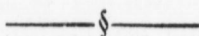


# QUEBEC LUNATIC ASYLUM.



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THE PROVINCIAL SECRETARY,

*Premier of the Province of Quebec.*

SIR,

We have the honor of presenting you with our Annual Medical Report of the Quebec Lunatic Asylum, for the year ending on the 30th June, 1875.

In consequence of the grave and disastrous circumstances which have occurred, we are not enabled to give to it the extent we should have desired ; we are also, from the same cause, restrained from giving you anything except the statistics for the year, and to call your attention to the very important questions which have occupied our minds during the last six months.

A terrible and unexpected drama has taken place, which, in one short night, has plunged us into consternation and mourning.

The greater portion of the principal building of the Asylum, then occupied by the Female patients and by the officers of the administration, was destroyed in the commencement of this year.