

Royal College of Surgeons

IN IRELAND.



SIXTY-EIGHTH

ANNUAL REPORT

AND

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

FOR THE

Year ending 5th April, 1911.

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ABSTRACT OF TOTALS OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

Dr.

Receipts.

5th April, 1911.

£ s. d. £ s. d.

To NET DIVIDENDS CONJOINT EXAMINATIONS, VIZ.:—

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS—

Professional	...	2,052	9	9
Diplomas in Public Health	...	233	12	6
Preliminary	...	155	18	6
		2,442	0	9
Less expenses deducted by Con- joint Board	... ...		304	16 9
			2,137	4 0

FELLOWSHIP FEES 582 15 0

LICENCE FOR REGISTERED PRACTITIONER 26 5 0

DENTAL FEES 273 0 0

MISCELLANEOUS—

Dividend on £8,156 5s. 11d.				
2½% Consols	...	...	192	0 0
Dividend on Midland Great Western Railway £2,347 4%				
Debenture Stock	...	...	88	8 1
Royal Academy of Medicine	...	...	15	15 0
Clinical Club	...	...	2	2 0
Hire of Instruments	...	...	5	0 0
			303	5 1
			3,322	9 1
Forward	...	...	£3,322	9 1

FROM 5TH APRIL, 1910, TO 5TH APRIL, 1911.

		Expenditure.			CR.		
5th April, 1911.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By ESTABLISHMENT—							
Rent, Taxes, and Insurance	...	109	19	0			
Servants' Wages, Pension, and Clothes	..	140	10	6			
Gas	...	2	13	9			
Fuel	...	34	0	0			
Electric Lighting, including Alterations and Maintenance of Plant	...	28	16	4			
Repairs, Alterations, and Painting	...	28	8	1			
Chandlery	...	6	8	8			
Printing	...	104	3	6			
Stationery	...	18	11	11			
Scrivenery	...	9	1	6			
Petty Expenses, Postage, &c.	...	20	0	0			
Furniture	...	13	6	0			
Surgical Instruments for Examinations	...	5	0	0			
Grant towards Charter Day Dinner	...	38	9	9			
Deputation to London—Address H. M. The King	...	31	10	0			
Sundries	...	82	3	0			
						673	2 0
SALARIES—							
Registrar	...	300	0	0			
Secretaries of Council	...	137	1	8			
Auditor	...	15	15	0			
						452	16 8
LIBRARY—							
Assistant Librarian	...	75	0	0			
Servants' Wages and Clothes	...	58	9	0			
Books, Periodicals, and Binding	...	82	16	8			
Fuel	...	6	4	5			
Electric Lighting, including Maintenance of Plant	...	25	4	5			
Insurance	...	5	7	0			
Sundries	...	0	13	9			
						253	15 3
MUSEUM—							
Curator	...	100	0	0			
Servants' Wages and Clothes	...	78	0	6			
Fuel and Gas	...	9	19	11			
Electric Lighting, including Maintenance of Plant	...	3	12	0			
Insurance	...	5	7	0			
Repairs	...	3	12	0			
Methylated Spirit	...	12	10	0			
Curator's Expenses to London	...	12	13	6			
						225	14 11
SCHOOL—							
Professor Scott, Grant	...	70	0	0			
Professor Scott, Guarantee	...	50	0	0			
Students' Union, Albert Hall, Alterations	...	100	0	10			
Rent and Law Expenses of Lease, Athletic Club	...						
Ground	...	79	14	10			
Officers' Training Corps, Grant for Prize	...	10	0	0			
Sundries	...	9	1	4			
						318	17 0
Forward	...					£1,924	5 10

FROM 5TH APRIL, 1910, TO 5TH APRIL, 1911.

		Expenditure.				CR.
By Amount brought forward		...	...	...	...	£1,924 5 10
CONJOINT EXAMINATIONS—						
Physicians' and Surgeons' Examiners' Fees :						
	Preliminary	...	...	...	59 13 6	
	Professional	...	...	...	421 11 6	
	Diploma in Public Health	...	...	...	67 4 0	
	Railway Fares	...	...	...	24 8 4	
					572 17 4	
FELLOWSHIP—Examiners' Fees						
	Subjects, &c. ...	...	...	...	40 19 0	
	Fees refunded	...	...	...	26 5 0	
					314 6 0	
DENTAL—Examiners' Fees						
		...	...	...	...	158 14 6
	Total Expenditure for year	...	...	...	...	2,970 3 8
Bank of Ireland, Overdraft at end of last financial year,						
	(5th April, 1910)	...	...	...	...	93 3 4
					3063 7 0	
Bank of Ireland, Balance to Credit at end of present						
	financial year (5th April, 1911)	..	...	...	...	259 2 1
					3,322 9 1	

Conjoint Examinations in Ireland,

BY THE

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS.

Cash Statement for year ended April 5th, 1911.

To Fees received on a/c R.C.P.I., as per statements	£1,786	6	3
„ Do. on a/c R.C.S.I., do.	2,442	0	9
	£4,228 7 0		
By "Subjects," one year	56	14	0
„ Allowance (Prof. Lapper) for Chemicals,	10	0	0
„ Do. (Prof. White) Bacteriology	22	10	0
„ Superintendent, Preliminary Exam.	6	6	0
„ Secretary's Salary	250	0	0
„ Auditor	5	5	0
„ Servants, R.C.P.I.	12	0	0
„ Petty Charges	21	5	0
„ Hire of Instruments	5	0	0
„ Printing and Stationery	115	1	8
„ Teas for Examiners	8	1	0
„ Telephone	1	4	0
„ Fannin & Co. and Harris & Co., Instruments, &c.	10	5	0
	523 11 8		
Charged against R.C.S.I.	261	15	10
Charged against R.C.P.I.	261	15	10
„ Committee Fees—Arrears for year 1909-10—			
Sir H. R. Swanzy	13	13	0
Sir C. A. Cameron	13	13	0
Sir Arthur Chance	14	14	0
Sir J. Lentaigne	1	1	0
	43 1 0		
Remitted, R.C.S.I.	2,137	4	0
Remitted, R.C.P.I.	1,524	10	4
	3,661 14 4		
	£4,228 7 0		

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

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RECEIPTS.

	April 5th, 1898.	April 5th, 1899.	April 5th, 1900.	April 5th, 1901.	April 5th, 1902.	April 5th, 1903.	April 5th, 1904.	April 5th, 1905.	April 5th, 1906.	April 5th, 1907.	April 5th, 1908.	April 5th, 1909.	April 5th, 1910.	April 5th, 1911.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Conjoint Fees ...	2,004 18 3	1,846 6 3	1,845 15 0	2,199 1 11	2,280 9 1	2,222 19 5	2,766 18 3	2,365 17 2	2,345 0 6	2,556 7 4	2,548 6 10	2,260 13 11	2,671 13 8	2,137 4 0
Matriculation Fees ...	42 0 0	47 5 0	110 5 0	78 15 0	52 10 0	36 15 0	36 15 0	42 0 0	31 10 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	—	—	—
Fellowship Fees ...	819 0 0	724 11 0	519 15 0	4,016 5 0	1,421 15 0	861 0 0	614 5 0	971 5 0	1,044 15 0	1,150 9 0	976 10 0	1,092 1 0	1,380 15 0	582 15 0
Dental Fees ...	315 0 0	257 5 0	215 5 0	220 10 0	215 5 0	353 17 0	278 5 0	257 5 0	285 12 0	388 10 0	243 12 0	418 19 0	315 0 0	273 0 0
Licence Fees ...	26 5 0	—	26 5 0	105 0 0	—	—	—	—	26 5 0	63 0 0	26 5 0	78 15 0	57 15 0	26 5 0
Bookey Mortgage ...	287 11 8	287 11 8	287 11 8	287 11 8	280 10 6	278 19 1	283 17 4	282 12 6	282 12 6	282 12 6	306 12 6	—	—	—
Consols & Railways ...	—	—	—	44 11 11	95 9 3	115 8 10	114 9 3	114 9 0	89 3 9	89 3 8	89 2 10	282 17 9	280 12 0	280 8 1
Sundries ...	20 13 7	35 15 0	49 18 0	50 1 6	27 17 0	48 12 0	45 9 0	46 13 0	37 7 0	58 17 0	51 17 10	40 17 0	97 11 7	22 17 0
Consols or deposit sold	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	965 11 8	—	—	—	—	265 1 0	—
Total, £	3,515 8 6	3,198 13 11	3,054 14 8	7,001 17 0	4,373 15 10	3,917 11 4	4,139 18 10	5,045 13 4	4,142 5 9	4,594 4 6	4,247 12 0	4,174 3 8	5,068 8 3	3,322 9 1

EXPENSES.

