

what is said of these poisonous papers can be said of the other poisonous contrivances for the destruction of flies. In the United States there have been many deaths recorded among children who have accidentally partaken of these preparations.

This matter should come before the attention of those who take an interest in child welfare and preventive medicine. Measures should be taken to stop the sale of all fly-destroying preparations. This would work no hardship upon the householder who wishes to do what is possible to arrest the multiplication of flies. There are preparations on the market that are highly efficient and which are not dangerous. These alone should be allowed the market.

THE ONTARIO MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

The Ontario Medical Association meets this year in Peterboro on May 25, 26, 27 and 28. We bespeak for the association a large attendance. Peterboro is a lovely place to visit, and the members of the profession located in the larger cities and in the smaller towns and villages will find an excellent holiday by paying a visit to Peterboro.

Another attraction will be added, in as much as the Provincial Health Association meets in the same place during the same week. Dr. Hall, of Chatham, the president of the latter organization, will extend to all a hearty welcome, and be glad to see all who can attend the Ontario Medical Association also attend the Provincial Health Association.

These associations are worthy of support. Arrangements are in progress to furnish for each gathering an excellent programme. It would be regrettable if the attendance should not be large. While there is much at present to occupy the attention of all of us, we should not overlook our own medical and scientific associations. The Ontario Medical Association has a long and splendid record. Let this meeting be the best in its history.

THE COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.

The election and appointment of members to the Council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario have been held, and this body is now constituted and ready for the transaction of business for another term of four years. The elected members are:

Division No. 1, Dr. G. R. Cruickshank, Windsor; No. 2, Dr. G. M. Brodie, Woodstock; No. 3, Dr. J. MacArthur, London; No. 4, Dr. A. T. Emmerson, Goderich; No. 5, Dr. J. J. Walters, Berlin; No. 6, Dr. S. McCallum, Thornbury; No. 7, Dr. H. S. Griffin, Hamilton; No. 8, Dr.