

which position he resigned some four years ago, being then elected one of the Consulting Staff. He enjoyed a very considerable family practice, and among his patients and acquaintances his genial manner made him many warm friends. He also occupied many positions of trust, principal among which was that of Consulting Surgeon to the Grand Trunk Railway.

#### MEDICAL FACULTY OF BISHOP'S COLLEGE.

Dr. Wilkins has resigned the chair of Physiology which he has held since 1880, and accepted a position on the Medical Faculty of McGill.

Dr. Armstrong has been transferred from the chair of Anatomy to that of Physiology.

Dr. J. Leslie Foley, lately Assistant Demonstrator of Anatomy, has been appointed Professor of Anatomy.

Dr. C. A. Wood has resigned the Professorship of Chemistry, and assumed the chair of Pathology.

Dr. Wm. Young has been appointed Professor of Chemistry.

Dr. Herbert L. Reddy has been appointed Professor of Therapeutics.

Dr. J. B. McConnell has been transferred from the Chair of Botany to that of Materia Medica.

Dr. E. H. Trenholme, who a few years ago retired from the Faculty, re-enters it as Professor of Gynecology. No one in the Dominion, perhaps, is better qualified to fill such a chair, and as he has become connected with the Women's Department of the Western Hospital, this chair promises to become one of great importance in connection with this school.

Dr. Kennedy retains Midwifery, and adds to it Diseases of Children, on which a complete course of lectures will now be given.

Dr. A. Laphorn Smith, lately Demonstrator of Anatomy, has been appointed Professor of Botany.

Dr. Gaherty has been named Demonstrator of Anatomy.

Dr. F. W. Campbell, acting as Dean since Dr. David's death, has been unanimously elected Dean of the Faculty.

Three Professorships in the School, viz., Chemistry, Anatomy, Pathology, as well as the Demonstratorship of Anatomy, are now held by its own graduates. The Thirteenth session opens on the 2nd of October next, when we believe a good class is anticipated.

#### MCGILL FACULTY OF MEDICINE.

The following further changes have taken place in this Faculty:—Dr. George Wilkins, "M.D., Toronto University," has been appointed Professor of Medical Jurisprudence. Dr. Shepherd becomes Professor of Anatomy *vice* Dr. Scott, deceased. Dr. MacDonnell, Assistant Demonstrator of Anatomy, becomes the Demonstrator. Dr. W. R. Sutherland, lately appointed Junior Assistant Demonstrator, becomes Senior Assistant, while Dr. Robt. Jared B. Howard, now in Europe, son of the Dean, has been named Junior Assistant Demonstrator.

#### MONTREAL HOMŒOPATHIC ASSOCIATION.

The above Association, constituted by Act of Parliament in 1865, obtained an amendment during the last session of the Quebec Legislature, and at a special meeting held early in May, it was resolved to establish a college, and a faculty was elected as follows:—Dr. Wanless, President, Theory and Practice of Medicine and Clinical Medicine; Dr. Muller, Registrar, Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Children; Dr. Nichol, Materia Medica and Medical Jurisprudence; Dr. McLaren, Physiology and Institutes of Medicine; Dr. Fulton, Surgery and Clinical Surgery.

It was also decided to reorganize a free dispensary for the poor.

#### MONTREAL GENERAL HOSPITAL.

Dr. Wm. Wright has been elected to the Consulting Staff.

Dr. Shepherd has been elected an Attending Surgeon, *vice* Dr. Wright promoted.

Dr. R. L. MacDonnell, has been elected to the Out-door Department in place of Dr. Shepherd.

#### UNCERTIFIED CLINICAL THERMOMETERS.

A good clinical thermometer is as indispensable to the careful practitioner of Medicine as a good stethoscope; but to ensure accuracy of observation every one should make sure that his thermometer is reliable. Such serious discrepancies have been detected in uncertified thermometers, that, where accuracy is required, uncertified instruments are utterly useless. In a recent number of the *British Medical Journal*, Dr. Robertson, re-