	April 5th, 1898.	April 5th, 1899.	April 5th, 1900.	April 5th, 1901.	April 5th, 1902.	April 5th, 1903.	April 5th, 1904.	April 5th, 1905.	April 5th, 1906.	April 5th, 1907.	April 5th, 1908.	April 5th, 1909.	April 5th, 1910.	April 5th, 1911.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Establishment ...	983 2 3	950 17 4	908 7 7	1,159 11 0	1,119 3 1	1,128 15 0	1,369 1 3	1,151 2 0	1,352 17 8	1,296 14 1	1,755 13 0	1,499 6 6	1,107 9 3	1,125 18 8
Library ...	295 3 4	284 17 8	288 12 4	293 17 2	384 6 11	323 13 0	366 4 10	324 1 0	353 8 4	295 10 6	330 7 5	298 0 8	289 7 7	253 15 3
Museum ...	207 11 5	186 18 7	206 2 0	288 17 6	393 6 4	344 9 11	342 8 8	328 8 6	298 1 1	314 15 4	328 4 4	318 16 7	275 0 0	225 14 11
School ...	384 4 4	347 5 3	328 5 10	288 1 3	331 9 7	342 19 1	428 2 8	437 6 4	409 0 5	437 13 0	1,061 4 8	1,028 19 6	2,019 1 5	318 17 0
Conjoint Examiners ...	323 7 8	355 7 3	286 10 3	331 19 7	343 6 8	350 8 10	295 8 0	351 4 9	321 14 9	516 3 6	603 18 6	590 8 7	568 18 10	572 17 4
Fellowship Examiners	193 16 3	195 7 9	124 12 0	250 8 6	282 16 0	268 17 10	158 11 0	302 1 1	305 10 6	344 1 0	326 2 7	308 0 7	450 8 3	288 1 0
Licence Examiners ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 1 0	5 12 0	—	12 12 0	15 15 0	—
Dental Examiners ...	87 18 9	65 16 0	67 4 0	68 1 6	78 16 9	86 16 0	91 10 6	74 18 0	106 18 6	130 18 0	123 7 6	137 14 6	156 19 6	158 14 6
Carmichael ...	200 0 0	200 0 0	200 0 0	200 0 0	200 0 0	200 0 7	100 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fees Refunded ...	173 5 0	68 5 0	79 16 0	105 0 0	10 10 0	194 5 4	38 17 0	189 0 0	141 15 0	215 5 0	220 10 0	110 5 0	157 10 0	26 5 0
Building ...	260 5 0	—	—	473 14 8	—	1,215 14 7	—	2,819 17 11	—	1,028 3 11	—	—	—	—
Total, £	3,108 14 0	2,654 14 10	2,489 10 0	3,459 11 2	3,143 15 4	4,455 19 4	3,190 3 11	5,977 19 7	3,290 7 3	4,584 16 4	4,749 8 0	4,304 3 11	5,040 9 10	2,970 3 8

SUMMARY.

	April 5th, 1898.	April 5th, 1899.	April 5th, 1900.	April 5th, 1901.	April 5th, 1902.	April 5th, 1903.	April 5th, 1904.	April 5th, 1905.	April 5th, 1906.	April 5th, 1907.	April 5th, 1908.	April 5th, 1909.	April 5th, 1910.	April 5th, 1911.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Receipts ...	3,515 8 6	3,198 13 11	3,054 14 8	7,001 7 0	4,373 15 10	3,917 11 4	4,139 18 10	4,080 1 8	4,142 5 9	4,594 4 6	4,247 12 0	4,174 3 8	5,068 8 3	3,322 9 1
Expenditure ...	3,108 14 0	2,654 14 10	2,489 10 0	3,459 11 2	3,143 15 4	4,455 19 4	3,190 3 11	3,158 1 8	3,290 7 3	4,584 16 4	4,749 8 0	4,304 3 11	5,040 9 10	2,970 3 8
Profit ...	406 14 6	543 19 1	565 4 8	3,542 5 10	1,230 0 6	—	949 14 11	922 0 0	851 18 6	9 8 2	—	—	—	352 5 5
Loss ...	—	—	—	—	—	538 8 0	—	—	—	—	501 16 0	130 0 3	237 2 7	—
Investments ...	—	—	—	2,999 3 1	1,000 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bank Overdraft ...	1,711 19 10	1,168 0 9	602 16 1	59 13 4	—	368 0 10	—	350 12 2	—	—	—	121 1 9	93 3 4	—
Bank Credit ...	—	—	—	—	170 7 2	—	581 14 1	—	—	501 6 4	510 14 6	8 18 6	—	259 2 1
Consols or deposit sold	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	965 11 8	—	—	—	—	265 1 0	—

The above is a correct Abstract from the College books.

G. F. BLAKE,

Registrar.

April 5th, 1911.

INVESTMENT

Dr.

1911
 April 5 - To Balance as per last Account 1011
 April 5 - To Dividend on 21,015 Great Northern 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 April 5 - To Dividend on 21,015 Great Northern and Western 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 1910 1011

CARNICHAH PRIZE

1911
 April 5 - To Balance as per last Account 1011
 April 12 - Dividend on 21,015 Great Northern 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 Do on 21,015 Great Northern and Western 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 1910 1011
 April 12 - Dividend on 21,015 Great Northern 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 Do on 21,015 Great Northern and Western 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 1909 1011

HARRIS ANATOMICAL

1910
 April 5 - To Balance as per last Account 1011
 April 12 - Dividend on 21,015 Great Northern 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 Do on 21,015 Great Northern and Western 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 1909 1011
 April 12 - Dividend on 21,015 Great Northern 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 Do on 21,015 Great Northern and Western 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 1908 1011
 April 12 - Dividend on 21,015 Great Northern 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 Do on 21,015 Great Northern and Western 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 1907 1011

BOHOLF PRIZE

1910
 April 5 - To Balance as per last Account 1011
 April 5 - To Dividend on 21,015 Great Northern 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 Do on 21,015 Great Northern and Western 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 1909 1011
 April 5 - To Dividend on 21,015 Great Northern 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 Do on 21,015 Great Northern and Western 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 1908 1011
 April 5 - To Dividend on 21,015 Great Northern 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 Do on 21,015 Great Northern and Western 1st Debenture Stock 1011
 1907 1011

DR.

INVESTMENT

1911.					
April 5—	To	Midland Great Western Railway 4 % Debenture Stock	£2,347	0	0
	„	2½ % Consolidated Stock	7,122	15	10
					<u>£9,469 15 10</u>

CARMICHAEL PRIZE

1910.					
April 5—	To	Balance as per last Account	£318	13	4
July 15	„	Dividend on £1,016 Great Northern 4 % Debenture Stock	19	2	8
	„	Do. on £1,075 Great Southern and Western 4 % Debenture Stock	20	4	11
1911.					
Jan. 16	„	Dividend on £1,016 Great Northern 4 % Debenture Stock	19	2	8
	„	Do. on £1,075 Great Southern and Western 4 % Debenture Stock	20	4	11
					<u>£397 8 6</u>

BARKER ANATOMICAL

1910.					
April 5—	To	Balance as per last Account	£182	2	10
July 15	„	Dividend on £787 Great Northern Railway 4 % Debenture Stock	14	16	6
Do. 15	Do.	£680 Great Southern and Western Railway 4 % Debenture Stock	12	16	2
Sept. 1	„	Do. £150 Great Northern Railway 4 % Preference Stock	2	16	6
1911.					
Jan. 16	„	Do. £787 Great Northern Railway 4 % Debenture Stock	14	16	6
Do.	Do.	£680 Great Southern and Western Railway 4 % Debenture Stock	12	16	2
March 1	„	Do. £150 Great Northern Railway 4 % Preference Stock	2	16	6
					<u>£243 1 2</u>

SCHOOL PRIZE

1910.					
April 5—	To	Balance as per last Account	£107	18	1
1911.					
April 5	„	Dividend on Carmichael Bequest, £782 12s. 2d. Bank of Ireland Stock	88	8	8
	Do.	Mayne Memorial, £359 13s. 8d. Consols	8	9	6
	Do.	Stoney Memorial, £66 16s. 5d. Consols	1	13	4
					<u>£206 9 7</u>

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

We have examined and vouched the foregoing Accounts, and certify them to be correct.

The Income for the year amounted to	...	£3,322	9	1
And the Expenditure to	2,970	3	8

Showing an excess of Income over Expenditure of	£352	5	5
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From which has to be deducted the Bank Overdraft at commencement of the year, amounting to	...	93	3	4
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Leaving a balance of Income (corresponding with the amount to credit in Bank at end of present financial year) of	...	£259	2	1
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KEAN & COMPANY,
*Chartered Accountants,
Auditors.*

DUBLIN, 4th May, 1911.

Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland.

SIXTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COUNCIL.

THE Council beg leave to submit a Report of their proceedings from the date of the last Report, May, 1910, and also the Statement of Accounts for the financial year ending April 5th, 1911. The Reports of the Librarian and Curator, for the same period, are also presented.

Attendances at Council.

The Council, from their election on the 6th of June, 1910, until the 18th of May, 1911, held 25 meetings, at which the attendance of each member was as follows :—

<i>The President —</i>				<i>Attendances.</i>
Robert H. Woods	...	...	...	24

<i>The Vice-President—</i>				
Richard D. Purefoy	...	...	...	15

<i>Attendances.</i>		<i>Attendances.</i>	
Sir Henry R. Swanzy	... 17	Richard B. M'Causland	... 18
William Stoker	... 18	F. Conway Dwyer	... 18
Sir Charles A. Cameron, C.B.	... 15	R. Lane Joynt	... 18
John B. Story	... 21	William Taylor	... 24
Sir Charles B. Ball	... 11	Edward H. Taylor	... 18
Sir Thomas Myles	... 22	R. Charles B. Maunsell	... 21
Sir John Lentaigne	... 18	William Ireland Wheeler	... 18
Sir Arthur Chance	... 21	D. Edgar Flinn	... 13
Sir Lambert H. Ormsby	... 15	Thomas E. Gordon	... 9
Henry G. Sherlock	... 17		

Eleven Candidates were admitted to the Fellowship.
 Sixty-one Candidates received the Conjoint Diplomas in Medicine, Surgery, and Midwifery, of the Royal Colleges of Physicians and Surgeons.
 Thirty-three Candidates received the Conjoint Diploma in Public Health of the Royal Colleges of Physicians and Surgeons.
 Ten Candidates received the Licence of Dental Surgery.
 Ninety-eight Candidates having passed the Conjoint Preliminary Examination in Arts with the Royal College of Physicians, received Certificates.

Admissions to the College.

The following were admitted during the year :—

FELLOWS.

Cassidy, Louis Laurence.
Clarke, Miss Ina Marion.
English, Howard.
M'Alister, Victor Joseph.
Martin, Albert E. S.
Meade, Henry S.

Montgomery, Edwin.
Nath, Kuppusami Tirumeni.
Pearson, William.
Shepherd, George Ferguson.
Slattery, Richard Vincent.

LICENTIATES.

Allison, Frederick George.
Barry, John Joseph.
Bedell, Arthur Edwin.
Beggs, George Eric.
Black, Percy Webber.
Clanchy, Arthur Daniel.
Coffey, William Stanislaus.
Coghlan, Miss Margaret Mary Sabina.
Connell, Oliver George.
Corbett, Corneilus Patrick.
Daroux, William Samuel.
Drennan, Charles Edward.
Drummond, Maurice.
Egan, John Patrick.
Evans, Joseph Austin.
Farrell, Charles Augustus.
Foley, Andrew.
Foran, John Joseph.
Ford, Richard Alexander Wilson.
Fraser, George Joseph Mary.
Gage, John Munro.
Gormley, John.
Graham, Francis John.
Grace, Pierce.
Herbert, Noel Morley.
Hodges, Richard Harold.
Hurley, Denis Joseph.
Johnston, William Vincent.
Johnston, James Percy.
Kirwan, Frederick Michael.
Lanphier, Arthur MacArthur.

MacIlwaine, Alexander Gillilan John-
ston.
M'Adoo, Henry Meredith Edward
Hayden.
M'Cartan, Patrick.
M'Mullin, Joseph Columba.
Mitchell, John.
Montgomery, Hugh Herbert.
Moran, Louis Augustus.
Murray, William Hoare.
O'Brien, Michael.
O'Farrell, Patrick Theodore Joseph.
O'Hea, Michael Fergus.
O'Neill, John Henry.
Oliver, Charles Henry.
Patton, James.
Pegum, John Stephen.
Phelan, Francis.
Rahilly, Walter.
Seaver, Charles Douglas Kingsley.
Sheedy, Thomas.
Sheehan, Daniel.
Shorten, James Percy.
Sparrow, Henry Hope Knox.
Thomson, Robert Peel.
Thomson, Thomas Mather.
Tighe, Harman Richard.
Wallace, Edward Chapman.
Warren, Frederick William.
Wheeler, Henry Quinton Osborne.
White, Robert.
Williams, Miss Nora Teresa.

LICENTIATES IN PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE MEDICINE.

Alexander, David.	McGahey, Kennedy.
Aubrey, Gilbert Kennedy.	Moore, John Irwin.
Balck, Charles Augustus John Albert.	Molony, Chartres Aylmer.
Beatty, Guy.	Pinto, Joseph Louis.
Beringer, Fritz John Alfred.	Prytherch, John Rowlands.
Blandford, Laurence James.	Rees, William Rees.
Bremridge, Richard Harding.	Rozdon, Shivnarain.
Carthew, Morden.	Sabastian, Thiruchelvan.
Cassidy, John Paul.	Shaw, Jane Reid.
Cathcart, John.	Shepherd, George Ferguson.
Fehily, Thomas.	Smith, Robert James.
Gogte, Hari Ramkrishna.	Surti, Sorabjee Benanjee.
Gokhale, Vanman Gopal.	Swan, James Herbert.
Hamilton, Alfred James.	Watson, Thomas Edgar.
Herron, Robert Thomas.	Wilson, William Robert.
Luhn, Otto Gustav Ferdinand.	Wishart, James.
Mann, Frederick Charles.	

DENTAL.

Anderson, Charles W. N.	Sherin, Justin Marius.
Doolin, Daniel John.	Smyth, Leo Joseph.
Gordon, Arthur Charles.	Watson, Walter Frederick.
Miller, Samuel.	Wigoder, Philip Isidore.
Mosbery, Richard Thomas.	Wiseman, David William.

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION IN ARTS.

Adams, A. P.	Dillon, E. E. M.
Adams, G. G. C.	Dillon, W. J.
Andrew, W. B. S.	Dimond, W. E. R.
Barrett, W. W.	Dodd, Miss E. M. L.
Barron, S.	Dodd, A. De Courcy.
Beggs, H. T.	Dooley, M. M.
Berwitz, S. H.	Edwards, T.
Boland, D.	Elmes, K.
Bradlaw, H. J.	Fergusson, J. C.
Briscoe, A. J.	Fisher, C. P.
Broderick, T. F.	Fitzsimons, J.
Buchanan, W. A. I.	Graham, H.
Chambers, J.	Grahan, J. W. E.
Chapman, H. D.	Green, H. J. F.
Clarke, A. W.	Green, Z.
Colemen, F.	Hans, R.
Coffey, J. F.	Hall, T. C.
Corbett, M. J.	Hamilton, S. A.
Cornick, M.	Harbord, A. F. E.
Cotton, S. J.	Hayes, J. J.
Crofts, G. H. M.	Hayes, F.
Crowe, D. L.	Hillis, C. S.
Crowly, F. J.	Howard, J. J.
Culhane, I. B.	Jewell, H.
Curren, T.	Johnson, A.
Daly, F.	Joyce, C. R. T.
Dargan, J.	Kelly, D.
Daunt, J. W.	Kirwan, J. J.

PRELIMINARY—*continued.*

Lane, T. J.
 Leigh, J.
 Levison, H.
 Leyland, M. A.
 Little, R. J.
 Lynch, T. J.
 MacDonnell, P. J. C.
 M'Cay, C. A. R.
 M'Comb, C. H.
 M'Ging, M. J.
 M'Guire, J.
 M'Kenna, J. H.
 Millar, R. S.
 Mitchell, M. C.
 Mollan, F. R. J.
 Murray, C.
 Murphy, M. A.
 Murphy, Miss K. F. O'K.
 O'Boyle, H.
 Purdy, H. K.
 Price, M. M.

Bowlette, L. M.
 Ryan, R. A.
 Ryan, T. J.
 Ryan, M. J.
 Ryan, F.
 Robinson, W. J.
 Seale, J. F.
 Sharpe, J.
 Sherrard, J. R.
 Sheridan, J. P.
 Shevlin, J. J.
 Slattery, E. A.
 Small, Miss E. J. E.
 Smyth, J. C.
 Stephens, N. E.
 Tunney, T. F.
 Weinronk, M. I.
 White, D. P.
 Woodhouse, T. C.
 Woodroffe, G. C. L.
 Young, H. J.

There are at present living 12 Honorary Fellows, 493 Fellows, 2,946 Licentiates, 6 Honorary Diplomates in Public Health, 367 Diplomates in Public Health, and 559 Licentiates in Dental Surgery.

