

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Read the advertisements; there are some new ones in each number.

WANTED.—Back nos. of the CANADA LANCET for September, October and December 1870, and February 1871, for which a liberal price will be paid. Also back nos. of the Dominion Medical Journal for March and May 1870.

TRUSSES, &c.—The Banning Truss & Brace Co., still takes the lead in the manufacture of spinal braces, trusses, &c. The instruments and appliances manufactured by this company are the best in the market, and are in constant demand by physicians in all parts of America. The workmanship and finish of the instruments are all that can be desired and the price as reasonable as first class work of the kind can be done. We confidently recommend them to the profession in Canada.

MONOBROMIDE OF CAMPHOR.—This remedy is being used very much by the medical profession in many parts of the world. It is formed by the combination of bromine and camphor, and occurs in white or colorless prisms, insoluble in water but freely soluble in ether, alcohol, and chloroform. The dose is two grains and is best administered in pilular form, combined with ext. gentian or liquorice as an excipient.

A NOVELTY.—The latest novelty (*Med. Press and Circular*) is a Homœopathic novel by an anonymous author entitled "Dr. Lowe's Sacrifice." A man loses his sweet-heart because he embraces Homœopathy is the skeleton of the romance. In order to make the book look like a novel certain characters are introduced all of whom, men and women, are made to discuss the relative merits of Allopathy and Homœopathy. By the aid of Homœopathy the hero of the tale is able to cure all sorts of disease, win fame and wealth and at last secure the hand of his once faithless fiancée.

OPENINGS FOR MEDICAL MEN.—There is good opening for a medical man in the village of Kettleby, Co. of York. No physician within a radius of seven miles. There is also a good opening for an experienced medical man in the village of Haysville, Ont., and one in the village of Dundalk, Co. of Grey, Ont.

RESIGNATION OF DR. WADDELL.—Dr. Waddell having been elected to parliament has resigned his post of Medical Superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum, St. Johns, N. B., after twenty five years service, and already there are several applicants in the field for this responsible position. Among the number we are informed that Dr. Steeves of St. Johns, is busy canvassing among his medical friends for a certificate of character and capability for the office. We trust, however, that our medical friends will be careful who they recommend to this important trust. It requires a man of a generous, noble, warm heart, full of kindly sympathy and yet possessed of sufficient firmness to command esteem and respect; of good administrative ability, thoughtfulness, care and foresight.—rare qualities of head and heart. Such a man was Dr. Waddell and we trust an able and worthy successor may be appointed in his stead. We hope the government will not entertain the application of Dr. Steeves for such a position.

MUTUAL BENEFIT ASSOCIATION.—We beg leave to draw the attention of the profession to the advertisement of the Canadian Medical Mutual Benefit Association to be found in another column. We are informed that the Association is meeting with very good encouragement, and we wish abundant success.

FORGERY OF NAMES.—We most cheerfully give place to the following communication from the President of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario. We only regret that the true facts were not made known sooner, so that the party referred to might have been arrested and punished for his audacity:—

To the Editor of the CANADA LANCET.

SIR,—Referring to Dr. Hamilton's letter in the last number of the LANCET, I have to state that my name appended to the "Franks" document has been used without my knowledge or authority in plain words is a forgery.

Yours, &c.,

M. LAVELL, M. D.,
President O. M. C.

P.S.—The other Kingston names I am informed are also unauthorised.

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