

that he is willing to serve as an assistant to some eminent practitioner. He yearns particularly for New York, but has no objection to Baltimore or Washington. His failure at home (Montreal) he attributes to the narrow notions of Ethics that prevail in Canada, whereby physicians are prevented from acquainting the public of their great abilities by the various means made use of by persons in other spheres of life. He feels the germs of greatness in his soul, and all he wants is a "chance." The *N. Y. Medical Journal* advises our yearning and aspiring genius to give up his dream of American license, and suggests that it would probably be better for him to shorten sail at home. We should advise him to set sail for the Far West, where no ethical restraints are imposed, and where geniuses are never entertained unawares. We should like our friends on the other side of the line to understand that the use of "reduced bills for cards" is quite as much frowned upon by the profession here as in the older communities in the United States, and that the card of our disappointed, but ambitious, fellow-citizen is as much a curiosity to us as it is to them. The card, as given in the *New York Medical Journal*, we print below:—

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NERVOUS DISORDERS IN BOTH SEXES, NERVE EXHAUSTION, INEBRIETY, AND  
 DISEASES OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

## CANADA MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

The Kingston meeting was on the whole very successful. The number in attendance fell somewhat below the average, but all sections of the country were fairly represented. The local committee had made excellent arrangements for the reception of the association, and ample accommodation was afforded by the new buildings of Queen's College. Unfortunately the largest hotel in the city was closed for repairs, and good quarters were difficult to get. Dr. Mullin made an admirable President, and under his guidance the general meetings passed off very harmoniously. In the sections a number of good papers were presented, which elicited full and animated discussion. Dr. Graham's paper on Leprosy at Tracadie, and Dr. James Bell's on Resection of the Bowel, seemed to be the