

Montreal ; Dr. Grant, Ottawa ; Dr. Baxter, Cayuga ; Drs. H. H. Wright, Giekie, Canniff, Thorburn, Oldright, Russell, Rosebrugh, Temple, C. B. Hall, and Fulton, Toronto ; Drs. McDonald, Mullin, Malloch and Case, Hamilton ; Drs. Turquand, McKay and Scott, Woodstock ; Dr. Clarke, Princeton ; Drs. Mack and Copeland, St. Catharines ; Dr. Sloan, Blyth ; Dr. Fraser, Pelham ; Dr. Bugar, Welland ; Dr. Hamilton, Millbrook, and several others. Dr. Jenks, Detroit, and Dr. Thompson, Lansing, Mich., were present as delegates from the American Medical Association.

An interesting paper on "Enteric fever," which we publish elsewhere, was read by Dr. Malloch of Hamilton ; another on "Uterine decidua," by Dr. Trenholme of Montreal, and one on "Monstrosities," by Dr. Mullin of Hamilton. Dr. Scott of Woodstock, brought before the notice of the Association a new kind of "uterine supporter," which elicited considerable discussion. Dr. Botsford also exhibited a plan of bed for removing persons suffering severe illness or great pain. Certain amendments to the constitution and by-laws of the association were read and adopted. The papers above referred to were reviewed by several of the members, and occupied the rest of the day and evening. Some of these papers will appear in the LANCET from time to time.

SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

The chair was taken at 10 a.m. The minutes of yesterday were read and approved, and some new members enrolled.

The report of the nominating committee was next received.

The following are the officers for the ensuing year :—

President.—Dr. Botsford, St. John's, N.B.

Vice-President for Ontario.—Dr. McDonald, Hamilton.

Vice-President for Quebec, Dr. Rottot, Montreal.

Vice-President for New Brunswick, Dr. G. A. Hamilton, St. John's.

Vice-President for Nova Scotia, Dr. Wickwire, Halifax.

General Secretary.—Dr. David, Montreal.

" *Treasurer*.—Dr. Robillard.

Corresponding Secretary for Ontario—Dr. Malloch, Hamilton.

Corresponding Secretary for Quebec—Dr. F. E. Roy, Quebec.

Corresponding Secretary for New Brunswick—Dr. Gregory, Fredericton

Corresponding Secretary for Nova Scotia—Dr. Moran, Halifax.

The following committees were appointed on the subjects named :—

PUBLICATION—Drs. Peltier, Marsden and Scott.

MEDICINE—Drs. Howard, Sewell, and H. H. Wright.

SURGERY—Drs. Hingston, Canniff and Grant.

OBSTETRICS—Drs. Trenholme, Lavell, and U. Ogden.

THERAPEUTICS—Drs. Clarke, Thorburn and Fenwick.

NECROLOGY—Drs. Campbell, Grenier, and De Wolf.

MEDICAL EDUCATION AND LITERATURE—Dr. Bayard, Parker, and Fulton.

CLIMATOLOGY—Drs. Botsford, Larocque, Thompson, Mullin and Turquand.

PRIZE ESSAY—Drs. Hodder, Oldright, and Craik.

Some discussion arose as to the manner of entertaining members of the association at future meetings, and Dr. Jenks of Detroit gave the association some valuable suggestions, arising from his experience in providing for the meeting of the American Medical Association in Detroit, a short time ago. Dr. Hingston brought forward the subject of acupressure in arresting hæmorrhage in surgical wounds, and exhibited a small *ecraseur* which he uses for the purpose of crushing the ends of vessels to arrest hæmorrhage. Several members took part in the discussion, some recommending torsion, some acupressure, and some the good old fashioned silk ligature.

A paper was then read by the Secretary, Dr. David, in the absence of the author, Dr. Howard of Montreal, on the "Pathology of Tubercle and Pulmonary Phthisis."

A vote of thanks was passed to those who read papers ; to the President ; to the railway and navigation companies ; and to the proprietors of the Clifton House for the use of the hall. The association then adjourned to meet in Halifax on the first Wednesday of August, 1875. Dr. Botsford was requested to appoint a committee to make arrangements for the next meeting. The members then took dinner together, and left by the afternoon trains for their respective homes.