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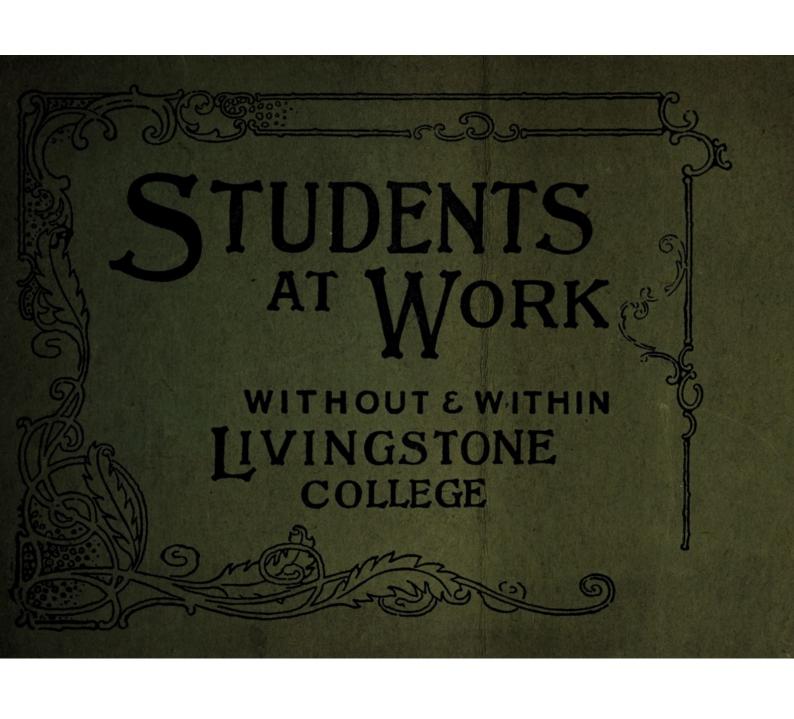
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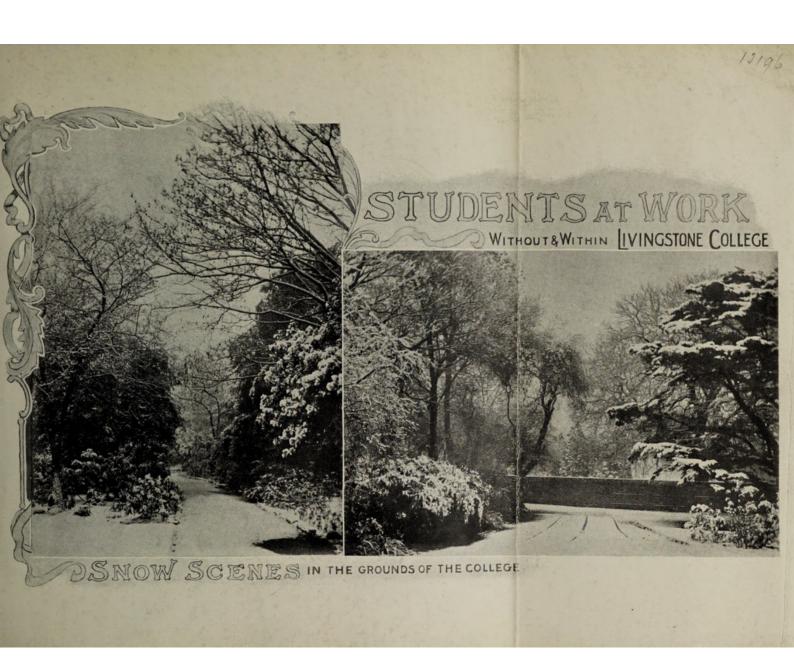


# Livingstone College

Exists for the purpose of giving instruction in the Elements of Medicine and Surgery to men who are already Missionaries or who are preparing to go forth as Missionaries, mainly to isolated posts, and the larger number to Tropical Climates.

The following illustrations are given in order to demonstrate in a graphic manner the character of the work which is included in the Livingstone College Course. On a former occasion a Series of Illustrations were published, shewing the interior and exterior of the College itself. It is important, however, to realise that a very large part of the instruction which the students receive is obtained outside the walls of the College in various Hospitals, and in the Medical Mission which is connected with the College. Thus it will be seen that the training given is

Essentially Practical.

