

part of the glottis was found to be filled with a pinkish white growth, which had begun to break down and ulcerate. It sprang from the anterior part of the upper surface of the left vocal cord.

Owing to the great age of the patient the operation was divided into two stages: the first, tracheotomy; and five days later, the 2nd, thyrotomy, removing the growths and surrounding soft parts.

Although attended by the development of pneumonia during the second week after operation, the man made a good recovery. Nine months later he was still doing well, with steady improvement of the voice. Microscopic examination verified the case to be one of epithelioma.

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## Personals.

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Dr. Allen Baines, of Toronto, spent a few days in New York early in January.

Professor Osler, of Baltimore, paid a flying visit to Toronto during Christmas week.

Dr. Charles O'Reilly, Superintendent of the Toronto General Hospital, spent Christmas in New York.

Dr. Thos. S. Cullen (Toronto, 1890), of Baltimore, spent a few days during December with his friends in Toronto.

Dr. Garnet Holmes (Toronto, 1898), of Chatham, is taking a course at Moorefield's Ophthalmic Hospital, London, England.

Dr. W. T. Stuart has been appointed Professor of Chemistry in Trinity Medical College in the place of Dr. Kirkland, deceased. He has been connected with that institution for many years as Professor of Practical and Analytical Chemistry.

Dr. George R. McDonagh, of Toronto, left the city January 22nd, and after spending a few days in New York took the steamer for Genoa. He expects to see something of Italy, Turkey, Egypt and Palestine, after which he will visit some of the hospitals in Europe.

Dr. James E. Graham, of Toronto, intended to have gone with Dr. McDonagh, but on account of the illness of his father, was unwilling to go so far from home. He is, however, taking a short holiday of three or four weeks. He left Toronto for Florida, January 26th.