

APPOINTMENTS.

Simpson, Francis Odell, L.R.C.P.Lond., F.R.C.S.Eng., has been appointed Senior Assistant Medical Officer to the Govan District Lunatic Asylum, Crookston, N.B.

Longworth, Stephen F., L.R.C.P.I., L.R.C.S.I., Assistant Medical Officer, Richmond Asylum, Dublin, to be Senior Assistant Medical Officer, Suffolk County Asylum, Melton.

Eades, Albert I., L.R.C.P.I., L.R.C.S.I., Clinical Assistant, Richmond Asylum, Dublin, to be Second Assistant Medical Officer, Nottingham Borough Asylum, Nottingham.

CORRIGENDUM: MEYER ON FRAGILITY OF THE BONES OF THE
INSANE.

We desire to correct an error which appears in the April number of the *Journal of Mental Science* (page 298 of this vol.). In the discussion on Dr. Briscoe's paper on "The Osseous System in the Insane," Dr. Conolly Norman is reported as referring to the work recently done on this subject by Dr. Krause. The reference is erroneous. The work intended is an article by Dr. Ernest Meyer (now of Tübingen) which appeared in the third number of the 29th vol. of the *Archiv für Psychiatrie*, entitled "On Fragility of Ribs in the Insane." The mistake doubtless arose from the fact that Dr. Krause, working in the laboratory of Professor Ludwig Meyer, contributed to the same number of the *Archiv* an article on another subject, which stands next to Dr. Ernest Meyer's. In correcting the proofs of his remarks the speaker evidently glanced at the wrong article.