

removed all the sloughing process. I next cauterized the parts, syringing freely with warm salt and water mixture, alternated with a solution of aromatic sulphuric acid, continuing this treatment morning and evening for a week. On the fourth day from the beginning of the treatment, relief came in every particular. Hæmorrhage, which had all along been free, subsided. No tube was required, owing to the large opening which still remains, and which, being covered by the plate, does not form a harbor for any secretions. The patient had also been suffering from catarrh, which has almost entirely disappeared, owing to the free passage caused through the opening mentioned for the discharge of the fetid mucus, as well as for the convenient opportunity afforded for cleansing the antrum, which opening will, of course, always remain.

Dentistry in New Brunswick.

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Previous to April, 1890, New Brunswick was without a Dental Law, and consequently was an open field for quacks, college and office students with a keen desire for the almighty dollar, rather than any desire to give the public the equivalent for their money either in work or theory. But the dentists of the Province at last rose up in their strength, and by their united and untiring efforts succeeded in getting a bill passed at the last sitting of the Local Legislature, and feeling with pleasure and relief that it had become law, and the first step taken to elevate the standard of the profession in New Brunswick.

It remained in a state of quiescence until the Government appointed the three scrutineers, whose duty it was to examine the credentials of those claiming the qualifications for registration, and the three members of the Council required by the Act. The scrutineers were Drs. John M. Smith, St. John, N.B.; H. B. Torrens, Fredericton; and C. A. Murray, Moncton; who, on the morning of the second Tuesday in August, waded through the numerous applications for membership, rejecting or accepting, as the validity of their claims appeared to them. In the afternoon of the same day the first meeting of the New Brunswick Dental Society met in