

The funeral took place on the Wednesday following the death and was very largely attended not only by the medical fraternity of Hamilton and Toronto, but by citizens generally.

The pall-bearers were, Drs. Graham, Toronto; White, Mackelcan, Woolverton, Russell and David Thompson, Hamilton. The remains were taken to the Church of the Ascension where a service was conducted by the Rev. W. H. Wade and Rev. F. E. Howitt, and afterwards to the place of interment in the Hamilton Cemetery.

Amongst the medical men present from Toronto were: Dr. Thorburn, President College Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario; Dr. R. A. Pyne, Registrar of same. Dr. Reeve, Dean of University of Toronto, Medical Department; Dr. Graham, Prof. University of Toronto; Dr. B. L. Riordan, Surg. G. T. R.; Dr. J. D. Thorburn, Dr. C. O'Reilly, Pres. Toronto General Hospital; Dr. Adam Wright, Toronto University; Dr. Britton, Member Toronto University Medical Council; Dr. Herner Mullen, Staff of General Hospital; and also Dr. W. W. Thompson, of Niagara Falls South.

DR. JAS. H. BURNS.

It is a matter of personal regret for us to write, as it was for our readers to hear, of the sudden death of Dr. Burns at his home in the city of Toronto. Dr. Burns was a model physician. With

a high degree of skill and good judgment he combined so much geniality and sympathy that he was not only trusted but loved by his patients and friends.

Dr. Burns' native place was Oshawa, where his early years were spent. He was a student at Upper Canada College; later he studied medicine at the University of Toronto, where he received his degree at the age of 21. This was about the time of the Fenian trouble, and deceased gentleman acted

as assistant surgeon to Colonel Denison's provisional regiment. He was the attendant of many a wounded man at Ridgeway.

After the raid was over he went to Collingwood, where splendid success attended him during some ten years. His next move was to Toronto in 1876, where he remained until called away. He served for several years on the Medical Council, and in 1888 was its president. At

the recent contest for the Western Territorial Division of Toronto, he was elected to serve again; but two hours after, he was dead.

After an attack of La Grippe some years ago, Dr. Burns had, we understand, certain cardiac seizures resembling angina pectoris. There were some signs of cardio vascular changes, but no marked objective signs were noted.

He was on the staffs of the General and St. John's Hospitals, was a member of Toronto Clinical Society and Ontario Medical Association.



THE LATE DR. JAS. H. BURNS