# Testimonials in favour of Thomas H. Bryce, M.A., M.B., Fellow of the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons, Glasgow.

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2 BUCKINGHAM TERRACE, GLASGOW, W., 27th September, 1892.

TO THE RIGHT HONOURABLE ARNOLD MORLEY, M.P.,

HER MAJESTY'S POSTMASTER-GENERAL,

LONDON.

SIR,

I have the honour to apply for appointment to the post of Medical Officer to the Glasgow Post Office.

After graduating in Arts and Medicine in 1886, and pursuing a course of study on the Continent, I settled in Glasgow, where I have been in practice for about five years. In 1890 I was admitted—after examination—to the Fellowship of the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons, Glasgow, and I also hold the office of Lecturer in the University of Glasgow—Queen Margaret Medical School.

I have the honour to be,

Your most obedient Servant,

THOMAS H. BRYCE,

M.A., M.B., Edinburgh, Fellow of the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons, Glasgow.

From John Chiene, F.R.C.S.E., Professor of Surgery, University of Edinburgh.

26 CHARLOTTE SQUARE, EDINBURGH, September 24th, 1892.

I HAVE very great confidence in recommending Dr. Thomas H. Bryce for the vacant Surgeonship to the Glasgow Post Office.

Dr. Bryce was my House Surgeon. I have a very high opinion of his knowledge and capability. I am sure the interests of the officials would be in safe keeping in his hands.

Personally, he is one of the kindest of men, and from this point of view I beg very specially to support his application.

JOHN CHIENE.

From T. Grainger Stewart, M.D., F.R.C.P.E., etc., Professor of Practice of Physic in the University of Edinburgh.

University of Edinburgh, September 26th, 1892.

I have much pleasure in certifying that Dr. Thomas H. Bryce is well known to me, that he is an able, highly educated, conscientious and obliging young physician, and one in every way fitted for such an appointment as that of surgeon to the Glasgow Post Office.

T. GRAINGER STEWART.

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From David J. Brakenridge, M.D., F.R.C.P.E., Senior Physician to the Edinburgh Royal Infirmary, Lecturer in Clinical Medicine in the Edinburgh School of Medicine.

I have much pleasure in stating that Dr. Thomas H. Bryce, who was at one time my Resident Physician in the Edinburgh Royal Infirmary, is, in my opinion, admirably fitted for the office of Physician to the Glasgow Post Office.

He is a thoroughly trained Physician and Surgeon, and he possesses, moreover, a quite unusual capacity for getting over a large amount of work in a business-like, thorough, and most satisfactory manner.

His great tact and firmness, combined with amiability and decided administrative power, point him out as one peculiarly well qualified for such an important and responsible post.

DAVID J. BRAKENRIDGE, M.D.

From J. Crawford Renton, M.D., Assistant Surgeon, Western Infirmary, Glasgow, Examiner in Clinical Surgery, University of Edinburgh.

I WOODSIDE TERRACE, GLASGOW, W., September 22nd, 1892.

DR. THOMAS H. BRYCE has been so closely associated with me in my work for the last few years that I have had the best opportunities of judging of his ability in all the branches of his profession. He is thoroughly educated, and has the power to apply that education to practical use in daily work, and being possessed of tact and judgment, he is rapidly obtaining an amount of success which must be encouraging to himself, and is most satisfactory to his friends.

The fact that he already holds responsible positions of trust is a guarantee of his attainments, and his earnest devotion to those placed under his care proves that he has that regard for human life which is so essential to success in the profession to which he belongs.

His experience both in this country and on the Continent has been extensive, and I have equal pleasure and confidence in strongly recommending him for the position for which he is now a candidate.

J. CRAWFORD RENTON, M.D.

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From George T. Beatson, B.A. (Cantab.), M.D., Assistant Surgeon to the Western Infirmary, Glasgow, and Examiner in Surgery to the University of Edinburgh.

I UNDERSTAND from Dr. T. H. BRYCE that he is a candidate for the post of Medical Officer to the Glasgow Post Office. As Dr. Bryce is personally well known to me, I have much pleasure in expressing an opinion as to his fitness for such an appointment, especially as I consider him in every way well qualified for it.

His professional skill and excellent abilities have already marked him out as one of the most promising of the younger men in the profession in this city, and his present post at Queen Margaret College is a further recommendation in his favour.

GEORGE T. BEATSON, M.D.