

## Obituaries.

### HON. DR. BROUSE.

The sudden announcement of the death of the Hon. Dr. Brouse was a great shock to his numerous friends, very few of whom had heard of his illness. We are informed that he enjoyed good health during the summer, up to about Wednesday, 17th August, when he appeared to be suffering from an ordinary cold. On Friday his case became more serious, as he was attacked with erysipelas of the face, and lost strength rapidly. Pneumonia supervened, and he died Tuesday morning, August 23rd.

The deceased was a Canadian, born in the County of Dundas, in 1824. He graduated in Medicine in McGill College, in 1847, and received the degree of M.A. from the University of Victoria College in 1848. He was elected as the representative of the St. Lawrence and Eastern Division in the Ontario Medical Council in 1869, and retained this position until he resigned in 1879, but was at once appointed to represent the senate of Victoria College in the same body. He was elected Vice-President in 1869, and President in 1870. As a politician he represented South Grenville in Parliament from 1872 to 1878, when he was appointed senator.

He had a large and lucrative practice in Prescott until the year 1880, when he decided to leave that town, and go either to Toronto or Ottawa. After some hesitation he chose the latter city, and went there about a year ago. In Parliament and in the Senate he was a strong advocate of a Dominion Sanitary Bureau.

He was possessed of great energy and perseverance; was very successful in professional practice; always took a leading position in public medical matters, as, for instance, in the Ontario Medical Council; commanded the respect of all parties in politics; and, above all, was esteemed and beloved by those who knew him on account of his genial, kindly disposition, and affable manners in private life.

Dr. Mandl, the pioneer of Laryngoscopy, in France; Prof. Schleiden, of Frankfort, the illustrious Botanist and Physiologist; Dr. Bryk,

Professor of Surgery, in Cracow; Prof. Loze, of Berlin, author of General Pathology and Therapeutics as a Mechanical Science; and St. Clair Deville, the eminent Chemist, have passed over to the majority.

Dr. Bradford, of Manchester, the famous obstetrician, and collector and donator of the well-known "Bradford Library," has paid the debt of Nature at the age of four-score years. M. Chantreuil too, an eminent Parisian obstetrician, lately lecturing before the Faculty in place of M. Pajot, has succumbed to intestinal perforation.

## Book Notices.

*Sixty-first Annual Announcement of the Medical College of Ohio. Cincinnati, O.*

*Fortieth Annual Announcement of the St. Louis Medical College.*

*Announcement of the First Annual Session of the Medical Department of the University of Denver.*

*University of Bishop's College. Eleventh Annual Announcement of the Faculty of Medicine.*

*Annual Announcement of the St. Paul Medical College, Medical Department of Hamline University.*

*Glaucoma caused by Mental Worry. By LEARTUS CONNOR, A.M., M.D., Detroit. (Reprint from Detroit Lancet).*

*Notes on the Value of Carbo-Hydrates as Food and the Physiology of Starch Digestion. By the TROMMER EXTRACT OF MALT COMPANY.*

*Tubercular Laryngitis, or Laryngeal Phthisis. By C. J. LUNDY, M.D., Prof. Diseases of the Eye, Ear, and Throat, Michigan College of Medicine, Detroit.*

*Trichina: How to Detect them; How to Avoid them. A popular account, intended for farmers, butchers, and consumers of Pork. By JOHN PHIN, Editor of the American Journal of Microscopy.*