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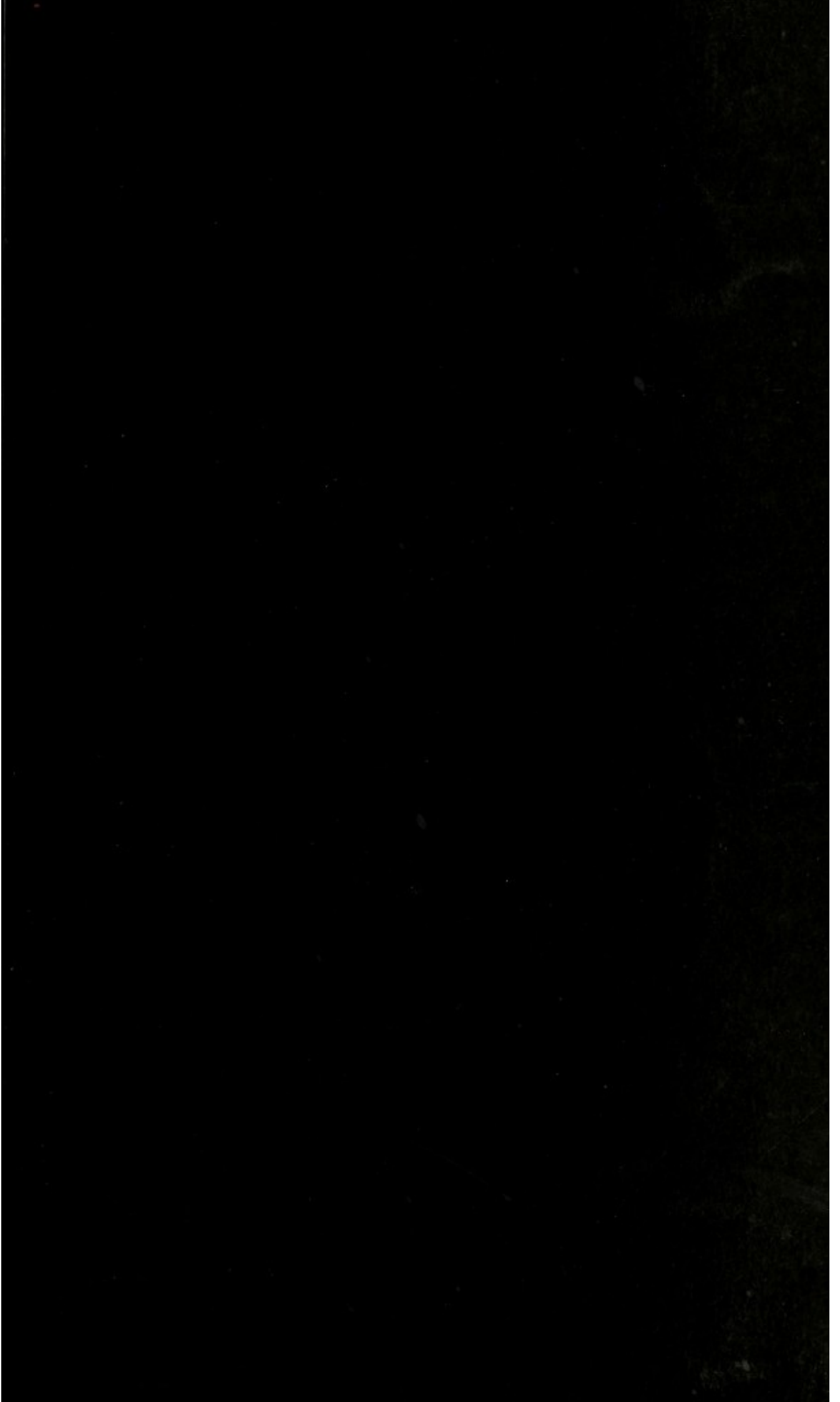
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