Obituary.

The Council regret to have to report the deaths of the following :—

FELLOWS.

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| Berry, W. (1887) | Campbell, J. (1905) |
| Byrne, J. (1886) | Fagan, P. J. (1896) |

LICENTIATES.

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| Anderson, J. A. (1866) | Goodman, G. (1886) |
| Atthill, L. (1847) | Hartigan, J. T. (1860) |
| Bagnell, W. H. (1877) | Howard, F. (1861) |
| Beamish, G. (1873). | Jackson, G. (1854) |
| Beatty, J. N. (1852) | Luther, E. W. (1872) |
| Boulton, E. J. (1859) | M'Munn, C. A. (1872) |
| Boyd, Mrs. F. N. (1888) | Marques, L. P. (1877) |
| Cahill, C. J. S. (1894) | Monahan, P. F. (1892) |
| Carroll, G. (1899) | Neale, J. M. (1857) |
| Casey, C. (1886). | Nelson, J. (1863) |
| Corcoran, T. (1880) | O'Brien, J. J. (1868) |
| Delany, J. B. (1884) | O'Donovan, R. A. (1900) |
| Elliott, R. (1885) | Popham, T. (1870) |
| Evans, H. B. (1904) | Smith, S. P. (1870) |
| Evatt, W. H. P. (1879) | Smyth, P. (1879) |
| Fitzgerald, M. (1886) | Teevan, T. (1854) |
| Fitzmaurice, T. (1870) | Thompson, S. M. (1880) |
| Foley, J. J. (1898) | Whitaker, W. (1863) |

LICENTIATES IN DENTAL SURGERY.

- Moore, A. E. (1908)

Professors.

<i>Anatomy</i> ... ..	...	A. Campbell Geddes.
<i>Physiology and Histology</i>	...	Scott, J. Alfred.
<i>Surgery</i> ... ..	...	Stoker, Wm.; Dwyer, F. Conway.
<i>Chemistry</i> ... ..	...	Cameron, Sir C. A.; Lapper, Edwin.
<i>Practice of Medicine</i> ...	...	Moore, Sir John W.
<i>Materia Medica, Therapeutics, and</i>		
<i>Pharmacy</i> ... ..	...	M'Hugh, Michael.
<i>Midwifery and Gynæcology</i>	...	Kidd, Frederic W.
<i>Forensic Medicine</i> ... ..	...	Auchinleck, Hugh A.
<i>Hygiene</i> ... ..	...	Cameron, Sir Charles A.
<i>Botany, Zoology, and Biology</i>	...	Cosgrave, E. MacDowel.
<i>Ophthalmic and Aural Surgery</i>	...	Fitzgerald, C. E.; Story, John B.
<i>Dentistry</i> ... ..	...	Henry G. Sherlock.
<i>Pathology</i> ... ..	...	White, Arthur Hamilton.
<i>Physics</i> ... ..	...	Lapper, Edwin.

Examiners.

On the 2nd of May, 1911, the following Examiners were elected for the ensuing year:—

COURT "A."

For Conjoint License, Diploma in Public Health, and Preliminary.

Anatomy.—A. Campbell Geddes, M.D., CH.B., Univ. Edin.; D. P. Fitzgerald, M.B., B.CH., Roy. Univ.

Surgery.—Robert J. Harvey, F.R.C.S.; Seton Pringle, F.R.C.S.; C. Arthur K. Ball, F.R.C.S.; James B. Moore, F.R.C.S.

Physiology and Histology.—J. Alfred Scott, F.R.C.S.

Pathology and Bacteriology.—Arthur Hamilton White, L.R.C.S.

Midwifery and Gynæcology.—Frederic W. Kidd, L.R.C.S.

Biology.—John J. Burgess, F.R.C.S.

Ophthalmology.—Arthur H. Benson, F.R.C.S.; Herbert H. B. Cunningham, F.R.C.S.

Chemistry.—Robert J. Montgomery, F.R.C.S.

Sanitary Law and Vital Statistics.—Edward F. Stephenson, F.R.C.S., D.P.H.

Engineering and Architecture.—James H. Fergusson, F.R.C.S., D.P.H.

Languages.—William Kennedy, M.A., Dub. Univ., F.T.C.D.

Mathematics, Physics, Dictation, and English Essay.—J. R. Cotter, M.A., Dub. Univ.

COURT "B."

For Fellowship, License in Midwifery (for Registered Practitioners), and License in Dental Surgery.

Anatomy.—G. Jameson Johnston, F.R.C.S.; A. Campbell Geddes, M.D., Ch.B., Univ. Edin.

Surgery.—Leveson G. Gunn, F.R.C.S.; Seton Pringle, F.R.C.S.; C. Arthur K. Ball, F.R.C.S.; James B. Moore, F.R.C.S.

Physiology and Histology.—J. Alfred Scott, F.R.C.S.; E. L'Estrange Ledwich, L.R.C.S.

Pathology and Bacteriology.—Robert J. Rowlette, M.D., Dub. Univ.; Arthur Hamilton White, L.R.C.S.

Midwifery and Gynaecology.—Frederic W. Kidd, L.R.C.S.

Chemistry and Physics.—Edwin Lapper, F.R.C.P.; Robert J. Montgomery, F.R.C.S.

Dental Surgery and Pathology.—George M. P. Murray, F.R.C.S.; William G. Story, M.B., Dub. Univ., L.D.S.

Mechanical Dentistry.—Edward Sheridan, F.R.C.S., L.D.S.; Daniel L. Rogers, L.D.S.

The College.

Telegrams of Condolence to His Majesty the King.

The following telegram was forwarded on the death of King Edward :—

The President, Vice-President, and Council of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland beg to offer to His Gracious Majesty King George V. their most respectful sympathy in his bereavement, and assure His Majesty of their feelings of loyalty and devotion to His Majesty's Throne and person.

The following reply was received :—

The King sincerely thanks the President, Vice-President, and Council of the Royal College of Surgeons for their loyal and sympathetic message of condolence.

The following telegram was sent to the Queen-Mother :—

The President, Vice-President, and Council of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland beg to express their profound and heartfelt sympathy with Queen Alexandra in the sad bereavement which she has sustained by the lamented death of His Gracious Majesty King Edward VII., whose memory they will ever cherish.

The following reply was received :—

Queen Alexandra sends her sincere thanks for your kind expressions of sympathy in her bereavement.

Address to His Majesty on his Accession to the Throne.

On June 2nd the Council adopted the following Address :—

TO HIS MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY GEORGE V., BY THE GRACE OF GOD OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND, AND OF THE BRITISH DOMINIONS BEYOND THE SEAS, KING, DEFENDER OF THE FAITH, AND EMPEROR OF INDIA.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR GRACIOUS MAJESTY,

We, the President, Vice-President, and Council of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, beg leave to tender to your Majesty our most loyal and dutiful congratulations on your accession to the Throne.

Our College has, since its foundation by your illustrious predecessor, King George III, in 1784, endeavoured to carry out the duty imposed upon it by Charter of providing properly educated Surgeons, as well for the service of the public in general as for that of your Majesty's Army and Navy. And we feel confident that during the long and prosperous reign which we trust is before your Majesty, our efforts may meet with at least equal success.

That our College has adequately fulfilled its obligations in supplying efficient officers to the Royal Services is attested by the great number of Fellows and Licentiates of the College who have been selected for signal distinction by your Royal predecessors, as well as by the long roll of her *alumni* who have unhesi-

tatingly laid down their lives in the faithful discharge of their duty to their Sovereign and country.

We beg to assure your Majesty of our loyalty and deep attachment to your throne and person, and pray that the blessings of the Most High may be abundantly showered both on yourself and your Majesty's gracious Consort.

R. H. WOODS, *President*.

R. D. PUREFOY, *Vice-President*.

CHARLES A. CAMERON, KNT., C.B., *Secretary*.

The Address, which His Majesty was graciously pleased to accept, was presented on 8th July, on behalf of the College, by the President, Vice-President, and Sir John Lentaigne.

College Meeting.

At a Special Meeting of the College, held on December 10th, 1900, the following resolution was passed:—

That this Meeting of the Fellows of the College do recommend to the consideration of the Council that immediate amendment of Bye-Law No. 9, so as to read as follows, is essential:—

The Examiners shall be selected from amongst the Fellows or Professors of the College, except in subjects of general secular education.

That the Council be requested to submit the said Amended Bye-Law, when enacted, to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant for ratification.

At the Council Meeting held on December 15th, 1910, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—

That the Council, having considered the recommendation of the Special Meeting of the College, are of opinion that the adoption of the recommendation would be against the interests of the College.

