

instantaneous. Dr. McDonald received his medical education in the Toronto School of Medicine, the degree of M.B. from the University of Toronto, M.D. from the University of Victoria College, and the double Edinburgh and Glasgow qualification all in 1880. He commenced practice in his native town of Tilsonburg in 1881, and remained there till the time of his death. He was always popular as a student and as a practitioner, and, in addition to his relatives, leaves many warm friends, all of whom deeply deplore his untimely end. A widow and two daughters survive.

ARTHUR GEORGE MACHELL, M.B.

We have to announce with deep regret the death of Dr. Arthur Machell, of Owen Sound, which occurred at the house of his brother, Dr. Henry Machell, Toronto, March 4th, 1899. He had an attack of la grippe some weeks ago, the chief symptom for some time being inflammation of the middle ear. His brother went to Owen Sound to see him, and decided to bring him to Toronto. Although he suffered much pain it was hoped that recovery would soon ensue. Suddenly, however, about March 1st, serious cerebral symptoms appeared, and grew rapidly worse until the morning of the 4th, when his medical attendant realized that death was inevitable. He was forty-three years of age. Arthur Machell and Charley Macdonald, as their friends were wont to call them, spent three years of their student life together in the old Toronto School of Medicine, and both were general favorites. McDonald graduated one year before Machell, and both died in the same week. Dr. Machell settled in Owen Sound shortly after graduating, and remained there until he came to Toronto three weeks before his death. His widow and one daughter survive.

THEODORE S. COVERNTON, M.D.

We have to record with deep regret the death of our dear friend, Dr. Theodore Covernton, which occurred at Los Angeles, Cal., March 16th, 1899. He received his medical education in the Toronto School of Medicine, and became M.B., University of Toronto, in 1875, and M.D. in 1878. After practising some years in Toronto he went to England, and took a post-graduate course in sanitary science in Cambridge in 1884. On his return he resumed practice in Toronto, and was appointed lecturer in Sanitary Science, Trinity Medical College. On account of failing health he resigned his position, about 1889, and went to Spokane Falls. As the climate there did not agree with him he went to