

2nd. "Is the practice of Homœopathy permitted in any of the public Hospitals of your Government?"

3rd. "Is the private practice of Homœopathy sanctioned in your Government?"

The following is an abridgement of the replies, which are given at length, in the St. Louis Medical and Surgical Journal, and which was taken from the Medical and Surgical Reporter.

Count Buol—Minister of Foreign Affairs in Austria, answers: "1st That in Austria, Homœopathy is taught not by publicly appointed professors, but only by private teachers. 2nd. That this mode of cure is practised, not in public hospitals, but only in cloister, criminal and private hospitals. 3rd. That the private practice of Homœopathy is permitted to any physician who has a Diploma."

Ramner, the Prussian Minister, replies, "I have the honour to inform your Excellency, that Homœopathy in Prussia, is not admitted into the Universities nor Hospitals, nor other public Institutions. Physicians are allowed, if they please, to exercise Homœopathy in private practice."

Rouland—Minister of Public Instruction in France, writes, "the exercise of Homœopathy is not legally authorized in France. My administration has not authorized me to exercise any measure having reference to the teaching of Homœopathy."

After this, what are we to think of the parties who, in endeavouring to secure their object, have no scruples, whatever, in sacrificing truth on the altar of their *avarice* or *ambition*. And what are we to think of the system which numbers among its votaries such men.

QUACK MEDICINES.

Our attention has been called to a circular, whereby we glean that an "Emeute" is on the tapis amongst the Medical Staff of one of the Hospitals in the city of Ottawa, arising out of a difference of opinion as to the propriety of its "Medical Attendants" engaging in the advertizing and sale of quack Medicines; we hope that some of our confrères in that locality will put us in possession of the facts of the case. The question seems to be of more than local importance, as it affects the interests and dignity of the profession at large. In the absence of more definite information, for the present we forbear from further comment.

LICENTIATES OF THE COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF LOWER CANADA.

It is sometimes a matter of consequence to know who are, and who are not Licentiates of the Province, and therefore qualified to practice in either section of it. With this object in view we publish the following list of the names of those gentlemen who have become Licentiates of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Lower Canada, since the act incorporating it became law. We propose to publish in some early future number the names of those gentlemen who