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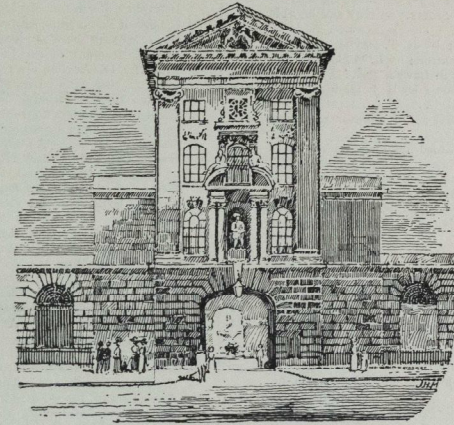


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Servare mentem!"  
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### CALENDAR.

Sat., Oct. 1.	Rugby Match v. Pontypool. Away. Association Match v. St. Thomas's Hospital. Away.
Mon., " 3.	Term begins.
Tues., " 4.	Sir P. Hartley and Mr. L. Bathe Rawling on duty.
Wed., " 5.	Rugby Match v. London Hospital. Home.
Fri., " 7.	Sir Thomas Horder and Sir C. Gordon Watson on duty. Medicine: Clinical Lecture by Dr. Hinds Howell.
Sat., " 8.	Rugby Match v. Plymouth Albion. Away. Association Match v. Harrod's. Away.
Mon., " 10.	Special Subjects: Clinical Lecture by Mr. Just.
Tues., " 11.	Dr. C. M. Hinds Howell and Mr. Harold Wilson on duty.
Wed., " 12.	Surgery: Clinical Lecture by Mr. Harold Wilson.
Fri., " 14.	Medicine: Clinical Lecture by Sir Thomas Horder. Dr. A. E. Gow and Mr. Girling Ball on duty.
Sat., " 15.	Rugby Match v. Bedford. Away. Association Match v. Old Brentwoods. Home.
Mon., " 17.	Special Subjects: Clinical Lecture by Mr. Bedford Russell.
Tues., " 18.	Prof. Fraser and Prof. Gask on duty.
Wed., " 19.	Surgery: Clinical Lecture by Mr. Harold Wilson. <b>Last date for receiving matter for the November issue of the Journal.</b> Rugby Match v. Cambridge University. Away.
Fri., " 21.	Medicine: Clinical Lecture by Sir P. Hartley. Sir P. Hartley and Mr. L. Bathe Rawling on duty.
Sat., " 22.	Rugby Match v. Wasps. Home. Association Match v. Selridge's. Away.
Mon., " 24.	Special Subjects: Clinical Lecture by Mr. Elmslie.
Tues., " 25.	Sir Thomas Horder and Sir C. Gordon Watson on duty.
Wed., " 26.	Surgery: Clinical Lecture by Mr. Girling Ball.
Fri., " 28.	Medicine: Clinical Lecture by Sir Thomas Horder. Dr. C. M. Hinds Howell and Mr. Harold Wilson on duty.
Sat., " 29.	Rugby Match v. Moseley. Away.
Mon., " 31.	Special Subjects: Clinical Lecture by Mr. Bedford Russell.

### EDITORIAL.

**T** is characteristic of Bart.'s that no fuss is made in welcoming Freshmen at the beginning of the October term. There is no speech-making and no public prize-giving, as in many of the younger medical schools. You enter this great institution, as you will one day reluctantly leave it, quietly

and without ostentation. Whatever may be your feelings during your first few weeks in the Laboratories, Dissecting Rooms and Lecture Theatres, or in the Surgery and Wards, it is certain that eventually your affection for the place will grow more and more as she gradually claims you. This is a place older than Cambridge or Oxford, and more deeply steeped in tradition than either of them. The Hospital still occupies the site where it was first built. We still enter by the Smithfield gate where our founder Rahere entered eight hundred years ago.

"Think," says Sir D'Arcy Power, in a celebrated Abernethian Address, "as you go across the Square of the many generations who have walked across it before you. Patients innumerable, with their friends, some in the deepest grief and anxiety, others rejoicing in their new-found health. Great teachers going to lecture at the College of Physicians or the Barber Surgeons' Hall: now and again a false man like Dr. Lopez, our first physician, going to his traitor's doom at the Tower for plotting to poison Queen Elizabeth, or again a political prisoner like the Governor of Dunkirk who complained that the Sisters emptied their slops under his bedroom window. Think also of those other occupants of the Hospital who were not medical men, and yet lived within its precincts, of Sir Thomas Bodley, the founder of the Bodleian Library, and of Col. Pride on the dull December morning when he started off to ride to Westminster to purge the House, and at Cromwell's command to take 'that bauble' away."

In more recent times equally famous men have walked the Square, great physicians and surgeons, and also some whose fame has been won in other fields than medicine. Dr. Grace and the late Poet Laureate are of this number, and so is Dr. Thomas Young, a brief biography of whom appears in these pages.

The tradition of the Hospital is summed up in the