

OBITUARY.

JOSEPH PEEKE RICHARDS.

Mr. Joseph Peeke Richards, whose somewhat sudden and unanticipated death was announced in the last number of this Journal, has been for many years a member of the Medico-Psychological Association, and his loss is regretted by many of its members.

Mr. Richards was the son of a medical man, practising in London, and was educated at King's College, of which he became an Associate. Becoming qualified in 1863, he took the post of Resident House Surgeon to the Stockport Infirmary, where he remained several years.

His next appointment was to the post of Assistant Medical Officer to Devon County Asylum, and he exchanged this for a similar position at the Hanwell County Asylum under Dr. Murray Lindsay. This office he held for several years, and ultimately succeeded Dr. Lindsay as Medical Superintendent of the female department. This post he held for upwards of twenty years, and finally retired on a liberal superannuation allowance, a recognition by the asylum authorities of the able and successful discharge of his duties through so long a period.

Mr. Richards was distinguished by his conscientious devotion to duty, his methodical habits, and his great personal sympathy with his patients. He was a very successful asylum administrator, and having a thorough knowledge of his profession was equally successful in his treatment of mental disease. His geniality and genuine kindness won him the affection of his patients and the esteem of his colleagues, as well as a large circle of friends.

Mr. Richards, since his retirement from office, has had at times somewhat indifferent health, but his death, at the comparatively early age of sixty-three, must have come as a painful surprise to all who knew him intimately. His loss is mourned by a widow, son, and two daughters.

NOTICES BY THE REGISTRAR.

EXAMINATION FOR THE NURSING CERTIFICATE.

Seven hundred and twenty candidates applied for admission to the May examination for this certificate. Of this number 517 passed, 179 failed to satisfy the examiners, 21 retired or withdrew, 2 were disqualified, and 1 result from South Africa has not been received. Appended is a list of the successful candidates:

ENGLAND.

Cumberland and Westmorland.—Male: James D. Williamson. Female: Anna Fraser.

Derby.—Female: Ada Kilmartin.

Devon County.—Males: John Bailey Connett, Charles H. W. Bridglands. Female: May Shelley.

Durham County.—Males: Lewis Strachan, Harry Lintott, Charles Mason, Thomas Foster, William Macklin, William McIntosh. Female: Agnes Ellen Dent.

Essex County.—Males: George Henry Barker, Edward George Wadsworth. Females: Agnes Mary Campbell, Clara Wilson.

Kent County, Barming Heath.—Female: Minnie S. Naughton.

Kent County, Chartham.—Male: Harold Parkinson Smith. Female: Louisa Morse.

Lancaster.—Males: Robert Tyldesley, Robert Fairclough, Alex. Harper, Edward Wendell, Walter E. Kewley, David Mercer. Females: Hannah Fogg, Kate Moncrieff, Rose Phillips, Margaret Dempsey, Edith Manning, Margaret Bowker, Ellen Sanderson, Ellen Allen.

Lancaster, Rainhill.—Males: Frederick Gloss, Archibald William Diddams, Thomas Taylor, Harold Frank Prince, Fred Russell, Frank Paxton, William Thomas Howells, James Bishop, William Davies, Ernest Burbridge. Females: Margaret Isabella Andrew, Jeannie Hyams, Kate Martin, Ida Annie Clark, Beatrice V. Sutherns, Clara Willets, Mary Hannah Touhey, Beatrix West, Alice Burton, Annie Gee, Alice Moxon, Janet Weir, Clara Addison, Ethel Stenner.

London County, Bexley.—Males: Thomas Frederick Evans, Frederick William Barber, John Baptiste Hoban, Harry George Grace, John Thomas Chantree, Charley Fearnley, John Ogden, Michael Hayes, John English. Females: Florence E. Grace, Florence Alice Phillips, Kathleen McGurrell, Edith Medhurst, Margaret M. Highgate, A. M. Trinnear, Hebe Staples Lloyd, Annie E. Williams, Florence C. Atkins, Ada Hovell, Margaret Durant, Sarah Nightingale.

London County, Cane Hill.—Males: Frederick James Millwood, Humphrey M. Marshall. Females: Kathleen Allen, Maud Amy Alice Jones, Ada Mary Rees.

London County, Claybury.—Males: Richard Perry, Herbert A. Wilson, Samuel Williams, Robert Ellis Roberts, Patrick Geoghegan. Females: Mary Catherine Jones, Annie E. Ingram, Frances Daisy Keates, Helen Mildred Wood, Louisa Jane Mitchell, Amy Harriett Shirley, Alice Maud Hemming, Matilda Kean, Mary E. Goodey, Alice Standing, Marguretta McGurgen, Ida Berlon (private nurse examined at Claybury).

