

who expressed very strong opinions regarding Dr. McCully's methods. Mr. Macdonnell saw nothing morally wrong in a man advertising in any way he chooses to the facts of his practice, although it might be professionally objectionable, but for a man to advertise in the public press in a glaring and conspicuous manner the details and descriptions of the various diseases he professed to treat was extremely objectionable. He would also apply the term disgraceful to it.

"What do you say of the conduct of a man who, after treating the case of a woman, refuses to give up her body upon her death until the charges are paid?" asked Mr. Nesbitt.

"If there is any stronger word than disgraceful or contemptible," replied Mr. Macdonnell, "I would like to use it."

"'Infamous' is said to be a little stronger."

"Yes, that will do."

"Have you had any opportunity of judging the effect of such advertisements as that of December 10th, upon the public, as a guardian of the public conscience?"

"Yes, I have had abundant opportunity. I think a man who advertises so is an unmitigated humbug and the enemy of society."

"Might that man continue to have the badge of respectability attached to him by holding the diploma of a respectable college?"

"I have no hesitation in saying that I would regard it as being in the interests of humanity, as well as of morality in Toronto and Canada, that any authority that has power should stop the course of a man who has been issuing advertisements such as I heard read yesterday, and such as I saw and read in the newspapers before yesterday, on the two main grounds: (1) Of his gross slandering of his fellow-practitioners, and (2) of his absurd and false pretence of curing all diseases."

Rev. Dr. Parsons took much the same ground as Mr. Macdonnell. He considered such advertising as that of Dr. McCully disgraceful, unprofessional and harmful.

Drs. Richardson, Graham, Ross and McPhedran also expressed disapproval of Dr. McCully's way of carrying on his business.

Dr. James Richardson expressed his opinion very freely, and characterized Dr. McCully's con-

duct, dealing largely and expression in English language.

When the Committee met on Monday morning, Dr. McCully, being called on for his defence, submitted through his solicitor the following statement and undertaking to the Committee, and asked the Committee to report the same to the Council when reporting hereon:

"I admit that the advertisements complained of herein and any others of the like effect or nature are unprofessional, and the publication thereof by me constitute infamous and disgraceful conduct in a professional respect within the meaning of the Ontario Medical Act.

"I submit myself to the action of the Council in the premises, and admit that I am liable on the evidence to have my named erased from the Medical Register.

"I undertake and agree to not further offend in the premises, and ask the Council to suspend action on the report of the Committee so long as I, in good faith, comply with the above undertaking.

"It is agreed that the charges other than those which charge the advertisements to be a breach of the Act are to be considered as undisposed of and untried.

"(Signed) S. E. McCULLY.

"(Signed) WALTER CASSELS.

"Toronto, Dec. 12th, 1892."

This completed the work of the Committee, and it adjourned to meet on Monday, the 12th of June, the day before the Council meets, when all the evidence will be gone into carefully and a report submitted thereon to the Council.

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