

stand, to step out and refuse some of it at least is the *Montreal Witness*, which has always been a consistent advocate in the cause of temperance. It has recently refused to advertise an article said to have large quantities of alcohol in its make-up. With the powerful influence of temperance people denouncing alcoholism by the patent medicine route, many of these baneful preparations will vanish from the market.

NEWS ITEMS

DR. GEO. A. PETERS left Toronto on the 12th of July for England.

CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.—Remember the dates: August 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th.

DR. J. T. FOTHERINGHAM has returned to Toronto from England very much improved in health.

DR. INGERSOLL OLMSTED, Hamilton, announces that hereafter he will confine himself to surgery and consultations.

DR. N. P. GRANT, of Woodstock, N.B., has been appointed Superintendent of the St. John General Hospital.

THE deaths in Ontario during the month of May were 2,283, the rate of mortality being 13.7 per cent. per 1,000.

HEALTH inspection of Quebec schools is being advocated by Dr. C. S. Valin, Professor of Hygiene in Laval University.

DR. R. J. MANION, gold medallist at Trinity University, '04, has been appointed to the house staff of the General Hospital, Ottawa.

OVER one hundred infants died in Montreal during the week ending the 2nd of July. The total death rate during that week was 186.

THE Hon. Senator Sullivan, of Kingston, has been elected President of the Ontario Medical Council, and Dr. A. A. Macdonald, of Toronto, Vice-President.