

these patients in the early months following their injury is unfortunately lacking. If these were intimately known some further light might be thrown upon their condition.

The foregoing notes of cases are recorded more as simple clinical memoranda than as a discussion of the various conditions presented.

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BY E. J. BARRICK, M.D., PRESIDENT, TORONTO.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,—Before commencing my address I wish to read a short letter from one who has done more to advance this cause than perhaps any other person in this country, who has been instrumental in introducing into the Legislature at the last session a bill which makes it possible to bring a sanatorium within reach of every consumptive in every municipality of this Province. I refer to the Hon. J. R. Stratton, whom we expected to have had with us to-night. Wherever the campaign against consumption is pressed, the "Stratton Sanatorium Bill" will be referred to as an up-to-date measure, and worthy of being copied in every province and territory in this Dominion:

TORONTO, May 8th, 1900.

DR. E. J. BARRICK,
60 Bond St., City:

Dear Sir,—I very greatly regret that pressure of official occupation deprives me of the pleasure of accepting your kind invitation to be present at the meeting of your Association.

I can assure you, however, that my sympathy is with it, and my best wishes for the success of the work of your Association accompany my regrets at my inability to be with you to-night.

Yours sincerely,

J. R. STRATTON.

On the 20th and 21st of May, 1899, there was held in Berlin, at the request of the Emperor of Germany, a congress of leading medical men and scientists, who for two days discussed the subject of consumption and other forms of tuberculosis.