

We have also received the forty-first annual announcement of the Medical Faculty of McGill College. The session opens October the 2nd. The circular is superior in appearance to any hitherto issued by this Faculty, although we confess the engraver of the wood cut of the Faculty's new building, which adorns the cover, has hardly done himself justice, while he certainly has done gross injustice to what would have made a most beautiful back ground.

The Victoria College circular (Medical Faculty, Toronto,) has also reached us. It gives the usual information. Private news informs us that the prospects of Victoria having a good class this year are encouraging.

WE have received the Report of the Medical Superintendent of Rockwood Lunatic Asylum, Kingston, and will notice it in our next number.

We direct attention to the advertisement of the Medical Faculty of Bishop's College. The session will open on Oct. 1st with an introductory lecture by Professor Trenholme. The third annual circular of this Faculty has reached us, and is a very creditable production, superior, we believe, to any College announcement hitherto issued in Canada.

ELIXIR FERRI ET CALCIS PHOS. CO.

Dr. Wheeler, of Montreal, prepares a preparation under the name of Elixir Ferri et Calcis Phosph. Co. It combines a sound sherry wine, in the form of an agreeable cordial: 2 grs Lacto-Phosphate of Lime, 1 gr Lacto-Phosphate of Iron, 1 gr of the Alkaloids of Calisaya Bark, and 15 drops of Free Phosphoric Acid to each half fluid ounce. It is a really very elegant and beautiful preparation, and is taken with ease by the most fastidious palate. But what is more important is that it is a reliable medicine, and is useful in a large number of cases. We have employed it tolerably extensively during the past year, and have every reason to be satisfied with the results it produced; we therefore have no hesitation whatever in recommending it. In February last, according to the *Detroit Review of Medicine*, Dr. O'Connor, of that city, brought this preparation before the Academy of Medicine and spoke most favourably of it. The result has been that quite a demand has sprung up for it in Detroit. Its range of applicability

is great, and we think our Detroit friends have not done badly to get from Montreal so beautiful and agreeable a vehicle of administering such important drugs as the Phosphates of Iron and Lime.

OPENINGS FOR MEDICAL MEN.

For the benefit of medical men who may be seeking for locations, we give the following information, which has reached us from thoroughly authentic sources.

Allanburg, a village of about 400 inhabitants, on the Welland Canal, has no medical man.

Atherly, a village on Lake Simcoe, population 500 and increasing; has no medical man.

Cataract, a village in the township of Caledon, population between 300 and 400, with fine surrounding country, is destitute of a doctor.

Spanish River, district of Algoma, distant from Collingwood, a station of the Northern Railroad, 150 miles, has not a doctor within fifty miles. Population about 200, and increasing.

Ronaldsay, county of Grey, the Post-Master writes, "there is a good opening for a doctor."

North Keppel, county of Grey, has no medical man near it.

Penville, 40 miles from Toronto, on the North Railway, has no doctor, and none for miles.

Port Carling, in the county of Victoria, with a rapidly increasing population, has no medical man; the nearest being 22 miles distant.

Rockingham, in the Ottawa district, Post Master writes, "good opening here for medical man, one badly needed."

PERSONAL.

Dr. Kenneth Reid, a native of Huntingdon, and a pupil of Dr. Hingston's of Montreal, and a graduate of McGill, 1864, has recently returned from a very extensive European trip, embracing in his travels the Holy Land. Dr. Reid, who was for several years attached to the Quarantine Establishment of the port of New York, has taken up his residence in that city, in the fashionable quarter, No. 38 West 26th Street, and is thus early reaping the advantages, which the hosts of friends he has made, are capable of putting in his way. Already we notice by papers, which we have received, he is at the head of a charitable institution just organised, for the treatment of diseases of the eye and throat, and which is situated