Dr. Howard, of Boston, and Dr. C. Holmes. of Cincinnati, two hospital experts engaged by the governors of the Toronto General Hospital, visited Toronto April 19th, and consulted with Messrs. Darling & Pearson respecting the plans of the new hospital.

## Obituary.

## PETER DAVID GOLDSMITH, M.D., L.R.C.P. (Lond.) M.R.C.S. (Eng.)

Dr. P. D. Goldsmith was a well-known medical practitioner for many years in the Bay of Quinte district. He received his medical education in "Rolph's School" and the degree of M.D. from Victoria University in 1868. After practising for a time in Campbellford, he went to England and engaged in post-graduate work. On his return to Canada he practised for a time in Peterborough, and then moved to Belleville, where he practised for a number of years. He retired from active practice about two years ago and removed to Toronto. Early in April he went to Belleville on a visit, and while there had an attack of faintness and died within a short time. Dr. Perry Goldsmith, of 84 Carlton Street, is his son.

Lieut.-Col. Chas. Clark, formerly member of the Ontario Legislature, and Speaker of the House from 1880-86, and Clerk of the House from 1891 until the time of his retirement. died at Elora, April 6th, aged 83. He was the father of Dr. Chas. K. Clark, the superintendent of Toronto Hospital for the Insane.

Mrs. Robert Hay, mother of Dr. S. M. Hay. Toronto, died at Los Angeles, Cal., April 1st.

Mrs. Hodgetts, wife of Dr. Chas. A. Hodgetts, of Toronto, died March 31st.