

I think it most desirable that all the detailed expenditure of the Council should be published, and I hope that the President of the Council will see his way clear to accept your offer to print it without cost to the Council if the Council feels that it is too expensive an undertaking for itself.

Yours faithfully,

F. N. G. STARR.

Toronto, May 3rd, 1910.

The Managing Editor,

CANADIAN JOURNAL OF MEDICINE AND SURGERY,
Toronto:

SIR,—The President of the College of Physicians and Surgeons complains of your editorial calling attention to the increasing expenditure of the Medical Council. He complains that your totals are incorrect, because you included the stenographer. I think it was magnanimous upon your part to include the stenographer.

Your editorial and Doctor Hardy's reply impelled me to look up my Council Announcement, and regarding that Special Educational Session that the Doctor speaks of as lasting three days, I find the cost was \$2,704.30. I find, too, that twenty-eight members attended that Session. Upon inquiry I find that members of Council receive \$20.00 a day, so that each member is entitled to \$60.00 for that Special Session. Twenty-eight members at \$60.00 means a cost of \$1,680.00 to the College. Where did the balance of \$1,024.30 go?

Can the President answer?

Can the Treasurer answer?

Can the Registrar answer?

Can the Auditor answer?

Can the Chairman of the Finance Committee answer? (The President claims that he safeguards Council expenditure.)

Can some members of the Council tell where that Thousand odd dollars did go?

PRACTITIONER.