Medical Items.

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DR. NORMAN WALKER has removed from Toronto to Niagara Falls.

DR. OSLER, of Baltimore, spent a few days of Christmas week in Toronto.

DR. RUTHERFORD, Listowel, has returned from a three months' course at Johns Hopkins, Baltimore.

DR. HAY, of Elmira, was in the city on a flying visit to see his brother-in-law, who is dangerously ill.

DR. G. H. CLEMENS, Port Perry, leaves shortly for an extended trip to England and Germany. He will be gone about a year.

DR. LAFLEUR, of Montreal, was the guest of Dr. J. E. Graham, of Toronto, for a few days during Christmas week.

DR. GRAHAM invited a number of local physicians to meet Drs. Osler and Lafleur on Monday evening, December 30, at his residence on Bloor street. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

DR. A. E. AWDE (Tor. '92) has removed to Philadelphia, where, we understand, he will hold a position in one of the large hospitals. He has resigned his position as a member of the Public School Board of Toronto.

DR. JAMES F. Ross, of Toronto, made a flying visit to Buffalo, Philadelphia, and Baltimore during Christmas week. His main object was to meet certain members of the Council of the American Association of Obstetricians and Gynaccologists, of which he is the president, and complete, as far as possible, arrangements for the next meeting of the association, which will be held at the Cataract House, Niagara Falls, N.Y., Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, August 17 to 20, 1897.

OBITUARY.

WILLIAM GRANT, M.D., C.M.—Dr. William Grant, of Perth, died suddenly at his home, January 17th. Heart disease is said to have been the cause. He received his medical education at McGill University, and graduated in 1867. Shortly after he commenced practice in Perth. He was successful as a physician, and for many years took an active part in municipal matters.

WILLIAM JOHN GLASSFORD, M.D., C.M.—Dr. W. J. Glassford died at his home in Scotland, Ontario, December 2, aged thirty-six. He was born in Vaughan, and was educated in the Toronto School of Medicine. He received his degree from the University of Victoria College in 1887, and shortly afterwards commenced practice in Scotland, a village in the County of Brant. As a student and as a practitioner he was highly successful, and very popular with his friends and associates. He was quiet and kindly in manner, but also active and energetic in his work. He died of pneumonia, after a very brief illness. He left a widow and one child. His mother, widow of the late Rev. P. Glassford, of Vaughan township, resides in Toronto.