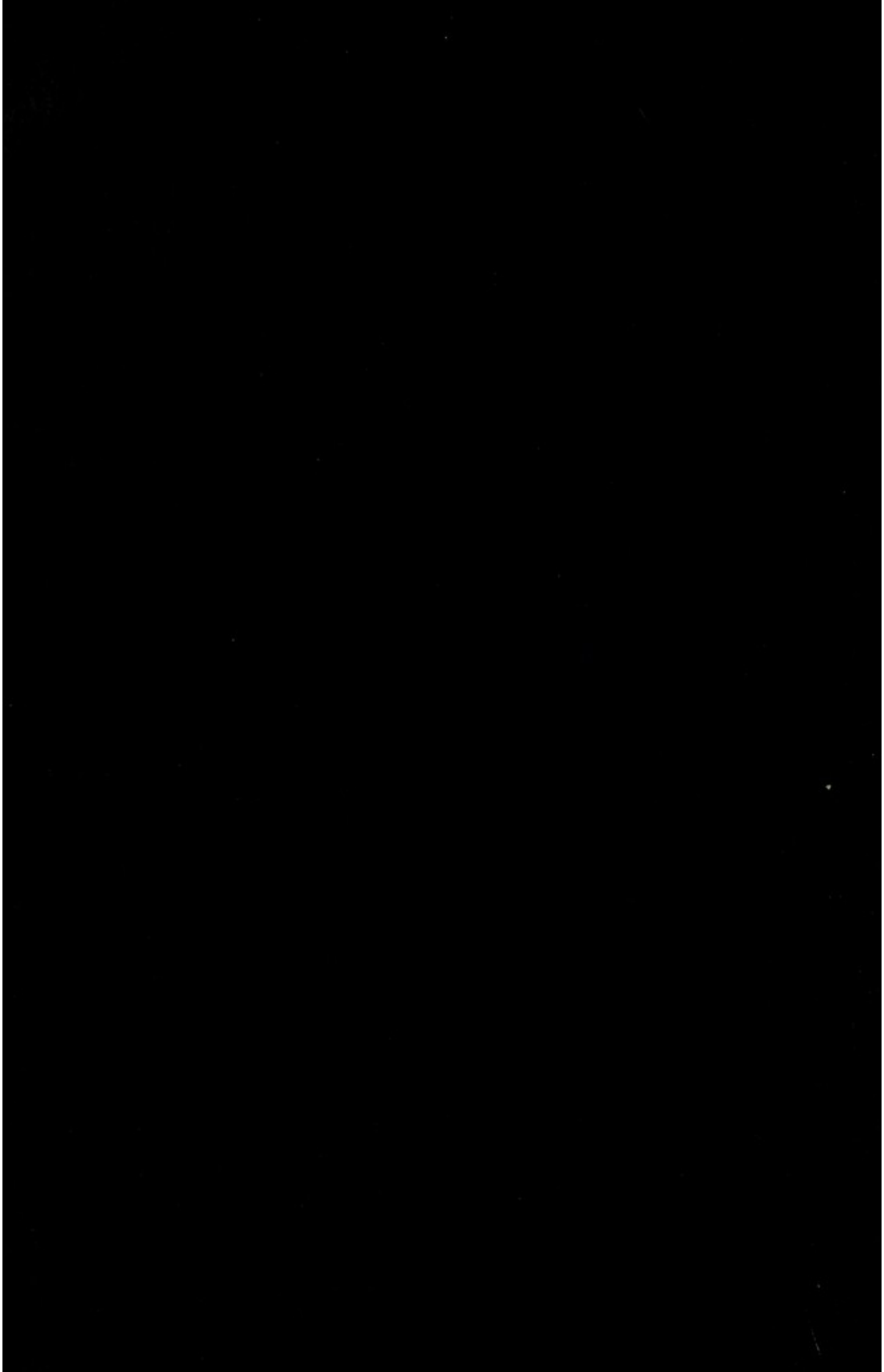
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TESTIMONIALS

