

of Toronto, of Victoria College, Cobourg, and Queen's College, Kingston. That of the Laval University must be still further postponed, as we have learned that its convocation will not be held until the month of July or August next.

COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF LOWER CANADA.

The semi-annual meeting of the Board of Governors of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Lower Canada was held this day, May 8th 1860, in the rooms of the Mechanics Institute, when were present: Drs. Hall, Chamberlin, Smallwood, Fraser, Scott, Brigham, Boyer, Weilbrenner, Glines, Marmette, Russell, Tétu, Turcotte, Wolff, Foster, Bibaud, Badeau, Robillard, Munro, Jones, Peltier.

The Chair having been taken by the President, Dr. Hall,

The minutes of the last semi-annual meeting were read and approved.

Letters were received and read from Drs. Landry and Johnston, excusing their attendance.

Dr. Hall verbally reported that he had, in accordance with the resolutions of the Board, at the last semi-annual meeting, placed himself in communication with the Attorney General East, in regard to the validity of our Licenses for practice in Upper Canada. He regretted to state, that he had received no reply to his letters. There should however exist no doubt on the subject, as the 4 & 5 Viet. Cap. 41, is most explicit on the point. The Board fully concurred in this opinion.

The Secretary read a letter from Dr. Benjamin Workman of Toronto, on the same subject, and was authorized to reply as stated above.

The Secretary announced to the Board the death since its last meeting of Dr. W. H. Fowler, of Melbourne, E. T., one of its worthy and esteemed members; whereupon it was proposed by Dr. Smallwood, seconded by Dr. Weilbrenner and carried:

"That in the decease of our Fellow Governor Dr. Fowler, we have lost an esteemed and valued associate, and that while we feel the deprivation which we have sustained, we are not unmindful of the sorrows of his afflicted family to whom we beg to offer our sincere condolence."

"That a copy of the above resolution be sent to Mrs. Fowler."

The Board then proceeded in compliance with the By-Laws to fill up the vacant Governorship, which resulted in the election of Dr. Gilbert, of Hatley, E. T.

Letters were read from Drs'. Johnston and Marsden, which were ordered to be filed.

Dr. Gilbert was now introduced to the Board and took his seat.

Dr. S. Brooks of Sherbrooke was ballotted for and elected a member of the College.

After some remarks by Dr. Peltier, Secretary, relating to certain accounts against the College for advertising, it was proposed by Dr. Russell, seconded by Dr. Smallwood, and carried: