

cians and Surgeons of Ontario are reminded that the New Register for 1875 is ready and will be sent to all members who have paid their annual fee of ONE DOLLAR. All who wish a copy should immediately forward their annual fee and they will receive it by return of mail.

**PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATION, COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF ONTARIO.**—The annual examination of the above college will commence on the 5th of April, and continue one week. The examination will be held in the Convocation Hall, Toronto University. Candidates are requested to send their certificates of time and course of study to the registrar prior to the above date.

**HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.**—The inauguration of this valuable institution took place on Tuesday the 23rd ult. The hospital building is situated on Avenue road facing the Queen's Park, and is admirably adapted for the purpose for which it is intended. There will be accommodation for a considerable number of indoor patients, and there is also to be a dispensary connected with it, for out door patients. The medical staff connected with this charity are as follows:—Consulting staff, Drs. Hodder, Aikins, H. H. Wright and U. Ogden; acting staff, Drs. Thorburn, Buchan, Felton and Graham; Dr. Reeve ophthalmic surgeon. The establishment of a hospital for sick children is a want which we are glad to see supplied in such a promising manner, and we hope to see the secretary, Mrs. L. McMaster, the worthy treasurer, Miss Hunt, and their co-workers generally assisted in their good work by the generous and charitable people of this city and Province. The institution is deserving of the confidence and sympathy and assistance of all.

**MEDICAL LEGISLATION IN THE UNITED STATES.** There is at present a Medical Bill before the Legislature of the State of Michigan, U. S., for the purpose of regulating the practice of medicine within that State. It provides that all in practice before October 1875 shall be registered without examination, and those who qualify subsequent to the passing of the Act, and wish to practice in Michigan shall pass an examination before a board of examiners to be appointed by the Governor, and become licensed, such board to be composed of members of the general profession, homœopaths

and eclectics in proportion to the number of members in the different Societies. It is in many respects similar to the Ontario Medical Act. We hope for the sake of the profession and the public in that State that it may become law.

### THE LATE DR. JOHN L. LIZARS.

A meeting of the medical profession was held on the 16th ult., at the Canadian Institute, for the purpose of taking into consideration the best means to adopt to show their esteem and appreciation of the late Dr. John L. Lizars.

Dr. Bethune was appointed chairman, and Dr. John E. Kennedy secretary. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. The committee appointed to draft a series of resolutions brought in their report, which was adopted. The following resolutions were passed:—

To the Medical Profession of Ontario.

In view of the loss we have sustained by the decease of our friend and professional brother, John Lizars Lizars, M. R. C. S., and of the still heavier loss sustained by those who were nearest and dearest to him, be it

*Resolved:* That it is only a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say, that in regretting his removal from our midst, we mourn for one whose professional abilities were in every way worthy of our respect and admiration. Carried.

The following resolution was proposed and carried:—

That we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased in the dispensation with which it has pleased Divine Providence to afflict them; and whereas, in consideration of the straitened circumstances in which the family of the deceased are left, by being so suddenly deprived of their only support, be it

*Resolved:* That an earnest appeal be made to the Medical Profession of Ontario, to contribute towards a fund for the support of the family of one who, during his life, was always ready and willing to aid others.

It was also resolved that a copy of the above resolutions be forwarded to all registered practitioners in Ontario, with the earnest request that they will each and every one, according to his means, contribute to a fund for the maintenance of the family of our deceased brother, and that all contributions, no matter how small, will be thankfully received and suitably acknowledged by the Treasurer, Dr. Bethune, Toronto.