That your Petitioner is desirous of obtaining the said office, and feels himself qualified to perform the duties thereof efficiently.

Wherefore your Petitioner humbly prays that your Excellency will be graciously pleased to appoint him to the said office.

And your Petitioner, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

F. MONTIZAMBERT, M.D.,

Quebec, 16th January, 1865.