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OBITUARY.

J. E. DAVIES, M. A.,

by

H. H. Prince Dhani,

member of the Editorial Committee.

The unexpected illness, followed by death, of Mr. Davies, has deprived the Thailand Research Society of one of its most active members. Never sparing himself when once he undertook a task, he always put in thorough and systematic work which was backed up by scruple and the highest of ideals. The deceased has edited the Society's Journal for some years, having stepped in at a time when the Society was in great need of an editor. The high standard of the Journal has been kept up with more regularity through his tenure of office. As Hon. Editor, he hardly ever missed a monthly meeting of the Council, in the deliberations of which his participation was productive of practical results. His fairness and devotion were features which any member who has attended its meetings with any regularity could not fail to notice.

As a former colleague in his professional work, as well as later on the Council of the Thailand Research Society and its Editorial committee, it is my duty hereby to record the deep appreciation of his loyal and devoted co-operation, the loss of which is deeply mourned. Association with him has made me realise so much more the truth of the saying of the Buddha that:

TRUSTED MEN ARE THE CLOSEST OF KIN.

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