

vaccination, serum therapy and other advances in the medical and surgical world ?

I will not pass an opinion as to whether physicians flagrantly and repeatedly breaking Clause 3 of Article IV., or those who do not observe Clause 4 of Article II., are most guilty, but would prefer to leave that to be done by the Ontario Medical Association, of which they all are or have been members. Suffice it to say, in conclusion, that all are alike in one respect, and that is the insatiable desire for newspaper advertising.

Yours, etc.,

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THE ONTARIO HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION.

IN compliance with the request in the circular letter sent out to the hospitals of Ontario from the County of Carleton General Protestant Hospital of Ottawa, bearing date 7th January, 1902, and signed by Mr. E. B. Eddy and Mr. T. W. Kenny, a number of ladies and gentlemen met at the Queen's Hotel, Toronto, 18th February. The following were present:—Mr. E. C. Gurney, from Grace Hospital, Toronto; Dr. Spiers, Galt Hospital, Galt; R. E. Nelson, Guelph General Hospital, Guelph; Mrs. J. Bell and Mrs. Rathbun, Belleville General Hospital; Alex. Lumsden, M.P.P., Maternity Hospital, Ottawa; F. Haight, Berlin and Waterloo General Hospital; H. Malcolmson, Public General Hospital, Chatham; Dr. A. Robillard, Water Street General Hospital Ottawa; Dr. Herald, Kingston General Hospital; J. P. Featherstone, C. C. Roy, and G. L. Orme, County Carleton General Protestant Hospital, Ottawa; Dr. J. Ferguson, G. H. Carveth, and Price Brown, Western Hospital, Toronto; Dr. M. O'Connor, St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto; Dr. C. O'Reilly and A. F. Miller, Toronto General Hospital, Toronto; C. F. Maxwell, St. Thomas Hospital, St. Thomas; Dr. Edgar, Hamilton City Hospital, Hamilton; Robert McLaren, General and Marine Hospital, St. Catharines; Grant Ridout, Children's Hospital, Ottawa; James McLaughlin, General and Marine Hospital, Owen Sound; Dr. F. L. Howland, General Hospital, Huntsville; F. Cochrane, Mayor of Sudbury, St. Joseph's Hospital, Sudbury.

Mr. E. C. Gurney was unanimously asked to take the chair, and Mr. G. L. Orme to act as Secretary of the meeting.

The Chairman stated that the objects of the meeting were to consider in what way they could best promote the interest of the hospitals throughout the Province. He called upon Mr. J. P. Featherstone, of Ottawa, to address the meeting.

Mr. Featherstone then addressed the meeting at considerable length.