

Therapy, made the following year by Drs. Bruce and McPhail in Britain and himself in Canada. His studies on cases of Lethargy and Moral Imbecility are widely known and quoted, having indeed become classics on these subjects. Among other monographs which have aided in extending and confirming his reputation in his professional field may be mentioned those on, Goitre among the Insane, and Exophthalmic Goitre, Surgical Interference in Mental Disease, and Epilepsy. In that broader sphere which, while based on professional research yet extends far out into the practical problems of social life, Dr. Clarke has contributed several notable studies connected with Moral Responsibility, the Treatment of the Criminal, and the fascinating subject of Heredity. Lately he contributed to the *Queen's Quarterly* an interesting article which throws much light upon the erratic career of that historic figure, Louis Riel.

In view of the reputation which he has acquired abroad, it was but natural that Dr. Clarke should be appointed an associate editor of the *Journal of Insanity*, published under the auspices of Johns Hopkins University, and which is the official organ of the American Medico-Psychological Association. Coming within the borders of our own country, when British Columbia desired to obtain the services of an expert superintendent to examine the affairs of the Provincial Asylum and suggest improvements in its administration, Dr. Clarke was appointed by special commission to undertake the work, and his report has been amply justified by results. When, in our own Province of Ontario, the Government were called upon to fill the most important position among the asylums of the Province, laying aside, in this case at least, all political considerations and recognizing the responsibility of the appointment to be made, they selected the best man available; in consequence Dr. Clarke was taken from us and transferred to Toronto. There, too, his services as lecturer on mental diseases have been secured by the Medical Faculty of the University of Toronto.

But, Mr. Chancellor, had I been required to omit all reference to Dr. Clarke's professional achievements, I should not have experienced the slightest embarrassment in proving him worthy of the distinction which we ask you to confer upon him.