IN FAVOUR OF

MR. JAMES WILSON,

CANDIDATE

FOR THE OFFICE OF

SURGEON

TO THE

POLICE ESTABLISHMENT

OF THE

CITY OF GLASGOW.

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TO THE HONOURABLE THE
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF POLICE
OF THE
CITY OF GLASGOW.

GENTLEMEN,

An announcement having been made through the Public Journals of this city, that a Medical Practitioner was wanted for the Police Establishment; I beg leave to offer myself as a Candidate. Perhaps it may not be irrelevant to mention that I am a native of Glasgow, and a Licentiate of the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons, and have now been in practice upwards of Six years. I have laid before the Board the subjoined Testimonials; many more might have been produced were it deemed necessary. Should I have the honour of being appointed to the situation, no exertion shall be spared on my part, to merit the confidence reposed in me.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your most obedient humble Servant,

JAMES WILSON.

*Glasgow, 68, High-Street, {
July, 19th, 1831. }*

TESTIMONIALS.

“ George Square, 19th July, 1831.

“ Mr. James Wilson was an old pupil of mine in the Materia Medica Class. From the attention he paid to that branch of Medicine, and from the intercourse I have since had with him in consultation, I am decidedly of opinion that he is fully qualified to fill the office of Surgeon to the Police, for which he is now a candidate.

RICHARD MILLAR, M. D.

“ Lecturer on Materia Medica in the University of Glasgow.”

“ 19th July, 1831.

“ Mr. James Wilson, Surgeon, has been known to me for some years—and from my intercourse with him, I am fully authorized to testify that he is a person of mild, gentleman-like manners; well acquainted with the science of Medicine and Surgery—and by considerable experience, highly qualified for the practice of these Arts. I can honestly express my belief

that the Honourable Board of Commissioners, to whose service he offers himself, would find in him a most zealous and trust-worthy officer.

“ ALEX. J. HANNAY, M. D.”

“ *Glasgow, March 14th, 1827.*

“ The writer of this is well acquainted with Mr. James Wilson, Surgeon ; that he is active and diligent in his profession, and of excellent moral character ; and there is no doubt if he be elected to that situation for which he is now a candidate, he will do every thing in his power for the benefit of the institution :

“ Is attested by

“ JOHN REID, M. D.

“ *High Street, No. 90.*”

“ *Glasgow, March 14th, 1827.*

“ I hereby certify that Mr. James Wilson attended the Anatomy Class in this University two years, and was very attentive—he has been for some time in practice, and I learn, has given satisfaction to his Employers.

“ J. JEFFRAY, M. D.”

“Glasgow, July 15th, 1831.

“ I hereby certify that I have known Mr. Wilson intimately for several years, and, from the frequent opportunities I have had of meeting with him in consultation on Medical and Surgical cases, can bear testimony to his general knowledge and ability in the treatment of disease; therefore I consider him well qualified to fill the important situation of Surgeon to the City Police Establishment, for which he is now a candidate.

“ JOHN BUCHANAN.”

“Glasgow, July 20th, 1831.

“ I have known Mr. James Wilson, Surgeon, High Street, more than eleven years, and from what I have witnessed of him during that period, I have no hesitation in declaring that he is talented, industrious, and strictly honourable. As regards his professional acquirements, I consider that he is well acquainted with Medical Science.

“ ANDREW ALEXANDER, M. D.”

“Glasgow, 19th July, 1831.

“ I have been intimately acquainted with Mr. James Wilson, Surgeon, High Street, for

many years, and have had many opportunities of witnessing his success in the treatment of disease. His moral worth, steadiness of character, and persevering industry in professional pursuits, render him, in my opinion, a most eligible person to fill the situation for which he is at present an applicant.

“ JAMES CONNEL, Surgeon.”

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 “ *Glasgow, July 19th, 1831.*”

“ It having been intimated to me that Mr. James Wilson is at present an applicant for the vacant situation of Surgeon to the Police Establishment of this City, I have to state I have known Mr. Wilson many years, and that I consider him eminently qualified to fulfil the duties of the above office.

“ JOHN GRÆME, Surgeon.”

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 “ Unto the Honorable the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and the other Commissioners of Police for the City of Glasgow.

“ Gentlemen,

“ I have been acquainted with Mr. James Wilson for a considerable time, and understanding from him that he is an applicant for the

vacant situation of Surgeon to the Police Establishment in this City, I have much pleasure in stating that for upwards of twelve months he acted as Medical attendant upon the workpeople employed in my Factory, Ayton Place, during which time he evinced a readiness and attention in the discharge of that duty, which merited my entire approbation.

“ I recommend him to your notice with the greatest confidence, and should he be so fortunate as to obtain your appointment to that situation, I have no doubt that he will discharge its various duties in a manner creditable to himself, and which will prove advantageous to those who may be placed under his care.

“ I am, with much respect,

“ Gentlemen,

“ Your most obedient servant,

“ JOHN KING.”

Ayton Place, 19th July, 1831.

