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Dr Pare, who was the author of a number of papers on dental science, was elected a Fellow of this Society in 1914.

SQUANCE, THOMAS COKE, M.D., F.R.M.S., Knight of Grace, Order of St John of Jerusalem (Major, R.A.M.C.), who received his medical training at the University of Durham and St Thomas's Hospital, was a Consulting Physician in the Royal Infirmary, Sunderland, and in the Monkwearmouth and Southwick Hospital. He was Medical Officer of Health for Sunderland, R.D.C.; Surgeon, Sunderland Hospital for Women and Children; Physician and Lecturer, Hygiene and Public Health to the Nursing Staff of the Royal Infirmary, Sunderland; and a past President of the Sunderland Antiquarian Society and the Naturalists' Association. Dr Squance was the author of medical papers in *Transactions Sunderland and North Durham Medical Society*, 1885-86; *Knight's Poor Law Reports*, 1889; and *The Lancet*, 1902.

He was elected a Fellow of this Society in 1906, and died on 29th May 1923, in his seventy-second year.

THOMSON, WILLIAM, F.I.C., F.C.S., was born in Glasgow in 1851, came to Manchester in 1869, and entered, as assistant to Dr Crace-Calvert, the Royal Institution Laboratory, Princess Street. At the age of twenty-two he became a partner in the firm of Crace-Calvert & Thomson, and later took sole charge of the practice, combining with it the office of Public Analyst for Stockport.

Mr Thomson joined the Manchester Literary and Philosophical Society in 1873, served on its Council for many years, and was President from 1917-19. Many of his papers on varied subjects were contributed to this Society. As recently as November last he presented to it the actual tubes, containing sulphides of calcium, barium, etc., which he demonstrated to Sir William Crookes in 1877 and which proved to be the first of three steps which led to the discovery of X-rays by Röntgen.

He was one of the original members of the Society of Chemical Industry, a leading force in the Institute of Chemistry, a member of the Executive Committee of the Air Pollution Advisory Board (Manchester Corporation), and a past President of the Caledonian Association.