Parliamentary Grant.

The President and Council regret that, in spite of strenuous efforts on their part, they have been unsuccessful so far in obtaining a Parliamentary Grant for the Medical School of this College.

Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction.

The President and Council have much pleasure in stating that a grant has been obtained for the College School from the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction. The Grant is subject to the Regulations of the Department, and will be given for the work done in the School during the past "Medical Year." It is hoped that the Grant that the College School can claim in August this year will amount to upwards of £500.

At the Council meeting held on 20th October the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—

That the heartiest thanks of this Council be accorded to Sir Henry Swanzy for his successful efforts in securing a grant for the College School from the Agricultural Department.

Representative of the College on the General Medical Council.

On February 2nd Sir Thomas Myles was re-elected to represent the College on the General Medical Council. Sir Thomas Myles subsequently tendered his resignation, which was accepted with regret, and a vote was adopted thanking him for his past work on behalf of the College. On March 2nd Sir Arthur Chance was elected to represent the College, *vice* Sir Thomas Myles, resigned.

The General Medical Council and the Preliminary Examinations.

On the 26th November, the General Medical Council adopted a Report of its Education Committee containing a recommendation that after the year 1913 the Preliminary Examinations of the Conjoint Board of the Royal Colleges of Physicians and Surgeons in Ireland should cease to be recognized.

At the request of the Council, a Conference Committee was formed with the College of Physicians. The Committee drew up the following letter, to which the Colleges agreed :—

To H. E. ALLEN, Esq.,
Registrar, General Medical Council,
299 Oxford-street, London,
6/2/1911.

DEAR SIR,

The Royal College of Physicians of Ireland and the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland have learned that on the 26th November, 1910, the General Medical Council adopted a report of its Education Committee, containing a recommendation that after the year 1913 their Preliminary Examination should be removed from the list of those recognized by the Council.

The Colleges protest against this resolution, on the grounds :—

- (1.) That it has been arrived at without notice to the Colleges, and without any recent inspection or investigation of the methods or standard of the Examination.
- (2.) That the Examination is a good and sufficient test of general education.
- (3.) That the resolution is contrary to the interests of medical education in Ireland; and
- (4.) That it is unjust and injurious to the Colleges.

On the 26th November, 1904, the General Medical Council adopted the Report of their Education Committee, which contained the following recommendation :—

“The Committee has had before it the revised Regulations for the Preliminary Examination held by the Royal Colleges of Physicians and Surgeons in Ireland. These Regulations the Committee has approved, and it has now placed this Examination on the same footing as those held by the College of Preceptors—that is, these Examinations are permanently recognized, subject to the reports of any inspections which the Committee may from time to time consider it necessary to make.”

Since that date, more than six years ago, no inspection has been made, and no adverse or other comment has been passed on the Examination by the General Medical Council.

Since 1896 the Examination has been conducted by non-medical Examiners distinguished in the educational world, and who have had much experience. The majority of the Examiners have been Fellows of Trinity College, Dublin—men considered competent to examine for the highest honours in their own University.

During the Medical year 1909-10, of the four Examiners (excluding the Examiner in Irish) three were Fellows of Trinity College, Dublin, and the fourth (Rev. Canon Tristram) Diocesan Examiner in Education. Subject to the printed Regulations (approved by the General Medical Council in 1904), the discretion of the Examiners was in no way trammelled or interfered with by the Colleges.

That the Examination is a sufficient test is shown by the facts that while the subjects of Examination and the books appointed for the Matriculation of the National (the late Royal) University are the same as for the Conjoint Preliminary, during the last year for which the results are published—viz. 1908—at the latter Examination (the Conjoint) 53.3 per cent. of the Candidates were rejected, while at the former only 38.6 per cent. were rejected; and that while the “lowest percentage of marks obtained by any Candidate who passed” was in the case of the Conjoint Preliminary 40 per cent., the Royal University found it “impracticable to supply the information.”

The Colleges do not suggest any irregularity or insufficiency of the Royal University Matriculation. They use it merely as a standard with which to compare their own Preliminary Examination.

The General Medical Council, as an addendum to their resolution withdrawing recognition of the Conjoint Preliminary Examination after 1913, authorized their Education Committee to communicate with the Intermediate Education Board for Ireland as to the possibility of establishing satisfactory examinations to take the place of the Conjoint Preliminary Examinations. The Colleges some years ago asked the Board if they could establish such examinations, and within the past few days have again approached them on the subject. On both occasions the Board stated that they could not establish such Examinations. The Intermediate Education Board for Ireland are strictly bound by the provisions of their Acts of Parliament. By these Acts they are precluded from admitting to any of their Examinations any student who is over the age of nineteen years, or any student who has not pursued a course of study in Ireland for a period of twelve months preceding the Examinations. The time of the year at which the Examinations are to be held is limited to the period “between the first day of June and the first day of August.”

The Board have no power to hold Examinations in connexion with the work of other educational or licensing bodies, such as the Royal Colleges, or to hold Examinations for any special class of students, such as men seeking admission to a Medical School.

From the above considerations it will be clear that it is futile to look to the Board of Intermediate Education for assistance in holding Examinations suitable for Medical Students.

Assuming that the Resolution of the Council withdrawing recognition of the Conjoint Preliminary Examination is not rescinded, there will remain in Ireland only four Preliminary Examinations recognized by the General Medical Council.

I. The Entrance and Special Arts Examinations for Medical Students of Dublin University:—For this Examination, fees amounting to £15 5s. must be paid; and, for this and other reasons, the Examination is virtually confined to Candidates for Degrees in Dublin University.

II. The Matriculation Examination of the Queen’s University:—This Examination is held in Belfast, and, for various reasons, is not likely to be made use of by other than Candidates for the Degrees of the Queen’s

University, and by a comparatively small body of Northern Candidates for other qualifications.

III. The Senior Grade Examination of the Intermediate Education Board:—This Examination is held only once a year, and its conditions, as shown above, confine the Candidates to Boys under nineteen years of age who have studied in Ireland for a period of at least one year previous to the Examination. Intending Candidates must give at least six months' notice of their intention to enter for the Examination. That it is not generally found a suitable Examination for Medical Students is shown by the fact that in the year 1909, out of 309 Candidates who entered all the Medical Schools in Ireland, only ten registered as Medical Students in virtue of having passed the Senior Grade Intermediate.

IV. The remaining Preliminary Examination is that of the National University of Ireland.

This University has recently been founded. The only Arts test obligatory on Candidates for its Degrees in Medicine is its Matriculation Examination. If the Preliminary Examination of the Conjoint Colleges be no longer recognized by the General Medical Council, the result will be that virtually all Students who desire to study for the Conjoint Diplomas must first enter the National University by passing its Matriculation Examination. The Colleges have no doubt that the action of the General Medical Council will, if persisted in, cause the School of the Royal College of Surgeons to be starved out of existence; and, as the Conjoint Board of Ireland derives most of its Candidates from the School of the College of Surgeons, a like fate will necessarily overtake it.

The Colleges consider that it is not in the interests of medical education in Ireland that two ancient corporations, which have maintained their high traditions in the face of many difficulties, should be threatened with extinction; and the Colleges feel confident that had the General Medical Council realized the consequences of their action, they would have communicated with the Colleges, and would have properly investigated the question before deciding upon it.

The Resolution has already exercised a very injurious effect on the Colleges, as it has been generally accepted as implying that their Preliminary Examination was an inferior one, or was improperly conducted.

In the event of the General Medical Council deciding to rescind their Resolution, the Colleges are of opinion that, in justice to them, a clear statement should be made and published to the effect that the original Resolution was passed without any inspection or other evidence that the Examination was of low standard or improperly conducted.

We are,

Yours faithfully,

(Signed on behalf of the Royal Colleges)

J. HAWTREY BENSON,

{ *President of the Royal College of
Physicians of Ireland.*

ROBERT H. WOODS,

{ *President of the Royal College of
Surgeons in Ireland.*

T. P. C. KIRKPATRICK,

{ *Fellow and Registrar of the Royal
College of Physicians of Ireland.*

CHARLES M. BENSON,

{ *Fellow and Secretary of the Council
of the Royal College of Surgeons
in Ireland.*

The Registrar,
General Medical Council,
299 Oxford Street, London.

Election of a Secretary of the Council.

On the death of Dr. John Barton, who had held the office of Secretary of the Council for the past twelve years, the following resolution was passed :—

The President, Vice-President, and Council offer to the sisters of the late Dr. John Barton sincere sympathy with them in their grief at the lamented death of their brother.

The President, Vice-President, and Council held Dr. Barton in the highest esteem and regard during the many years in which he filled the office of Secretary of Council, to the duties of which office, and to the interests of the College, he devoted himself in a whole-hearted manner. They very deeply regret his loss.

