

must have had conduct of this sort in view, when he told his hearers "that a *Scotchman* never said a pleasant thing even to a friend." Lastly, I hold that the compulsory dissection of the whole, or of any one class of the community, as a rule, is repugnant to the sentiments of the public, that it is wasteful of medical services that would be better employed in treatment, a source of danger to the health of the surviving population, and that this new and gratuitous manual labour of so disagreeable a nature ought not to be cast upon the profession without general and individual assent.

I am, gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

WM. P. PHILLIMORE, M.B.,
Superintendent.

Nottingham County Asylum,
February 24th, 1879.

Appointments.

BATEMAN, F., M.D., F.R.C.P., has been appointed Honorary Physician to the Norwich Lunatic Asylum.

BIET, E., L.R.C.P.L., M.R.C.S.E., has been appointed Second Assistant Medical Officer to the West Riding Lunatic Asylum, Wakefield.

BUCK, J. S., M.B.C.S.E., has been appointed Junior Assistant Medical Officer to the Three Counties Asylum, Arlesey, Beds., vice Kebbell, resigned.

GAYTON, F. C., M.R.C.S.E., L.S.A.L., has been appointed Assistant Medical Officer to the Cornwall Lunatic Asylum, Bodmin, vice Neal, appointed Superintendent of the Wandsworth and Clapham Union Infirmary.

JONES, D. J., C.M., M.R.C.S.E., has been appointed Junior Assistant Medical Officer to the Gloucestershire Lunatic Asylum.

KEBBELL, W., L.R.C.P.L., M.R.C.S.E., has been appointed Senior Medical Officer to the Gloucestershire Lunatic Asylum.

MURRAY, P. M., M.D., has been appointed Consulting Physician to the Crichton Royal Institution, Dumfries, vice Borthwick, deceased.

OUTHWAITE, W., M.R.C.S.E., L.S.A.L., has been appointed Assistant Medical Officer to the Lancashire Lunatic Asylum, near Prestwich.

PACKER, W. H., L.R.C.P.L., M.R.C.S.E., L.S.A.L., has been appointed an Assistant Medical Officer to the Salop and Montgomery Lunatic Asylum, Bicton.

PENMAN, P. M., M.B., C.M., has been appointed Assistant Medical Superintendent, Stirling District Lunatic Asylum, vice Mann.

PLAYFAIR, D. T., M.B., C.M., has been appointed Assistant Medical Officer to the Royal Albert Asylum for Idiots and Imbeciles, Lancaster.

SANKEY, HERBERT R. O., M.B., has been appointed Senior Assistant Medical Officer to the Lancashire County Asylum, Prestwich.

THURNAM, F. W., M.B., C.M., has been appointed Assistant Medical Officer to the Metropolitan District Asylum, Caterham, Surrey.

URQUHART, A. R., M.D., has been appointed Assistant Medical Officer to the Warwickshire Lunatic Asylum, vice Sankey, resigned.

WOODS, J. F., M.B.C.S., L.S.A.L., has been appointed Second Assistant Medical Officer to the Somersetshire Lunatic Asylum, Wells.