcoholism (Legrain), "Youthful Offenders" (Roussel), "Unrecognised Insanity and the Need for More Frequent Medical Intervention" (Garnier), "Criminal Suggestion" (Bérillon), "The Diagnosis of 'Moral Insanity'" (Benedikt), "The Treatment of Criminals" (Lombroso and Brookway), "The Classification of Criminals" (Garofalo), "The Teaching of Criminal Anthropology" (Lacassagne), "The Brain Cortex in Criminals and Epileptics" (Roncoroni), and many other papers of interest and importance by Motet, Sighele, Galton, Näcke, Ferri, Mendel, Ballet, Drill, Manouvrier, Aubry, Van Hamel, etc.

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APPOINTMENTS.

RICHARD BRAYN, Esq., L.R.C.P.Lond., M.R.C.S.Eng., L.S.A. Assoc., King's Coll., Lond., has been appointed Medical Superintendent to Broadmoor Criminal Lunatic Asylum, in place of Dr. Nicolson, resigned.

MR. JOHN ALFRED EWAN, M.A., M.D., C.M.Edin. (Senior Assistant Medical Officer Dorset County Asylum), has been appointed Medical Superintendent to the Kesteven and Grantham District Asylum.

MR. HAROLD ANDREW KIDD, M.B.C.S.Eng., L.R.C.P.Lond., Senior Assistant Medical Officer Cane Hill Asylum, has been appointed Medical Superintendent to West Sussex Asylum.

CHARLES MACPHERSON, M.D., L.R.C.S.E., D.P.H., appointed Deputy Commissioner in Lunacy for Scotland, vice Dr. Lawson, deceased.

MR. C. S. MORRISON, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S.Edin, L.F.P.S.Glasg., has been appointed Medical Superintendent of the County and City Asylum, Hereford, vice T. A. Chapman, retired.

DR. SAVAGE has been appointed Physician for Mental Diseases to Guy's Hospital.