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Decease of the President.

We regret to announce that a few days after his election, our new President, Frederick Goodall Cash, died at the residence of his son-in-law at Middlesbrough, Yorks, aged eighty. A brief obituary and some Notes from his pen appear on later pages.