

as in the great hospitals for consumptives in London and Manchester, there could be no possible infection communicated to their attendants or friends who visit them.

The latter part of the article is not quite clear to the unofficial comprehension of the writer of this. But it may be stated, that it is not considered by the highest authorities necessary to have consumption under stricter and more distant isolation than smallpox. And that if the writer of that article had first taken the trouble to acquaint himself with all the facts bearing on the proposed hospital for consumptives, he would not have written as he did, nor attempted to check that advance in the treatment of phthisis to the want of which he refers.

Yours, etc.,

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Dominion License Question.

To the Editor of the CANADIAN MEDICAL REVIEW :

DR. WHITE (see page 92, *Dominion Medical Monthly*, September, 1893), states : "To be able to take charge legally of a patient from Halifax to Victoria, through each Province, would take about five years, seven examinations, and about \$500 tribute to the respective Councils." If such is the condition, one can easily understand that our medical laws are expelling our young M.D.'s from the country, for there is not one State in the Union, or United States, which does not offer more advantages to candidates to practice, as regards examinations, than any of our sister Provinces. Are those Inter-Provincial restrictions the factors at work in causing our young M.D.'s to ignore our Ontario license? for I have learned that hardly thirty per cent. of this year's graduates of Trinity, Toronto, Western and Queen's Universities tried examinations by our College of Physicians and Surgeons. Those who did not try, it is needless to say, went to the United States, and such exodus has been the case, as I well know, for thirty years. Another source, the "Detroit College of Medicine," of whose yearly graduates and matriculants, as its announcement states, this Province contributes a large and increasing number, is equally serving to expatriate our young Esculapians. Is Canada for us Canadians? The answer medically is embodied in Dr. White's article, and worthy of speedy observance by our Medical Council and Legislators.

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