

years ago in bringing Trinity Medical College into the university scheme of college union and federation.

In another capacity also Dr. Wright has done good work for the medical profession. As one of the editors of the *Canadian Practitioner*, he has kept a high ideal before the medical profession. He has stood for a clean profession, a capable profession, and a profession that lived at peace with one another.

Few men in Canada has attended medical societies more faithfully than he. Very few annual meetings of the Ontario Medical Association or of the Canada Medical Association have been allowed to pass without his presence. He was not a silent attendant either, as he was one of the clearest of contributors to their transactions and discussions. In these organizations his influence and teachings have been wide and valuable. He has been president of both of these associations. In the early days of the Toronto Medical Society he was one of the most regular of attendants. In the work of the old Toronto Medical Society, Drs. Adam Wright, R. Zimmerman, I. H. Cameron, and R. B. Nevitt played a very important part.

Dr. Adam Wright has retired from teaching, but not from practise. We wish him many years of health to enjoy the society of his many medical friends. He was ever loyal to a friend and with Shakespeare could truly say:—

As in the remembrance of my good friends.
In nothing do I count myself so happy,

DR. F. F. FRIEDMANN'S TREATMENT OF TUBERCULOSIS.

It is too soon to state anything at all definite about the real merits or demerits of this treatment. Some patients treated by this method have died, some have made no improvement, and others have apparently improved. These latter cases may be only showing the improvement that comes from hope. We have known dying consumptives declare that they were getting better when under the treatment of the most notorious forms of charlatanism, because, for the time being, they had a sense of expectation implanted in their breasts.

Many of the leading medical journals are expressing views of a very cautious character, and advising patience, as it will take a considerable time to make clear whether the treatment is really to be classed as a "cure." We hope it may prove its right to be placed in this list.