

licenses and other business, will take place in Montreal on the 12th of May.

—*L'Abeille Medicale* finds serious symptoms of *cacoïtus scribendi* (*sic*) in the recently issued Montreal General Hospital Reports. No one can accuse those in charge of the Hospital represented by our contemporary of being affected with a similar malady. Its occurrence in a mild form, however, might lead to the world's participating in part of the enormous experience of the latter Institution. The disease, for aught we know, may be contagious, and we hope our friends of the Hotel Dieu will become inoculated.

UNIVERSITY OF BISHOP'S COLLEGE.—At the late examinations the following gentlemen passed their primary examinations in Materia Medica, Anatomy, Chemistry, Physiology, Practical Chemistry and Practical Anatomy for the degree of C.M., M.D.: Heber Bishop, B.A., Marbleton, Que., Prizeman; Ninian C. Smillie, Montreal, Que.; Walter de Moulpied, Nicolet, Que.; J. F. E. Tetreault, St. Pie, Que.; H. R. Wilson, Montreal, Que.; R. Labrie, Chicopee Falls, U.S. The following passed their final examination for degree of C.M., M.D. in surgery, midwifery, pathology, medicine, medical jurisprudence and hygiene: Henry B. Chandler, Boston, U.S., Gold Medallist; J. Leslie Foley, Montreal, Que., Final Prizeman; L. H. U. Gill, Pierreville, Que.; F. J. E. Tetreault, St. Pie, Que.; Edmund Labrie, Chicopee Falls, U.S.; Philip Dubé, Quebec, Que.

—An epidemic of lice is said to have prevailed recently in several large Parisian schools. The correspondent of the *British Medical Journal* says:—"Among the lower orders in France, and, I believe, in other countries, there exists a popular prejudice in favor of these parasites. Their presence is considered a sign of health, and medical advice is seldom or never resorted to for their removal."

—Dr. Strauss says that a differential diagnosis of central from peripheral paralysis of the face may be made as readily by the use of jaborandi as by the constant current. In using the latter, if the disease be central, the muscles in the paralyzed