## PERSONAL

Dr. R. F. Godfrey, (M.D., Bishop's College,) E. G. Anderson, W. A. Molson, J. L. Ritchie and R. A. Stevenson, (M.D., McGill College) have passed the Primary Examination for the membership of the Royal College of Surgeons of England.

Dr. J. R. Smallwood (M.D., McGill College, 1868) has established himself at St. Clet, Que.

Dr. Lemieux (C.M., M.D., Bishop's College, 1874) has removed from St. Urbain to Ormstown, Que.

Sir Geo. Duncan Gibb, Bart. (M.D., McGill College, 1846) of Bryanston St. Portman Square, London, lately assistant physician to Westminster Hospital, has been promoted to be physician to the Hospital in consequence of the death of the well known Dr. Ainstie. We congratulate our friend, (whose former kind acts were repeated during our visit to London in October last) on this acknowledgment of his ability and worth.

Dr. Jos. Workman (M.D., McGill College, 1835) has tendered his resignation to the Government of his position of Medical Superintendent of the Toronto Insane Asylum. Dr. Workman has held his position for the past twenty-five years, and retires on account of advanced age. Dr. Workman's ability on mental diseases is universally acknowledged all over the American continent.

Dr. Robert Kains of St. Catharines passed his examination before the Royal College of Surgeons of England on the 25th January last.

Dr. Eliphalet G. Edwards has been elected President of the Western and St. Clair Division Medical Association.

Dr. Toner of Washington, U.S., has issued a very valuable work on the Early Medical History of the United States. We see it favorably noticed in our American Exchanges.

Dr. Stimson, of St. George, Brant County, Ont., has removed to Detroit, Michigan, where he proposes to locate himself permanently.

Dr. J. Baker Edwards, Professor of Practical Chemistry and Microscopy in the Medical Faculty of Bishop's College, has been appointed Consulting Chemist to the department of Inland Revenue, as food analyst for the principal Inland Revenue districts of the Province of Quebec, including the Montreal, Prescott, Eastern Townships and Three Rivers Districts. This is the first appointment under the Act passed during the last Session of Parliament for "The Prevention of the Aduteration of Food, Drink and Drugs."

This Act differs chiefly from the corresponding Legislation in Great Britain in being initiated and executed by the Department of Inland Revenue instead of by various municipal and local authorities. This will give a consistency and uniformity of action to the proceedings, which it is expected will overcome the chief difficulties which have been experienced in its operation in Great Britain.

Dr. Botsford of St. John, New Brunswick, President of the Canadian Medical Association, intends representing it at the meeting of the American Medical Association, which takes place at St. Louis, Mo., in May.

Dr. Montrose A. Pallen of St. Louis, who resided in Montreal for several years during the Southern Rebellion, and who in 1864 took the degree of M.D. at McGill College has accepted the position of lecturer on Surgical Diseases of Women, in the New York University. Dr. Pallen has made this subject a specialty, and has been an enthusiatic worker at it for years.

Dr. George A. Baynes of Montreal has just completed a very practical and instructive public course of lectures on Hygiene. A vast amount of valuable information was given, which cannot fail to be highly beneficial to all who attended the Course.

Dr. Colin Sewell, (M.D., University of Edinburgh,) who left Montreal two years ago for Australia, returned to Canada by the S.S. Polynesian on 16th of March. We hear he intends to commence practice in Quebec.

Dr. Andrew J. Cattanach (M.D., McGill College, 1871) is at present surgeon of the Allan S. S. Polynesian.

Dr. Benson Baker, formerly surgeon Allan S.S. Polynesian, has commenced practice at Southport, Lancanshire, England.

Dr. DeGrosbois (M.D., McGill College, 1868) is in practice at St. Bruno, Que.

Dr. Clinton J. Morse, (M.D., University of Edinburgh, 1864) who has for many years been in practice at Amherst, Nova Scotia, intends removing to Montreal early in May. We will welcome our old College friend to our rapidly growing city.

## BIRTH.

In Montreal, on the 20th March, the wife of John T. Finnie M.D., L.R.C.S.E., of a son.