

their patients to do to them. The amount is such a trifle that it is all the more likely to be overlooked, but we beg our subscribers to attend to it at once, and to send their dollar to DOMINION DENTAL JOURNAL, P. O. Box 298, Toronto, Ont.

Notices.

OUR old friend, Dr. W. R. Patton, formerly of Quebec city, now of Cologne, Germany, will act as Corresponding Foreign Editor.

WE are obliged, for want of space, to defer until the next number reviews of Dr. Geo. Cunningham's interesting pamphlet on "The treatment of pulpless teeth," as well as Mr. Henry Sewil's brochure on "Dental caries."

TRANSACTIONS OF THE NEW YORK ODONTOLOGICAL SOCIETY, 1888.—It would require a volume bigger than this one of 174 pages, to tell the story of our personal and professional obligations for over fifteen years to the founders and members of the Odontological Society. The early inspiration of meeting the men who were animated with a desire to get at truth, no matter what friend is hurt or what foe is helped, does not die out in a man's life. We venture to believe that this Society has been a prominent factor in the general education of the profession, through the fulness of its reports in the *Cosmos*, and the publication of its transactions.

Miscellaneous.

"THE teeth," says Homer, "are small barriers, placed in the mouth by nature, to prevent the tongue from going astray, or the abuse of words."

"WHOEVER considers the study of anatomy, I believe will never be an atheist. The frame of man's body, and coherence of his parts, being so strange and paradoxical, that I hold it to be the greatest miracle of nature."
—Lord Herbert.

A STUDENT in Paris, after passing three years in the Latin quarter, wrote to his father as follows :— "I have made up my mind to set to work, dear father ; therefore, I should like to know whether it was law or medicine that I came to Paris to study?"

IN certain parts of India the teeth were once so esteemed that they were offered as sacrifices to the gods, and the ancients, seeing that the teeth remained perfect after the body had been long entombed, supposed they assisted in the final resurrection.