

## THE NEW BRUNSWICK DENTAL SOCIETY.

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The tenth annual meeting of the New Brunswick Dental Society will be held at St. Stephen, N.B., August 24th, 1899. A cordial invitation is extended to members of the profession. Reduced railroad rates.

C. F. GORHAM, *Sec. Treas.*

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## Selections

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### FACTS ABOUT THE DISGRACEFUL ISSUING OF DEGREES AND LICENSES IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

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[This gives our readers a birds-eye view of this matter in the United States. The editor of the *Items* is to be congratulated for his effective work.]

The protest raised by the American Dental Society of Europe against illegal institutions in the states of Illinois and Wisconsin, which have flooded this and European countries with their bogus diplomas, has been recognized not only by the American Association of Dental Faculties, who created the Foreign Relations Committee at its last annual meeting in Omaha, for the sole purpose of suppressing such institutions, but also by every honorable D.D.S. of this country!

Now, as war has been declared on "Fake Diploma Mills," in order to facilitate this work it is my earnest belief that every dentist, knowing of unlawful actions by colleges, should be forthcoming with them and not be afraid of having the truth published!

I have heard of such diploma sale and the unlawful issuing of the State licenses in this State, since I came to Chicago, which was more than seven years ago. Repeatedly I tried to interest members of the Board, but the evidence was not strong enough, as it was more or less hearsay; but I never stopped till I had collected data, which I consider strong evidence against the corrupt actions of the parties concerned.