

and assumed by those whose duties were originally supposed to be those of assistants—plain assistants, not equals, disputants, critics, or fault-finders.

Yes, the “*Me*” order, for the honor which *Medicine* now enjoys, and which in great fulness is promised to her, must be warned of its unwarrantable ambition and its breaches of trust. However, there are those whose opportunities for the study of conditions herein named are great, who will be better prepared to finish this paper, and to them I leave the task—even the obligation, if our profession and its rights are worthy of maintenance.