organ gets a much needed rest. There are, however, a large army of sufferers who cannot afford the luxury of visiting these health resorts. Such, however, can receive benefit at home by drinking freely of water. Human nature is, however, distrustful of such a simple remedy. He must get specific directions to take so many glasses daily, and the chances of his carrying out such treatment will be largely increased by giving him a small alkaline powder to be dissolved in each glass. He will then believe that he is taking medicine, for that is what man craves for. If you wont give it to him someone else will.

DR OSLER AND THE UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH.

It is announced by the *British Medical Journal*, on authority, that Dr. Osler, of the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, is not an applicant for the Chair of Medicine in the University of Edinburgh.

ANNUAL CONVOCATION OF THE MEDICAL AND DENTAL FACULTIES, UNIVERSITY OF BISHOP'S COLLEGE.

The twenty-ninth Annual Convocation of the Medical Faculty of the University of Bishop's College, and that of the Dental Department, was held in the Synod Hall, Montreal, on the 26th of April. The day was beautiful and there was a large turn out of the friends of the Faculty, the large hall being crowded in every part. The chair was taken shortly after three c'clock by Chancellor Heneker, who was supported on the platform by Acting Principal Allnatt and the various members of the Medical and Dental Faculties. The Dean, Dr. F. W. Campbell, made the usual announcements, and the candidates for the degree of C.M., M.D., and that of D.D.S. were presented by the Deans. The following ladies and gentlemen received the degrees of C.M., M.D.:

Francis Oscar Anderson, Montreal; Albert Cuff Lopez, Manderville, Jamaica, W.I.; Miss Mary Adelaide Runnels. Milton, P.Q.; Alexander Macdonald, Scotstown, P.Q.; Miss