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OPENING CEREMONIES OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF DENTAL SURGEONS OF ONTARIO.

The new building of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, on College Street, Toronto, was formally declared open on Thursday, October 1st, 1896, under the most auspicious circumstances. The opening ceremonies commenced at 3.30 o'clock p.m., in the main lecture hall, where the dentists, professors and their friends to the number of two hundred had assembled, among them being many nicely attired ladies, whose presence added greatly to the occasion.

The hall was beautifully decorated with potted plants, sweet-smelling flowers, British and American flags, and festooned with the College colors—red and blue. Above the blackboard were the initials "R.C.D.S.," wreathed with the colors of the College. Altogether the effect was most charming. Glionna's orchestra discoursed appropriate music during the afternoon.

To the strains of "God Save the Queen," the following gentlemen accompanied the President, Dr. R. J. Husband, into the hall, and were seated on either side of Dr. Husband, who occupied the chair: His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Kirkpatrick, Capt. Arthur Kirkpatrick, Hon. G. W. Ross, Rev. Principal Caven, Prof. Thos. Fillebrown, Dr. H. T. Wood, Dr. J. B. Willmott, Prof. L. Teskey, Prof. W. T. Stewart and Drs. A. M. Clark, G. E. Hanna, W. A. Brownlee, J. A. Smith, J. A. Marshall and Mr. Dick, the architect of the building.