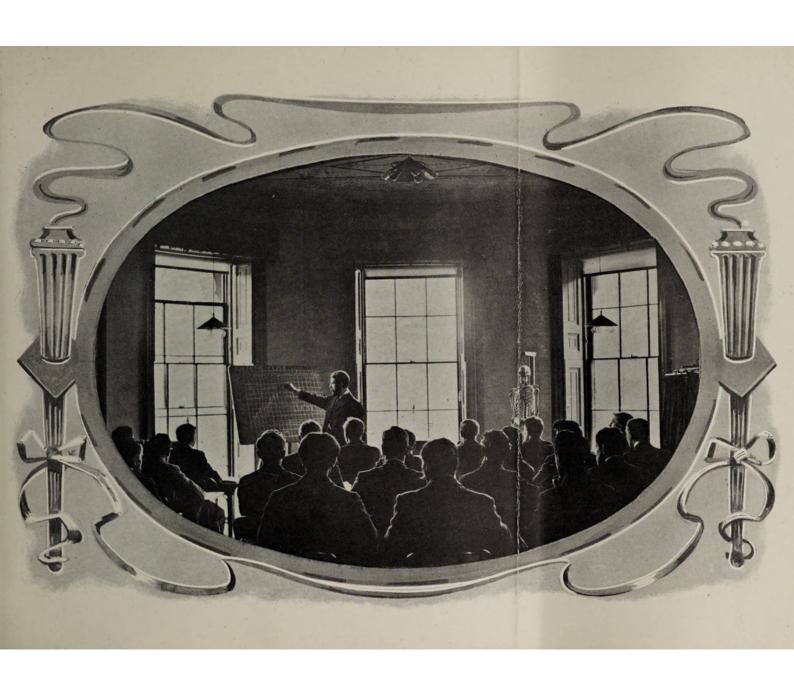


The College occupies the old family mansion, formerly the residence of the late Mr. J. Gurney Barclay. It is surrounded by beautiful grounds, giving opportunities for fresh air and exercise, and, whilst within easy reach of the various centres for practical work, it is close to Epping Forest. Its healthy surroundings are a great advantage for those who are going forth to unhealthy regions of the world.

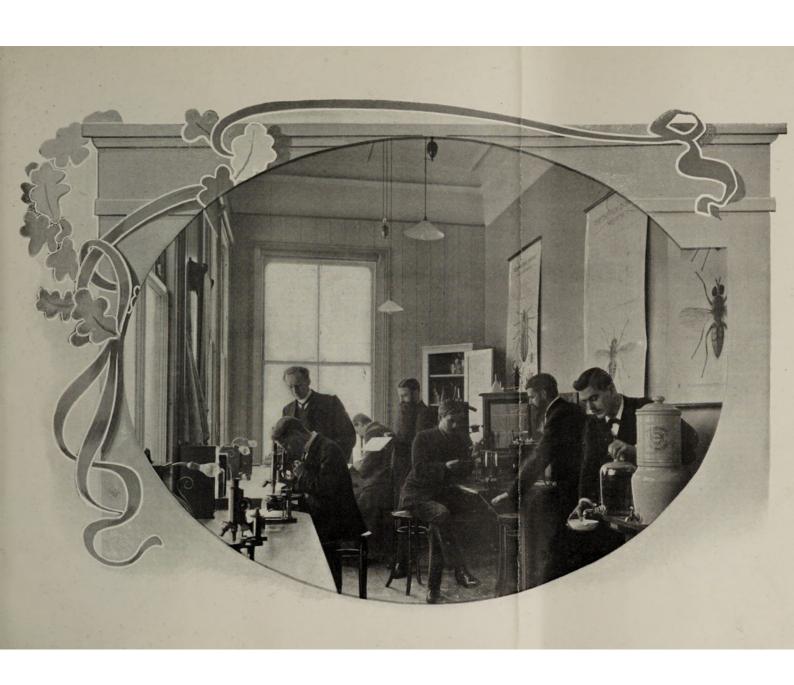


Careful systematic lectures are given in the College lecture room on all the subjects which it is believed will be of most practical importance to those who cannot spend more than nine months in medical study. In this manner the students are able to make the best use of their visits to the hospitals, as they are instructed, not only in the subjects to which it is desirable that they should give the most attention, but also are warned not to attempt methods of treatment which are beyond their power.

