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This Diploma which has been shown us, is very beautifully and tastefully got up and well worth the small amount charged for it.

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To the Editor of the "Canada Lancet."

DEAR SIR:—In the June number of the LANCET under the article of "Canadian Graduates," are you not in error? You say "when we bear in mind that all Colonial Graduates are compelled to spend *one year* in a Metropolitan Hospital before their admission to examination at the College of Physicians or Surgeons, London, &c."

Having attended the examination of the College of Surgeons London, lately, the question was not asked as to whether I had attended a Metropolitan Hospital or not. All I had to do was, to show my class tickets and my Diploma from Queen's College, Kingston. I know several other Canadian Graduates who were in England only a few months, who presented themselves at the examination and obtained the Diploma of the College of Surgeons.

My reason for drawing your attention to the above is for fear some of my brethren in the profession might be dissuaded from going to England to obtain the Diploma of the College of Surgeons, if they were required to attend a Metropolitan Hospital for the time you mentioned. You have very truthfully said, that it is "very expensive," hence, some might be deterred on that account, if they had to remain in the old country for one year, under considerable expence all the time. The restriction