

PERSONAL.

Dr. Rollo Campbell (M.D., Bishop's College, 1887) passed the first portion of the examination for the Licentiate Diploma of the Royal College of Physicians, London, on the 4th and 13th of this month. Last month Dr. Campbell was elected one of the attending staff of the Montreal Dispensary, and granted leave of absence.

Dr. McClure, late Superintendent of the Montreal General Hospital, intends to devote his life to the work of a Medical Missionary in India. Dr. McClure intends visiting England the first week in June, but will return to Montreal, before taking his final departure for the scene of his future labors.

Dr. Campbell, the Editor of this Journal, left for England on the 31st March by the Cunard SS. Umbria. He will return early in May. This will account for the want of attention which some business letters have received.

Dr. Gardner, Professor of Gynæcology, who has been quite ill, is, we pleased to know, on a fair way towards convalescence. At present he is sojourning at Atlantic City, U.S.

Dr. Clarke (M.D., Bishop's College, 1888) has left for Edinburg, where he proposes presenting himself for the triple Scotch qualification.

Mr. Jack of Bishop's College has been appointed Resident Clinical Assistant at the Western Hospital, Montreal.

NOTICES OF BOOKS.

We beg to acknowledge the receipt from the enterprising firm of publishers, Messrs. Geo. Davis & Co., of Detroit, a very neat and interesting little work entitled "A New Treatment of Chronic Metritis and Endometritis by Intra-Uterine Chemical Galvano Cauterizations," by Apostoli, of Paris, and translated into English by A. Laphorn Smith, lecturer on gynecology in Bishop's College, Montreal. The book contains chapters on electrical tools, operative procedure, general considerations, conclusions,

and appendix. The first part of the work is really an exposition of Apostoli's method of applying the continuous current, either positive or negative, according to the indications to fibroids as well as to other hypertrophic and hemorrhagic diseases of the uterus, while the appendix gives one a very fair idea of the uses of the interrupted current in the various functional derangements of that organ.

We clip the following reference to it from the *Cincinnati Medical Journal* for April: "Apostoli claims, and justly, too, that he has endowed intra-uterine therapeutics with one more arm, which is precise, mathematical, dosable, and localizable, which may be administered in the smallest doses and increased without danger, at the will of the operator. Owing to Dr. Smith's familiarity with the language, the translation is a most excellent one."

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