

MEDICAL NEWS.

John Edward, M.D., of the village of Parry Sound, has been appointed an Associate Coroner within and for the District of Parry Sound.

Of the medical men sent by the Austrian government into Hungary to attend upon cholera patients, three have already fallen victims to the disease.

The inhabitants of Wolverhampton have called for a government inquiry into the recent outbreak of enteric fever in the town, which has already caused fourteen deaths.

The London Globe announces that a memorial window to Dr. Jenner will shortly be placed in the parish church at Berkeley, his native place. Groups illustrating the miracles recorded in the New Testament will be placed on the window.

Prof. Sharpey lately swallowed by mistake a draught composed of a solution of atropia, thinking it was quinine. Dr. Sidney Ringer attended him during the continuance of the alarming and dangerous poisonous effects from which he finally recovered.

On the 6th of November there will be a meeting of medical men in Vienna to consider the various questions of military hygiene, especially in its connection with voluntary help to the sick and wounded in time of war. Eminent foreign surgeons have been invited to attend.

Professor Rokitansky, the eminent pathologist, will soon be seventy years old, and, according to the standing rules, would have shortly to vacate his chair. It is understood, however, that an exception will be made in his favour, as the school of medicine of Vienna would sustain too heavy a loss by Rokitansky's retirement.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William Phillimore Stiff, of Snenon, in the county of Nottingham, and of Uley, in the county of Gloucester, Bachelor of Medicine of the University of London, her royal licence and authority that he and his issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Phillimore in lieu of that of Stiff.

Cholera in Paris is still on the decrease. The military hospitals have furnished only 2 deaths, showing the kind of immunity which the army still enjoys, or at least its excellent sanitary condition. From the beginning of the epidemic to Sept 29th, 257 patients have been treated in the hospitals, with 148 deaths and 45 dismissals.

An anonymous donor has placed a large sum in the hands of the committee of the Birmingham and Midland Institute, for the foundation of a Lectureship on the Laws of Health, and also for a prize fund in connection with the class. Dr. Corfield has been offered the post for this year, has accepted it, and will deliver an inaugural lecture in the Town Hall, Birmingham, on Tuesday, Oct. 9th, on "Sanitary Progress." The course is intended more especially for the working classes, and both men and women will be admitted.

The cholera epidemic is raging, with some severity, in Frankfort-on-the-Oder, Koenigsberg, Dantzic, Thorn, Ratibon, and Breslau. In the latter city the mortality has been considerable. In the cholera wards of the Dresden Hospital they burn the soiled body-linen, pail-lashes and sheets. When not soiled, these articles are first disinfected, then boiled with absolute alcohol and carbolic acid, and lastly washed by machinery. The alvine dejections and vomited matters are received in saw-dust mixed with powdered charcoal, on which petroleum is then poured, and finally burned.

Nelaton was buried on Tuesday, September 23rd. A large crowd of medical and other friends met at the door of his residence, and accompanied his body first to the Eglise St. Pierre de Chailot, and thence to the Pere la Chaise. Deputations from all the scientific bodies to which he had belonged were present on the occasion, and dressed in official attire; thus the Academy of Medicine, the Academy of Sciences, etc. As he had been a Grand Cross of the Legion of Honour, there was a regiment of soldiers to do him the last honours. A long list of eminent personages were present belonging to the army, the government, the profession, and the public at large. By the express desire of the deceased no speeches were made over his grave.

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