On the 16th June, 1910, an election was held, when five Fellows of the College offered themselves as candidates. Eventually Mr. Charles M. Benson was elected as Secretary of the Council.

Election of Honorary Librarian.

Mr. R. Bolton M'Causland was re-elected Honorary Librarian.

Election of a Professor of Dentistry.

At the Council meeting on 19th May, 1910, Mr. H. Gregg Sherlock, F.R.C.S.I., was elected Professor of Dentistry.

Resignation of Diploma.

In July, Colonel A. E. Croly, R.A.M.C., resigned his Fellowship. The resignation was accepted.

Dental License Cancelled.

At the Council meeting on February 16th, the letters-testimonial of Mr. J. B. Hughes were declared void, and his name was removed from the list of Licentiates in Dental Surgery, and the General Medical Council notified.

Restoration of a Licentiate.

At the Council meeting on 2nd March, 1911, the Diploma of Mr. F. St. B. Taylor as Licentiate in Dental Surgery, which had been suspended in 1896, was restored to him, and the fact was notified to the General Medical Council.

Votes of Congratulation.

To Sir John Lentaigne, ex-President, on receiving the honour of Knighthood from His Majesty.

To Surgeon-Colonel David Edgar Flinn, Member of Council, on his appointments as Member of the Prisons Board and Chief Inspector of Reformatory Schools.

International Congress at St. Petersburg.

In response to an invitation to the College to send delegates to the International Congress of Gynæcology at St. Petersburg in September, 1910, Mr. M. G. M'Elligott, F.R.C.S.I., was on 23rd June accredited as representative.

Students' Athletic Union.

At the Council meeting on July 7th, the Council sanctioned the formation of Students' Athletic Union, and obtained a suitable field of seven acres at Terenure, which was placed at the disposal of the Union rent free for a year. The ground is also being used by the Officers' Training Corps as a parade ground.

Presentation by Mr. H. Macnaughton-Jones, F.R.C.S.I.

On 3rd November Mr. H. Macnaughton-Jones, a Fellow of the College, presented to the College his valuable collection of Gynæcological Specimens. The collection was of such importance that the Council decided to send the Curator of the Museum to London in order that he might make the necessary arrangements for the safe transit of the Specimens. The Collection is being separately housed in the Museum as "The Macnaughton-Jones Collection." The cordial thanks of the Council were given to Mr. Macnaughton-Jones for his kind presentation.

The Barker Anatomical Prize for 1910.

This prize was awarded to Mr. T. Mather Thomson, a pupil in the College School.

Meetings held in the College.

The Council granted the use of the College for meetings of the Royal Academy of Medicine in Ireland, the Irish Medical Association, the Clinical Club, the Irish Branch of the British Dental Association, the Medical Benevolent Fund, the Medical Temperance

Society, the King's Coronation National Fund for Nurses in Ireland, the Poor Law Association of Ireland, and Irish Nurses' Association, and the Association of Fellows.

College Dinner.

On 15th December, 1910, the Council passed the following resolution :—

That the College dine on or as near as may be to the 11th February each year; the dinner to be termed "The Charter Day Dinner." The Council to invite to the dinner such guests as, in their opinion, would be by their presence and subsequent action likely to promote the honour, dignity, and prosperity of the College.

The first Charter Day Dinner was held on 11th February, 1911, in the Examination Hall. Over 180 Fellows and guests were present on the occasion. His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, the Earl of Aberdeen, honoured the College by his presence.

Association of Fellows of the Royal College of Surgeons.

A pamphlet, published by the Association of Fellows, entitled, "No Irish need apply," and dated from the College, was, on 2nd February, brought to the notice of the Council. The following resolution was adopted :—

That the Association of Fellows of the Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland, be informed that the President and Council view with disapproval their pamphlet, recently published, entitled, "No Irish need apply."

In the opinion of the President and Council, the pamphlet in question is calculated to defeat the very end for which it is ostensibly published.

The President and Council are of opinion that the correspondence of an unofficial section of the Fellows should not be dated from the College, as such a practice is likely to mislead strangers with the belief that that correspondence has been officially sanctioned by the College.

*New Edition of the Charters, By-Laws, and Ordinances
of the College.*

This has been a work of considerable magnitude, but has now been completed. On the 27th April the Council passed the following resolution :—

That all the ordinances at present in force be repealed, and the following substituted therefor :—

ORDINANCES OF THE COUNCIL.

CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE COLLEGE BY THE COUNCIL.

Order of
Proceedings
of Council.

1. At Ordinary Meetings of Council the President shall take the chair, or, in his absence, the Vice-President, or in the absence of both, the Member of Council present who may be senior on the College List of Fellows; and business shall be transacted in the following order:—

(a) The Secretary shall read the proceedings of the previous meeting. (b) The Chairman of the day shall sign the Minute Book. (c) The Accounts as audited by the Finance Committee shall be submitted. (d) Letters and other communications shall be read. (e) Reports of Committees shall be presented. (f) Motions, of which notice has been given, shall be discussed. (g) Notices of Motions, for consideration at future meetings, shall be received and filed.

It shall be competent for the President to refer any question to a Standing Committee for report to the Council.

Standing
Committees.

2. There shall be four Standing Committees—(a) Finance Committee, (b) Education Committee, (c) Examination Committee, (d) General Purposes Committee—each consisting of a Chairman, four Councillors, and *ex-officio* Members. Three shall form a quorum.

The President, Vice-President, and Secretary of the College shall be *ex-officio* Members of all Committees. The Librarian shall be an *ex-officio* Member of the Education Committee; the representative of the College on the General Medical Council, if a Member of College Council, shall be an *ex-officio* Member of the Examination and General Purposes Committees; and the Chairmen of the Education, Examination, and General Purposes Committees shall be *ex-officio* Members of the Finance Committee. All Members of

Council are privileged to be present at the meetings of any Committee, but not to speak thereat without permission of the Chairman, nor to vote.

(a) **FINANCE COMMITTEE**:—The duty of this Committee shall be to superintend the outlay of all moneys required for the service of the College, to audit all accounts, and to report to the Council upon every matter connected with the expenditure of the College; also to superintend the management of the House Establishment of the College, to recommend such expenditure as they may deem necessary, and to audit the accounts, previous to payments by Council.

The President, or, in his absence, the Vice-President, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, and the three senior Councillors on that Committee, shall together form a Treasury Sub-Committee, whose names shall be returned to the College Bankers; and whose duty shall be to sign cheques for payment of accounts, when these shall have been passed by the Council.

(b) **EDUCATION COMMITTEE**:—The duty of this Committee shall be to supervise the management of the Library and Fellows' Room, and the performance of their duties by the Assistant-Librarian and Library Porters, to select books for purchase, to recommend such expenditure upon the Library as they may find necessary, and to audit the accounts of that department, previous to their being submitted to the Finance Committee for payment by Council.

To supervise the management of the Museum, and the discharge of their duties by the Curator and the Museum Porters, to recommend to the Council the purchase of such specimens or preparations as they consider suitable, and such other expenditure upon the department as they may find necessary, to examine such expenditure when ordered by the Curator, and to audit the accounts for same before their submission to the Finance Committee for payment by Council.

To inspect the School of the College from time to time, to investigate all matters connected therewith, and report to Council thereupon when necessary.

(c) **EXAMINATION COMMITTEE**:—The duty of this Committee shall be to inquire into the evidences of study and other qualifications presented by candidates for Examinations, and to authorize for admission thereto those whose qualifications are in conformity with the requirements of the College; to supervise the Examinations conducted by the College, and to report on same to the Council; to report at least once

annually on the regulations for the various Diplomas and Licenses granted directly by the College, and to suggest to the Council such alterations as the Committee think desirable. And further, their duty shall be to inquire into and report to Council upon all matters relating to education and examination which may be remitted to them, and to do all such acts thereupon as may be authorized or required by Council.

(d) GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE:—The duty of this Committee shall be to inquire into and report upon all Medico-Political and Parliamentary matters which, in the opinion of the Committee, should be reported to the Council. To draft the annual report of the Council, and to inquire into, and when necessary to report upon, any charges of misconduct made against Fellows or Licentiates of the College; and to report upon all such matters as may be remitted to them, and to do all such acts thereupon as may be authorized or required by the Council.

The Chairmen and Members of all Standing Committees shall be elected by Council by ballot.

CONCERNING THE COLLEGE OFFICERS.

Uncontested
Elections.

3. At all elections of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary of the College, or a Councillor or Councillors, in case the number of duly qualified candidates for each such office, who shall have sent in their names within the period required by the Charter, is not greater than the number of vacancies, it shall not be necessary to issue voting papers to the Fellows; and the presiding Chairman, at the meeting of the College which has been convened for the election, shall declare the candidates so presenting themselves duly elected.