London County, Hanwell.—Females: Abigail Bird, Fanny G. Watkins, Kate R. Symons, Maud Clarke, Alice Smokham, Alice E. Sharp, Maud Mitchenor, Elfrida Richards Goff, Laura Louisa Welsh, Jessie Churcher, Annie Thorne, Emma Jane Stevens, Bertie Carlo, Martha Wheeler, Sarah Farr, Florence E. Jones.

London County, Epsom Manor.—Females: Lilian Maud Drake, Agnes E. Hanarahan.

Middlesex County.—Males: Alfred Forrow, Charles Draper, Frederick G. Yendell, Edward Hulme. Females: Phoebe E. Lawrence, Jessie Smith, Mary Walsh, Edith Ellen Carnall, Nellie Campbell Harvey, Florence Boyle.

Norfolk County.—Females: Alice Abbs, Emily Adelaide Penfold.

Salop County.—Males: Richard Morgan, John Price, Charles Evans, Richard Alfred Williams, Charles Bunner, John Crumpton, George Harry A. Ratcliffe. Females: Annie Arnsby, Mary Evans, Edith M. Edwards, Rachel Hannah Ratcliffe.

Stafford County, Burntwood.—Males: Alfred Philip Breeze, Lambert Jones, Rupert George Fernyhough, John Thomas Thacker. Females: Eliza Harriett Cadwallader, Mary Dulson.

Stafford County, Cheddleton.—Female: Ethel Howard.

Somerset and Bath.—Females: Catherine B. F. Woodward, Lily Alice Baker, Hester Jane Selfe, Alice Poole, Florence Lilian Gardiner, Minnie Devenish, Lucy Petheram, Eliza Sophia Clarke.

Suffolk County.—Females: Mary Looney, Helena Mary Britton, Eve Ward, Henrietta Ward, Marion Emily Minton.

Surrey County, Brookwood.—Females: Minnie Jane Powell, Frances A. Eccles, Kate Davies, Adeline Mary Crook, Florence Rawson Berry, Beatrice Ellen Webb, Ellen Lavery, Mary Bearman.

Sussex, Hellingly.—Males: Thomas Gorton, William Sims, Herbert Waring. Females: Emily James, Daisy Evelyn Tann, Alice H. Druce, Nellie Collingwood.

West Sussex.—Females: Evelyn Lanning, Gertrude Margaret Maguire, Edith Alice Preece, Florence Emma Pitts, Gertrude Evelyn Eveleigh.

Warwick County.—Males: Frederick George Davies, William Sydney Clements, James William Cluff. Females: Lydia Sharp, Elmeda Mary Jones, Harriett Amy Belcher.

Wilts County.—Males: John Walker, Edwin Allen, Henry Imber. Female: Emma Taylor.

Yorks, North Riding.—Male: John Quinn. Females: Lucy Hoborough, Mary E. Butterworth, Mary E. Raisbeck, Hope Partridge, Mary Geraghty, Annie Newman.

Yorks, Wadsley.—Males: James Gittus, John William Brain, Osman Inman, George Arthur Cardwell, William Jacobs, Henry Bee, William Hirstle. Females: Florence Green, Alice Mabel Nicholls, Annie E. Jackson, Lottie Rose, Clara Culham, Frances Creaser.

Yorks, Wakefield.—Males: William Moorhouse, Harold Hodgson, Henry Anstey, Walter Wriggleworth.

Birmingham City, Winson Green.—Males: George Palmer, William Vincent. Females: Lucy Holland, Ellen Rodway, Eveline L. Townsend, Mildred L. Quinn.

Birmingham City, Rubery Hill.—Males: Thomas Alfred Cole, William Beaumont. Female: Mabel A. Noke.

Bristol City.—Males: Frederick Clee, Charles March, Joseph S. Smith. Female: Catherine Inch.

Derby Borough.—Males: Charles Curtis, Hector Gordon. Females: Mabel J. M. Bellhouse, Thurza Gaunt, Emma C. Smith.

Exeter City.—Females: Beatrice Crook, Emma Colwill, Alice Gosland, Lucy Sercombe.

Hull City.—Males: John Gormer, William E. Scown.

Newcastle City.—Males: William Whitfield Hudson, Thomas Robinson. Females: Margaret Beattie, Annie Maver Lindsay, Alice Rushford.

Notts City.—Males: Herbert Spencer, Fred. Tomlinson, P. L. Johnson-Laird, Henry F. W. Leech. Females: Ada Jackson, Florence E. Flick, Alice Green.

Caterham.—Male: George Albert Windsor. Females: Elizabeth Warren, Florence A. Day, Maggie Flannigan, Clara Lynds.

Leavesden.—Males: Frank Phillips, Charles James Rogers, Albert W. Hayes. Females: Mary Minnie Boyle, Emily Collyer, Ethel M. Franklin, Frances Crowle, Alice M. Sabin.

