"Judgment." What is the difference between Judgment and Reasoning? What is the relation to Judgment of (*a*) Hesitation and (*b*) Doubt? 4.—To what morbid changes are the cells of the fifth layer of the Cortex liable, and in what form of insanity are these cells specially affected? 5.—Is there a distinct form of insanity which may properly be termed homicidal mania? If so, describe its characters and show how it differs from other forms of insanity accompanied by homicidal propensities. 6.—To what extent may the advent of puberty be regarded as a cause of insanity? What do you consider to be the mode of its operation?

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THE CERTIFICATE IN NURSING.

The next examination for the Certificate of Proficiency in Nursing will be held on Monday, the 2nd day of November, 1896, and candidates are earnestly requested to send in their schedules, duly filled up, to the Registrar of the Association, not later than Monday, the 5th day of October, 1896, as that will be the last day upon which, under the rules, applications for examination can be received. For further particulars respecting the various examinations of the Association apply to the Registrar, Dr. Spence, Burntwood Asylum, near Lichfield.

ERRATUM.

The name of John McCool was erroneously included in the list of attendants who had passed the July examination.

OBITUARY.

Dr. Colin MacIver Campbell.

We deeply regret to have to record the death of Dr. MacIver Campbell, lately Medical Superintendent of the Perth District Asylum. His resignation in 1893, when the state of his health rendered it impossible for him to continue to discharge duties for long undertaken under the gravest difficulties, caused widespread regret and was a serious loss to the Institution, the interests of which he had cared for so well. His father, the Very Rev. Principal Campbell, of the University of Aberdeen, was a man of marked ability, and his sons might have aspired to eminence in any walk of life. None, however, reached middle life, and Dr. Campbell was the last survivor of six brothers, deeply mourned by all who had the advantage of his friendship during his too short career of usefulness

He was educated at the University of Aberdeen and Vienna, and served as Assistant Medical Officer in the York Retreat and the Durham County Asylum besides serving in the West Riding Asylum as Clinical Clerk. When Dr. Campbell entered on his duties at Murthly in 1883, he brought ability, skill and training to carry on the work in which he was so deeply interested, and soon endeared himself in all the relations of life to those with whom he was brought into contact. His generous kindly nature had been shattered by a long and terrible illness, and for many months before death relieved him of the burden of life, his bright and sunny disposition was almost overwhelmed by disasters.

Dr. Campbell did not write much. His energies were rather devoted to the immediate considerations of asylum management. He placed on record certain

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