

MEDICAL STUDENTS, 1876.

The following is a list of the number of students of medicine registered at the Royal College of Surgeons of England this session from the metropolitan schools, distinguishing the new entries for the session. It will be seen that the number of new students is large, especially at the great city hospitals:

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| St. Bartholomew's..... | 374, including | 131 new entries. |
| Guy's | 317 | " 95 " |
| University College..... | 279 | " 79 " |
| St. Thomas's..... | 177 | " 43 " |
| St. George's..... | 136 | " 33 " |
| London..... | 123 | " 35 " |
| King's College..... | 105 | " 38 " |
| Middlesex..... | 101 | " 38 " |
| St. Mary's..... | 82 | " 26 " |
| Charing Cross..... | 70 | " 29 " |
| Westminster..... | 28 | " 9 " |

The gross number registered amounts to 1,793, including 546 new entries.

AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

The Association held its twenty-fourth annual convention at Philadelphia, on the 24th of September. About one hundred and fifty members were in attendance, and the Association decided to accept an invitation extended to it by the Ontario College of Pharmacy, and meet in Toronto on the 4th of September, 1877.

MEDICAL ITEMS.

Dr. Pearce, of Mars Bluff, S. C., reports that a negro woman—multipara—gave birth on the 11th September to five children—four died after birth, one lived several hours.—Sir William Ferguson has returned to London, much improved in health. He is about to gradually resume his professional occupation.—Dr. Brown Sequard, has settled in London, after an absence of thirteen years. He intends resuming practice.—Mr. William Clarke, C.E., who carried out the drainage and water supply of Calcutta, which have had so beneficial effect on the health of the city, has been invited to Australia, to advise upon the drainage of Sydney, N. S. Wales. —Dr. McKendrick, late one of the lecturers in the extra-academical school in Edinburgh, has been appointed Professor of Physiology in the University of Glasgow.—

Dr. Grainger Stewart has been appointed Professor of the Practice of Medicine in Edinburgh University, in place of the late Dr. Laycock. —A lady in London, under date of September 20th, 1876, has executed a will, before a well known firm of solicitors, bequeathing her body to the Royal College of Surgeons, for the purpose of dissection.—The *Medical Times* prints the following as a copy of a label taken off a bottle of medicine supplied by a firm of druggists of Cork:—"Caution.—To all medicines for outward adplication this label is attached to the bottles, in order to distinguish it from others for internal use, but persons unable to read should not be allowed to administer medicines, and never give or take a dose without perusing the label.—Signed —." —Dr. W. T. Gairdner, Professor of Practice of Medicine in the University of Glasgow, has been appointed physician to the Queen in Scotland, in place of Dr. Laycock, deceased.

SCARLET FEVER PROPAGATED FROM MILK.

Dr. Buchanan, in his report on a recent outbreak of scarlet fever in South Kensington, says that the disease was apparently propagated through the agency of milk.—*Medical Record*.

MARRIED,

At Dundas, Ontario, on the 10th of October, Charles O'Reilly, M.D., son of the late Dr. O'Reilly, of Hamilton, to Sophia Elizabeth, eldest daughter of the late George Rolphe, of Dundas.

DEATHS.

At Montreal, on the 21st November, Clara Elizabeth Palmer, wife of Alexander H. Kollmyer, M.D., professor of Materia Medica, University of Bishop's College, aged 38 years.

At Mhow, Bombay Presidency, East India, on the 8th of October, Cornelia Nelson, aged 27 years, wife of Major H. W. Harris, 1st Bombay Lancers, and daughter of the late Horace Nelson, of Montreal, and sister of Dr. Wolfred Nelson, assistant Demonstrator of Anatomy, University of Bishop's College.

At Montreal, on the 18th November, inst., Ann Maria Mansfield Mullins, wife of Angus C. MacDonell, M.D.

At Ballarat, Australia, on the 28th July, 1876, Henry M. Mount, M.D., late of Montreal, aged 78 years.

At Montreal, on the 31st October, Julie Elizabeth Josephine Defoy, wife of Arthur Ricard, M.D., aged 36 years.

At Dundas, Ont., on the 11th October, Henry C. Rutherford, M.D., aged 68 years.