City of London.—Males: Samuel Giddings, Charles Thompson Peters, Alfred Walter Hills. Females: Alice May Powell, Alice L. Simmons, Ethel P. Joyce, Eleanor Munns, Margaret Connolly.

Camberwell House.—Females: Emilena M. J. Copeland, Florence C. Townsend.

Holloway Sanatorium.—Females: Alice Catherine Chew, Beatrice Anna Gumley, Violet A. Winn, Lena E. Frances, Ethel F. Tribe, Isabell Stockwell, Alice Powell.

Moorcroft.—Male: John George Turton.

Redlands.—Male: William James Smith.

Retreat, York.—Male: Fred Richard Richards. Females: Jane Pattison, Elsie C. Bow, Bertha Cuill.

Woodend House.—Female: Isabel Hansen.

WALES.

Abergavenny.—Males: Francis H. Carter, Thomas George, Albert William Griffiths. Females: Louisa Ann Bevan, Harriett Jackson, Amy Powell, Lizzie Roberts, Addie Wozencroft.

Glamorgan.—Males: David Bevan, Thomas Morgan Davies, John L. Jones, Richard Knowles, Thomas J. Murphy, T. William Nekrewes, Joseph Taylor, Benjamin John Toby. Females: Jane Bevan, Gertrude Annie Drower, Elizabeth John, Rachel Jones, Elizabeth Beatrice Missenden, Eva Louisa Missenden, Alice Owen, Gwenllian Elizabeth Thomas, Esther Anne Walters.

SCOTLAND.

Aberdeen Royal.—Females: Lizzie Fyfe, Robina Lyyatt.

Ayr District.—Males: James Adams Mustard, John McAleese, Peter Sutherland, Lewis Birnie. Females: Rose Jackson, Jane Anderson, Grace McQueen, Isabella M. R. Diack.

Crichton Royal.—Males: William Carruthers, Robert Garrick, William Rattray, David Lockhart Park, Allan McPhee, David Soutar. Females: Annie Ralph, Joan Mather.

Dundee Royal.—Females: Barbara Ferguson, Elizabeth Dorward, Frances McKenzie, Robina MacBrayne, Margaret MacLennan, Margaret Milne.

Edinburgh Royal.—Males: John Scott, Alexander Quirie. Females: Elizabeth Cameron, Margaret Hughes, Minnie G. Cameron, Annie Sinclair, Annie Thom, Helen J. Mercer, Lizzie Ramsay Aikman, Annie Strachan, Mary Ellen Le'Tellier, Selina Strachan, Jessie Thomson, Jessie Allan, Hilda Muriel Geikie.

Fife and Kinross.—Males: David Oliphant, William Neville, William Geddes, Frederick Carver. Female: Margaret Gilmore.
Gartloch.—Females: Marion Gillies Nicol, Annie Henry, Hannah McArthur, Maggie Duncan, Mary Ross Stevenson, Jeannie Holmes.
Gartnavel.—Male: Alexander Guild. Females: Elizabeth Cox, Daisy Findlay, Mary Williamson, Helen Diver.
Inverness District.—Male: Donald MacMillan. Females: Mary Miller MacGregor, Grace Henry Mackay, Kate Gunn, Caroline Whitmore.
Lanark District.—Males: Peter Meldrum, Dugald Campbell. Females: Maggie McLeod, Elizabeth Anderson, Matilda T. Hutchison, Helen Davidson, Elizabeth Simpson Kernahan, Lily Ashton, Wilhelmina Ferguson.
Mavisbank.—Male: Barbara Fisher Greenslade. Female: Esther Mitchell Porter Braid.
Melrose.—Female: Jeannie Gilchrist.
Midlothian and Peebles.—Male: George Smith, Females: Jessie McRae, Sarah McCann.
Montrose Royal.—Males: Joseph Robertson, William McNab.
James Murray's, Perth.—Females: Alice Leys, Bessie B. Murdock, Annie B. Thomson, Isabella McIntosh Lumsdaine, Margaret Jane Forster.
Stirling District.—Males: Alexander Moffat, John Hendry. Females: Mary Mackintosh, Jessie Cowan, Maggie Espey, Elizabeth Watt, Catherine Sillas Campbell, Susan Macpherson, Jane Campbell Gillies, Minnie Morrison, Bessie Stewart Taylor.
Woodilee.—Males: William Davidson, Albert Roberts, Andrew R. Davidson, John Clarke, Samuel Irvine, Stewart C. Smart, Samuel Dawson, Alexander McKelvie. Females: Grace Lambie, Helen Taylor Campbell, Agnes Keating, Catherine McGregor Fleming, Mary Gavin, Margaret Whyte Anderson, Frances K. Gemmel, Catherine McKenzie.

IRELAND.

