

possible date, a sufficient number of copies of the President's address, delivered to-day, for distribution to every member of the profession on the register of Ontario.

7. Dr. Bergin, an address to Lord Aberdeen upon His Excellency assuming the duties of Governor-General of the Dominion.

#### COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS.

Communications and petitions were then read, received and referred to committees as follows:

From E. D. Ayles, J. Brown, H. V. Boyd, James Bell, G. W. Barber, Geo. T. Campbell, J. C. Copp, W. F. Cunningham, Geo. S. Cameron, W. A. Cooper, W. P. Davis, J. J. Davis, F. W. Delmage, F. A. Dale, J. L. Easton, Geo. Foster, E. K. Findlay, Jas. Gray, W. E. Graham, Jas. Grant, W. J. Geddes, E. G. Hodgson, C. J. Hardie, W. S. Harper, Geo. H. Jackson, E. A. Johnston, J. W. King, F. W. Linley, Dr. Lovett, A. Letellier, J. P. Morton, H. Maw, G. H. Manchester, W. P. Mason, W. A. McIntosh, W. J. McNeill, R. McKenzie, G. S. McGhie, D. A. McKillop, P. W. Perry, S. Pearce, H. W. Scott, W. Stephens, C. E. Watson, Dr. Brosseau, W. J. C. Miller. Report Board Examiners, referred to Education Committee.

From Z. Hemphill, referred to Property Committee.

From M. Baker, A. Boillon, W. F. Drysdale, H. A. Johnston, Thos. Kerr, A. T. Shillington, Jno. Stenhouse, Reg. White, referred to Committee on Complaints.

From A. E. Murphy, referred to Committee on Discipline.

From the London Medical Society, the Ontario Medical Association, referred to Special Committee.

From R. M. Luten, G. E. Chaperon, Jacob Zelinski, N. Washington, referred to Registration Committee.

From J. N. E. Brown, Frank Evans, W. B. Boyd, J. W. Arnott, Hannah A. Benedict, A. McKnight, referred to Finance Committee.

From the Bryant Press Publishing Co.; W. Beattie Nesbitt, of *Dominion Medical Monthly*; *Canadian Practitioner*; ONTARIO MEDICAL JOURNAL Publishing Co., communications to the Printing Committee.

From Dr. A. C. Bowerman, to Committee on Rules and Regulations.

On the report of the prosecutor being presented, Dr. Bray suggested that consideration of this report be deferred in order to permit the committees to proceed with their work and prepare their reports for submission to the Council.

Dr. BERGIN. I think the several committees should meet and organize. The prosecutor's report, I think, does not receive the attention each year that it ought to receive from the Council; and I think in some way it should be put in the hands of every member of the Council, so that he could give it the most careful consideration before he comes to pronounce upon it, and that cannot be done if the report is simply read from the table.

Dr. Bray moved, seconded by Dr. Fulton, that a copy of the prosecutor's report be furnished to each member of this Council; and that the consideration of the report be the first order of business for Thursday afternoon. Carried.

Moved by Dr. Johnson, seconded by Dr. Bray, that the communication from the Ontario Medical Society,

re Lodge and Contract Practice, be referred to Special Committee. Carried.

On motion, the communication from the Medical Society of London, re Lodge and Contract Practice, was referred to the same committee.

#### REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Dr. Campbell presented the report of the professional examinations held in Toronto and Kingston.

On motion the report was referred to the Education Committee.

A communication from Thomas Wasson, Prosecutor of the College, re D. A. Rose and W. E. Bessey, was referred to the Discipline Committee.

On motion of Dr. Bray, the Council adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning, to allow the committees to organize and proceed with committee work.

#### SECOND DAY.

Wednesday, June 13th, 1894.

The Council met at 10 o'clock a.m., according to motion for adjournment, the President, Dr. Philip, in the chair.

The following members were present:

Drs. Bergin, Bray, Britton, Campbell, Day, Fowler, Fulton, Geikie, Harris, Henderson, Henry, Johnson, Logan, Luten, Miller, Moore, Moorhouse, Orr, Philip, Rogers, Rosebragh, Rutan, Thorburn, Vernon and Williams.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read by the Registrar, and confirmed and signed by the President.

#### NOTICES OF MOTION.

1. Dr. Logan gave notice of motion re vaccination.

#### COMMUNICATIONS.

Dr. Britton presented a communication from one, W. S. Cunningham. Referred to Education Committee.

Dr. Pyne presented a communication from John P. Morton, which was also referred to the Education Committee.

#### MOTIONS OF WHICH NOTICE HAD BEEN GIVEN AT A PREVIOUS MEETING.

Dr. Campbell moved, seconded by Dr. Thorburn, in accordance with notice of motion yesterday, that in any case of discipline acted upon in the future by this Council, where the accused has been found guilty, there shall be no suspension of sentence until the Council has first been reimbursed all expenses incurred by it in the investigation of such case. I have an idea it will not be necessary for me to say very much in this connection, as I think the resolution will commend itself to the judgment of the members of the Council. The Council has taken a very lenient course in the past in connection with the investigation of cases of alleged improper conduct; it has treated the parties so accused with all due fairness, and when they have been found guilty it has invariably given them an opportunity for repentance by suspending sentence. That has been the proper course of procedure on the part of the Council in introducing and establishing a method of discipline, which has been hitherto un-