OBITUARY

G.B. McFarland, M.D.

We have to record with great regret the death in 1944 of one of our most senior members in the person of Dr. G. B. McFarland, a Vice-President of the Society. The late doctor was a well-known public figure, having participated in the activities of the local American Presbyterian Mission as well as in the Government furtherance of medical education which resulted in the establishment of the great School of Medicine in Chulalongkorn University. For this participation he was rewarded with many tokens of royal approbation among which was the nobility rank of Phra with the style of Ach Vidyagom by which he is better known among the Siamese public.

His connection with our Society has been no less active. Besides literary contributions to the Journal, the deceased served for many years as a member of Council until he finally rose to the Vice-Presidency. He will be remembered also for the co-operation he gave to the Society facilitating entry and road-construction to its present home.

Phya Bhakdi Norasresth.

We regret also to mention the death recently of a generous member in the person of the late Phya Bhakdi Norasresth who was ever willing to help the Society. His munificent contribution to our building fund can never be forgotten.