the active staff of the Toronto General Hospital, and Dr. Teskey one of the pathologists.

Dr. Douglas (Toronto, '76), of Castleton, was married to Miss Macklam, of Brighton, June 25th.

Dr. S. A. Bosanko (Toronto, '80), is practising in Leadville, Colorado, and vouches for it as a suitable health resort for those threatened with phthisis.

We are pleased to learn that Dr. Campbell, of Seaforth, will be a candidate for election to the Medical Council in Malahide and Tecumseh Division.

Dr. McFarlane, of Toronto, reached London the first week in June. He remained there some weeks; after which he went to the Continent, from which he returned to Belfast to be present at the meeting of the British Medical Association.

Dr. Sheard, of Toronto, was married to Miss Stanton, July 8th. The happy couple went to Baltimore, where the Dr. will spend some time in the Johns Hopkins' University, after which they will go on an extended tour before returning to Toronto.

Dr. Edward W. Jenks has returned to Detroit from Chicago, where he went five years ago to accept the Chair of Gynæcology in the Chicago Medical College. At a reception given in his honour upwards of a hundred of his former fellow-practitioners were present to welcome him back.

Dr. J. E. Graham, of Toronto, sailed for England July 19th. After attending the meeting of the British Medical Association, he will go to the International Medical Congress, in Copenhagen. After the conclusion of this meeting he expects to go with the expedition to the leprous district of Bergen and Norway, which will occupy about fifteen days.

Dr. Cochrane (Trinity, '84), has been appointed superintendent of the Hamilton General Hospital. We regret the loss which will be sustained by the Toronto Hospital, where he has lately been acting as assistant, and hope that in his sphere of greater responsibility he will be as successful as he has been here. In the interests of Hamilton we consider the appointment in every sense a most excellent one.

Miscellaneous.

MR. J. R. LEE, of this city, is now preparing an emulsion of cod liver oil with the hypophosphites, which is very fine and palatable.

THERE is a good opening for a country practitioner in the Adirondack region of Northern New York. (See advertisement).

AN Italian Hospital has recently been opened in London. Persons of all nationalities, as well as of all religions, will be admitted.

THE work of raising an endowment fund for the establishment of a Chair of Pathological Anatomy, in honour of the late Prof. Gross, is being successfully pushed forward.

M. GAUTIER announces to the Paris Academy of Medicine, that he has succeeded in the synthesis of xanthine. Xanthine differs from uric acid by one atom of oxygen.—L'Union Med.

PROF. NUSSBAUM, of Munich, places a few drops of oil of cloves on the towel before giving chloroform, when the patient has a repugnance to the odor of that anæsthetic.

The University of Heidelberg will soon celebrate its five hundredth anniversary. The parliament has voted a large sum to defray the expenses of the occasion.

A "TUCKER TRUSS," manufactured by Toms and Co., has been presented for examination. The V shaped spring situated in the pad secures a constant inward and upward pressure. The belt is of fine non-elastic webbing. This truss is most highly recommended by medical men who have tried it in their practice.

"ASSEYEZ VOUS."—The very latest novelty is a polite request to "sit down," and this is placed in the centre of a sheet of thin manilla paper, $16 \ge 20$ inches in size. By means of a die a perforated ring with fringed edges is cut out of it. It is intended to be used on the seat of a water-closet as a protective; hygienic and comfortable. It is entitled the "daily need,"