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The KINGSTON MEDICAL QUARTERLY is presented to the Medical Profession with the compliments of the Editorial Staff. Contributions will be gladly received from members of the Profession and willingly published. JOHN HERALD, Editor

We hereby tender an apology to our readers for the late appearance of this number of the QUARTERLY. The Kingston Medical and Surgical Society holds an Open Meeting each year. This year the meeting was held during the first week in February. The QUARTERLY has been delayed so that we could give to our readers the papers that were read at this Open Meeting. We trust our readers will accept this apology.

THE KINGSTON GENERAL HOSPITAL AND THE MEDICAL FACULTY OF QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY.

SINCE our last issue the Governors of the General Hospital have seen fit to make a very radical change in their regulations as to the attendance upon patients in the Public Wards. Heretofore all patients entering the Public Wards came under the care of the physicians and surgeons appointed by the Governors for that purpose, and all such patients were available for clinical instruction. Now any practitioner who sees fit to do so may attend a patient in the Public Wards, and patients so attended are not available for clinical instruction. Now, in our opinion, this arrangement is and must be prejudicial to the Medical School, and in the end it will be found to be not in the best interests of the Hospital. A Medical School and an Hospital are mutually dependent the one upon the other. The teachers in the school are the physicians and surgeons in attendance upon the wards of the hospital. In order that the school may be a success they will do all in their power for the success of the hospital. Their whole influence will be directed to having a large