

Proceedings of Dental Societies

ROYAL DENTAL SOCIETY.

At the last meeting of the Royal Dental Society the following officers were elected for the session of 1900-1901 : Hon.-President, Dr. J. B. Willmott ; President, K. C. Campbell ; Vice-President, A. G. Fraser ; Secretary, C. W. McBride ; Treasurer, W. S. McKay ; representative from the junior class, Badgley ; representative from the freshman class, Little. The society meets in the college building once a month. Its aim is to further dental education and interest students in the workings of dental societies.

The society held its first meeting in the college building on Monday evening, November 12th, which was attended by a number of the students and the Dean and Dr. Webster, of the Faculty. The meeting was opened by a mandolin selection by Mr. Badgley, who responded to a hearty encore. The president in his opening remarks pointed out the object of the society and predicted a pleasant and profitable time for those who attended the meetings during the term. Dr. Willmott and Dr. Webster both gave short addresses pointing out the advantages of such a society and hoping that the present year would surpass, in interest, all previous ones.

A paper on "How to Study" was given by Mr. French. Many practical points of use to students were brought out, and Mr. French deserves great praise for his very excellent paper. The memory was dealt with under three headings: the power to acquire, to retain and to reproduce at will. A very animated discussion followed in which several members of the class described their own particular manner of studying.

C. W. McBride read a paper on "The Exclusion of Moisture in Dental Operations." The discussion was opened by Mr. Hoggan, and many little points which count in dentistry were brought out before the discussion closed. After singing "God Save the Queen," the meeting closed. The society will meet again about the middle of December.

NIAGARA FRONTIER DENTAL SOCIETY.

The membership is made up of members of the profession in Niagara Falls, N.Y., and Niagara Falls, Ontario. Officers: President, Dr. Pringle ; Vice-President, Dr. Thompson ; Secretary, Dr. Magee ; Treasurer, Dr. Dudley.

The regular monthly meeting of the Niagara Frontier Dental Association was held on November 5th at the Prospect Park