

Dr. Bush, of the Utica Insane Asylum, exhibited some very fine sections of the brain, explaining the mode of preparation, etc.

Dr. Roddick, of Montreal, showed and explained the antiseptic apparatus in use in the Montreal General Hospital, after the plan of Lister, of Edinburgh; also the preparation of ligature, gauze, etc.

A motion by Dr. Howard, of Montreal, notice of which was given at the meeting in Montreal last year, relative to the employment of experts in medico-legal cases, was carried.

The Auditors of accounts presented their report, which was adopted.

Dr. CANNIFF, of Toronto, gave notice of a motion for next year, relative to the employment of experts in medico-legal cases.

Dr. BOTSFORD, of St. John. N. B., read the report of the Nominating Committee, which was adopted.

Dr. Macdonald, of Hamilton, President; Dr. A. H. David, of Montreal, Secretary; Dr. E. Robillard, of Montreal, Treasurer.

Vice-Presidents: Dr. Bucke, of London, for Ontario; Dr. Howard, of Montreal, for Quebec; Dr. Kerr, of Londonderry, for Nova Scotia; Dr. George Hamilton, of St. John, for New Brunswick.

Secretaries: Dr. Burgess, of London, for Ontario; Dr. Osler, of Montreal, for Quebec; Dr. Lawson, of Halifax, for Nova Scotia; Dr. L. Allison, of St. John, for New Brunswick.

The following committees were appointed to report at next meeting:—*On Publication*,—Drs. Osler, F. W. Campbell, Fenwick, with Sec'y. and Treas.; *on Medicine*,—Drs. J. H. Cameron, Toronto, Geo. Ross, Montreal, R. Zimmerman, Toronto; *on Surgery*,—Drs. Canniff, Toronto, McFarlane, Toronto, Roddick, Montreal; *on Obstetrics*,—Drs. McCallum, Montreal, Temple, Toronto, Frazer, London; *on Therapeutics, &c.*,—Hon. Dr. Parker, Halifax, Kollmyer, Montreal, Frazer, Sarnia; *on Necrology*,—Drs. Fenwick, Montreal, Fulton, Toronto, F. W. Campbell, Montreal; *on Medical Education*,—Drs. Cowerton, Toronto, Workman, Toronto, Marsden, Quebec; *on Climatology*,—Drs. Botsford, St. John, Kerr, Londonderry, Larocque, Montreal, Oldright, Toronto; *on Ethics*,—Drs. Howard, Montreal, Macdonald, Hamilton, Robillard, Montreal, Hingston, Montreal, Parker, Halifax, Marsden, Quebec, Grant, Ottawa, Workman, Toronto, Botsford St. John, Buck, London, Clark, Toronto.

The next meeting will be held at London, Ont., on the first Wednesday in September 1879.

Dr. KERR, of Londonderry, Nova Scotia, read a very interesting paper on "Extra Uterine Pregnancy," in which the members took great interest.

Dr. ALL, of Toronto, read a paper on "Disease of the Eye in relation to General Disease," in which he forcibly showed the necessity to the specialist of a thorough knowledge of general

medicine, and gave some very interesting facts in regard to the treatment of diseases of the eye.

Dr. J. W. ROSEBRUGH, of Hamilton, read a paper on "Displacements of the Uterus, Dysmenorrhoea, Sterility."

The discussion was continued by Dr. Ross and others, and at the close a vote of thanks was accorded Dr. Rosebrugh for his valuable paper.

Dr. A. M. ROSEBRUGH, of Toronto, read a short paper on "The Indications for the Operation of Enucleation of the Eye," in which he pointed out the necessity for the operation and the good results in saving the sight of the eye remaining.

Dr. CANNIFF, of Toronto, gave the gist of a highly interesting paper on "Diphtheria," but as it was getting late there was very little discussion.

A paper on "Aphasia," by Dr. Freeman, of Milton, one on "Rotation of Fœtal Head from Occiput Posterior," by Dr. Ross, Toronto; and one on Cheiloplastic Operations, by Dr. OLDRIGHT, were taken as read.

A vote of thanks was given to the President for his services in the chair.

The usual vote of thanks was tendered to those gentlemen who read papers, and all the papers read were ordered to be printed in the transactions of the Association.

Votes of thanks were also tendered to Dr. and Mrs. Macdonald for their kind entertainment; to the Committee of Arrangements, and to the Secretary and Treasurer of the Association.

In the evening the members of the Association were entertained at Dinner, in the Royal Hotel, by the Hamilton Medical and Surgical Society. The large dining hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and presented a most inviting appearance.

The chair was ably filled by Dr. Macdonald, President of the Association, and the vice-chair by Dr. Mullin. On the right of the Chairman sat Hon. F. Leland, U. S. Consul, F. E. Kilvert, Mayor, Dr. Mack, St. Catharines, on the left of the chair, Dr. Workman, Toronto, His Honor Judge Sinclair, and Dr. Brodie, Detroit.

After full justice had been done to the good things *provided*, the usual loyal and patriotic toasts were proposed and responded to. The Chairman in proposing the "Governor General," paid a high compliment to Lord Dufferin, who, he said, had by his administration in Canada endeared himself to the hearts of the people.

Dr. McCARGOW, of Caledonia, sang, "The Fine Old Irish Gentleman" in capital style, the company joining heartily in the chorus.

The "President of the United States," was ably responded to by Hon. Frank Leland, U. S. Consul. The "Mayor and Corporation of Hamilton" was responded to by Mayor Kilvert. The vice-chairman then gave the "Army, Navy, and Volunteers," responded to by Drs. Botsford, Canniff, White,