Scrutiny of
votes at
College
Elections.

At all elections of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary of the College, or a Councillor, or Councillors, the Presiding Chairman may order that the scrutiny of the voting papers shall commence when at least thirty voting papers shall have been placed in the ballot box, and that it shall continue until the scrutiny is completed, provided always that the box shall at no time, before the close of the ballot, contain less than twenty papers.

Notice
of appoint-
ments to be
given.

4. No appointment to any office shall be made by the Council, unless due notice of the intention to make such appointment shall have been given at a

Meeting of Council, at least one week previously, and shall have been printed and placed in the hands of the Members of Council, at least three days before the election.

5. For the purpose of the election of a representative of this College in the General Medical Council, the names of Fellows willing to serve in the office shall be sent to the Secretary of the Council at or before the first ordinary meeting of Council in January in each year; and the election, by ballot, shall take place at the next ordinary meeting of Council.

General
Medical
Council
Represent-
ative.

6. The number of the Deputation to represent the College in London or elsewhere away from Dublin, shall not exceed two in addition to the President or Vice-President.

Deputations

The sum payable to each member of such deputations shall be, as a *viaticum*, the first-class return fare, and, as *honorarium*, five guineas for each day during which the delegate shall be unavoidably absent from home, transacting the business of the College, one additional day's *honorarium* being allowed for the time occupied in travelling. Expenditure on cabs, telegrams, and postage for College business, shall be specially accounted for, and paid by the College.

Payment of
Delegates.

7. On the first Tuesday in May, or as soon thereafter as may be, the Council shall elect Examiners.

Election of
Examiners.

The Courts of Examiners shall be constituted as follows:—

Court A. For examinations under the management of the Conjoint Committee, viz.:—Conjoint License, License in Surgery (for registered practitioners), License in Midwifery (for registered practitioners), Diploma in Public Health, and Preliminary.

Two Examiners in Anatomy, to examine in Surgery when directed; Four Examiners in Surgery, to examine in Anatomy when directed; Two Examiners in Physiology and Histology; One Examiner in Pathology and Bacteriology; One Examiner in Midwifery and Gynæcology; One Examiner in Biology; Two Examiners in Ophthalmology; One Examiner in Sanitary Law and Vital Statistics; One Examiner in Engineering and Architecture; One Examiner in Languages; One Examiner in Mathematics, Physics, Dictation, and English Essay.

Court B. For Examinations conducted by the College, and not under the management of the Conjoint Committee, viz.: Fellowship, License in Dental Surgery.

Two Examiners in Anatomy, to examine in Surgery when directed; Four Examiners in Surgery, to examine in Anatomy when directed; Two Examiners in Physiology and Histology; Two Examiners in Pathology and Bacteriology; Two Examiners in Chemistry and Physics; Two Examiners in Dental Surgery and Pathology; Two Examiners in Mechanical Dentistry.

Examiners not to be Private Teachers.

8. No person who is engaged in private teaching shall be eligible as an Examiner; and if any Examiner shall engage in such teaching, he shall thereby render his election null and void.

Not more than two Examiners from one Hospital.

9. Not more than two Clinical teachers connected with any one Hospital shall be eligible to obtain seats on the Courts of Examiners for Fellowship and Letters Testimonial.

10. In the event of a majority of the Council deciding that the qualifications of the Candidates for any Examinership are such as to make a postponement of the election desirable, it shall be within the power of the Council to postpone such election.

Method of election of Officers by the Council.

At all elections held by the Council, each member of Council shall vote for that number of Candidates for which there are vacancies. Voting papers containing a greater or lesser number of names shall be invalid. The Candidate or Candidates having the fewest votes shall be struck off the list, and the remaining names again submitted to ballot.

This process shall be repeated until the number has been reduced to that for which there are vacancies.

If any Candidate shall be appointed as an Examiner in one subject, his name shall not be submitted for Examinership in another subject.

The Curator of the Museum.

11. A Curator of the College Museum shall be appointed, who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Council, and receive such salary as the Council shall from time to time determine.

Not to hold other office

The Curator shall not hold any other office of emolument without the special permission of the Council, to be granted only after a fortnight's notice of motion has been given.

12. The Curator shall, in all respects, be subject to the directions of the Education Committee, and shall keep the Committee informed of all things relating to the efficiency of the Museum. Duties of Curator.

The Curator shall be required to enter in the catalogue all new preparations, with such descriptions of them as may be necessary to make them available for instruction. Catalogue.

The Curator shall, at the end of every quarter, lay before the Education Committee for the information of the Council such preparations as he shall have made during that period, and a statement in detail of all works executed and duties performed by him during that period. He shall, before the first Thursday in May, in each year, present to the Council, through the Committee, a statement of the duties he has performed, and the preparations and repairs he has made during the year. After the reading of such statement, a motion, if made and seconded, shall be put by the President, that the Curator shall be re-elected, and a ballot shall be taken thereon.

13. If, at any time, the Curator shall be elected a Member of Council, and shall accept such office, and make the declaration required to be made by Councillors, he shall, *ipso facto*, vacate his situation as Curator, and shall be ineligible as a candidate for that office as long he remains a member of Council. Curator to be a Councillor.

14. The Assistant-Librarian shall be responsible for the safe custody of the Books. His salary shall be such as the Council shall, from time to time, determine; and he shall be required to find security to the amount of £100. His duties shall be defined by the Education Committee subject to the approval of the Council. Assistant Librarian.

CONCERNING EXAMINATIONS.

15. One member of the Examination Committee shall be summoned to each Examination, at which he shall act as Visitor, and shall be summoned to the Conference when such takes place. Duty of Councillors at Examinations.

16. No person, except a Fellow of the College, shall be permitted to be present at any Examination unless by the permission of the Visitor. None but Fellows to be present.

GENERAL ORDINANCES.

Notice of
motions for
meetings of
the College.

17. When a notice of any meeting of the College is forwarded to the Fellows, they shall be requested therein to send forthwith any motion which they propose to submit to the College; and such motions as may be received up to seven days before the meeting shall be printed in order of their reception for the information of the Fellows.

Dissecting
Room
Specimens.

18. All specimens of Morbid Anatomy found in the dissecting-room are the property of the College, and shall therefore be placed by the Professor of Anatomy in the hands of the Curator of the Museum as soon as possible. All preparations made by Professors of the College or their Assistants while working in the College School shall be the property of the College.

Resolutions
of Council.

19. An Ordinance or a Resolution of the Council shall not be altered or rescinded, nor shall any motion inconsistent with the same be considered by the Council, unless notice of such motion shall have been given in, at, or before the previous meeting of the Council, and unless the resolution of Council is observed which forbids the rediscussion of motions within three months; such motion shall appear in the summons for the day: Provided always, that the operation of this rule may be suspended if a motion for such suspension shall be passed by the Council without any dissentient.

Library.

Report of the Librarian.

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honour to report that the Library has been extensively taken advantage of during the past year by Fellows, Licentiates, and Students.

Since my last Report 165 volumes have been added to the collection; of these 20 were purchased, 65 presented, and 80 periodicals bound.

The following were purchased:—Clinical Methods, by R. Hutchinson and H. Rainy; A Manual of Midwifery, by H. Jellett; Urinary Surgery, by F. S. Kidd; Handbook, Diseases of the Ear, by R. Lake; Operative Treatment of Constipation, by W. A. Lane; Hygiene, by J. L. Mather and R. H. Firth; A Manual of Surgery, seventh edition, by W. Rose and A. Carless; A Manual of Surgery, two volumes, by A. Thomson and A. Miles; The International Clinics, two volumes, Johns Hopkins Hospital Reports; The Medical Annual; Murray's English Dictionary; The Ophthalmic Year Book; Thom's Directory, Whitaker's Almanac; Churchill's Directory; Lepira Bibliotheca Internationalis Verorum.

