

DR. PRIMROSE, Secretary of the Faculty of the medical department, Toronto University, delivered the opening lecture on Monday evening, the 2nd inst., on the "Life of John Hunter, the Father of Surgery." Amongst those present were the Chancellor, the Hon. Edward Blake, and the Minister of Education, the Hon. G. W. Ross.

THE Minister of Marine and Fisheries has handed over the Marine Hospital in St. John, N.B., for the purpose of a home for incurables; and in connection therewith, Dr. Walker has been in Toronto looking into the working of the Home in this city. Hamilton is also about to erect a similar institution.

DR. GEORGE ARMSTRONG PETERS, F.R.C.S., (Eng.), Associate Professor of Surgery and Clinical Surgery, University of Toronto, was married in the first part of September, to Constance, daughter of Sir William R. Meredith, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Ontario. We extend our congratulations.

TRINITY Medical College opened its doors for the session of 1899-1900 on Tuesday the 3rd inst. Professor Clark, D.C.L., delivered the opening address, speaking particularly upon the alcoholic and tobacco habits in their effects upon student and professional life.

DR. J. P. ROTTOT, Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, Laval University, cedes his place as Professor of Clinics to Dr. Demers, who will be replaced by Dr. Benoit. Lectures were resumed on the 4th inst.

"RUPTURE of the Puerperal Uterus with Cases" was the title of a paper read by Dr. J. F. W. Ross at the recent meeting of the American Association of Obstetricians and Gynecologists held at Indianapolis.

TYPHOID fever is very prevalent at Campbellford, Ont. The Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health has advised the passage of a by-law for a better system of sewerage disposal.

DR. N. E. FAREWELL, Cobourg, Ont., late house physician at the Toronto General Hospital, has been appointed resident physician on the staff of the Protestant Hospital, Ottawa.

IN response to the request of the Six Nations, the Provincial Board of Health has organized a Health Board for the Grand River Reserve.

DR. JOHN MCCRAE has been appointed to the research and teaching fellowship in pathology at McGill.

DR. H. B. ANDERSON has returned from a six months' sojourn in England.