together with the discussion which it provoked, in the *Philadelphia Medical Times* of January 8, 1883.

It may seem a gratuitous labor on my part to make this correction, but I am convinced of the need of it by the citation, in Keating's *Cyclopædia of the Diseases of Children*, of Dr. Daly as the sponsor for the calomel treatment. A proper regard for the memory of Dr. Reiter prompts me to speak.

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Shall The Journal be Removed to Washington?

ACTION OF THE AURORA (ILL.), MEDICAL SOCIETY.

At the regular meeting of this Society, held April 7, the following preamble and resolution was read, and unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, we as members of the Medical Profession, feel a deep interest in the prosperity and welfare of THE JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, situated as it is near the geographical centre of its numerous subscribers and contributors, with facilities for its early and rapid distribution unsurpassed in the United States, and believing that its removal to the City of Washington, in place of being an advantage, would certainly be a detriment to its usefulness. Therefore, be it,

Resolved, that we cast our unanimous vote to have it remain in its present location and under its present able management.

To the Editor.—I have been a member of the American Medical Association for a number of years, and have taken THE JOURNAL ever since its first publication, and live 900 miles from Chicago, and always receive it on the day of its issue, and find it increasing in value and interest; therefore, cannot see what advantage could be derived from changing the place of its publication from Chicago to Washington. Under such circumstances I say, let it remain in Chicago.

A. M. MILLER, M.D.

Bird-in-Hand, Pa., April 20, 1891.

To the Editor.—The publication of THE JOURNAL is preëminently a business enterprise. If the place of publication is to be changed, good and sufficient reason must be shown for such change; no argument being necessary to maintain a location when it has prospered. No argument has been brought forward which a business man would consider for a moment as a reason for changing his place of business. Therefore, do not change.

HORACE M. STARKEY, M.D.

Chicago, Ill., April 23, 1891.

To the Editor.—Those doctors at Washington who have endeavored to transfer THE JOURNAL, had better come to Chicago; they will find much to their own advantage. At least the good of THE JOURNAL and Association can be best served at the geographical centre, Chicago. Decidedly no! Do not remove THE JOURNAL to Washington. "Do not put it under a bushel."

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Denver, Col.

MISCELLANY.

MISSOURI STATE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.—The annual meeting of this Association will be held at Excelsior Springs, May 19th, 20th, and 21st.

Official List of Changes in the Stations and Duties of Officers Serving in the Medical Department, U. S. Army, from April 18, 1891, to April 24, 1891.

Major Alfred A. Woodhull, Surgeon, is detailed to represent the Medical Dept. of the Army at the International Congress of Hygiene and Demography, at its meeting in London, Eng., from August 10 to 17, 1891. He will leave his present station not later than June 1, 1891, and will proceed to London. After the adjournment of the Congress he will return to his proper station. While abroad under this order, and before returning to the United States, he will visit on official business such points in Great Britain as may be deemed necessary by the Surgeon General of the Army. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War. Par. 17, S. O. 91, A. G. O., Washington, April 22, 1891.

Capt. William F. Knudler, Asst. Surgeon, is relieved from duty at Jackson Bks., La., and will report in person to the commanding officer, Ft. Logan, Col., for duty at that post, reporting also by letter to the commanding General, Dept. of the Missouri. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War. Par. 2, S. O. 88, A. G. O., Hdqrs. of the Army, Washington, April 18, 1891.

Official List of Changes in the Medical Corps of the U. S. Navy, for the Week Ending April 25, 1891.

Medical Inspector D. McMurtrie, detached from Navy Yard, New York, and to the U. S. S. "Lancaster."

Medical Inspector Edward Kershner, detached from Marine Rendezvous and to Navy Yard, New York.

Surgeon C. G. Herndon, from Naval Hospital, New York, and to the Marine Rendezvous.

P. A. Surgeon James E. Gardner, ordered to Naval Hospital, New York.

Official List of Changes of Stations and Duties of Medical Officers of the U. S. Marine-Hospital Service, for the Two Weeks Ending April 18, 1891.

Surgeon P. A. Bailhache, to represent the Service at the annual meeting of the California State Medical Society. April 8, 1891. Detailed as chairman of Board for the physical examination of officers, Revenue Marine Service. April 14, 1891.

Surgeon John Vansant, detailed as chairman of Board for physical examination of officers, Revenue Marine Service. April 14, 1891.

Surgeon H. W. Austin, detailed as chairman of Boards for physical examination of officers and candidates, Revenue Marine Service. April 14 and 15, 1891.

Surgeon J. M. Gassaway, leave of absence extended five days. April 15, 1891.

Surgeon G. W. Stoner, to proceed to Alpena, Mich., on special duty. April 12, 1891.

P. A. Surgeon W. P. McIntosh, detailed as recorder of Board for physical examination of officers, Revenue Marine Service. April 14, 1891.

P. A. Surgeon G. M. Magruder, detailed as recorder of Board for physical examination of officers, Revenue Marine Service. April 15, 1891.

Asst. Surgeon T. B. Perry, ordered to examination for promotion. April 6, 1891.

Asst. Surgeon R. M. Woodward, ordered to examination for promotion. April 6, 1891.

Asst. Surgeon H. T. Goodwin, ordered to examination for promotion. April 6, 1891.

Asst. Surgeon G. T. Vaughan, ordered to examination for promotion. April 6, 1891.

Asst. Surgeon H. D. Geddings, detailed as recorder of Board for physical examination of officers and candidates, Revenue Marine Service. April 14, 1891.

Asst. Surgeon J. C. Perry, detailed as recorder of Board for physical examination of officers, Revenue Marine Service. April 14, 1891.

Asst. Surgeon J. F. Groenevelt, to rejoin station (New York). April 13, 1891.

Asst. Surgeon M. J. Rosenau, to proceed to Cairo, Ill., for temporary duty. April 13, 1891.