

*Extraordinary Meetings of the Medico-Psychological Society
of Paris.*

The Medico-Psychological Society of Paris has organised extraordinary meetings for the week preceding the time fixed for the General and Universal Medical Congress of Paris of this year, viz. on August 10th, 11th, and 14th. The meetings will take place at the Faculty of Medicine, at four in the afternoon. Full liberty is left as to the choice of the subjects for papers; but the Society would direct attention to the following topics:—

1. *Appropriate legislation and mode of relief for the insane in different countries.*
2. *Relations of insanity to private and public education.*
3. *Basis of a general system of asylum statistics.*
4. *On the pathological changes of the nervous centres in the various forms of insanity, and especially on the progress effected in this respect by the use of the microscope.*

The members of the Medico-Psychological Association are invited to attend. We are requested to add to this statement the earnest wish of the *Société Médico-Psychologique* that the English Association may be fairly represented at this congress.

Notice to Correspondents.

English books for review, pamphlets, exchange journals, &c., to be sent either by book-post to Dr. Robertson, Hayward's Heath, Sussex; or to the care of the publishers of the Journal, Messrs. Churchill and Sons, New Burlington Street. French, German, and American publications may be forwarded to Dr. Robertson, by foreign book-post, or to Messrs. Williams and Norgate, Henrietta Street, Covent Garden, to the care of their German, French, and American agents, Mr. Hartmann, Leipzig; M. Borrari, 9, Rue de St. Pères, Paris; Messrs. Westermann and Co., Broadway, New York.

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The following *EXCHANGE JOURNALS* have been regularly received since our last publication:

The *Annales Médico-Psychologiques*; the *Zeitschrift für Psychiatrie*; the *Correspondenz Blatt der deutschen Gesellschaft für Psychiatrie*; *Archiv für Psychiatrie*; the *Irren Freund*; *Journal de Médecine Mentale*; *Archivio Italiano per le Malattie Nervose e per le Alienazioni Mentali*; *Medizinische Jahrbücher*

(*Zeitschrift der K. K. Gesellschaft der Aerzte in Wien*); the *Edinburgh Medical Journal*; the *American Journal of Insanity*; the *British and Foreign Medico-Chirurgical Review*; the *Dublin Quarterly Journal*; the *Medical Mirror*; the *British Medical Journal*; the *Medical Circular*; the *Journal of the Society of Arts*; and *New York Medical Journal*. Also the *Morningside Mirror*; the *York Star*; *Excelsior*, or the *Murray Royal Institution Literary Gazette*.

ERRATA.

In an article entitled "Contributions to the Pathology of Nervous Diseases," in the April number of the *Journal*, the following errors make nonsense of an important passage. We quote the passage, marking the errors by italics. "It is clear that the left hemisphere was cut off both from knowledge of, and power of acting upon the limbs of the *opposite* (should be *same*) side; for, although it was in full function, the patient was unaware of her hemiplegia—the *left* (should be *right*) being so disintegrated as to be unconscious of it. And the example would seem to show that one hemisphere can only act volitionally on the limbs of the *same* (should be *opposite*) side And of course if the hemiplegia was not real, there was no reason why the *right* (should be *left*) hemisphere should not have been able to act upon the limbs, except that it was cut off from communication."