

sympathetic, a devout man without any sectarian narrowness, he worshipped more often in the temple of nature than in that of churches. He longed for the rest which he has now found.

**RICHARD GUNDRY, M.D., MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT OF THE
SPRING GROVE ASYLUM, MARYLAND, U.S.A.**

Dr. Gundry was born in 1830, at Hampstead Heath. When thirteen years of age he accompanied his father, the Rev. Jonathan Gundry, who was a Unitarian Minister, to Canada, and commenced the study of medicine at Simcoe, Ontario. He ultimately graduated at the Harvard Medical School, where he carried off the first prize. After a tour through Europe he commenced practice in Columbus, Ohio, and was then appointed second assistant physician in the Columbus Hospital for the Insane. He also held the post of Professor of *Materia Medica* and Mental Diseases in the Starling Medical College, Columbus. In 1858 he was transferred to the Ohio Insane Asylum at Dayton, and in 1861 he was promoted to the superintendency. This post he held until 1872, when he was chosen to complete and organize the asylum at Athens, Ohio. This institution was opened in 1874, and he continued in office there until 1877, when he returned to the asylum at Columbus. "Political manipulations," says a contemporary, "caused a severance of his connection with this institution," and in June, 1878, he commenced his work at Spring Grove, where he continued until his death, which occurred in April last, in the 61st year of his age. He leaves eight children. Two are members of the medical profession; one—Miss Mattie Gundry—is matron of the Home for Feeble-Minded, Baltimore.

**MEDICO-PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF GREAT
BRITAIN AND IRELAND.**

THE ANNUAL MEETING.

The Fiftieth ANNUAL MEETING of the Association will be held on Thursday, July 23rd, 1891, at the City Asylum, Birmingham, under the Presidency of EDMUND BANKS WHITCOMBE, M.B.C.S.

COUNCIL MEET at 10 a.m.

GENERAL MEETING at 11 a.m.

AFTERNOON MEETING (PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS) at 2 p.m.

As this will be the JUBILEE Meeting it is hoped there will be a large attendance of members. The Dinner will probably take place at the Great Western Hotel.

Trains run from Snow Hill Station to Soho (G.W.E.), which is a few minutes' walk from the Asylum. Dr. Whitcombe will arrange for some conveyances to bring Members to the Asylum from the Great Western Hotel at the hours of meeting of Care and Treatment Committee, the Council, and the Morning and Afternoon Meetings.

FLETCHER BEACH,

Hon. Secretary.

Darenth Asylum, Dartford,
June 15th, 1891.