

PRESENTATION TO DR. H. HAYES NEWINGTON.

The portrait subscribed for by members of the Medico-Psychological Association to be presented to Dr. Hayes Newington, in commemoration of his forty years' connection with the Medico-Psychological Association and his long tenure of the office of Treasurer, has been painted by Mr. W. W. Oules, R.A., and will be exhibited at the Royal Academy, Burlington House, this summer. It is hoped that members of the Association will take the opportunity of seeing the portrait while it is on exhibition there.

OBITUARY.

STEPHEN G. LONGWORTH, L.R.C.P.I., L.R.C.S.I. & L.M.

We have to record the death (suddenly from heart disease) of Dr. S. G. Longworth at the District Asylum, Melton, Suffolk, where he was Senior Assistant Medical Officer. He died at the early age of 36 years, and his loss will be keenly felt by all who were acquainted with him. He was educated at Westminster School and afterwards in Dublin.

Dr. Whitwell, under whom he worked for some years, sends us the following appreciation: "He entered the speciality under Dr. Conolly Norman at the Richmond Asylum, Dublin, and from there came to Melton, where he acted as Senior Assistant Medical Officer for a period of fifteen years. During that period he showed himself to be an unobtrusive but keen and earnest worker, imbued with the highest ideals, upright in all his dealings, kind, thoughtful and skilful in his professional work, with a high sense of loyalty, and he was much beloved by all who knew him. In him this institution has lost a very able officer, and I myself in common with all here mourn the loss of a good friend, who, in spite of increasing physical disabilities, put extraordinary energy in his work to the very last."

NOTICES BY THE REGISTRAR.

The next examinations for the Nursing Certificate will be held as follows: Preliminary Examination—May 5th, 1913. Final Examination—May 12th, 1913.

EXAMINATION FOR NURSING CERTIFICATE, NOVEMBER, 1912.

(1) *Preliminary Examination.*

1. Enumerate the various glands connected with the function of digestion, mentioning the special action of the secretion of each on the different kinds of food.
2. Describe the structure and functions of fat.
3. What structures form the wall of the thorax? Mention the principal organs contained in this cavity, and describe their relative position.
4. Describe shortly, without detail, the general composition of milk, cream, butter, cheese, and margarine. What happens to the constituents when the last four are formed?
5. What is ordinary household dust? Why should it be got rid of, and how?
6. Describe the proper method of (a) applying a blister and dressing; (b) giving an inhalation; (c) administering a sedative enema.
7. Describe fully the immediate treatment you would adopt in the case of a patient suffering from a severe fit of epilepsy.
8. What would you do in the case of fire occurring in an asylum day-room at night?