

ARRIVAL OF MR. S. B. PLATT IN OLDHAM.

Last evening, at 6.30, Mr. S. B. Platt arrived at Werneth Station, and our readers will be pleased to learn that he looks little the worse for his recent severe accident, and for the pain and suffering he has since undergone. The saloon carriage in which Mr. Platt had travelled was run on to one of the coal sidings, and the invalid, with assistance, entered his open carriage, and was driven to his residence, Werneth Hall. Dr. Thomson, his medical attendant, met him at the Werneth Station, and accompanied him on the drive, which was accomplished without any undue fatigue being felt. There was a crowd of spectators at Werneth Station, and on all hands expressions of satisfaction were heard at Mr. Platt's return to Oldham, and that the result of his unfortunate fall had not been more severe. Later inquiries elicit the fact that Mr. Platt can now get about pretty well on crutches, and that he is in a fair way towards complete recovery.

THE OLDHAM INFIRMARY.

The quarterly meeting of the Governors of the above institution was held last night, Mr. C. E. Lees presiding.—Mr. A. UNK (secretary) read the report for the quarter, which stated that Dr. Martland had been re-appointed the assistant surgeon. The total number of cases during the quarter had been 1,338, dental cases 304, eye cases 83, total 1,178. An appeal was made on behalf of the Hospital Saturday fund.—On the motion of the CHAIRMAN, seconded by the Rev. J. P. ROUNTREE, the report was adopted as satisfactory.—The Rev. A. J. J. CACHEMAILE, in proposing that the Visiting and Admission Committee should be re-elected as heretofore, said he regretted that that would be the last time his name would appear amongst the names of the members of that committee.—The Rev. B. M. DAVIES, who seconded, remarked that he regretted deeply that the probability was that they would not have Mr. Cachemaille with them again. The rev. gentleman remarked that he wished it to be publicly known that gifts of old linen would be as acceptable at the Infirmary as in the past.—The CHAIRMAN, in putting the resolution, observed that he might add his personal regret at the loss they were about to sustain through the removal of Mr. Cachemaille, who had always been a true friend to that institution and other charitable institution in the town.—The resolution having been carried, the Rev. A. J. J. CACHEMAILE took opportunity to thank the Governors for their kind expressions regarding himself.—Alderman NOTON, in reply to a query as to the Hospital Saturday fund, stated that he thought the amount that would be realised this year would be quite as much as in former years.—The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.