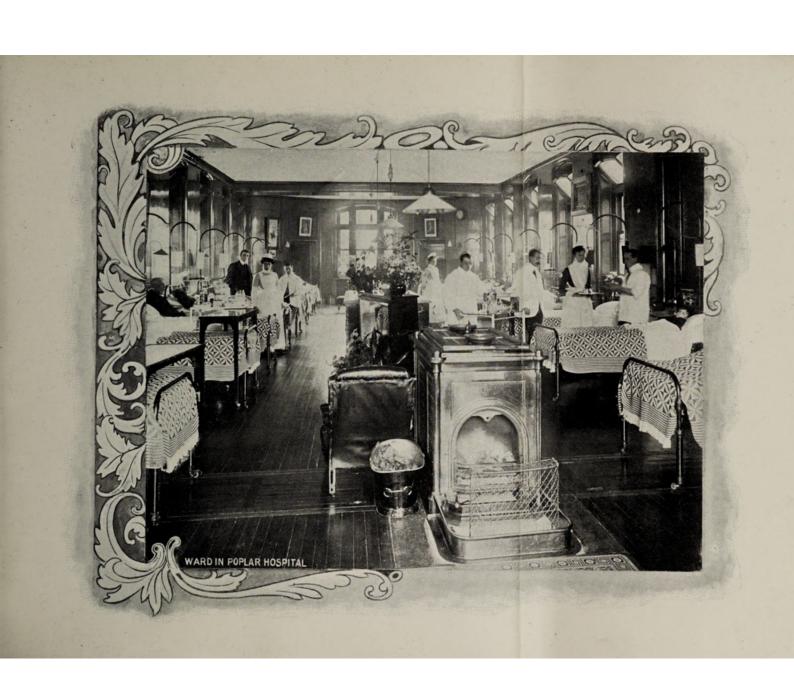
The Principal, Dr. Harford, is here seen giving a lecture on Enteric Fever, one of the most important subjects for missionaries going abroad beyond the reach of qualified medical aid.



The lessons taught in the lecture room are enforced by practical demonstrations in the laboratory, where the structure of different parts of the body is seen under the microscope, whilst the most common micro-organisms of disease are also shewn. Demonstrations by means of an electric lantern are given in the lecture room. The Vice-Principal, Dr. Basil Price, appears in the picture superintending the work of the students, the Principal also being present.



The Poplar and West Ham Hospitals have in the past served as training grounds for the Students in the department of minor surgery, these two Accident Hospitals in the East End receiving the numerous casualties from the docks on the one hand and the manufactories of West Ham on the other. Our picture shows a Ward in Poplar Hospital where the Students are seen accompanying the resident staff on their rounds.



The most important work is done in the out-patient department, and our illustration shews the students at work in the receiving room, where they act as dressers under the guidance of the resident medical and surgical staff, who are thus assisting in a material manner in the training of the Livingstone College students.

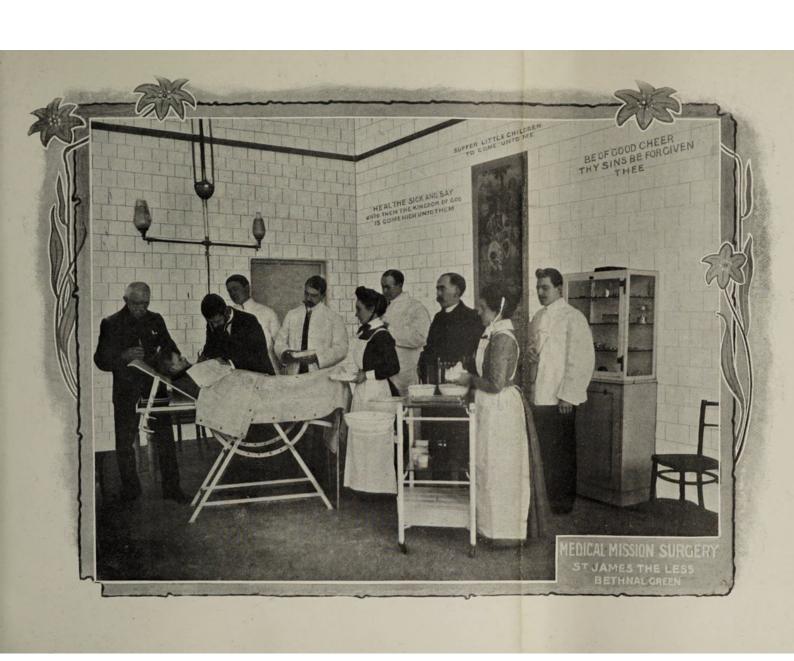


The Seamen's Branch Hospital in the Royal Albert Docks, to which the London School of Tropical Medicine is attached, gives an opportunity for seeing tropical diseases. In earlier days the students accompanied Sir Patrick Manson on his rounds, but more recently they have visited the wards with the House Physician.



The Medical Mission is carried on by the staff of Livingstone College, who thus have the opportunity giving definite instruction in medical and surgical diagnosis, and in the diseases of the eye and skin, besides practical dispensing.

Our illustration shews the new Memorial Surgery, which has tiled walls and ceiling, tarazzo flooring, and is fitted with aseptic furniture.



Full particulars concerning the various Courses of Training at Livingstone College may be obtained from the Principal, Livingstone College, Leyton, E., who will gratefully acknowledge Subscriptions or Donations, which are much needed, as the College is entirely without an Endowment Fund.

