as a chemist and druggist under the Quebec Pharmacy act, 38 Vict., cap. 27. The defendants maintained that the evidence submitted to to them was insufficient to qualify plaintiff, and the Court "hearing the evidence, and looking at the spirit of the Act, decided that the defendants had acted as they ought to have done, and that the plaintiff had not held the position which entitled him to the benefit of the Act," and therefore dismissed the action, with costs. The Canadian Pharmaceutical Journal of Toronto says "We understand that a similar action will in all probability be brought against our Ontario Association, and this case may serve very opportunely as a precedent.

## MICROSCOPIC PHOTOGRAPHS IN HISTOLOGY.

In our last issue we noticed the prospectus of this publication, and we now have to acknowledge the receipt of the two first numbers, April and May. The Photographs are really very beautiful and the letter press concise and to the point. To Physicians who are too busily engaged to devote much time to the microscope this publication II be very valuable. It is published monthly at Philadelphia, by J. H. Coats & Co.,-60 cents per number, or \$6.00 a year.

## PERSONAL.

Drs. A. B. Craig, A. Laramée and E. P. Lachapelle have been appointed Assistant Physicians to the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Montreal. Dr. Duval has been appointed Resident Physician or House Surgeon to the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Montreal. This is the first time such an appointment has been made, and in view of its necessity it seems singular it should not have been made long ago.

Dr. P. A. Shee, (C. M., M.D., Bishop's College, 1874) has removed from Quebec to Inverness, Megantic.

Dr. Cline has recovered from his attack of typhoid fever, and has proceeded to Tadousac, mouth of the River Saguenay, where he will pass the season.

Dr. Molson, B.A., Assistant Demonstrator, McGill College, has returned to Montreal from Europe.

Dr. Henry Harkin (M.D., McGill College, 1867) Basin, P.Q., or to the Editor of this who for several years was surgeon on the Allan Mail ing stamp to pay postage of a reply.

line, has been in practice in Guelph, Ont., for two or three years. He was in Montreal during June. His many friends will learn that he is meeting with much success in the field he has selected for his future labors.

Dr. Strowbridge, (M.D., McGill College, 1862;) is in practice in Cincinnatti, Ohio, U. S.

Dr. H.L. Gilbert, (M.D., McGill College, 1875) and son of Dr. Gilbert, of Sherbrooke, passed his examination before the Royal College of Surgeons of England, in April last and received his diploma.

The following Canadian medical men, at present pursuing their studies in London, were, by special permission, present at the private game of Lacrosse, which was played, by request, before Her Majesty Queen Victoria, at Windsor Castle, on the 26th of June, by the Canadian Lacrosse team :—

Dr. Richard McDonnell (son of Dr. R. L. McDonnell), of Montreal; Dr. Herbert L. Reddy (son of Dr. Reddy, of Montreal); Dr. Ritchie, of Montreal; Dr. H. L. Gilbert (son of Dr. Gilbert, of sherbrooke); Dr. Scott, Hull.

## THE CENTENNIAL EXHIBITION.

With a view of showing all who intend visiting the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia, that that city is one of the healthiest of its size, the Bureau of Medical Service has issued a circular on its ratio of mortality, compared to London, Vienna, Berlin, Paris and New York. We must say that the quaker city makes a good exhibit, and stands at the foot of the list. Vienna comes first, showing a mortality of 31.42 per 1000, while Philadelphia is but 22.47 per 1000. We think there can be no doubt but that all who wish may, with an easy mind, visit the Exhibition.

## VACANCY FOR A PHYSICIAN.

A vacancy exists for a Physician and Surgeon, at Gaspe Basin. A large tract of country, from For River to Perce, with a population of 10,000, is vacant. There are two Government grants, one of \$100, and the other of \$80, being respectively for Marine and Indian attendance. The opening is an excellent one, for a man whe is willing to work. Apply, by letter, to John Short, Esq., M.P., Gaspe Basin, P. Q., or to the Editor of this Journal, enclosing stamp to pay postage of a reply.