

red 336 days after menstruation ceased. Playfair places the extreme limit at 295 days.

PRINTER'S ERROR.—In the Announcement of Trinity Medical College, just issued, the reference to Dr. Spilsbury's course of practical instruction in diseases of the throat and nose (at page 19) is marred by the accidental introduction, by the printer, of the Dr.'s name before the word "*instruction*." Any one can readily see that it is a printer's blunder. That the teaching will be good and practical, the students will soon discover, Dr. Spilsbury's protracted training in Europe for his work having specially fitted him for this post.

WOMAN'S MEDICAL COLLEGE, TORONTO.—The following gentlemen have been appointed to positions upon the staff of this institution: Dr. Atherton, Lecturer on Principles of Surgery; Dr. Powell, Associate-Lecturer on Practice of Surgery; Dr. B. G. McKenzie, Lecturer on Orthopædics and Surgical Anatomy; Dr. R. S. Tyrrell, Lecturer on Jurisprudence; Dr. L. M. Sweetnam, Lecturer on Therapeutics.

FOR TONSILLITIS.—Dr. John Aulde recommends (*Med. Reg.*) the following as a useful medicine and gargle in this troublesome complaint:

R.—Tr. guaic. ammoniat.	.	.	.
Tr. cinchonæ comp.	.	.	āā f̄iv.
Potas. chloral.	.	.	ʒij.
Mel. desp.	.	.	f̄iv.
Pulv. acaciæ	.	.	q. s.
Aquam.	.	.	q. s. ad f̄iv.

M. Sig.—Use as a gargle, and take a teaspoonful every two hours.

ATROPINE IN HÆMORRHAGE FROM THE LUNGS.—Dr. Stirling says the *Therap. Gaz.* relates a case in which hæmorrhage from the apex of the left lung was entirely uncontrollable by ergotin, and all the other remedies usually prescribed. He administered $\frac{1}{16}$ grain of atropine, hypodermically, with the result that the bleeding was at once stopped. He found that when the drug was stopped the bleeding recommenced, to be controlled by a further use of the atropine.

The name of Dr. Buller, of Montreal, was inadvertently omitted in our last number from the list of those attending the Ontario Medical As-

sociation. The doctor read a paper which will appear in a subsequent issue of this Journal.

HONORS TO RICHARD QUAIN.—The Queen has been pleased to appoint Richard Quain, M.D., LL.D., F.R.S., Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, to be one of Her Majesty's Physicians Extraordinary.

Books and Pamphlets.

WOOD'S MEDICAL AND SURGICAL MONOGRAPHS.—Consisting of original treatises and complete reproductions in English, of Books and Monographs selected from the latest literature of foreign countries, with illustrations, etc. Published monthly at \$10 per year. Single copies \$1.00. New York: William Wood & Co., 56 & 58 Lafayette Place. Toronto: Vannevar & Co.

In our March issue we noted the January and February volumes of these *Monographs*. We have lately received the March, April, May, June and July numbers. We can only reiterate what we then said as to the character of these productions; their excellence is made the more manifest, as they continue to appear, while their cheapness and attractiveness are undoubted. The contents of the various numbers are as follows: March—Neurasthenia and its Treatment; Antipyresis and Antipyretic Methods of Treatment, by Dr. H. Von Ziemssen; the Tongue, as an Indication of Disease, by Dr. W. H. Dickinson; On the Treatment of Cystic Goitre, by T. M. Hovell, F.R.C.S.; New Remedies from 1878 to 1888, by Dr. C. Cauquil. April—On Diabetes and its connection with Heart Disease, by Jacques Mayer, M.D.; Blenorrhœa of the Sexual Organs and its complications, by Dr. Ernest Finger. May—On the Preventive Treatment of Calculous Disease and the use of Solvent Remedies, by Sir Henry Thompson, F.R.C.S., M.B., London; Sprains; their consequences and treatment, by C. W. Mansell Moullin, M.A., M.D. Oxon. June—General Orthopædics, including Surgical Operations, by Dr. August Schreiber, Surgeon-in-Chief to the division of the Augsburg Hospital. 388 illustrations. July—Cancer and Cancerous Diseases, by Sir Spencer Wells, Bart., F.R.C.S.; Cardiac Dyspnoea and Cardiac Asthma, by Dr. S. Von Basch; The Influence of Menstruation and of the Pathological Condition of the Uterus on Cutaneous Diseases, by Dr. L. Grellety; Tension as met with in Surgical Practice, Inflammation of Bone, Cranial and Intracranial Injuries, by T. Bryant, F.R.C.S.; Antisepsis and its Relation to Bacteriology, by Dr. J. Neudorfer.