

difficulties, hinder any more delays and to atone for past annoyances. But this, be it understood, we do not intend to accomplish by any process of destruction, but rather by wise improvement.

Our office staff has not changed. We have increased the secretary's salary out of our own pocket, so as to make sure of not losing the services of this tried and trusty official.

We may not be, at the very outset, quite adequate to the task before us; but we think that we have ever been, as it is certainly is our desire to be, always and above all, a man of duty.

We earnestly beg of all the physicians of the Province of Quebec, to make the fulfilment of our duty as easy as possible.

I have the honour to be, gentlemen,

Your devoted servant,

JOSEPH GAUVREAU,

*Registrar.*