Armagh.—Males: John Haffey, James McMahon, George Fleming, Patrick Tominey. Females: Barbara Rice, Mary McMahon, Emily Stewart, Lizzie Finlay, Annie Kelly, Annie Stewart.
Ballinasloe.—Males: Michael Finneran, Patrick Lally, Thomas Donlon, John Shaughnessy, John Kenny, James Fallon, Michael Murray, Patrick J. Geraghty. Females: Mary Hickey, Annie Coyle, Mary White, Bridget Keating.
Carlow.—Males: Marcus Park, Martin Brennan, Thomas Hade. Females: Maria Brennan, Kate Doyle, Kathleen Collins, Winifred Reddy, Kathleen Wynne, Margaret Murphy.
Clonmel.—Males: John Healy, Michael Corbett, Richard Quinlan. Females: Margaret Bryne, Annie Teefy.
Donegal District.—Males: Dan Lecky, Michael Brolley.
Enniscorthy.—Males: John Hughes, John Foley, Walter Carter, John Leary.
Kilkenny.—Males: Martin Bowe, James Cahill.
Londonderry.—Male: Robert Cairns. Females: Susan McGill, Maria Jane Cunningham, Ellen M. McGill, Ellen Kearney, Mary Smyth, Elizabeth Carolan, Mary E. McElhinney.
Omagh District.—Males: John J. McElrae, Robert Hopper. Females: Catherine Moss, Bridget Brogan, Mary Anne Doake, Sarah Williamson, Maggie McCrory.
Richmond.—Males: Thomas Harnill, Mark McParland, Robert Costello, Patrick Cunningham. Females: Margaret Elizabeth Geary, Elizabeth S. Thompson, Maria J. O'Leary, Sarah E. Beattie, Anna Maria McKenna, Mary Kate Yourell, Nellie Tyndall.
Richmond, Portrane.—Males: John Kelly, John Benton, Lawrence Power, Timothy McNamara, Peter Brennan, Martin Kavanagh. Females: Mary Maxwell, Katie Sweetman, Ellen Hughes, Kate O'Connor, Johanna Sheahan, Jane Moran, Rosanna McPhillips.
Waterford.—Male: Michael Daniels.

Bloomfield House.—Males: Lawrence Hudson, John O'Toole. Females: Margaret Haughton, Charlotte S. Cummins.
St. Edmundsbury.—Female: Sara Anne Grice.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Grahamstown.—Males: Walter Arthur Parsons, Henry John Gray, Ronald John Rogie.

The following is a list of the questions which appeared in the paper.

1. What signs would lead you to expect that a patient is going to have a Fit? What precautions would you take when you witness these signs?
2. What is Dropsy? Where is it most common? How would you recognise it?
3. What is Seclusion? What is the rule to be observed about it?
4. What are the principal parts of the Nervous System? Of what parts is the Brain composed? Describe briefly the functions of the Cerebrum.
5. What is the Urine? What is its daily normal quantity? What particulars should be noted by a nurse with regard to the Urine?
6. What should you do in the following emergencies:
 - (a) A patient, while walking in the grounds, swallows a quantity of yew leaves, which you know to be poisonous.
 - (b) A patient falls in the ward and sustains a simple fracture of the Femur.
 - (c) A patient thrusts his hand through a pane of glass and severs the Radial Artery.
7. Give six examples of occasions when you would consider it your duty to make an immediate report to a medical officer.
8. What are the chief differences between treating a case of Mental Disorder at the patient's home and in an institution? How would you act if sent to take charge of an insane patient in a private house?
9. How would you keep patients clean who are confined to bed? Describe carefully the process of sponging a patient.
10. What do you understand by the term "Insane Ear" (Hæmatoma Auris)? Give an account of any case of this you have seen from its commencement to its termination.

EXAMINATION FOR NURSING CERTIFICATE.

The next examination for the Nursing Certificate will be held on November 7th, 1904. Candidates are earnestly requested to send in their schedules, duly filled in, to the Registrar of the Association (Dr. Alfred Miller, Warwick County Asylum, Hatton, near Warwick) not later than Monday, October 10th, 1904, as that will be the last day upon which, under the rules, applications can be received.

NOTE.

As the names of some of the persons to whom the Nursing Certificate has been granted have been removed from the Register, employers are requested to refer to the Registrar in order to ascertain if a particular name is still on the Roll of the Association. In all inquiries the number of the certificate should be given.

EXAMINATION FOR PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE.

The next examination for the Certificate in Psychological Medicine will take place on July 7th, 1904, at Bethlem Royal Hospital, London, at 10 o'clock a.m., in Edinburgh at the Royal Asylum, and in Dublin at the Richmond District Asylum.

GASKELL PRIZE.

The examination for the Gaskell Prize will be held at the Bethlem Royal Hospital, London, on Friday, July 8th, 1904, at 10 o'clock a.m. Candidates for the examination must give fourteen days' notice of their intention to sit to the Registrar.