removed from the church of St. Martin's-in-the-fields to this Abbey on the 28th March, 1859. The Royal College of Surgeons of England have placed this tablet over the grave of Hunter to record their admiration of his genius as a gifted interpreter of the Divine power and wisdom at work in the laws of organic life, and their grateful veneration for his services to mankind as the founder of scientific surgery." This inscription is deeply cut in brass, of a Gothic design, inlaid in a slab of polished granite. Mr. Weekes is intrusted with the model of the statue, which is to be of marble, and to be placed in the Hunterian Museum -Ed. Medical Journal, Oct., 1860.

Dr. Rigby's Library.—At a late meeting of the Obstetrical Society of London, a letter from the executors of the estate of the late Dr. Rigby, announced that that gentleman, in his will, had bequeathed to the Society the whole of his valuable Obstetrical Library, consisting of upwards of 200 volumes, among which were included a complete series of the works of the first Dr. Rigby, and many interesting lectures in M.S.S. taken by the two Rigbys.

## BIRTHS.

In this city on the 8th February, the wife of Dr. Roberts of a daughter.

In Carleton Place, on the 12th instant, the wife of Dr. W. H. Hurd, of a daughter.

In Woodstock, on the 2nd instant, the wife of Dr. William Scott, of a son.

At Lambton Village, Etobicoke, on the 11th in-tant, the wife of Thomas Beatty, M.D., of a son.

## MARRIAGES.

At St. Remi, on the 11th February, by the Rev. J. Gravil, Francois G. Hamilton, Esq., N.P., to Marie E. P. Dugas, only daughter of Aimé Dugas, M.D., of St. Remi.

In Toronto, on the 2nd instant, by the Rev. W. Sanson, John Clarke, Captain, Commanding Depot 100th Prince of Wales Royal Canadian Regiment, to Haunah Maria, eldest daughter of the late Honorable Christopher Widmer, M.D., M.R.C.S.L.

## DEATHS.

In Walpole, on Sunday, February 17th, Esther, wife of Dr. T. S. Harrison, Jun. aged 29.

In Hamilton, on the morning of the 26th February, Gerald O'Reilly, M.D., aged 53 years, for twenty-six years a leading physician of that city.

In Montreal, on the 16th February, Edith, daughter of W. E. Scott, M.D., Professor of Anatomy, McGill College, aged 3 years and 9 months.

In Philadelphia, on the 4th instant, Thomas Harris, M.D., U. S. Navy, aged 78 years, the oldest medical officer of the United States Navy.

At Munich, lately, Dr. Tredeman, the ancient Physiologist, aged 87 years.

At Würzburg, lately, M. Textor, M.D., aged 78, formerly Professor of Surgery in the University at that place, and well known from his resection of joints.

At Philadelphia, on the 21st November last, Major John Lacompte, of the United States corps of Engineers, aged 77. He was celebrated for his contributions to the sciences of Botany and Zoology.

## BOOKS, &c., RECEIVED.

- ANNUAL REPORT of the Normal, Model, Grammar and Common Schools in Upper Canada for the year 1859, with Appendices; by the Chief Superintendent of Education, printed by order of the Legislative Assembly: Quebec, Thompson & Co., 1860. 8vo. pampl., p. 178.
- LIVES of Eminent American Physicians and Surgeons of the nineteenth century; edited by Samuel D. Gross, M.D., Professor of Surgery in the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia. Philadelphia: Lindsay and Blakiston. Montreal: Dawson & Sons. Royal, 8vo. price \$3:50.
- THEORY AND PRACTICE OF THE MOVEMENT CURE, &c., by the Swedish system of localized movements; by Charles Fayette Taylor, M.D., with illustrations. Philadelphia, Lindsay and Blakiston. Montreal: B. Dawson & Sons, 1861. Royal, 12mo., price \$1.00.