

## MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
Toronto, February 20, 1858.

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz. :—

John Lorn McDougall, Esq., to be an Associate Coroner for the United Counties of Lanark and Renfrew.

Ernest A. Koetsch, Esq., M.D., to be an Assistant Coroner for the County of Waterloo.

Thomas Graham, Esq., to be an Associate Coroner for the County of Lincoln.

Alexander Richard Stephen, Esq., Surgeon, to be an Associate Coroner for the County of Simcoe.

TORONTO, February 27, 1858.

His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz. :—

Gabriel Balfour, Henry Lemmon, and Robert Hill Dee, M.D., Esquires, to be Associate Coroners for the County of Brant.

Alexander Richard Stephen, Esquire, Surgeon, to be Coroner for the Town of Collingwood.

## MILITARY DISTRICT NUMBER NINE, LOWER CANADA.

*First Battalion of Vercheres.*—To be Surgeon : Jacques Adelstan Le-Moyne de Maitigny, Esq., vice Nichols, deceased.

## M E D I C A L N E W S .

Liebig has analysed the bread sent to him from Hong Kong, and has found it to contain a quarter-gramme of arsenic for every fifty grammes of bread, or more than sufficient to cause death. *It had been mixed with the dough.* . . . . Animal and vegetable substances may be kept for a long period perfectly free from decomposition when immersed in glycerine. . . . . An Inebriate Asylum is about to be founded in New York: collections in aid of it have already been raised to the amount of \$32,000. The total amount to be raised is \$50,000. . . . . A woman was lately delivered (says the *Wolverhampton Chronicle*) of two dead children, who had grown together and were united at the lower part of the stomach. . . . . Mr. Erichsen, Professor of Surgery in University College, London, has been appointed Dr. Lee's reader in Anatomy in the University of Oxford. . . . . A dentist has been lately elected to St. George's Hospital, London; the *lucky* gentleman is a Mr. Vesey, of Bond Street. He was selected by ballot from six candidates.