The following donations were received:—The Report of the British Association, presented by the Association; The Report of St. Thomas's Hospital, presented by the Editors; The Calendar of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, presented by the College; The Imperial Yeomanry Hospitals in South Africa, 1900-1902, presented by the Editor; Forty-ninth Annual Report upon the State of Public Health in Dublin, presented by Sir Charles A. Cameron, c.b.; The Sixty-fourth Report of the Commissioners in Lunacy in England, presented by the Commissioners; The Fifty-fourth Report of the Registrar-General for Scotland, presented by the Registrar-General; The Fifty-second Report of the Commissioners in Lunacy for Scotland, presented by the Commissioners; The Thirty-eighth Report of the Local Government Board for Ireland, presented by the Medical Commissioner; The Fifty-ninth Report of the Inspectors of Lunacy in Ireland, presented by the Inspectors; The Forty-eighth Report of the Inspector of Reformatories and Industrial Schools in Ireland, presented by the Inspector; The Forty-sixth Report of the Registrar-General for Ireland, presented by the Registrar-General; Bacon is Shakespeare, by Sir Edwin Durning-Lawrence, Bart., presented by the Author; The Calendar of the University College, Cork, presented by the College; The Calendar of the University of Dublin, presented by the University; The Calendar of the University of Edinburgh, presented by

the University; A Guide to the Preservation of Health in West Africa, by H. Stracken, presented by J. F. Knott, F.R.C.S.; The Transactions of the American Urological Association, presented by the Association; The Students' Handbook of Operative Surgery, second edition, by W. I. Wheeler, F.R.C.S., presented by the Author; The Transactions of the Ophthalmological Society of the United Kingdom, presented by the Society; Reports of the International Congress of Obstetrics and Gynæcology at St. Petersburg, presented by M. G. M'Elligott, F.R.C.S.; The Calendar of the University of Durham, presented by the University; The Report on the Health of the Navy, presented by the Admiralty; Guy's Hospital Report, presented by the Editors; The Report on the Health of the Army, presented by the Director-General A.M.D.; The Calendar of the Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland, presented by the Society; The Minutes of the General Medical Council, presented by the Council; The Report of the Seventh International Congress of Chemists in London, 1909, presented by J. F. Knott, F.R.C.S.; The Transactions of the Congress of American Physicians and Surgeons, presented by the Congress; The Seventy-second Report of the Registrar-General for England, presented by the Registrar-General; The Calendar of the Queen's University, Belfast, presented by the University; The Transactions of the American Surgical Association, presented by the Association; The Proceedings of the Royal Institute of Great Britain, presented by the Institute; Lehrbuch der Allgemeinen und Speziellen Chirurgie, by Herman Tillmann, presented by the Author; The Transactions of the New York Obstetrical Society, presented by the Society; The Transactions of the Philadelphia Academy of Surgery, presented by the Academy; The Medical Register, presented by the General Medical Council; The Dentists' Register, presented by the General Medical Council; The Medical Students' Register, presented by the General Medical Council; The Dental Students' Register, presented by the General Medical Council; The Journal of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland, presented by the Department; The Transactions and Proceedings of the Royal Dublin Society, presented by the Society; The Transactions and Proceedings of the Royal Irish Academy, presented by the Academy; The Journal of the Irish Medical Association, presented by the Editor; The Poor Law and District Council Journal for Ireland, presented by the Editor; The British Dental Journal, presented by the Editor; The London University Gazette, presented by the Editor; The Canadian Association Journal, presented by the Editor; The West London Medical Journal, presented by the Editor; The Post-Graduate Course Journal, presented by the Editor; The General Practitioner, presented by the Editor; several valuable Sanitary Reports and Journals, presented by Sir Charles A. Cameron, C.B.

The following were presented by the Royal Academy of Medicine in Ireland, per J. A. Scott, F.R.C.S., Secretary :—The Australian Medical Gazette, The Birmingham Medical Review, The Bristol Medico-Chirurgical Journal, The Australian Medical Journal, The Medical Magazine, The Medical Review, Bulletin de L'Académie Royale de Médecine de Belgique, Revue de Chirurgie de Paris, and The Transactions of the Royal Academy of Medicine in Ireland.

I have the honour to be, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

R. BOLTON M'CAUSLAND, F.R.C.S.,
Librarian.

May 8th, 1911.

Museum.

Report of the Curator.

GENTLEMEN,—During the past year the skeleton of the Hippopotamus has been completed; also two male Irish Elk-heads have been thoroughly overhauled and repaired.

In the Gallery a very large number of the pathological specimens comprised in the Respiratory, Alimentary, and Genito-Urinary sections have been remounted. This has been a wearisome and tedious task, as with most of the bottled specimens the spirit has had to be renewed times without number, owing to the repeated yellowish discolouration of the fluid, due to the fact that such specimens had been put up in the first instance without having been properly cleaned and hardened.

During the year the Museum has been enriched by an extremely valuable collection of about 100 specimens illustrating diseases of the female organs. The generous donor of this collection was Dr. H. Macnaughton-Jones.

Other specimens were received during the year from Dr. W. Boswell, Mr. Jameson Johnston, Sir John Moore, Dr. F. C. Purser, Professor Scott, and Mr. W. Taylor.

Spirit distilled during the year, 60 gallons.		
Number of preparations added	...	116
Specimens mounted	...	790
Specimens borrowed by Examiners	...	78

Specimens borrowed for use in School of Surgery:—

Prof Conway Dwyer	...	99
Prof. Geddes	...	19
Prof. Kidd	...	8
Prof. Sir John Moore	...	35
Prof. Scott	...	72
Prof. Stoker	...	63
Prof. White	...	103
		399

Specimens borrowed for other purposes:—

Mr. J. L. Keegan	...	8
Prof. Scott	...	1
Mr. W. I. Wheeler	...	8
		17

I have the honour to remain,

Yours obediently,

ARTHUR H. WHITE,
Curator.

May 13th, 1911.

Attendance at Committees.

HOUSE AND FINANCE COMMITTEE.

17 Meetings.

1. Woods, Robt. H., <i>Pres.</i> ...	16
2. Purefoy, Richard D. <i>V.-P.</i> ...	13
3. Cameron, Sir Charles A. ...	0
4. Story, J. B. ...	11
5. Myles, Sir Thomas ...	0
6. Lentaigne, John ...	6
7. Chance, Sir Arthur... ..	1
8. Sherlock, Henry G. ...	10
9. M'Causland, R. Bolton ...	10
10. Dwyer, F. Conway ...	0
11. Taylor, Edward H. ...	0
12. Maunsell, R. C. B. ...	0
13. Flinn, D. Edgar ...	1

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

2 Meetings.

1. Woods, Robert H., <i>Pres.</i> ...	0
2. Purefoy, Richard D. <i>V.-P.</i> ...	1
3. Cameron, Sir Charles A. ...	0
4. Story, John B. ...	1
5. Myles, Sir Thomas ...	0
6. Sherlock, Henry G. ...	0
7. M'Causland, R. Bolton ...	2
8. Dwyer, F. Conway ...	0
9. Joynt, R. Lane ...	0
10. Taylor, W. ...	0
11. Gordon, Thomas E. ...	0

EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

14 Meetings.

1. Woods, Robert H., <i>Pres.</i> ...	11
2. Purefoy, R. D., <i>V.-P.</i> ...	11
3. Cameron, Sir C. A. ...	1
4. Stoker, William ...	2
5. Chance, Sir Arthur... ..	1
6. Sherlock, Henry G. ...	4
7. Dwyer, F. C. ...	3
8. Taylor, William ...	9
9. Taylor, Edward H. ...	0
10. Maunsell, R. C. B. ...	0
11. Wheeler, W. I. ...	2
12. Gordon, Thomas E. ...	0

MUSEUM COMMITTEE

1 Meeting.

1. Woods, R. H., <i>Pres.</i> ...	1
2. Purefoy, R. D., <i>V.-P.</i> ...	1
3. Cameron, Sir C. ...	0
4. Story, John B. ...	0
5. M'Causland, R. Bolton ...	0
6. Dwyer, F. Conway ...	0
7. Taylor, Edward H. ...	0
8. Maunsell, R. C. B. ...	0
9. Wheeler, W. I. ...	1
10. Flinn, D. Edgar ...	0

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

1 Meeting.

1. Woods, Robert H., <i>Pres.</i> ...	1
2. Purefoy, Richard D., <i>V.-P.</i> ...	1
3. Cameron, Sir C. A. ...	0
4. Swanzy, Henry R. ...	0
5. Chance, Sir Arthur ...	0
6. Sherlock, Henry G. ...	1
7. Joynt, R. Lane ...	0
8. Taylor, W. ...	1
9. Maunsell, R. C. B. ...	0
10. Wheeler, W. I. ...	0

SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

11 Meetings.

1. Woods, Robert H., <i>Pres.</i> ...	10
2. Purefoy, Richard D., <i>V.-P.</i> ...	9
3. Story, John B. ...	1
4. Myles, Sir Thomas ...	6
5. Lentaigne, Sir John ...	1
6. Chance, Sir Arthur ...	1
7. Taylor, William ...	7
8. Maunsell, R. Charles B. ...	2

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

(With Royal College of Physicians.)

39 Meetings.

1. Swanzy, Sir Henry R. ...	38
2. Cameron, Sir Charles A. ...	26
3. Chance, Sir Arthur ...	33

