## THE CANADA LANCET.

"The term medicine will include all plans or means of alleviating or curing human defects, disorders, diseases or wounds.

"The investigation will include the College of Physicians and Surgeons, and the exercise of their powers and duties. It will also cover the medical faculty of any university or college, and what is taught there.

"It will include osteopathy, dental schools, nurses, training schools, as well as opticians and their training.

"The investigations will also include the practice of any branch of medicine by Christian Scientists, or by any other class or sect; and by the time they get through all these their statement will be of such a great and comprehensive character as to be a lasting benefit to the province and the Legislature, enabling the Government to deal with all such matters in an intelligent manner."—Sir James Whitney at the opening ceremonies of the Toronto General Hospital.

## EUGENICS.

No whispered words of love I bring; But at your feet I lay my chart,

Such sentiments are old and stupid; Nor yet of passion will I sing;

We've long since superceded Cupid. Descriptive of my rare attractions (My muscles fill the greater part,

My beauty's shown in vulgar fractions).

Nay! answer not, "Pray ask papa!" In manner of our predecessors,

Poor pa is now a fallen star-

We ask consent of wise professors, In council they'll discuss our claim,

Where none their wisdom may disparage, And on the minutes they'll proclaim Our bans in scientific marriage.

-London Opinion.

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