

curriculum of studies, be hereby repealed and the following substituted:—

1. All students from recognized Colleges outside the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, who desire to qualify themselves for registration in this Province, shall pass the matriculation examination established by the Council, and attend thereafter one full winter course of lectures in some of the Ontario Medical Schools and such other course or courses as may be necessary to complete the curriculum and pass the primary and final examinations before the Board.

2. All graduates from recognized Colleges outside the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, who desire to qualify for registration in this Province, shall matriculate, attend one full winter course of lectures in Ontario, and such other course or courses as may be necessary to complete the curriculum and pass the primary and final examinations before the Board.

3. Nothing in the two preceding clauses shall exempt residents of Ontario, who after this date elect to pursue their studies outside of the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec from passing four years in pursuit of Medical studies after matriculation in this Province before the examiner of the Council."

This By-law having passed the Council, a committee was appointed to draft amendments to the Medical Act, and the Council adjourned.

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### DR. STOKES IN TROUBLE.

At the trial of Kelly for the murder of Police Constable Talbot of Dublin, the counsel for the criminal raised the question of improper treatment on the part of Dr. Stokes and the surgeon in attendance with him in their efforts to extract the bullet. The only hope of the defence was to discredit Dr. Stokes surgery and make it appear to the jury that the effort of the surgeons to extract the bullet was the immediate cause of death. This is certainly a new feature in legal metaphysics, and had it succeeded would have placed medical men in a rather peculiar position.

In reference to the above the *Medical Press and Circular*