

THE PROVINCIAL MEDICAL BOARD.

The semi-annual meeting of the Provincial Medical Board was held at Quebec on Wednesday, 30th September. There were present Drs. R. F. Rinfret, M. P., Alfred Morissette, F. G. Austin, Jules Prévost, E. P. Chèvrefeils, l'Hon. M. Marcell, H. A. Mignault, J. M. Beausoleil, Robt. Craik, L. J. A. Simard, Geo. Ross, Côme Rinfret, A. Lagenais, Thomas Larue, L. J. E. Desjardins, J. H. L. St. Germain, L. T. E. Bousseau, Léonidas Larue, P. Laberge, A. Valée, C. E. Lemieux, éér., J. Lippé, P. M. Guap, M. P., F. Trudal, L. H. Labrecque, C. S. Parke, F. W. Campbell, and A. G. Belleau, secretary.

In the absence of Hon. Dr. J. J. Ross, President, the chair was taken by Dr. A. F. Rinfret, M. P., Vice-President.

After the adoption of the minutes, the report of the examiners for the preliminary examination was read, giving a list of students entitled to registration. The committee on Credentials made their report. The question of reciprocity with Ontario was left over until the next meeting. The committee for examination for license was appointed as follows, viz.: Surgery, Dr. C. E. Lemieux; Med. Jurisprudence, Dr. Valée; Medicine, Dr. Geo. Ross; Mat. Medica, Dr. Jules Prévost, and Obstetrics, Dr. H. A. Mignault. One candidate only presented himself and was rejected.

The following holders of the Bachelor's degree were sworn and admitted to the study of medicine, viz.: M.M. Bernard Miville dit Déchêne, B. S., St. Paschal, Kamouraska; Jean Marie Arthur Rousseau, B. A., St. Casimir, Portneuf; Gustave Augustin Côté, B. L., Ste. Anne des Monts; Félix G. Fortier, B. A., Quebec; Evariste Gélinas, B. A., St. Barnabé and St. Maurice; Jos. H. Richard, B. A. St. Maurice; R. B. Mackay, B. A., Montreal; Jean-Étienne-Jos. Ph. Landry, B. A., St. Roch, Quebec; Joseph F. X. Bossé, B. A., St. Onzime; Calixte Alp. D. Masson, B. L., St. Anicet, Huntingdon; Ernest Cyr, B. A., Maria, Baie des Chaleurs; Walter J. LeRossignol, B. A., Montreal; Joseph Lapiere, B. S., St. Jerome; Aurélien Constantineau, B. S., Montreal; Alexis Lagacé, B. A., Montreal; J. A. Lortie, B. S., St. Justin de Mewlon; W. J. A. Derome, B. A., St. Jean Chrysostome; E. C. Campeau, B. A., Vaudreuil; Wm. F. Deeks, B. A., Montreal; Isaac L. Hargrave, B. A., Eden, Man.; Thomas Nelson Walsh, B. A., Ormstown.

A unanimous vote was passed congratulating the President upon his elevation to the Senate.

It was moved by Dr. Mignault, seconded by Drs. Craik and Parke. That the Governors of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec desire to express their regret at the loss which the College has sustained by the death of Dr. Thomas A. Rodger, one of the governors representing the district of Montreal.

His influence amongst the members of this Board was deservedly great, being endowed with unquestioned talent, as well as of unchangeable good nature, as is admitted by all who came into contact with him. He always devoted himself heartily to maintaining the honour and best interests of his profession, of which he was a distinguished member. That this Board expresses their profound sympathy with the bereaved family.

The following graduates were sworn and received their license to practice, viz.: Roch Auguste Paradis, Lotbinière; Albert Aubrey, St. Stanislas de Kostka, Beauharnois; Joseph N. Perrault, St. François du Lac; George R. Fortier, Quebec; Alfred Arsenault, St. Bonaventure; C. J. M. Verge, jr., Quebec; Achille Chandonnet, St. Pierre les Becquets; Pierre V. Faucher, St. Foye; Gédéon Blanchet, St. Dominique, co. of Bagot; Alexis N. Bellemare, Yamachiche; George Eugène Guillemette, Bay St. Paul; Joseph L. M. Genest, St. Bernard; Chas. E. Augé, Drummondville; Georges Cloutier, St. Georges, Beauce; Camille Gariépy, St. Casimir; Arthman Bruère, Montreal; Elizabeth Walker (nee Bruère), Montreal (M.D. University of Paris); William Dougan, St. Catharines, Ont.; Jas. P. McIntosh, Connecticut, U.S.; John E. Molson, Montreal; Alexander Dewar, Winchester, Ont.; H. B. Ford, Morewood, Ont.; Achille Dagenais, Montreal; Antoine Chopin, Montreal; Charles Wilfrid Beaudoin, St. Bridget, Iberville; Jos. Poupore, Montreal; George Sheriff, Huntingdon; William Fawcett Hamilton, Montreal; Joseph Elie Landry, Stanhope, Quebec; Ovide Normandin, Ste. Philomène; Alex. A. McCrimmon, Montreal; Neil Malcolm Watson, Williamson, Ont.; Thomas Beeth, Otenaw, Man.

A letter was read from Messrs. Martigny and Montpettit, representing the students of Laval, complaining of the paucity of subjects and the high price charged for them by the Inspector of Anatomy. Another from Mr. George DeFoy offering to furnish bodies for dissection for \$5 apiece.

It was moved by Dr. Dagenais, seconded by Dr. Beausoleil: That this Board recommends the Government to repeal the present law concerning the Inspection of Anatomy, and that an amendment to the Medical Act invest this Board with power to govern the inspection of anatomy. Carried.

Moved by Dr. Craik, seconded by Dr. Marcell: That whereas certain holders of the degrees of B.A., B.Sc. and B.L. have, through ignorance, neglected to have their degrees registered at the proper time, resolved—That to rectify this omission all who have so graduated since the promulgation of the Act up to the present date, and who have signified their intention to this effect, be considered as having been registered students of medicine from the date