

degrees of M.D., and of M.R.C.S.(Eng.), and died at York (now Toronto) January 1st, 1822.

He was senior member of the Medical Board of Upper Canada, organized in 1819; was Surgeon to the 33rd Regiment, and afterward to the Queen's Rangers, Simcoe's own battalion; subsequently he was made Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals. Some time between 1794 and 1796 he moved to York (now Toronto). His name appears first on the list of Commissioners to oversee the opening of Yonge Street, and in 1803 he was one of a "committee appointed to proceed with the work of building" a church.

He received a patent for a park lot extending from Yonge Street to University and from Queen to College. Near the S. E. corner some lots were laid out and buildings erected, and this part became known as Macaulay Town—the western boundary of York extending then only to George Street. It may be interesting to mention that James Street gets its name from his Christian name, and Elizabeth Street from that of his wife. The homestead was situated where "Trinity Square" now is, and was known as "Teraulay Cottage." The name was formed from the last syllable of his wife's name, Hayter, and from the last two of his own. Teraulay Street doubtless commemorates this romantic name.

He was a man of striking appearance, of medium height, and of fair complexion. Though not actively engaged in practice after the severance of his connection with the army, he did much for the welfare of the medical profession in those early days.

Grant Powell was born in Norwich, England, in 1779, and died at York (now Toronto) in 1838. His father was William Dammer Powell, who afterwards became Chief Justice of Upper Canada, and who presided at the celebrated trial at Niagara immediately preceding the rebellion of 1837. The subject of our sketch was a "Guy's" man. He practised in New York State from 1804 to 1807, and then removed to Montreal, where he remained until 1812, when he came to York (now Toronto) as Surgeon to the Incorporated Militia. Though a surgeon of no mean ability, he virtually retired from active practice when Dr. Widmer settled here. He was one of the early members of the old Upper Canada Medical Board. His son, Grant Powell, is still living in rude health at the age of 82. His grandson, our mutual friend Dr. R. W. Powell, of Ottawa, is the only descendant who followed the profession of medicine.

Christopher Widmer, M.D., F.R.C.S.(Eng.), was born in England about 1780, and died at Toronto, May 2nd, 1858. He served during the Peninsular War as surgeon to the 14th Light Dragoons, and came to Canada with his regiment during the War of 1812. Settling in York (now Toronto) about 1815, he took up his resi-