

lamented and unexpected death. Dr. Wade was twice married, and he leaves a widow and four children to mourn his loss.

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TRACTS FOR ATTENDANTS, ETC.

By the Rev. H. HAWKINS.

We draw attention to the following tracts issued by the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, Northumberland Avenue, Charing Cross, W.C. :

"The New Asylum Nurse," 1*d.*

"Visiting Day at the Asylum," 1*d.*

"Friendly Talk with a New Patient," 2*d.*

"Treatment of the Insane—Then and Now," 2*d.*

"Off Duty," "Invalided," 2*d.*

2640. "Letter (from the Chaplain) to Attendant or Nurse in Service of Asylum," 4*s.* per 100.

2641. "We commend to Thy Fatherly Goodness all those who are anyways Afflicted or Distressed in Mind." A Prayer. On card, 3*s.* per 100.

2642. "Words to Friends of Patients in Asylums." On card, 3*s.* per 100.

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NOTICE BY LIBRARIAN.

Professor Benedikt has sent a package of pamphlets on Medico-legal questions of interest to psychiatrists. Members desirous of possessing copies may have them at 11, Chandos Street.

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NOTICES BY THE REGISTRAR.

The following gentlemen were successful at the examination for the Certificate in Psychological Medicine, held on July 18th, 1901.

Examined at Bethlem Royal Hospital, London: W. Norwood East, Augustine Downey.

The following is a list of the questions which appeared on the paper :

1. State the various types of epilepsy and of convulsive states as occurring in the insane. 2. Describe a case of climacteric melancholia, and suggest appropriate treatment. What is the prognosis? 3. Compare the therapeutic uses of paraldehyde and sulphonal and their disadvantages. 4. State the treatment you would advise in delusional insanity, and points that would guide you in giving a prognosis. 5. Describe "Anergic Stupor," and state the forms of mental disease in which the condition is found. 6. Enumerate the various disorders which resemble general paralysis of the insane, and discuss the ætiology of the disease.

The Gaskell Prize has been awarded to Dr. William Henry B. Stoddart, Assistant Physician, Bethlem Hospital, London.

The next examination for the certificate of Proficiency in Nursing will be held on Monday, November 4th, 1901, and candidates are earnestly requested to send in their schedules, duly filled up, to the Registrar of the Association not later than Monday, October 7th, as that will be the last day upon which, under the rules, applications for the examination can be received.

For full particulars respecting the various examinations of the Association apply to the Registrar, Dr. Benham, City Asylum, Fishponds, Bristol.

There will be no examination for the Medico-Psychological Professional Certificate in December.

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NOTICES OF MEETINGS.

MEDICO-PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION.

*General Meeting.*—The next General Meeting will be held in the rooms of the Association, 11, Chandos Street, London, W., on Thursday, 21st November, 1901. Besides other papers, not yet definitely arranged for, there will be one from Sir

T. Lauder Brunton, M.D., F.R.S., on Fairies, Visions, Apparitions, and Hallucinations.

*South-Eastern Division.*—The Autumn Meeting will be held at the Holloway Sanatorium on Wednesday, 16th October, 1901.

*South-Western Division.*—The Autumn Meeting will be held at the Royal Mineral Water Hospital, Bath, on Tuesday, 22nd October, 1901, at 3 p.m. Dinner at Messrs. Fortt's, The Restaurant, Bath, at 6 p.m.

*Northern Division.*—The Autumn Meeting will be held at the York Lunatic Hospital, Bootham, York, on Wednesday, 30th October, 1901.

*Scottish Division.*—The Autumn Meeting will be held at Stirling District Asylum, Larbert, on Friday, 22nd November, 1901.

*Irish Division.*—The next meeting will be held at the Royal College of Physicians, Dublin, early in April, 1902.

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#### APPOINTMENTS.

Findlay, John, M.B., M.Ch.(Aberd.), appointed Second Assistant Medical Officer to the Dorset County Asylum.

Fuller, Lawrence O., M.R.C.S.(Eng.), L.R.C.P.(Lond.), appointed Fourth Assistant Medical Officer at the Darenth Asylum.

Keogh, William, M.P., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.R.U.I., appointed Assistant Medical Officer, County Asylum, Newport, Isle of Wight.

Laing, C. F., M.B., C.M.Glasg., appointed Medical Superintendent to Somerset and Bath Asylum.

Leethbridge, R. W., M.B., B.Ch.M., appointed Medical Superintendent of the Sunbury Lunatic Asylum, Victoria.

Marr, G. W. S., M.B., appointed Assistant Medical Superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane at Toowoomba, Queensland.

Rorie, Geo., M.B., M.Ch.Edin., appointed Senior Assistant Medical Officer to the Dorset County Asylum.

Stell, John, M.B., Ch.M., appointed Medical Superintendent of the Ballarat Lunatic Asylum.