Hagersville and Welland, removing to Petrolia in 1899, where he met with much success. In 1893 he was married to Elizabeth Isabel, daughter of W. K. Gibson, Fsq., of Petrolia. Dr. Sturgeon held important local appointments, being Coroner for the County of Lambton and Medical Health Officer for Petrolia. He was also a prominent Mason. His kindly manner and unostentatious worth had gained for him the affection and esteem of the community in which he lived.

## DUKE W. KESTER.

Another prominent member of the Ontario profession has passed away in the death, on October 21st, of Dr. D. W. Kester, of Ingersoll. Dr. Kester was a student of Trinity Medical College and graduated at Trinity University, after which he began practice at Mount Elgln. His ability, devotion to his profession and genuine worth soon gained for him the confidence of the community and a large practice. Owing to failing health he was unable to stand the strain of his large practice and consequently some four years ago he removed to Ingersoll, where he confined himself chiefly to office work.

About a month ago he developed typhoid fever, during convalescence from which pneumonia supervened, death resulting in a few days. The deceased, who was 46 years of age, leaves a widow and one son. Dr.

Kester was a member of the Masonic fraternity.

The deceased was held in the highest esteem by his professional brethren, Doctors Williams, Neff, McKay, Caufield, and Rogers, and Mr. J. B. Coleridge, acting as pall bearers at his funeral.

## VINCENT D. SULLIVAN.

Although in poor health for over a year the news of the death of Dr. Vincent Sullivan at Los Vegas, Texas, on Nov. 4th will come as a shock to his many friends in the medical profession. Dr. Sullivan was a graduate in Arts and Medicine of Queen's University, where he took the M.D.C.M. degree in 1892. He then spent some three years in post graduate work, principally in London where he passed the examinations for the M.R.C.S. and L.R.C.P. He returned to Kingston and was appointed to the Anatomical department of Queen's University Medical Faculty, in which position his excellent work and genial personal qualities made him extremely popular with his students. Developing pulmonary tuberculosis he was forced to resign his position and seek to regain his health. He went to Saranac Lake during the past winter where he improved considerably, returning home in the spring. He soon became worse, however, and afterwards went to Gravenhurst and latterly to Los Vegas, but all to no avail. Dr. Sullivan will be much missed. His kindly disposition, sparkling humour, genuine goodfellowship, and above all his real worth, gained for him hosts of friends wherever he went, who will learn with deepest regret of his early death. In the death of 'Vinney' Sullivan the profession has lost a good manone whom it was a pleasure to know. His father, the Hon. Dr. Sullivan and his family will have the sincerest sympathy of all in the hour of their bereavement.