

perplexing cases might be brought under discussion at these meetings, and the suggestions and opinions of the various members might be found useful and valuable in arriving at a correct diagnosis, or in determining the appropriate plan of treatment.

All will admit that the time has come when the profession should be united more firmly and cordially together, that they should extend to each other more than ever the right hand of fellowship, and endeavor, by their actions and conduct towards each other, to secure more fully the confidence and respect of the public, and endeavor, by their example of moral rectitude, to elevate the standard of the profession in this country, and place themselves in a position second to none other of the learned professions.

The profession of medicine, if properly and honorably sustained, is one of the noblest and purest to which a man can devote his time and talents. It affords him many opportunities of doing good to his fellow-beings, and relieving the pangs of suffering humanity. It affords him many opportunities for the exercise of self-denial, and of bringing into play those finer feelings which tend to elevate and ennoble the mind. It constantly brings before his mind the many imperfections, weaknesses and infirmities of human nature, and teaches him many useful and moral lessons which, if properly considered and observed, may prove highly important and instructive.

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By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that Mr. Rose (Chemist and Druggist, corner of Queen and Yonge-sts., Toronto), has been appointed agent for the sale of Codman & Shurtleff's Atomizing instruments. Heretofore the agency was in the hands of the proprietor of the *Domion Medical Journal*, but we have thought it better and more convenient to the profession, to turn them over to Mr. Rose, who now offers for sale—the Steam Atomizer for purposes of inhalation, the Atomizer for local Anæsthesia, and also the Nasal Douche. These instruments are all well finished, and perfect in every respect. We have one of the Steam Atomizers, and it works well, is easily adjusted, and gives good satisfaction. The